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ROMANTIC GRECIAN DECOR . . . Visiting The Girls Florist in a study of Grecian decoration for their "Night in Athens" dance are committee members of the Hollywood Riviera Homeowners Association. In discussions are, from left, Jeanette, co-owner of the florist; Mrs. William Doty, decorations chairman; Mrs. Louis Kaplan, dance chairman, and Mary Ann, co-owner of the florist. The event to be held Oct. 10 at the Palos Verdes Golf Club is "dedicated to the Homeowners who have preserved the beauty of the Riviera." (Press-Herald Photo)

'A Night in Athens' Theme

Riviera Homeowners' Dinner-Dance Oct. 10

"A Night in Athens" has been chosen as the theme for the annual Riviera Homeowners Assn. dinner-dance to be held Saturday evening, Oct. 10 at the Palos Verdes Golf Club.

A social hour will begin at 7 p.m. amid Grecian decor to be done by The Girls florist. Dinner and dancing to music furnished by Les Tronziers and his combo will follow. There will also be champagne prizes.

Riviera Homeowners Assn., representing a majority of the homeowners in the Riviera Section, meets the first Monday of each month at the Parkway School at 8 p.m. for a business meeting and program. Officers are Karl Stefek, president; Dr. Charles Hopkins, vice-president; Mrs. L. Abrahamson, secretary; Stanley Dunn, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. William Doty, treasurer.

Board of Directors include John Haidinger, Mrs. Louis Kaplan, Mrs. Robert Cotherman, Ed Martin and Tom Roach.

Tickets for the group's annual dinner-dance may be secured from any board member or by calling Mrs. Louis Kaplan.

Mrs. Rotterree In Europe to Show Exerciser

Mrs. John Rotterree of the Beauty Clinic Enterprises in Lomita is now manufacturing an electronic facial exerciser called Beauty Clinic.

Last Wednesday, Mrs. Rotterree left by Alitalia Lines to display her facial unit at the International Hair Design Council at Basle, Switzerland and at the National Council in Paris, France.

Mrs. Rotterree, who has been a cosmetician in Lomita for the past 18 years, will also visit Holland, Germany, Italy and England.

Staverts Visit Mother Lode Area

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stavert, 3210 Merrill Dr. returned Saturday from a two weeks vacation. They went first to Walnut Creek to visit friends and then to San Francisco. Crossing the state, they spent some time at Lake Tahoe after which they followed the "49er" trail through the historic "mother lode" country stopping at Sonora, on to Placerville, Yosemite and to Kernville, Mr. Stavert's birthplace, where they spent several days at the Lazy River Lodge.



JANE PELTZ . . . December Bride

Couple Set Dec. 12 As Nuptial Day

In a two o'clock ceremony at the Neighborhood Church in Palos Verdes on Dec. 12, Miss Jane Ellan Peltz will exchange her wedding vows with Thomas James Venneau.

The announcement of their daughter's engagement and wedding plans is made today by Mr. and Mrs. Vernal D. Peltz, 25217 Loyton, Torrance.

The future bride is a 1964 graduate of South High School. She is employed at the California Bank, Lomita. Her fiancé, son of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Venneau of Tacoma, Wash., was educated in Washington. He recently completed four years in the service, two with the United States Navy and two with the Marine Corps.

In Palmdale

Mr. and Mrs. Harold French, Jimmie, Donna and Joan, 26025 Calmhill Dr. spent last weekend in Palmdale as guests of friends.



OFF WITH UNIFORMS . . . Tossing their "Pink Lady" uniforms aside and planning to don their best chapeaux in preparation for the Volunteers Auxiliary of the Harbor General Hospital "Founders Day" Tea are from left, Mmes. R. L. Rudy and D. E. Stoner as Mmes. Howard Barnes and Joseph Bay, president, look on. The tea will be held from 1 to 4 p.m. on Oct. 15 in the Plush Horse Banbury room. (Press-Herald Photo)

Triple T Halloween Dance Oct. 10

A Halloween theme will be carried out when the Triple T Dance club holds its monthly dance Saturday evening, Oct. 10, at Caesar's restaurant.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Sorensen will be hosts at a cocktail party at the restaurant from 7:30 until 9 when dancing will begin.

On the dance committee are Messrs. and Mmes. Dan Butcher, Alex Wysocki, Les King and Chris Sorensen.



ANDREA GOVERNALE . . . Accepts Ring (Hedman Photo)

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Luke T. Governale, 4123 W. 177th St., Torrance, announce the engagement of their daughter, Andrea Rose, to Robert Russell Hefes of Hawthorne.

The bride-elect is a graduate of North High school. She is employed as a production control clerk at Tnem Industries.

Her fiancé, a graduate of Hawthorne High, is employed by a local store.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Off to Japan

A recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Paxton on Torrance Boulevard was Mrs. Paxton's nephew, Lance Corporal James E. Ellison, who was enroute to Japan. Corporal Ellison had been stationed in Santa Ana in the meteorology department with the United States Marine Corps.

Prospective Members Invited

Volunteers Auxiliary Slates Founders Tea

Volunteers Auxiliary of the Harbor General Hospital will stage its annual "Founders Day" Tea on Thursday, Oct. 15 in the Banbury Room at the Plush Horse from 1 to 4 p.m.

Prospective new members will be special guests at the tea, of which Mrs. Charles Grider, hospitality chairman, is in charge.

Mrs. Joseph Bay, president, will welcome prospective members, auxiliary members and guests.

Mrs. D. E. Stoner, program chairman, has announced that a local choral group will entertain.

Anyone wishing to become a Volunteer, or "Pink Lady" as they are known as they work in the many wards of the hospital in their pink uniforms, is invited to attend this tea.

Local Families Visit Disneyland

System Development Corp. of Santa Monica, for the third year, has taken over Disneyland for the pleasure of its employees and their families.

Among those enjoying the company party last Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Myer and daughters, Caryle and Sherrrie. Mr. Myer is a systems analyst with the company. Joining the Myer family were Mr. and Mrs. Al Marshall, James and Robert; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fowler, Charles and Steven, all of Torrance; and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carpenter and daughter, Leslie of Culver City.

Hostess to Adah Circle

Members of the Adah Circle of the First Methodist Church drove to Leisure World last Thursday for a meeting at the home of Mrs. C. P. Olson.

A business session was held at 10:30 a.m., followed by a luncheon served by the hostess at noon.

Attending were Mmes. Jesse Mullenby, Ethel Pack, Ruth Lie Van, Ethel Jennings, Keith Lyons, Frank Curry, J. Neilsen, Walter Clark, Russell Paxton. Welcomed as a new member was Mrs. Leo Radford.

Mr., Mrs. James Goree At Home in Inglewood

Rev. H. M. Sippel, pastor, stood before the flower-banked altar of the First Christian Church recently to officiate at the mid-afternoon marriage uniting Miss Mary Elizabeth Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hayes W. Martin, 1310 Florwood Ave. and James Richard Goree. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Roy J. Goree, 23205 Falena, Torrance.

As the 300 guests assembled, Mrs. Eleanor Hanes, organist, played a medley of nuptial music and accompanied Miss Betty Lou Kautto, soloist.

On the arm of her father, the bride came to the altar wearing a traditional gown of white organza decorated with pearl-sprinkled Cantilly lace appliques. Tiers of ruffles, forming the back of the gown, fell into a chapel train. Two large organza roses were entwined at the back waistline. A large organza rose held her illusion veil and she carried a cascade of phalaenopsis, and

stephanotis surrounding two white orchids. The bridal entourage consisted of Mrs. Shirley O'Cain, as her sister's matron of honor; Misses Carol Day, Janice Williams, and Shari O'Cain. All wore Nile green organza gowns and carried phalaenopsis bouquets. In full skirted Nile green organza dresses, Tamara Leigh and Viveca Atchley served as flower girls. Brian O'Cain carried the rings.

Leonard Atchley stood as best man and ushers were William Monfore, Robert Jobe and Gregg White.

A reception was held in Friendship hall at the church with Linda Bruggerman in charge of the bride's book.

The honeymoon was spent in Catalina and the new address is 360 Glasgow, Apt. 2, Inglewood.

The bride is a 1964 graduate of Torrance High school. Her husband, who attended South High, is employed by the Inglewood Park cemetery.



MRS. RONALD KENT WIENER . . . Beautiful Bride

Ronald K. Wiener, Bride Now at Home in Alaska

St. Cyprian's Catholic Church in Lakewood was the scene of the recent nuptial mass and ceremony in which Miss Cheryl Lynne Walston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Walston of Lakewood became the bride of Ronald Kent Wiener, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie R. McTee, 2270 W. 231st St., Torrance.

The bride wore a formal gown of silk organza trimmed with jeweled Alencon lace. An Alencon flower with a teardrop pearl held her fingertip illusion veil and she carried a cascade of lilies-of-the-valley and white roses encircling white orchids.

The bride attendants were Misses La Donna Walston, maid of honor; Misses Jacqueline Kurtz, Doris Bernstein, Mary Arnan Harris and Judi Blanch. Tami Murdock was flower girl. Conrad Von Blakenburg was best man and ushers were Jack Avery, Morris Gregory, Dave Stillwell and Tom Blanch.

A reception and buffet luncheon was held in the new Odd Fellows Temple in Bellflower. The bride, a graduate of Lakewood High School, attended Long Beach City College where she pledged Delta Sigma Phi. The new Mrs. Wiener, a fashion and photographic model, held numerous beauty titles among them "Miss Long Beach of 1963" and "Miss Belmont Shore of 1962."

The bridegroom was graduated from Torrance High and El Camino College. He attended Brooks Institute of Photography at Santa Barbara and is presently serving with the United States Army at Ft. Greeley, Alaska.

The honeymoon at Coronado was followed by a two weeks drive to Alaska where the couple will live for one year. They will return to Torrance to make their home where the bridegroom will continue his work for the Torrance Fire Dept.

Guests included Messrs. and Mmes. Robert L. Clark of Torrance, who are traveling with the hosts, and William R. Crofford of Alhambra.

Modesto Guests Mrs. Ruth Basch, 1605 Beech, had as her guests for a week her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Linstrom of Modesto. Mrs. Basch and her guests, joined by Mrs. Ruth Richards, spent the weekend in Catalina.



MRS. JAMES RICHARD GOREE . . . Former Mary Martin

(Crotty Photography)



JUST DOUBLE CHECKING . . . Mrs. Arthur Grayson, left, double checks the committee in charge regarding their tickets for the Little Company of Mary Hospital Auxiliary's "Day at the Races" on Saturday, Oct. 24, at Hollywood Park. Getting the double check from Mrs. Grayson are, from left, Mmes. Curt Millsap, co-chairman; Lyle Peters, president, and Theodore McNeer, chairman of the "Day at the Races," proceeds from which go to the convent building fund. Tickets may be secured at the information desk at the hospital on Torrance Blvd.