



FAIR WEATHER FOR SAILING PRETTY

All eyes are on the barometer hoping for fair weather when the Dianias stage their outstanding social event and their major benefit, a Fashion Luncheon on March 12 at the International Hotel. Using an elaborate nautical theme, Mrs. Howard P. Towle, co-chairman of the affair, checking out

the barometer, is watched by Mrs. Anthony Credico, Jr., left, second vice president, while Mrs. Lee Hausman, right, publicity chairman, dreams up an idea for using the life saver as part of the decor. Mrs. Stanley Duffill is taking reservations. (Press-Herald Photo)

## 'Sailing Pretty' Theme for Dianias' Fashion Luncheon Event

Chests overflowing with jewels, a flower-bedecked sailing ship, and cruise fashions from a local salon are some of the treasures awaiting members of the Redondo Beach Dianias and their friends at the annual luncheon and fashion show.

Theme for the major fund raising event to be held Saturday, March 12 at the International Hotel is "Sailing Pretty."

Mrs. Howard D. Coole and Mrs. Howard Towle, co-chairmen of the event, have announced that fashions to be modeled range from sailing and cruise clothes, ensembles suitable for sightseeing, to cocktail dresses.

Nautical decorations, depicting "treas-

ures from the sea" have been planned by Mrs. Edwin Howath, chairman, and her committee members.

Mrs. Loren Negley is chairman of the program for the afternoon.

Models will be Diana members Mmes. Dale Newman, Charles Hillinger, Hal Tuens, Ray Williams, Allan Davidson, Barbara Smiley, Sam Costanza and Don Holzgang. The latest in new hair fashions, done by Hal Trijuillo, will be worn by the models.

Anyone wishing to purchase tickets or additional information concerning the Fashion-Luncheon event may call Mrs. Stanley Duffill.

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## Torrance's Oldest Social Club Installs Officers at Dinner

Arts and Crafts Club, Torrance's oldest social club, organized in 1939, installed its new officers at a dinner meeting at Curry's Santa Fe restaurant on Feb. 18.

The Valentine theme was carried out in the table decorations.

After the dinner, Mrs. Sybil Moffitt, president, installed the new officers. For the installation, she presented each new officer with a long-stemmed rose and read a verse to her pertaining to her new duties.

New officers installed were Mrs. Ruth Mohler, president; Florence Childs, vice president; Zelma Miller, treasurer; and Charlotte Outcalt, secretary.

Following a tradition, "secret pals" were revealed and gifts were exchanged.

Members attending with the officers and Mrs. Moffitt included Mmes. Maybel Banks, Melvina Beckwith, Rolive Bever, Helen Carpenter, Leila Everly, Hazel Fossum, Vena Hamilton.

Others were Mmes. Virginia Head, Ruth Kilgore, Mary McDonald, Addie Parks and Hazel Ward.

Guests for the evening were Mmes. Jane Williams, Sina Johnson and Ethel Peverly of Carmichael, formerly of Torrance.

The Arts and Crafts Club will hold its next meeting on March 18 at the home of Mrs. Addie Parks.



CHANGE OF LEADERSHIP

New officers of the Arts and Crafts Club, installed at a dinner-meeting on Feb. 18, look on as the gavel, signifying the presidency of their club, changes hands. Pictured are, from left, Mmes. Zelma Miller, new treasurer; Florence Childs, first vice president; Ruth Mohler, newly-installed president, accepting the gavel from Mrs. Sybil Moffitt, immediate past president. Mrs. Charlotte Outcalt was also installed as secretary. (Press-Herald Photo)

## Two Surprises On One Day For Mrs. Thomsen

Washington's Birthday, last Tuesday, held two delightful surprises for Mrs. Sam Thomsen.

She was guest of honor Tuesday evening at a stork shower given by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Wolf, and Tuesday morning she received a telephone call from her husband from Hawaii telling her that he was enroute home on a two weeks leave from his duties with the State Department in Viet Nam. He arrived home Tuesday afternoon.

Also, Mmes. Don Wolf, Katherine Gannon, Dorene Anderson, Mary Jane Luba and Bertha Elliott.

home at 22006 Ocean Ave. was effectively decorated in a pink and white color theme. A decorated cake, holding a stork, and a last minute inscription "Welcome Home Daddy" centered the table from which refreshments were served.

Attending the shower were Mmes. William Cowan, Charles Cain, Robert Webb, H. T. Seemon, Leslie Smith, Richard Gazley, Sam Thomsen, Sr., John View.

For the party Tuesday evening, the Robert Wolf



MRS. PATRICK NEVILLE (Doug Kilgour Photo)

## Recite Nuptial Vows

Miss Suzanne Melville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Melville, 3220 Merrill Drive, became the bride of Patrick Neville in a high noon ceremony at Nativity Catholic Church on Saturday Feb. 19. Mrs. M. Neville of Playa del Rey is the mother of the bridegroom.

Mr. Melville escorted his daughter to the altar. She wore a white cashmere suit and a white mink boa. Complementing the suit was her small white hat, trimmed with roses, and a short veil. The bridal bouquet was of white tulips and lilies-of-the-valley.

Miss Margot Melville was her sister's only attendant. She wore a red suit and carried a bouquet of orchids.

Joseph Rutherford served as best man and guests were seated by William Melville and David Campbell.

Rev. William O'Toole officiated at the marriage ceremony.

The newlyweds greeted the 150 guests at a reception at the Plush Horse restaurant.

Following a Yosemite honeymoon, the couple is now at home at 3220 Merrill Dr., Torrance.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Neville were graduated from Bishop Montgomery High School. Mrs. Neville received her degree from Oregon State University and is a teacher in the Torrance Unified school district.

Her husband is a graduate of El Camino College.

## Future Brides

### Bivinnetto - Hoppes

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Bivinnetto entertained at a buffet dinner at their San Pedro home recently during which the engagement of their daughter, Renee Ann, to Robert Lee Hoppes, was announced.

A champagne toast was given by the immediate families as the couple cut a blue and white cake, decorated with a heart, on which their names were inscribed.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Bivinnetto, a 1962 graduate of San Pedro High, attended Harbor College where she was a member of the Fashion Board, Phi Sigma Chi sorority, and was president of Pi Beta Gamma. She is employed by the Los Angeles Board of Education.

Her fiance, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoppes, 1569 W. 222nd St., Torrance, was graduated from Narbonne High in 1960. He attended Harbor College and is presently studying at California State College at Long Beach. Upon graduation, he will be employed by the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Dept.



RENEE BIVINNETTO



SUE SHARON

### Sharon - Lewandowski

Planning a June wedding are Miss Sue Sharon and Patrick Lewandowski.

The announcement of their daughter's engagement and wedding plans is made today by Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sharon, 2047 Reynosa Dr.

The future bride is a 1964 graduate of South High School and is presently employed at the WesGrac Co. in Torrance.

Her fiance, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thaele, 22923 Broadwell Ave., Torrance, is a 1964 graduate of Torrance High School. He is an employee of the General Telephone Co., in Redondo.

## Fiestadores Dance Slated On March 19

Las Fiestadores Dance Club will stage its monthly dance on Saturday, March 19 at the Hunting Horn restaurant.

On the committee for the dance are Messrs. and Mmes. J. A. Barrington, William Christian, R. S. Sleeth, Jr., J. Stroh and Dr. and Mrs. William Grubb.