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Proceeds from Las Vecinas Day at the Races, May 24, 1968, were donated to the Torrance YMCA. Shown here presenting a check to Paul Egelund, YMCA program coordinator, are from left, Mrs. Marion L. Phillips, Portuguese Bend, ways and means chairman, and Mrs. Walter J. Fleming Jr., Palos Verdes Estates, Race Day chairman.

Las Vecinas is a philanthropic and social group open to women of the South Bay Peninsula area. Other projects of Las Vecinas are American Field Service, Los Angeles County Harbor General Hospital, Pasadena Foundation for Medical Research on Cancer; the USO, Del Amo Gardens, Camp Fire Girls, Girl Scouts, Lark Ranch and four four-year college scholarship.

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**Race Day
 Benefits
 YMCA**



**Support
 Waleria
 Library**

Waleria Business Women, proud of their new library, have put their shoulders to the wheel in support of the new facility. Here, Pauline Greer, library chairman, presents a check for new books to Mrs. Helen DeLanoy, Waleria head librarian.

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MRS. RICHARD THOMAS FOWLER

Bredman-Fowler Vows

Miss Susan Marie Bredman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Norman Bredman, 22641 Nadine Circle, walked down the aisle of the Christ the King Lutheran Church on the arm of her father at 2 o'clock, June 29, to become the bride of Richard Thomas Fowler.

Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Fowler, 2333 W. 235th Place, Torrance.

The bridal gown was a silk organza cage enhanced with bands of lace daisies detailed with long sleeves and a chapel train of silk organza banded with daisies. A headpiece of daisy clusters and crystals held the three-tiered shoulder length veil. She carried a cascade of daisies and tropicana roses.

Attired in limette silk pique cages, bridal attendants were Mrs. Larry L. Grasinger, matron of honor; Mrs. Frederick T. Huberty, Misses Barbara Wirtz and Barbara Brunsten, bridesmaids. Cynthia Kasterko, in white silk pique with daisy trim, was flower girl.

Harold Fowler stood as his brother's best man and

seating the 150 guests were Larry L. Grasinger, Charles Wirtz and James Kasterko. The church organist played the nuptial music and accompanied Robert O. Gunderson, soloist.

Rev. Elmer E. Christensen officiated at the marriage ceremony which was followed by a buffet reception at the New Horizons Clubhouse. Mrs. Ronald Simmons registered the guests.

Returning this week from a honeymoon in Carmel, San Francisco and Lake Tahoe, the newlyweds will be at home in Huntington Beach.

A 1962 graduate of North High School, the bride received her BS degree in education at the University of the Pacific and was graduated from UCLA in 1967. She is a member of Alpha Chi Omega sorority and is a teacher in the Fountain Valley School district.

Mr. Fowler, a Morningside High graduate, has a BS degree in business administration from Woodbury College. He is employed by the Southern California Offset Printing Enterprises in Paramount.

St. Catherine's Council

Installs New Officers

Arrangements of multi-colored garden flowers set a "Spring Splendor" theme for the ceremony at St. Catherine Parish Hall when the Women's Council installed its new officers and board members for the coming year.

Rev. Raymond Tepe, pastor, presented the retiring officers and board members with a gift, expressing gratitude for their work during the year.

Mrs. Elizabeth Green, who organized the Women's Council 20 years ago and served as first president, was the installing officer for the candlelight service. Mrs. Gerald Lytle was general chairman of the event.

Mrs. Larry Plummer was installed as president of the Council for the coming year. Her officers are Mmes. Patrick Lydon, first vice president; Lee Gallegos, second vice president; Roger Gallego, recording secretary; Kenneth Schmitt, secretary; and Arthur Glassman, treasurer.

New board members introduced to the Council were Mmes. Vincent Tyrell, and Raymond

Gordon, altar; Roy Miller and Dave Robertson, arrangements; Jack Miles and Weidenkopf, charities; James King and Albert Ritz, confraternity; Goerge Neeland, fashion show; Gerald Lytle and Irvin Gleason, home and school; Charles Glomboske, milk chairman.

Others were Mmes. Carl Lascheck and Edward Doolittle, library; Homer Monteros and Ivica Mihaljevic, membership; Lew Gleason, parish representative; Leonard Holland and John Marlowe, parish high school of religion; Raymond Pullara, preschool Sunday school chairman.

Also, Mmes. Robert Schloeder and Vernon Herbers, program; Carl Metzler and William Engstler, publicity; George Ittner and Fred Mossbarger, ways and means; Stanley Jackson and Loren Mack, welfare.

Following the ceremony, each new officer and chairman was given a corsage and Mrs. Lewis Gleason, retiring president, was given a gavel plaque by Mrs. Plummer.



**Take
 the
 Reins**

Installed as officers of St. Catherine Women's Council for the 1968-69 year, in candlelight ceremonies at the parish hall recently, were from left, Mmes. Patrick Lydon, first vice president; Arthur Glassman, treasurer; Lee Gallegos, second vice-president; Larry Plummer, president; Roger Gallego, secretary; and Kenneth Schmitt, corresponding secretary. Mrs. Elizabeth Green, who organized the council 20 years ago and served as first president, officiated.

Future Bride

Barney-Eggers

An August wedding at Wayfarers Chapel in Portuguese Bend is being planned by Miss Candace Annette Barney and Thomas Michael Eggers.

The announcement of their daughter's wedding plans is made today by Mr. and Mrs. David C. Barney, 2409 Inglewood Ave., Redondo Beach.

The future bride, a graduate of St. Bernard's High School in Playa Del Rey, is attending El Camino College, where she is secretary of Alpha Eta Chapter, Beta Phi Gamma, national journalism society. She is on the staff of the El Camino newspaper and is employed as a student telephone operator.

Her fiance, son of Mr. and Mrs. Shaw Eggers of Mobile, Ala., is a 1966 graduate of South High School. Attending El Camino College for three semesters, he has edited the school paper, "Warwhoop," and is a member of Alpha Eta Chapter, Beta Phi Gamma.

Mr. Eggers is sports editor for a Palos Verdes newspaper, owner of Mike's Photography Studio, and is a former Press-Herald photographer.

Following the marriage, a reception will be held at La Venta Inn.



CANDACE BARNEY

**Torrance Junior Woman's Club
 Honors Valedictorians**

Torrance Junior Woman's Club presented scholastic trophies to seven valedictorians of the five Torrance High Schools. The 20-inch walnut and gold trophies were presented during graduation ceremonies by Mrs. Douglas Hedde, president, and Mrs. Robert Vroman, immediate past president.

Receiving the trophies this year were Susan Bundy, Torrance High School; Richard Epstein, David H. Lewis Jr., and Marvin B. Kettering, all of North High; Karen D. Bressler, West High; Robert W. Parker, South High; and Robert C. McMahon, Bishop Montgomery.

Miss Bundy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reid L. Bundy maintained a 4.0 average for four years at Torrance High in a graduating class of 460. She plans to attend Carlton College in Minnesota, majoring in English.

Richard Epstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Epstein was graduated with a 4.0 grade point average in a class of 578. He will enter the University of Southern California in the fall as a political science major.

Marvin Kettering is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kettering. Throughout his four years at North High, he maintained a grade point average of 4.0. His

future plans include majoring in engineering or law at the University of Southern California.

David H. Lewis, Jr., also of North High School, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. David H. Lewis, received a 4.0 grade point average. David plans to attend the University of California at Berkeley, majoring in mechanical engineering.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Bressler are the parents of West High's valedictorian, Karen Bressler. Her splendid academic record has earned her Honors-at-Entrance at the University of California at Los Angeles where she plans to study to be a mathematics teacher.

Robert W. Parker of South High, son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Parker, earned top honors in the largest graduating class in Torrance, that of 636, with a grade point average of 4.0. Robert will attend the University of California at Santa Barbara in September.

At Bishop Montgomery High, Robert C. McMahon was chosen for the Junior Woman's Club trophy. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McMahon, the graduate is a 4.0 grade point scholar in his class of 254. Robert has earned Honor-at-Entrance to Pomona College where he plans to major in English.



TRIBUTE TO SCHOLARS

Torrance Junior Woman's Club carrying out one of its purposes, the encouragement and advancement of youth, presented 20-inch gold and walnut trophies to local valedictorians. Displaying one of the awards is Mrs. Douglas Hedde, president, left, and Mrs. Robert Vroman, immediate past president.

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