

WHO'S WHO and doing what

By EDDYE K. KIM

VIVA WOMEN VOTERS! . . .

It was a rewarding and inspiring experience to sit in at the Governor's Conference on Equal Rights of Citizens here in Las Vegas last weekend. We were especially proud to have our inter-racial League of Women Voters of the Las Vegas Valley, headed by Pres-



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ident Mrs. Samuel Ford, so well represented at a table of our own at The Mint luncheon on Friday. This conference was of particular interest to the League, which is largely concerned with the development of human resources in the political and sociological fields with a view to creating a better-informed electorate. The League is continually evaluating national, regional and local policies and programs for providing equal opportunity in education and employment, so Gov. Sawyer's brilliant espousal of the Civil Rights cause in this state was particularly well received by all of us. It also gave our scribe a big thrill to see our own publisher, Dr. Charles I. West, sitting at the speaker's table along with the Governor, chairman Bob Bailey of the State Equal Rights Commission, executive secretary Jim Anderson, and the other dignitaries.

ANOTHER SET of 'BUDS' . . .

This week we are happy to present four more of the young ladies who will make their bows to society at the second annual Debutante Ball of Les Femmes Douze in the Gold Room of the Las Vegas Convention Center on Dec. 5.

Last week we introduced you to a quartet of "buds" from Rancho High School. This week we would like you to meet two from Las Vegas High and two from Western High. The LVHS girls are Shirley Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Demolia Anderson, and Shirley Hawkins, daughter of Mrs. Mary Hawkins. From Western we have Betty Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Jones, and Dorothy Snowden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Snowden. All four are seniors. (See photos this page.)

Miss Anderson, 17, says typing is her hobby and her favorite subject in school is bookkeeping. She would like to be an accountant and intends to further prepare for a career in this field at Nevada Southern University. Her immediate family includes five brothers and sisters.

Miss Hawkins, 18, likes to read and selected business management as her favorite subject.

Gray-Johnson



CONNUBIAL GLASS--Former John Etta Gray (left) offers her new husband, Mozell Johnson, sip from her champagne glass following their recent marriage at home of bride's sister, Mrs. Claude Jackson, 1229 W. Jefferson Ave. (See 'Who's Who' column this page.)

'Buds' Await Ball



DOROTHY SNOWDEN



SHIRLEY HAWKINS



BETTY JONES



SHIRLEY ANDERSON

(See 'Who's Who' column this page.)

She also will attend Nevada Southern and hopes to become a secretary. She has one brother.

Miss Jones, 17, also makes a hobby of reading, especially French, which happens to be her favorite subject. Her ambition is to become a school teacher and she, too, has chosen Nevada Southern as her college. She has two sisters.

Miss Snowden, 17, is a sports enthusiast with an especial interest in bookkeeping. She would like to become a certified public accountant and will continue her studies at the University of San Francisco. She has five brothers and sisters.

AROUND OUR TOWN . . .

John Etta Gray was a fetching bride in turquoise green silk as she took Mozell Johnson of Los Angeles as her husband at a ceremony performed at the Jefferson Ave. home of her sister, Mrs. Claude Jackson. The new Mrs. Johnson, who formerly operated John Etta's Beauty Salon on 'F' St., wore a satin head bow and matching veil, and carried a bridal corsage of pink carnations. Mr. Johnson manages a chain of motels. Mrs. L.M. Buard of Los Angeles was the matron of honor and the bridesmaids were Gloria Jackson (John Etta's niece) and Barbara Adkinson. Mr. Johnson's best man was Perry Fortson and his brother, George Fortson (a brother-in-law to Mrs. Johnson) gave her in marriage. Renee Adkinson and Flossie Wyatt were flower girls and Eddie Adkinson was ring

bearer. A champagne reception sent the happy couple off to Los Angeles, where another reception in their honor was hosted by former Las Vegas Mrs. Margie Collins Parker. (See photo this page.) . . . Congratulations to George Cook on the opening of his new dental laboratory in the Golden West Shopping Center. Mrs. (Charlotte) Cook teaches at Kit Carson School. . . Mrs. Eugene (Avanelle) Lewis picked up her mother, Mrs. Eulah Alexander, in LA and they motored up the coast to San Francisco, where they were shown around town by the charming Vivian Henderson. . . Several local members of Gamma Phi Delta attended the sorority's Far Western Regional Conference in Sacramento, Calif., including the Mmes. Till Toms, Basileus of Alpha Rho Chapter here; H. P. Fitzgerald and Charles I. West, and Marjorie Elliott. . . That's all for now. See you next week.

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gamecocks that if two of these birds were dropped on an island where there was plenty to eat and plenty of room to roam they would eventually encounter one another and fight to the death.

We can fight communism with truth, the weapon that is the most feared, knowledge, justice, equity and organization.

Let's wake and organize and wake up others through our efforts. The American people still have the resources to defeat communism. We were deceived in the 1940s many times by false prophets and traitors into the wishful thinking of oneness — one world, one nation, one purpose, and one this and one that.

We have tried everything. We have followed disarmament policies, ex-

perimented in world government in the United Nations and shared our wealth with the "have not" nations.

NOW I feel that we must turn our back on criticism and draw strength and courage from Patrick Henry's resounding words. Is life so dear, or peace so sweet, as to be purchased at the price of chains and slavery?

I know not what course others may take; but as for me, give me liberty or give me death.



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