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ELKS HOST GOVERNOR

Members of Paran Lodge of the I.B.P.O.E.W. who presented Govérnor Grant Sawyer at a public meeting Friday night at the Elk's Hall praised Sawyer as a man of local and national importance who has exerted constant efforts to create a climate for acceptance of "Rights" legislation... The VOICE publisher, Dr. Charles I. West who introduced the Governor, was enthusiastically applauded for an introductory speech in which he stressed the importance of working today to lighten tomorrow's burdens.

Inter-State Social Rounds For Ye Busy COLUMNIST

Henry Wells and yours truly were the delighted guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Keyes who played hosts to'us at the Thunderbird Hotel

before our departure to Los' Angeles to attend the wedding of pretty Brenda Wright. The lovely daughter of Mrs. Helen and the late Dr. Warner Wright was married to Dr. Walter Cathey in a beautiful ceremony performed in the gardens of Mrs. Wright's palatial Country Club Drive home. An elegant reception



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followed the wedding attended by scores of socialite friends of both families... The late Dr. Wright (a classmate of Dr. Charles West) and Mrs. Wright will be remembered by many Las Vegans.

SILVER WEDDING OBSERVED.

Popular Mr. and Mrs. Charles Banks invited many of their friends to join in celebrating their 25th Wedding Anniversary, last week, at their North 'L' street home. A delightfully informal atmosphere was prevalent as the happy couple greeted their guests.

Receiving for the Banks was Mrs. Charles (Drucilla) Cooper and the celebrants 12-yearold daughter mingled with her parents' friends while their son, Charles, assisted in serving refreshments.

Among the friends present were Mesdames Louise Session, Ethel Purdhome, Geneva Lynch, Mamie Hudsee, Isabell O'Neal, and Rosie Claiborne, The Rev. F. Addison Moore, James Scott, Katharine Franklin, Johnnie Mae Dollar, Bessie Terell, Odessa Jackson, Roy Jackson, Mary Williams, Hattie Bailey, and Rosie L. Brooks.

COCKTAIL PARTY FOR LT. GOVERNOR AND W. WILSON

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gee on Sunny Place was the locale for a cocktail sip, Saturday night, sponsored by The Community Club of Democrats and Republicans, honoring Paul Laxalt and Woodrow Wilson, Club members are listed as Mrs. Lucille Gee, President; Walter Cobb, Vice President; Mrs. Evelyn Sawyer, Secretary; Mrs. Jean Nunnelly, Ass't Secretary; Mrs. Tina Cobb, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Dora Harris, Treasurer; and Al Sawyer, Special Committee Chairman.

Among those attending, for various reasons, were Frank Young, Dr. and Mrs. John Crear and the Doctors' mother, Mrs. Josie V. Crear who is visiting her son and daughter-in-law from Houston, Texas; Mayor Oran Gragson, Mr. and Mrs. Onward Abington, Mr. and Mrs. J. David Hoggard, Jerry Hoggard, Isaac White; Nathaniel Collins, Mesdames Carrie Stewart, Deborah Moore, Nora Wilson, Dorothy McCants, Myrtle Snowden, Johnnie F. Catron, and Mr. and Mrs. James Snowden.

Also present was Mrs. Faricita Wyatt from Berkeley, California, a representative of the regional NAACP office to work with the local



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voter registration drive, and her sister, Mrs. Eugenia Green. I have had the pleasure of knowing these two charming young women and their sister, NAACP Field Secretary, Mrs. Tara Hall Pittman for a number of years.

The Social Lights social club met at the home of President Hermitt and Mrs. Williams on Sunny Place. This husband and wife group include Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Jefferson, Mrs. and Mrs. Paul Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Herndon, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Jordon, and Mr. and Mrs. Boysie Ensley.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Fish of Princeton, New Jersey are the house guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Harris. Before coming to Las Vegas, Mr. and Mrs. Fish visited with another daughter and son-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd Alexander of Los Gatos, California.

Many social courtesies are being extended these charming visitors to our town. They have been the dinner guests of Shirley Satterfield and Joyce Carnegie. They were also guests at the Senior Citizen Council's picnic Juesday at Lorenzi Park of which we will have more about next week.

MORE VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Ricci Carter are having a ball providing recreation and showing off our town to their teen-age house guests, Julia and Frances Jackson who are here for a two-week stay... And VOICE editor, Alice Key, is happy as a lark these days now that her mother, Mrs. Louise Key, and the editor's 3-year-old grandson, Tony are visiting her for several weeks.

MUTUAL ADMIRATION SOCIETY--Governor Grant Sawyer has a grateful word for members of the Elk's Paran Lodge after Friday night's public meeting for the Governor hosted by the Elks -- Front row (from left) Tony McCormick gets acquainted with visiting Mrs. Josie Crear, mother of Dr. John Crear, the Governor and Mrs. John Crear. Back row (from left) Dr. John Crear's attention has been distracted while Elks Brothers, De Haye, Guice, Phillips, Scott and Warden talk shop with the popular head of state.

KAPPAS STUDY CONVENTION STUDY



Members of the steering committee of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc. are studying plans for hosting the Fraternity's Western Regional Conclave to be held at the Las Vegas Convention Center and the Stardust Hotel August 12-13. Delegates from eight states, including Hawaii and Alaska, will attend. Members of steering committee shown are (1-r) Kermit R. Booker, Sr., Polemarch; William J. Haynes, Keeper of Exchequer; William H. Smith, Jr., Conclave Chairman; and James L. Pughsley.

