

Woman's View

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LOIS CAPIN
... Joseph Esformes

July Wedding Plans Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. Zellie Capin of Nogales announce the engagement of their daughter Lois Harriet to Joseph E. Esformes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Esformes of Miami Beach, Fla.

A July 10th wedding is planned.

The bride-elect, a graduate of Nogales High School, attended the University of Arizona. Her fiance is a graduate of the University of Miami at Coral Gables, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Club Slates Card Party

The Mr. and Mrs. Democratic Club will hold a card and mah jong party at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, May 14 at the VFW Hall, 5327 E. Speedway.

For those who do not play cards, Mrs. Lenna H. Burges will lead an informal discussion. Mrs. Burges is a past president of the Arizona State Federation of Democratic Women's Clubs.

Mrs. Vi Grambs, general chairman, is being assisted by Mmes. Alleen Schmid and Anthony Spagoala.
Mrs. John Treiber, chairman of hostesses, has asked Mmes. Charles Koth, Louis Collins, Rose Farber, Mary Murphy and Miss Polly Rough to assist her.
Refreshments will be served.

YOUR STARS

TUESDAY, MAY 10, 1960

ARIES (MAY 15 TO APR. 15)
Do not gamble. If you meet with securities or promises made today. Radical changes where monetary affairs are concerned. A show of technical or eager or consistent. Elsewhere could bring dire results. P.M.

and abject values in order to use God's gift properly. Otherwise there is a possibility that through worse investment technique, which will be directed along the wrong channels. A very fine chart for politics, philosophy, writing, police work—any of the major professions, whether the child is male or female. ©1960 J.S. 100

Mother Keeps Pace With Six Children

By BETTY MILBURN
Citizen Women's Editor

Such was the case with look over all the letters suggesting various Tucsonians for honor during this week following Mother's Day!

Sometimes it was the children who suggested their mother; sometimes sons-in-law; and frequently, it was a friend.

Such was the case with Mrs. James E. McDonald, suggested by Mrs. Ira M. Ward. Her letter, in part, follows:

Dear Editor:
I should like to recommend as a mother of the year Mrs. Betty McDonald, who, in my estimation, is one of the most outstanding young mothers in Tucson. Betty is the wife of Prof. James E. McDonald who is senior physicist in the Institute of Atmospheric Physics at the University.

The McDonalds have six happy, well-adjusted children, the oldest a freshman in high school. They are a family that enjoys doing things together, both work and play. Just recently they remodeled their home and Betty painted the whole interior. I can't understand how she can be so well organized, never neglecting her

Tucsonians Elected

Two Tucsonians were elected to office Friday during the annual meeting of the Auxiliary to the Arizona Medical Assn. in Scottsdale.

The complete slate of new officers is president, Mrs. Robert Cummings of Phoenix; president-elect, Mrs. Ian M. Chesser of Tucson; first vice president, Mrs. Frederick W. Knight of Safford; second vice president, Mrs. Joan Currie of Flagstaff; treasurer, Mrs. Herbert Welsh of Tucson; recording secretary, Mrs. George Lish of Phoenix; and corresponding secretary, Mrs. Clare Johnson of Phoenix.

home or family yet taking an active part in so many community affairs.

Betty is interested in such a variety of things that I could not name them all but I do know that she is one of the busiest and best liked women in the groups who know and work with her.

Sincerely, Ruth W. Ward.

Betty McDonald grew up in California and attended the University of California at Berkeley. She met her husband in a meteorology course which she took at MIT while she was in the WAVES.

The McDonalds came to Tucson six years ago from Iowa, where Dr. McDonald completed work on his Ph.D.

Mrs. McDonald is active in the Humanist Assn., a member of the Great Books Club, a unit leader in the League of Women Voters, and secretary-treasurer of the Civil Liberties Union, to mention a few of her interests. She and Mrs. Leslie Forster organized a book club for women in the State prison in Florence, and drive there regularly to conduct it.

How can she do so much? "Well, my mother had six children, too, and during those depression times managed to do the things I do with financial problems in addition, and none of the conveniences I have. When I think of her, I realize how much one really can do," she explained.

"I seem terribly involved in groups. But our children are all different, and all with different potentials. To help each of them develop completely, I feel I need a broad understanding myself."

"Also, my husband is quite a scholar and studies a great deal. And I enjoy study."
Hiking and camping are the favorite family pastimes.
And what about pets?
"No, with six children, all we have is an aquarium."



OUTSTANDING MOTHER AND HER FAMILY

Mrs. James E. McDonald, voted as one of five mothers to be honored by the Citizen, is surrounded by her family in their home at 3461 E. 3rd St. Wife of a professor in the Institute of Atmospheric Physics Dept. at the University of Arizona, she keeps busy caring for her

six children as well as participating in community affairs. Her children are (from left, standing) Ronnie, 13, Kirk, 14, and Lee, 11; seated with her parents is Jan, 7, and sitting on the floor are Nancy, 10, (left) and Gail, 8.