

## New LOMITA Theatre

GENERAL ADMISSION 20c  
CHILDREN 10c

Thurs., Fri., Sat. 12, 13, 14

IRENE DUNNE — CARY GRANT in

'MY FAVORITE WIFE'

MISCHA AUER — BABY SANDY

'SANDY IS A LADY'

STOOGES COMEDY — 'NUTTY BUT NICE'

NEWS

Play Keno Sat.

Sun., Mon., Tues. 15, 16, 17

JUDY GARLAND — ANDY HARDY in

'Andy Hardy

Meets Debutante'

ALSO

'Phantom Raiders'

COMEDY — CARTOON — NEWS

Wed., to Sat. 18, 19, 20, 21

'LOST HORIZON'

ALSO

'AWFUL TRUTH'

KENO WED. and SAT.



NICE SMILES, THESE! . . . Little Virginia Welder and Ann Sothern are featured in the thrilling film-drama, "Gold Rush Maisie," which opens tonight at the Grand theatre with "Sailor's Lady" on the same program.

## A. &amp; P. Store One of 15 Winners in Recent Campaign

Manager Arnold Berg of the A & P store here received some welcome news this week. Executives of the company informed him that the Torrance store was one of 15 in Southern California to win the summer sales campaign conducted during the past two months.

For their good work, Manager Berg and his staff will be guests of the company at a gala dinner-entertainment at a well-known Los Angeles night spot.

## Townsend Club Activities By Vernon F. Glidden

Little Pauline Davis was a welcome entertainer at our club meeting last Friday evening. Her songs and readings were well rendered and she responded to several encores. Visitors were present from Los Angeles, Graham, Gardena and San Pedro. Interesting talks were made by Mrs. Knepper, Mr. Cooper, Mr. Hardy, Mrs. French and George Gieger. Reports of encouraging results regarding The Townsend Bill now before Congress were given. Mrs. Carol Brown brought good reports from Lennox Club No. 4.

Arrangements are going forward for our participation in the Torrance Factory Frolic. Several of our members attended a pot-luck dinner given by the Gardena club last Monday evening. A fine crowd was present and enjoyed the musical numbers presented by a vocal trio from the Compton club.

Friday evening, Sept. 13, we will meet at 8:30 p. m. for a pot-luck dinner to which all are invited. A good program will feature the activities of the evening.

## SOCIETY and Club

## RED CROSS BENEFIT AT LOS ANGELES HOME

The spacious home and grounds of the Frank H. Browns at 1446 West 83rd street, Los Angeles, will provide the setting for a Red Cross benefit this afternoon and evening, to be held under the auspices of the ways and means committee of Torrance Chapter, O. E. S.

Tables of auction bridge and pinocle will be in play. Prizes will be awarded and refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the games which will begin promptly at 12:30 p. m. and 8 p. m.

## CATHOLIC PARTY THIS EVENING

Mrs. J. V. Murray and her committee, including Mmes. McVillie, Adams, Brennan, Hunt and J. N. Anderson, will be hostesses at the weekly card party sponsored by the Catholic Ladies' Altar Society to be held this evening at Nativity Hall. The public is invited.

## NEWS OF O.E.S. GRAND CHAPTER

The 23rd triennial assembly of General Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star will begin next Friday and continue thru Wednesday of the following week in San Francisco. A number of Torrance members are attending.

## MATRON IS STORK SHOWER HONOREE

Mrs. Gerald Alter was honored when Mrs. Leslie Alter and Mrs. Ralph Wieland of Willowbrook surprised her last Thursday with a stork shower at her home on Cabrillo on the occasion of her birthday. Many beautiful gifts were presented and contests furnished the afternoon diversion. Present were the honoree and Mesdames Josephine Hertneck, Inez Patchin, Lorraine Bullard, Norma Smith, Marzie Patchin, the Misses Idabel Ehsht, Fannie Patchin, Lenore Gray, Ida Jones, Gladys Ross, Doris Bristow and the hostesses.

## Herbert Hay's Vocal Pupils Give Recital at Mountain Camp

Pupils of Herbert A. Hay, vocal instructor at Redondo Beach, motored Monday afternoon to the Will Rogers Memorial "Mountain Craig Camp" on the outskirts of Calabasas on Ventura boulevard and were the invited guests at dinner. Among the number were several young people from Torrance who are making splendid progress under Hay's tuition.

Mountain Craig camp is beautifully situated and possesses a most intriguing stage, while a huge bonfire at night lends an added charm. This past week at the camp has been devoted to musical training and it was with a great deal of pleasure that Hay, in response to an invitation, presented his pupils in an interesting program.

Hay expects to open a branch studio in Torrance in the near future.

## Smith Moves Bike Shop to L. A.

Leon M. Smith has removed his Thrifty Key and Bicycle Shop from 1303 Post avenue to 2165 West Florence avenue in Los Angeles and has placed his son, Paul L. Smith, in charge of the business. Mr. and Mrs. Smith will continue to live at 1823 Arlington avenue. Paul Smith is a graduate of Torrance high school.

Cash income of United States farmers from marketing of products in 1939 is estimated at \$7,711,000,000.

## EMBASSY THEATRE

ALL SEATS 10c  
Corner Vermont and Redondo Blvd.  
Southern California's Finest 10c Theatre  
Last Times Today—  
"The Bat Whispers"  
AND  
"Rio Grande Romance"

Friday and Saturday—  
BRUCE CAROT in  
"Mickey the Kid"  
ALSO SECOND FEATURE  
DICK TRACY SERIAL  
AND SHORTS

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday—  
PAUL MUNI in  
"SCARFACE"

"The Crooked Circle"  
with JAMES GLEASON  
and Short Subjects

Wednesday and Thursday—  
"She Devil Island"  
ALL NATIVE CAST

"Cypher Bureau"



SHE'S THE FAVORITE . . . in "My Favorite Wife," opening tonight at the Lomita theatre. She is Irene Dunne, who is co-starred with Cary Grant in one of the most amusing, romantic films of the year. On the same program is Mischa Auer and Baby Sandy in "Sandy is a Lady."



LOVE IN THE SOUTH SEAS . . . Jon Hall and Olympe Bradna find love and romance on their native island in the South Seas after many exciting episodes which highlight "South of Pago Pago," thrilling drama of the tropics now showing at the Plaza theatre in Hawthorne.

## Friday, 13th Should Be Lucky Day to Verdi Dress Shop's Owner

Tomorrow—Friday, the 13th—may be considered a day of ill omen by some but to William Kempen it's his lucky day. Kempen is opening his new Verdi Dress Shop at 1312 Sartori avenue on Friday the 13th and here's why:

There's 13 letters in his name; 13 letters in Sartori avenue; he's in the 13 hundred block; there's a 13 in his street address; he was the 13th to vote in his precinct in the recent primary election and he is in his 13th year in the women's ready-to-wear business!

If that doesn't qualify his opening for success then Kempen will import 13 black cats to "pick" his door. But he believes that won't be necessary because the Verdi Dress Shop, spanning new from end to end

and stocked with the latest in women's wear, should be a magnet for all ladies of this community.

Miss Mabel Carson is manager of the shop. She is well-qualified to serve women here, having had years of experience in this line. Kempen comes from Inglewood where he operated a similar shop for many years. All merchandise is from Los Angeles and Hollywood style centers and the Verdi carries a complete stock of sizes from nine to 52, junior and misses dresses, smart sweaters, latest shades of nationally-advertised hosiery, lingerie, maternity garments and handbags.

There will be free rosebud corsages to all women calling at the Verdi Dress Shop tomorrow and Saturday.

## Port Officer's Gun Recovered from Three Lomita Youths in P. V.

Three Lomita youths who early Sunday were apprehended when acting suspiciously while driving in the Palos Verdes hills were found to have a revolver in their possession, according to Los Angeles police. The gun, brought to headquarters in San Pedro by officers who halted the suspects, was identified as the property of a Los Angeles detective, Roscoe Sowell.

## BULL IN WELL ANNISTON, Ala. — (U.P.) —

Lewis A. Hutchinson's prize bull wandered off and fell into an abandoned well. It took a wreck-er to extricate the animal.

## CARSON MART 1929 Carson Street Torrance

BUTTER		Wheaties 3 for 21c	
Solids	lb. 31c	Corn Kix	2 for 21c
Colorado Gold	lb. 34c	Wheat Hearts,	
Challenge	lb. 35c	lg. pkg.	20c
Knudsen	lb. 36c	Pancake Flour	24c
Danish	lb. 36c	Bisquick, lg. pkg.	27c
Heinz Products		Softasilk Cake Flour	21c
CATSUP	14 oz. bottle 16c	Gold Medal Flour,	
Strained BABY FOODS		25 lbs.	98c
3 cans	20c	Loose Wiles Krispie	
SOUPS		CRACKERS	14c
3 med. cans	25c	1 lb. box	
2 large	25c	Burgess Dry	
Except		SHRIMP	10c
CLAM CHOWDER	16c	5 oz. cans	
CHILI SAUCE	22c	Union GLASS	
MUSTARD		CLEANER	12c
3 reg. jars	25c	6 oz. bottles	19c
Del Monte PEACHES		MAZOLA OIL	21c
2 large cans	25c	Pints	39c
Quarts		HORMEL SPAM	25c
CRISCO		12 oz. cans	
1-lb. can	16c		
3-lb. can	46c		
IVORY FLAKES	21c		
Giant 42c			
DASH Med.	21c		
OXYDOL Family Size	18c		
Giant 52c			
Holly CLEANSER	3 cans 10c		
Kitchen Charm WAX PAPER			
Large rolls	13c		
LIGHTHOUSE CLEANSER			
3 cans 20c			

## NESTLE'S SEMI-SWEET CHOCOLATE 7oz. ECONOMY SIZE

2 — 7-oz. bars 25c

## JIMMY'S PRODUCE TEL. 709 —BEST FOR LESS—

FANCY STOCKTON Burbank POTATOES 10 lbs. 10c

HOME GROWN FIRM TOMATOES 4 lbs. 10c

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BEST FOR COOKING BANANA APPLES 10 lbs. 20c

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CURRY powder, used with discretion, will give an interesting flavor variation to lamb stew.

## FOX WEST COAST THEATRES

## REDONDO

Starts Saturday

BING CROSBY—MARY MARTIN

'Rhythm on the River'

ALSO

'Pier 13'

LLOYD NOLAN — LYNN BARI

HERMOSA

Ends Saturday

GABLE — TRACY — COLBERT—LAMARR

'BOOM TOWN'

Sunday

WM. POWELL — MYRNA LOY

'I Love You Again'

JAMES OLIVER CUEWOOD'S

'RIVER'S END'

LAMAR

All Seats 30c

Including Tax

Now Playing

SCOTT — FRANCIS

'WHEN THE DALTONS RODE'

ANN SOTHERN

'Gold Rush Maisie'

Sat. 20c, Hill 5 — Oct. Show 10.15

Sunday

STEWART — HULLIVAN — YOUNG

'Mortal Storm'

ALSO

'Money and the Woman'

STRAND

Ends Saturday

Sat. Show 10.15

ALSO

'Edison the Man'

ALSO

'TYPHOON'

Starts Sunday

MADEIRA CARROLL — DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS, JR.

'SAFARI'

BOB ANCHER

'FOUR SONS'

## FOX CABRILLO

San Pedro Phone 4949

Starts Tomorrow

BOB BURNS

'COMING AROUND THE MOUNTAIN'

2nd HIT

LANA TURNER

'WE WHO ARE YOUNG'

Starts Wednesday

JOHN BARRYMORE

'THE GREAT PROFILE'

2nd HIT

JON HALL—LYNN BARI

'KIT CARSON'

## Fox GRANADA

632 Avalon Blvd., Wilmington Wilmington 968

Starts Sat.

BING CROSBY—MARY MARTIN

'BLONDIE HAS SERVICIOUS TROUBLE'

Sun. Mon., Tues.

'Brigham Young'

TYRONE POWER

BRIAN DONLEVY—LINDA BARNELL

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ANN SOTHERN—LEE BOWMAN in

'Gold Rush Maisie'

ALSO

'Sailor's Lady'

with NANCY KELLY—JON HALL

EXTRA SATURDAY MATINEE

BOB STEELE in

'KID COURAGEOUS'

SUN., MON., TUES.—

KAY FRANCIS — RANDOLPH SCOTT

STUART ERWIN in

'When the Daltons Rode'

PLUS

JUDY GARLAND in

'Scatterbrain'

WEDNESDAY—

DINNERWARE FOR THE LADIES

'OUT WEST WITH THE PEPPERS'

'South to Karanga'

## TORRANCE THEATRE

Phone Torrance 132

GENERAL ADMISSION 20c

(NO TAX)

THURS., FRI., SAT.—

ELEANOR POWELL — ROBERT YOUNG

BURNS &amp; ALLEN in

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(NO TAX)

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IRENE DUNNE — CARY GRANT in

'My Favorite Wife'

ALSO

'Charlie Chan's Murder Cruise'

Sun., Mon., Tues.

'My Love Came Back'

'Hidden Gold'

Wednesday

DINNERWARE

'Queen of the Mob'

'Isle of Destiny'

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PLUS THE BUMSTEADS in

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Doors Open 8 p. m. Wed. and Fri.

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 15, 16, 17

'Gold Rush Maisie'

with ANN SOTHERN and LEE BOWMAN

ALSO

'Sporting Blood'

with ROBERT YOUNG and MAUREEN O'SULLIVAN

CARTOON

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Each lady attending Monday, Sept. 16, will receive absolutely FREE a large box of WHITE KING SOAP POWDER.

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BRIAN DONLEVY in

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