Church to Show Film of Strange Old Ghost City

Colored films of "Petra, the Rose Colored City of the Dead," will be shown Thursday night at 7:30 at the First Baptist Church of Walteria, Park at Newton St., it was announced Friday.

The films were taken by Dr. Louis Talbot, chancellor of the Bible Institute of Los Angeles. Dr. Talbot took the pictures while on a tour of mission fields around the world.

Petra, a ghost city for over 1000 years, is carved from solid rock with all colors of the rainbow used in the carved work. It lies in the Holy Land about 50 miles south of the Dead Sea, and its origin is unknown. At different times it has been inhabited by Egyptians, Romans and the Crusaders.

More than 500 temples are carved in rock in the city. Many scholars feel that the city is linked not only with Bible prophecies already past, but also that it may have a vital part in prophecy yet to be fulfilled.

AIRCRAFT SPECIALIST . . . George Bradford, whose machine shop is at 1915 Abalone, shows one of the specially-designed machines he built for Douglas Aircraft. A former Douglas engineer, Bradford now is one of the company's many suppliers of specially-built machine tools and other equipment. (Herald photo).

IDEA MEN . . . Col. John D. Frederick, center, deputy installation commander at Fort MacArthur, presents a cash award to two local men who are employed on the base, for prize-winning management improvement suggestions. He shakes hands with Crystal L. Mixen, of 1018 242nd St., employed in the Ordnance Shop, who devised a platform on which a mechanic may stand when working on combat vehicles with large tires. Also receiving an award was Ira F. Cook, left, of 1837 W. 256th St., Lomita, mechanic in the Post Ordnance Shop, who devised a battery lifter to remove batteries from jeeps.

Rites Held for James Hayward

Funeral services were held yesterday for James William Hayward, 93, relative of Rev. James R. Axtell of the Salvation Army. Hayward died Wednesday at Harbor General Hospital.

Interment was held in Mountain View Cemetery in Pasadena. Hayward, who lived at 2862 Pinkert Ave., in Redondo Beach, was a native of Newfoundland. Besides Axtell, he is survived by nine nephews and nieces.

DIAMOND LEADER
Africa has a virtual monopoly on diamond production.

Heart Group Offers Aid

With more than half-a-million Californians afield this fall in the pursuit of deer, bears, upland game birds and waterfowl, the California Heart Association has come up with a few timely suggestions for hunters as an aid in preventing heart failure:

1. Act your age and know your physical limits.

2. Avoid vigorous hill climbs and difficult drives if aware of a heart condition.

3. Do not hunt to the limit of your endurance.

4. Be alert for unusual shortness of breath or pain in the chest as warning of over-exertion.

5. Attempt to condition yourself for the opening day by frequent hikes several weeks in advance of the first hunting day.

Local Man at Parent's Bedside After Car Crash

At the hospital bedsides of his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Bradford, in Portola this week is George A. Bradford, 1323 Beech Ave.

The senior Bradfords, who formerly lived here for 30 years, were hospitalized Sunday, Oct. 9, after their car collided head-on with another, as they were returning from Portola to their Paradise home. Bradford suffered broken ribs, while his wife received internal injuries.

Called to the hospital shortly after his parents were taken there, the local Mr. and Mrs. Bradford spent a few days in Portola until the injured man and woman were pronounced out of danger. Bradford left Wednesday for the second hospital visit and will return to Torrance this week-end.

First Families To Be in Homes By Christmas

Occupancy of the first homes in the new Ellingwood tract bordering the Pacific Coast Hwy. between Walteria and Hollywood Riviera is scheduled by Christmas, a spokesman for the firm said yesterday.

Under construction at the present time are 186 homes and an additional 285 are scheduled to be started in the immediate future.

The tract features three bedroom homes with a bath and one-half, and is located in one of the finest residential areas of the city.

Sales office at 5501 Pacific Coast Hwy. reports a heavy response to the opening of the tract and continued demand for the quality homes is expected.