

Ryan Expands Acreage Near Local Plant

Longrange plans of the Ryan Aeronautical Co., San Diego, for continued expansion of its production capability were implemented today with acquisition of 11 additional acres of land at the firm's Torrance division.

T. Claude Ryan, president, said that the company now occupies or has available for future use plant sites totalling 66 acres in four major locations—Lindbergh Field, San Diego; Kearney Mesa, San Diego; Inglewood, and Torrance. In addition, several large warehouses are being utilized by Ryan in the metropolitan San Diego area.

All manufacturing, office and warehousing facilities under the Ryan banner today total approximately 1,800,000 square feet, with considerable additional plant site space now available in which to expand as the company's increasing production research and devel-

opment activities require, Ryan said.

Plants Grow

At the main plant on Lindbergh Field, are 30 acres, with 1,100,000 square feet under roof. The rapidly growing electronics division on Kearney Mesa has a 30,000 square foot building on 7 acres, with 2½ more acres under option.

The transaction at Torrance, announced today, brings Ryan's total holdings to 33 acres at that site, adjacent to the Torrance Municipal Airport. The new acquisition adjoins the 27 acres originally obtained by Ryan last year. Since then the existing group of buildings has been augmented by three large structures providing a total of 280,000 square feet of production and office space at Torrance, which now is the final assembly plant for the famed Ryan Firebee remote-controlled jet target drone.

In Inglewood, Ryan operates

a machine shop for machining aircraft parts requiring such highly specialized equipment as three dimensional profiling machines.

Meanwhile, Ryan is continuing to negotiate for acquisition of other facilities to accommodate its constantly growing, widely diversified operations, including manufacturing of huge air fuselage sections for Boeing KC-135 jet tanker-transports; jet engine pod and pylon assemblies for the Douglas DC-8 jetliners; automatic electronic navigational systems; Firebee drones, rocket engines, jet engine components, Boeing B-52 bomber thrust braces; development of vertical take-off and landing (VTOL) planes, and other projects.

Station Sets Opening Date

A three-day grand opening celebration commencing with a new Hancock truck in Torrance will take place July 24-26.

Bill Desario, from a family of early Torrance settlers, is the independent neighborhood dealer who will operate the new facility at 2188 Arlington, corner of Sepulveda Blvd.

As part of the celebration, customers will receive registered key chains and opportunities to win Firestone auto accessory items, appliances and lubrication services.

The 8-foot tall Hancock cowboy rooster is on hand to entertain the small fry from 1-4 p.m. on Thursday through Saturday while the Hancock hostess provides them with balloons and lollipops.

Obituaries

Sanford C. Shepherd

Funeral services were conducted yesterday at Stone and Myers Chapel for Sanford C. Shepherd, 75, of 807 Beech St.

Mr. Shepherd, who formerly was employed as a city street painter, had lived in Torrance 33 years. He was born in Illinois and died July 17.

Surviving are his wife, Rosy Shepherd of Torrance, two sisters and a brother.

The Rev. Pearl Barnes officiated at services and interment followed in Green Hills Memorial Park.

Clifford Shipman

Final rites will be conducted tomorrow, 11 a.m. for Clifford LaMont Shipman, 59, of Los Angeles, who died July 18.

The Rev. Morgan Gates will officiate and the services will be at Stone and Myers Chapel. Interment will follow in Roosevelt Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Mattie Shipman, and two sis-

Joseph Francis Cochr

Funeral services were conducted Friday for Joseph Francis Cochr, 69, of 1313 Portola Ave., who died July 15 following a sudden illness.

Services were held at N. Land Mortuary in Redondo Beach with the Rev. C. T. Watberg of the Congregational Church officiating. Interment was in Green Hills Memorial Park.

Surviving are his wife, Mabel H. Cochr of Torrance; a son, Riley of Hermosa Beach; two daughters, Marie Toeniskoetter of St. Louis, Mo., and June Stanwood of Riverside; eight grandchildren and a brother.



JAMES W. ANDERSON
... New Appointee

Loan Official Named to Job

James W. Anderson, assistant manager of the American Savings and Loan Assn., office at 205 S. Pacific Ave., Redondo Beach, has been appointed assistant secretary of the association.

Anderson, who was assistant to Gamble M. Stendel, Redondo Beach regional manager, since February, lives at 711 Esplanade with his wife and two sons, John and Eric. He is a member of the Chamber of Commerce and the Presbyterian Church.

ZINC SUPPLY

The U.S. imports a great deal of its zinc supply each year even though it produces more than one-third of all the zinc in the world, which is more than the output of any other country.

Pennies

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will end in the Middle East. This could be it."
Ed Ivey, 2706 W. 178th St., deliveryman.

"I figure he had to do it. We just could not stand by and let all that oil and stuff go. We've been getting pushed around over there... they keep taking over all those countries and it makes it rough on us."

Ranchero Days

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In addition, Thrifty Drug Stores this week salutes the city and the second annual Ranchero Days. An extensive radio advertising schedule of spot announcements will inform thousands of Southern Californians of the celebration including the selection of the rodeo queen, Kathy Hight, parade of horses, mounted units, marching bands and floats, and the rodeo festivities.

Plan Aquatade

Entering into the spirit of the occasion, the Torrance recreation department will stage an aquatade at the municipal plunge, Friday and Saturday, 8:15 p.m.

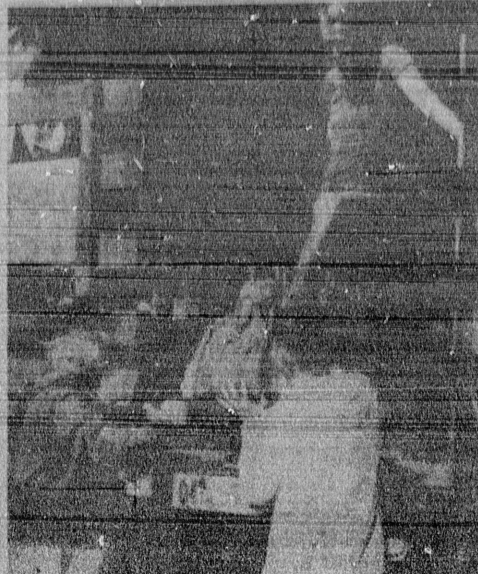
Titled "Riverboat Revue," the water spectacular will feature 10 swimming acts including water ballet, diving and novelty acts. The music and songs will be typical of the period and the story revolves around a retired riverboat captain and his memories of the golden era of the riverboat.

HARVEY PICNIC

Former residents of Harvey, and surrounding area in Thomson township, Illinois, are invited to attend a picnic Sunday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the El Monte city park. According to Mrs. Florence Dowden of Gardena, a member of the sponsoring committee, the park is located at Bodger and Tyler across from the El Monte high school three blocks north of Garvey Blvd.

MINT DOMAIN

Two-thirds of the peppermint and spearmint oil produced in the United States is said to come from Indiana.



LOADING GEAR... Pop Stewart, leader, and Doug Cannon, director, help Hugh Tower to load his gear aboard the Torrance YMCA truck as final preparations are made for the first Torrance Y Camp this summer. (Herald photo)

BIRTHS

WILSON HOSPITAL.
CUREL—Mr. and Mrs. Harold, of Redondo Beach, a daughter, Candice Faith, July 8.
TARLEY—Mr. and Mrs. J. G., 3918 Ocean St., a son, Michael Allen, July 8.
BILKOW—Mr. and Mrs. Bruce, 2234 Orchard Ave., a daughter, July 9.
BEEK—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Allen, 1214 N. Hill St., a daughter, July 11.
LINDER—Mr. and Mrs. David, 5504 Laureate St., a daughter, July 11.
HACE—Mr. and Mrs. Warren, of Manhattan Beach, a son, July 11.
NICHOLSON—Mr. and Mrs. Robert A., of Fox Ridge, a son, Scott David, July 11.
HARMON—Mr. and Mrs. Edgar, of Manhattan Beach, a son, David Allen, July 11.
ROSENTHAL—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, 4513 Minto, a son, Thomas Steven, July 11.
FLANAGAN—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene, 608 3rd St., a son, Eugene Andre, July 11.
NORTH—Mr. and Mrs. Robert E., 235 Via Linda Vista, a daughter, Pamela Susan, July 11.
COLLINS—Mr. and Mrs. Robert, 33 Calle Mayor, a daughter, Michelle Belinda, July 12.
ROBERTS—Mr. and Mrs. Morris A., 1339 W. Carson St., a daughter, Christa Lee, July 12.
MCCULLOUGH—Mr. and Mrs. Arch H. Jr., 2187 Barbara St., a daughter, Lisa Carol, July 13.
BECKER—Mr. and Mrs. William L., 2135 Grant Ave., a son, Robert Rolfe, July 13.
HARRIS—Mr. and Mrs. Dale M., 1121 Glenhurst Ave., a daughter, Catherine Elton, July 14.
TAYLOR—Mr. and Mrs. Richard C., 1838 Estradero Ave., a son, Thomas Paul, July 14.
SAUL—Mr. and Mrs. James, of Manhattan Beach, a daughter, Cynthia Kay, July 14.
HUTCH—Mr. and Mrs. Jack, 1111 Howard Ave., a daughter, Barbara, July 14.
GONDER—Mr. and Mrs. David E., of Hermosa Beach, a son, Douglas Wayne, July 14.
LUD—Mr. and Mrs. Chl Kohn, 21508

LEONIS Dr. and Mrs. Richard Dwyer, July 14.
WILKINSON—Mr. and Mrs. Milton W., of San Pedro, a son, Michael Alan, July 14.
CUNNINGHAM—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis, of Redondo Beach, a daughter, Melody Ann, July 15.

TORRANCE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.
WATKINS—Mr. and Mrs. William, 1300 Wilcox St., a son, Bruce Richard, July 8.
DAVIES—Dr. and Mrs. William A., 1237 1/2 Ave., a daughter, Frances, July 8.
BOKER—Mr. and Mrs. Art, 20506 Tulosa Ave., a daughter, Loraine Elizabeth, July 9.
DOOLEY—Mr. and Mrs. Henry, of Anaheim, a daughter, Cheryl Lynn, July 7.
LILLEY—Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Thomas, 2242 Anna Ave., a son, Clayton Brian, July 8.
JOHNSON—Mr. and Mrs. William, of Redondo Beach, a daughter, Paula Lee, July 8.
STAVA—Mr. and Mrs. Robert, 3215 Palomar Rd., a son, Jeffrey Allen, July 9.
LIND—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edward, 1601 W. 17th St., a daughter, Jennifer, July 9.
TAYLOR—Mr. and Mrs. Payson C., of Harbor City, a son, Clifford Payson, July 9.
LEOPOLD—Mr. and Mrs. Jack, 132 Via Los Miradous, a son, Jay Scott, July 10.
FREDERICKSON—Mr. and Mrs. Robert A., 2250 Marjorie Ave., a son, Justin Alan, July 10.
BROPHY—Mr. and Mrs. Richard, of Hawthorne, a son, Steven Daniel, July 10.
HENDSON—Mr. and Mrs. Vincent K., 115 Via La Grulla, a son, Matthew James, July 10.
MICHALAK—Mr. and Mrs. John E., 5106 Castles St., a daughter, Julie Ann, July 11.
PEYTON—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin, 19222 Ronald Ave., a son, Jeffrey Kent, July 11.
HARGREAVE—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H., of Rolling Hills Estates, a daughter, Jeanette Louise, July 11.

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