

## Dow Chemical Appoints New Asst. Mgr.

L. O. Simenson has been appointed assistant manager of operations for The Dow Chemical Company's Western Division. Leonard A. Doan, general manager of Dow's Western Division, said he will report directly to M. F. Ohman, manager of operations for the Western Division.

Simenson received a master of science degree in chemical engineering from the University of Washington in 1939, after which he was employed by Dow's Western Division in the research department.

In 1949, Simenson became assistant to the production manager. His most recent assignment has been production manager of the Western Division. His new job has the added responsibilities of production coordination and traffic for the Western Division.

Western Division plants are located at Pittsburg, Torrance, and Seal Beach, California.

## Aeronca Gets Contract

A contract to manufacture 195 additional Pogo-Hi Target Missiles for the U.S. Army has been awarded to Aeronca Manufacturing Corp. According to W. W. Rutledge, vice president, Defense Products Group, the award will total nearly \$5,000,000.

Pogo-Hi will be produced at Middletown plant while several sub-assemblies will be manufactured at the Torrance Aeronca Division of Torrance. The

## Local Tot In Orthopaedic Hospital

Shelly Hatridge, 3, daughter of Mrs. Alice Underwood of 443 W. Desford St., Torrance, has been admitted as a patient at Los Angeles Orthopaedic Hospital, it was announced today.

Torrance is one of the many Southland communities which sends its handicapped children to Orthopaedic Hospital.

While the hospital serves private patients no disabled child through the age of 21 who can benefit from orthopaedic care, is refused admis-

sion regardless of race, creed, place of residence or ability to pay. Although operational funds are paid through such sources as Los Angeles Area Community Chest, its capital funds for expansion and new building must be raised through public appeal, officials pointed out.

Residents of communities where children receive help were urged to support the institution's current fund drive for a new \$6,500,000 children's center. Contributions to the

fund drive may be sent to Orthopaedic Hospital, Los Angeles 7.

### IN MOVIE

Former president Harry S. Truman will appear in "The Race For Survival," feature-length documentary film currently being prepared by Producer David L. Wolper. In a filmed interview, Truman will give the background for his fateful decision to drop the atom bomb on Japan.

### Ranchero Booth

Keeping abreast of the times in their building funds raising campaign, the Southwest Association for Retarded Children plan to operate a booth in the Ranchero Days Carnival to be held in Civic Center, July 20 through 24, it was announced by Mrs. Harold McBride, publicity chairman for the group.

### Marie Denn, Tom Lowry Play Stars

"Rain" written by Colton and Randolph, will open for a four week engagement at the Hermosa Pier Playhouse, Hermosa Beach, the week-end of July 15.

Sadie Thompson will be portrayed by Marie Denn, and Tom Lowry will play the role of the Rev. Davidson. The play is under the direction of Robert Chapline.

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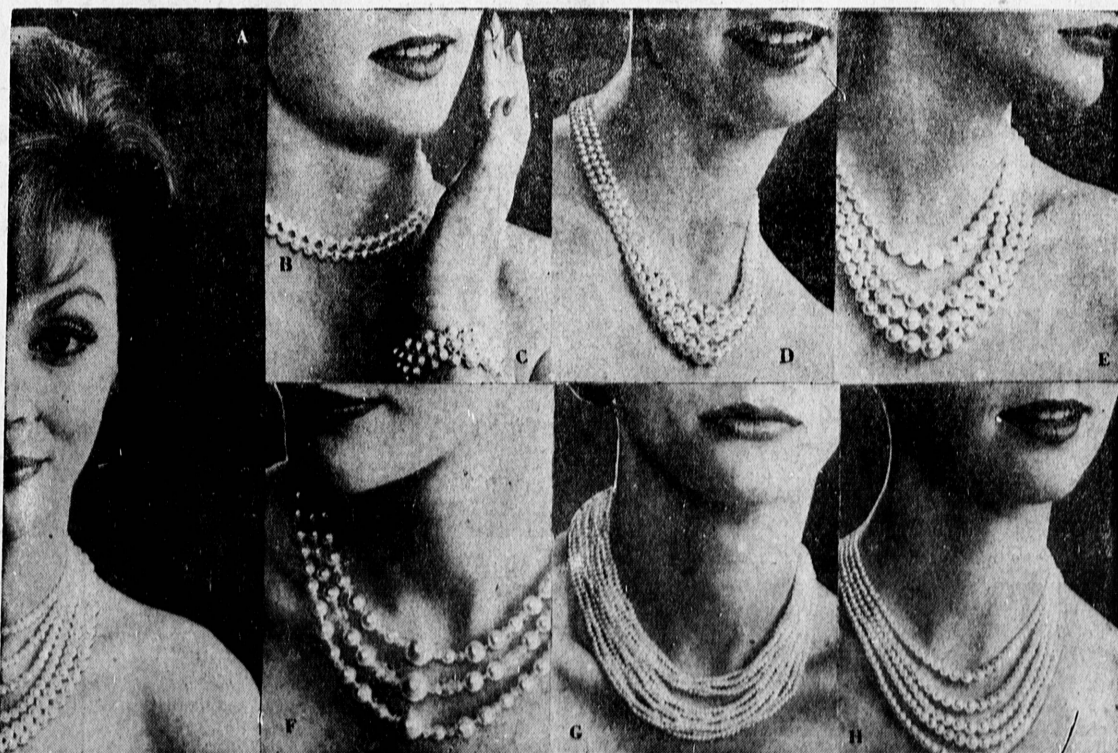
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