



EMPIRE REALTY . . . Three persons are co-owners of Empire Realty, 2746 Sepulveda Blvd., which opened recently. They are Paul Gerhardt, Evan Beedle and Nat Vogel, who have 10 years of realty experience between them in the Southwest area. The firm is open from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Sunday. (Herald Photo)

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## Christmas 'Round the World' Featured at Barnsdall Park

The diversity of Christmas customs is nearly as numerous as there are different countries in the world, and at least 21 of these differences will be exhibited with the opening of the 7th annual Christmas from Many Lands festival Tuesday at the Municipal Art Gallery in Barnsdall Park.

Sponsored each year by the Los Angeles Department of Municipal Art, the popular event reflects the Christmas spirit and its observance throughout the world.

**THE EXHIBITION** and daily programs of folk singing and dancing will be open to the public without charge from 5 to 10 p.m., weekdays and 1 to 10 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday beginning Dec. 11, and continuing through Dec. 21.

A special opening night program at 8 p.m., Dec. 11, will feature the United Nations Children Choir from Long Beach. The 80-member group will be dressed in the native costumes of 80 different national-

ity groups, and will present an evening of Christmas songs.

Nationality Day programs will be presented daily beginning Dec. 12. These are scheduled for 8 p.m. nightly, and at 3 and 5 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

**FEATURED IN** the exhibition will be typical tree trimmings, table settings and native crafts and toys on display in booths allocated to the various national organizations in the Los Angeles area. An added attraction will be a special display of antique toys organized by Mitzie Bassett.

Countries and national groups participating are: Can-

### Meeting Set Today

The Marymount College Alumnae Assn. will mark its first anniversary with a breakfast meeting today on the campus. Constance Schneider will preside, assisted by Pat O'Sullivan Perkins and Eileen Cantwell.

ada, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, Dutch Indonesia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Japan, Jordan, Korea, Latvia, Lithuania, Mexico, Norway, Philippines, Poland, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraina and the United States.

### Santa Visits Party

Judy Doyle will be in charge of the annual children's Christmas party sponsored by the Marymount College Mission Club Tuesday. Marymount's chaplain, Father Joseph Kearney, will portray Santa Claus and youngsters from the San Pedro area will be guests.

### Club Plans Party

The Kiwanis Club of Torrance will hold a family Christmas party at the Elks Hall, 220th and Abalone, 6:30 p.m. Monday, Dec. 17. Entertainment and gifts will be arranged for children. A picnic style dinner will be served guests.

## West's Novel Discussed

An open meeting for members of Great Books Discussion Groups in the South Bay District was held Monday in the Senior Citizens' Building in Redondo Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Rathkopf, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Witt and Mrs. James Pierson of Torrance and members from groups in Redondo Beach, Manhattan Beach and Palos Verdes participated in a discussion of "The Devil's Advocate," by Morris West.

Dale Cade of Rolling Hills and Joe Dureaux of Manhattan Beach were moderators for the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson of Manhattan Beach were in charge of arrangements for the meeting and furnished refreshments.

### Girls in 'Angel'

Marymount College students Beverly Jones, Melena Robinson, Pat Traynor, Betty Kautto and Kathy MacGowan will play roles in "The Littlest Angel that Sang" for the Girl Scout Christmas party on Wednesday. Marilyn Byrd will direct.



FATHER OF MANY . . . Chung Sup Shim, director of the Cross Orphanage in Pusan, Korea, in front of main orphanage building with Jin Sil Chung (in arms) and Choon Jee Lee.



CHRISTMAS CAROLER . . . Karen Eno, 11, of 2010 W. 180th St., will appear with the United Nations Children's Choir of Long Beach for the opening of the 7th annual Christmas From Many Lands Festival Tuesday at the Municipal Art Gallery in Barnsdall Park, 4800 Hollywood Blvd.

## Tartar Talk

by Doni Baber

The long awaited new Student Service Building is ready for use. Moving in has taken some time, but everything seems to be settled now.

The girls gym was being used as temporary headquarters for the schools' administration until the new building was completed. Plans are now under way for Winter Wonderland, theme for the 1962 Winter Formal. The gala event is scheduled for Dec. 18, and from 8:30 to 11:30.

Suitable attire is suits for boys and semi-formal dresses for girls. Being held this year at the Elk's Lodge in Torrance, it promises to be one of the highlights of the school year.

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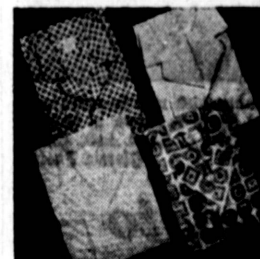
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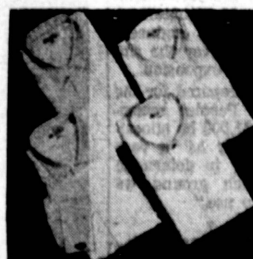


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