

### Begin Construction on New Edison Co. Headquarters

Erection of a new \$185,000 Southern California Edison Company Redondo district office on the west side of Catalina Avenue north of Garnet Street will begin shortly, according to L. E. Jenkins, district manager. W. C. Beggs will be general contractor, and completion is expected by April, 1953.

### 'Guest in the House' to Open Friday

"Guest in the House," being staged Friday and Saturday nights, August 22 and 23 at the Redondo Union High School Auditorium at 8:30 by the Hampton Players, is a Broadway play about a suburban artist and wife played by Vic Amaya and Grace Tillison, who give house room to a female guest, Jane Lafferty, and live to wring their hands in anguish.

Vic Amaya, a recent addition to the group, comes from the Ben Bard players in Hollywood, has been acting four years, and has appeared in such hit plays as "High Tor" and "Night of Jan. 16." Grace Tillison, his wife in the play, also a new arrival, is a member of T. V. Activities, Inc., of Palo Alto, Calif. Jane Lafferty is well known in Torrance for her excellent portrayals of many roles in the past, including "Bees and the Flowers" and "Little Nell."

Others in the cast include Neva Boyer and Dorothy Tunis of "Silver Cord" fame last year; Doug and Jo McClay, local thespians; Phil Yetters, Redondo High student; Claude Ferrell, Hollywood Riviera; Hal Deckinger, Inglewood, and Carol Hughes, Gardena.

### Championship Tilt Between Jay Cees, Optimist Friday

Torrance Jay Cee midget team hurler Bob Clifford, solidly supported by his team-mates, pitched a no-hit game against the North Torrance Rams in a tilt held at McMasters Park Monday evening.

The Jay Cees tallied 4 runs. Despite the close hurling by Clifford, the Rams brought in 3 scorers.

Championship game is slated for tomorrow night between the Jay Cees and the Optimist midget "9."

The Optimists beat the Pueblo CYO team 8-7 in the seventh inning Monday night.

Preliminary game Friday night is between the Pueblo and Rams teams. Jay Cees and Optimists will clash at 8 p.m.

### At Avalon Park

The first in a series of day camps was held at the Avalon-Sepulveda Park Tuesday. Mrs. Dorothy Kemper, park director, announced.

Another day camp is being held today, and two more are slated for August 26th and 28th.

### Co-op Nursery Names Director, Officers at Meet

Mrs. Pearl Richman, who earned her bachelor of arts and master's degree in child psychology from the University of Illinois, has been selected as the director of the Torrance Cooperative Nursery School. Mrs. Richman has also done graduate work in psychology at Columbia University.

Besides her excellent academic background Mrs. Richman has the practical experience of five years as senior psychologist in a girls' school in Illinois, and one year of work in the mental hygiene clinic of the veterans administration.

Mrs. Richman has been both a participating parent and a teacher in a cooperative nursery school in southern California. This experience particularly fits her for director of a nursery school since she understands both the parents' point of view and the director's responsibilities.

At the meeting of the Torrance Coop Nursery School held August 12th, the board of directors was elected as follows: President, Mrs. Maurice Hatten; Vice-president, Mrs. Charles Hardinghaus; Secretary, Mrs. Harlan McCool; Treasurer, Maurice Rensom. Also serving on the board of directors are standing committee chairmen are Mead Ferguson, purchasing agent; Mrs. DeLane Cahow, transportation and scheduling; Maurice Hatten, fathers' work chairman; Mrs. Robert Kerber, membership chairman; and Mrs. Lyle Enger, educational chairman.

The board of directors will meet next Monday, August 25, at the home of Mrs. Robert Kerber, 820 Teri Ave.

Any family wishing to participate in this non-profit educational group may call Torrance 2834J or 2157J for information.

### Name Winners Of Avalon Park Talent Contest

Winners in the Talent Contest held recently at Avalon-Sepulveda Park were announced this week by Mrs. Dorothy Kemper, director of the Park.

A large audience attending the event helped to name Sandra a comedy song and dance number, Glenn and Robert Lorenzi, who did winners of the top prize of \$15.

Second prize of \$10 was won by Pauline Valoria, a Hawaiian dancer. Carol Coyman did a Hawaiian hula accompanied on the steel guitar by Pete Nahuai. They won \$5, as third place winners.

Prizes were donated by the Carson Chamber of Commerce and the Avalon-Sepulveda Park Council, Mrs. Kemper said.

Industrial output per man-hour is reliably estimated at approximately twice the British level, and three to four times the pre-war French and German achievements.

### Model Plane Contest Held For Children

Beginning and advanced model plane builders are invited to enter the "Build A Plane" contest being held tomorrow at each of the city playgrounds, according to officials of the Recreation Dept.

Judging will begin tomorrow at 1:30 p.m. There will be judging in both the beginning and advanced divisions.

Winners from each area will be invited to participate in the grand contest to be held at the playground Revue, Thursday, August 28th, at Civic Auditorium.

### Walteria Women Attend Conference

Mrs. John Chaudano and Mrs. Robert Cramer left this week for Redlands University where they will attend a four-day WSCS conference for leadership training, in conjunction with their membership in the Walteria Methodist Church.

During the conference, they will live on the Redlands campus, and attend conferences, classes and seminars with other delegates from many Southern California churches, it was disclosed.

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