

Narbonne Seniors To Star in 'Dear Ruth' Dec. 4, 5

War-time mail mix-ups is the theme of the comedy play, "Dear Ruth", which will be presented by the Narbonne High School senior class in the school auditorium on Dec. 4 and 5.

The production will star Dorothy Sandoval and Ed Rabjohn.

Miss Sandoval will play the title role, with Rabjohn as the soldier who returns to the United States to visit Ruth after receiving love letters written in her name by her sister, Miriam, to be played by Patti Swenson.

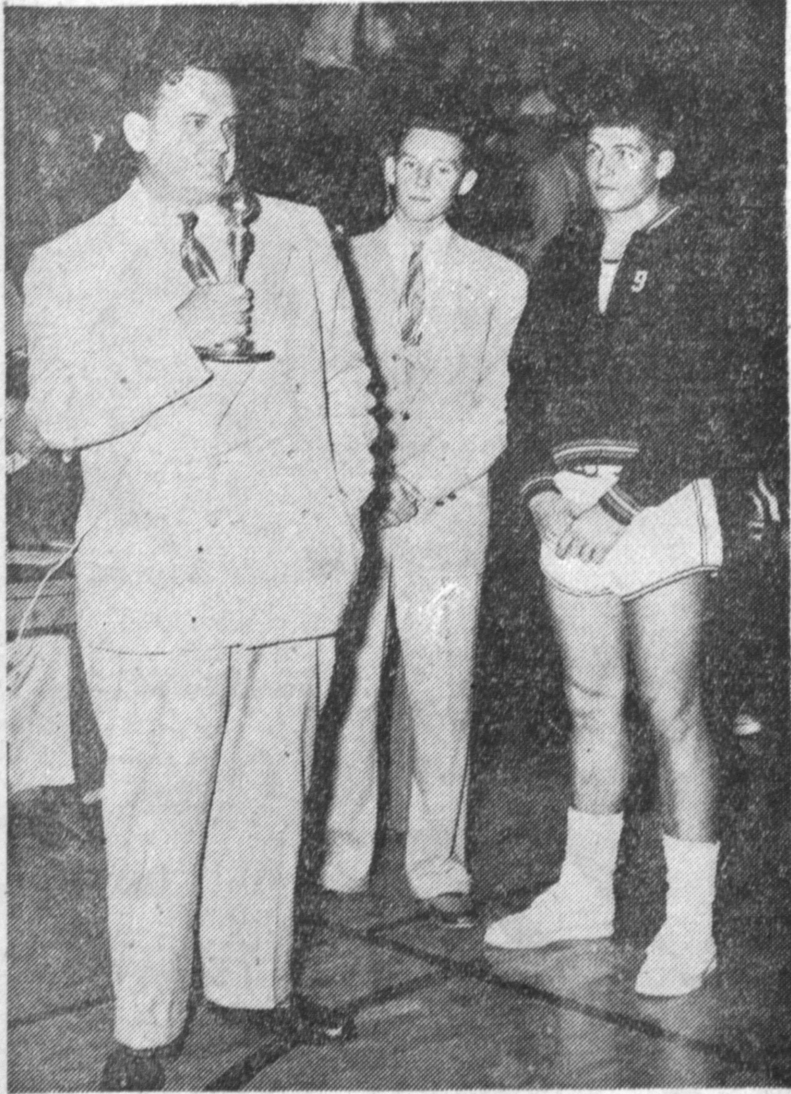
Other principals in the cast are Richard Piper as the father of the two girls, Carol Jollenstein as the mother, and Robert Denton as Ruth's fiance.

In supporting roles are Matt Sandoval, Mary Pendray, Irvin Miller and Zilla Hyde. Directing the production is John Bastone, faculty drama instructor.

It's time for the high cost of living to go on a sit-down strike.

Curbing of vandalism and unsafe driving by hot-rodgers was the subject of a meeting of the Lomita Chamber of Commerce held last night at the Lomita Park community building, according to Mrs. J. Bader, chamber secretary.

Speakers at the meet included representatives of the sheriff's department, Long Beach police department, highway patrol, schools and P-TAs, she revealed.



GYM DEDICATION—Assistant Superintendent of Schools Emmett Ingram formally dedicates the new high school gymnasium before the assembled student body at Friday night's kick-off basketball game. Shown with Ingram are Student Body vice-president Jim Crane, center, and Lee Mortenson, Student Body president.

Postmaster Has Helpful Hints for Yule Mailing

Postmaster Clara A. Conner believes a word or two to the wise will help make Christmas as merry as it should be. "The 1952 Christmas season," she said today, "is officially underway. Here at the Post Office, we have an enormous job to do. Naturally, our main concern is the delivery of all gift packages and Christmas cards by December 25.

"There's about 154 million people in this country today. More than ever before. More people, more Christmas mail. This means, of course, that a helping hand from the public is really necessary.

"So it's a pleasure for me to explain what can be done. As for the Post Office, we're getting all set to do a good job!"

Postmaster Conner has briefed local postal employees on what to expect. She predicts this year's Christmas mail will set a new all-time record, exceeding even the \$7,677 pieces of mail cancelled here in one day in 1951.

Similar records are anticipated all over the U. S. Consequently, during the Christmas period the Post Office Department will make as many deliveries as are necessary up to Christmas Day. This includes residential areas which now receive one delivery daily.

Last-minute parcels and special delivery mail will be distributed on Dec. 25 in cities and villages. But not in rural areas. All business firms are requested to withhold circular and catalogue mail, and to post their regular correspondence by 4 p.m. each day, during the critical month of December.

Time of mailing is especially important, and the earlier the better. The Postmaster emphasized it is "everybody's business" to follow this time-table for all Christmas mailings:

MAIL PARCEL POST
By Dec. 1 for Overseas
By Dec. 5 for Out-of-State
By Dec. 10 for Local Delivery

MAIL CHRISTMAS CARDS
By Dec. 1 for Overseas
By Dec. 15 for Out-of-State
By Dec. 18 for Local Delivery

Yuletide mail for overseas has been going out in a steady flow for several weeks now. Moreover, there's still time for delivery in most foreign countries. But after Dec. 1, all gifts going abroad should be sent by air parcel post and all Christmas cards by air mail.

So follow these helpful instructions, whether your gifts and greetings are going to far away places or to the neighbors next door. For as the Postmaster said, the Christmas mail is "everybody's business!"

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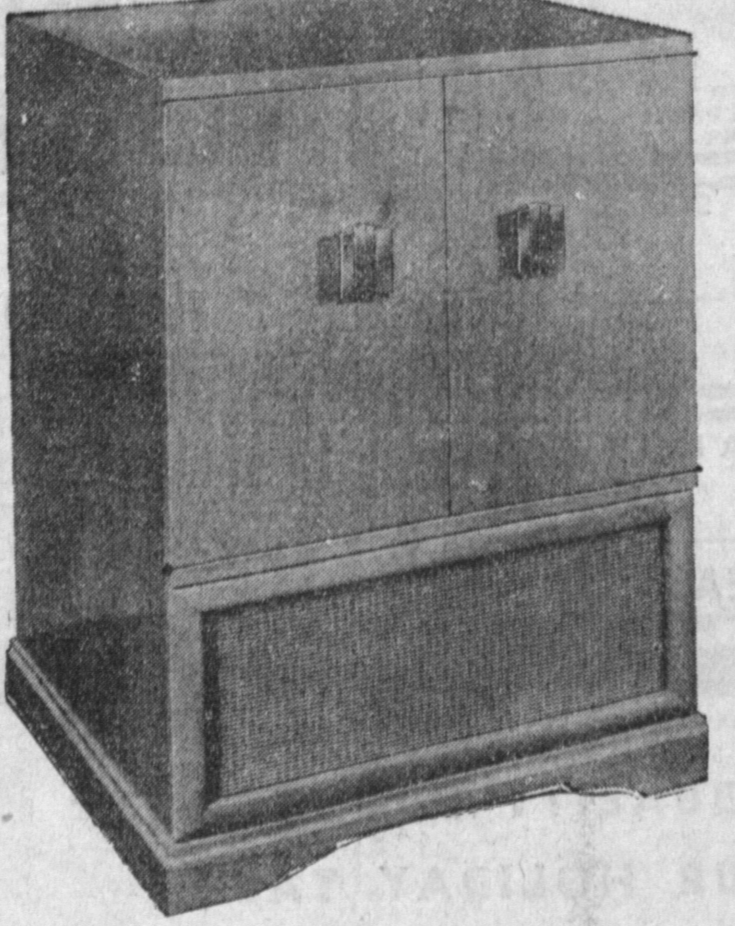
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ISAIAH 1:18
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—REV. MORTON.

† CHURCH DIRECTORY †

THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH—El Prado at Manuel Avenue. Rev. John L. Taylor, Minister. Church School for all ages. 9:00 Early Worship—Youth Choir, church school 4th grade & below. 10:00 Church School, all ages, extended sessions 4th grade & below. 11:00 Morning Worship—Adult Choir. Infant car from 9:00 to 12 A.M. 6:30 High School Youth Fellowship.

CHURCH OF CHRIST OF TORRANCE — 1217 Craven. Meets Sunday School 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship 10:45 A.M.; Evening Worship 7:30 P.M. Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 P.M. Visiting Ministers.

TORRANCE ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH—1317 Craven Avenue. Across from Library. Henry and Ida W. Sunde, Pastors. Phone 1725-M.
Sunday School 9:45 A.M. Morning 11:00 A.M. Christ Ambassador Service 7:30 P.M. P.M. Evangelistic Service 7:30 P.M. Mid-Week Service Thursday evening 7:30 P.M.

FOUR SQUARE CHURCH—1207 El Prado. Parsonage, 1820 Calamar. Parsonage phone 909. Rev. and Mrs. Wm. H. Clayton, pastors. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Sunday Service, 10:45. Young Peoples Service, 6:15 p.m. Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday morning service, 10 a.m. Wednesday eve. service, 7:30 p.m. Young People's Fun Night, Friday, 8 p.m. in parsonage.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Carson at Manuel. Rev. C. Miles Northrup, Pastor. Rev. J. Russell Killman, Asst. Pastor. Church Phone 3084; Northrup 148; Killman 3072-W. Bible School, 9:30 A.M. Story Hour and Children Church, 10:30 A.M. Nursery for every service. Morning worship, 10:45 A.M. Training Union, 6:30 P.M. Evangelistic Service, 7:30 P.M.

FIRST MEXICAN BAPTIST CHURCH—925 West 223rd Street. Manuel J. Zamorano, Minister. Lucas 675L. Sunday School, 9:45 A.M. Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M. Young Peoples Service, 6:45 P.M. (every other Sunday). Evening Service, 7:30 P.M. Prayer Meeting and Bible Study, Tuesday 7:30 P.M. Missionary Circle, Friday 7:30 (every other week).

BAPTIST TABERNACLE—Located in the YMCA Building, Washington and Arlington. Reverend John W. Morton, Sunday School, 10:00 A.M. Morning Service, 11:00 A.M. Evening Service, 7:30 P.M.

KEYSTONE BAPTIST CHURCH—435 West 220th Street, Torrance. Rev. W. L. Lowe. Home phone TERNAL 4-8874. Study phone 1565-J or 1565-W Torrance. Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Training Union, 6:30 P.M. Evening Worship, 7:30 P.M.; Mid-Week Service, Wednesday 7:30 P.M. Cooperating with Southern Baptist convention.

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH—Located on Acacia and Sonoma in Torrance. Rev. Paul Wenske, Pastor. Res.; 2550 El Dorado. Phone 3397-W. Church Office: 1610 Acacia. Phone 691. 1st. Church Worship, 9:30 A.M. 1st Sunday School, 9:30 A.M. 2nd Morning Worship Service, 10:45 A.M. 2nd Sunday School, 10:45 A.M.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST—218th Street at Manuel Avenue. Sunday School, 9:30 A.M. Sunday Service, 11:00 A.M. Wednesday Evening Meeting, 8:00 P.M. Reading Room, 1223 El Prado. Open 10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Daily except Sundays and holidays. Monday and Friday evening, 7:00 to 9:00 P.M. Nursery, 1215 Crenshaw Blvd., open 10:30 A.M. to 12:30 P.M.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE—1501 West Carson Street. Rev. Freeman A. Brunson, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 A.M. Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M. Youth Groups, 6:30 P.M. Evening Service, 7:30 P.M. People's Meeting, Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

AVADAY VILLAGE CHURCH OF CHRIST (Christians)—Located in Women's Club House at 127 East 220th St. in Torrance. Minister, Milton Cooper. Bible School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 10:50 A.M.; Young People's Meeting, 6:30 P.M.; Evening Service, 7:30 P.M.; Mid-Week Devotional, 7:30 P.M. Wednesday.

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