

Local Men in L.B. Play Cast

David and Charlie French of Torrance will have the roles of "Bashful" and "Dopey" in the Magnolia Children's Theater performances of "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" August 16 and 23 in their theater at 2400 Magnolia, Long Beach.

Two showings will be given each day, at 1 and 2:30 p.m., by the all adult cast.

Don Bruton, international recording star, who has recently completed an engagement in Las Vegas, will be seen as Prince Charming.

Joey Bean, who has been singing throughout the Southland since moving to California, has the title role of Snow White.

The witch will be played by Doris Marie Taylor, who has played in many witch productions, among them, "Hansel and Gretel" and "Annabelle Broom, the Unhappy Witch."

Tickets may be obtained for the current play by contacting Magnolia Children's Theater, GA 4-1210.

Backing up on a freeway can cause a serious accident, warns the Automobile Club of Southern California.

Coed, 79, Begins Ceramics Career

At an age when many senior citizens contentedly resign themselves to retirement, Mrs. Mabel Stevens, a 79-year-old coed who enrolled in her first course in ceramics at El Camino College last semester, has now achieved status as an international art exhibitor.

Noting the innate talents of the septagenarian in his class last spring, Instructor Joseph Gadden of the college art department encouraged Mrs. Stevens to desert the usual pattern of assignments followed by beginning students in ceramics.

Mrs. Stevens' work first attracted attention of classmates and art instructors. Later her work was displayed in an El Camino College art exhibit. Recognition of the Senior Citizens group in Los Angeles led to increased publicity of Mrs. Stevens' talents.

Most recent of a series of hon-

Torrance Actors in 'Janus' Cast

Chapel Theater players are presenting "The Medium," a tragedy in two acts, starting today and continuing Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays through August 23.

The curtain opener will be a one act comedy, "La Serva Padrona Perzolesi" in which Wes (Mitch) Smith of Torrance plays the role of "Panoflo."

Leads in "The Medium" will be played by Nadine Farrar Nickol, who acts the part of "Madame Flora."

ors bestowed on the art student came in the form of an invitation to her to exhibit her work in the 14th Annual International Hobby Show to be held in conjunction with the Pacific National Exhibition in Vancouver, British Columbia, from August 18 to September 1.

Elijah to Wind up Busy College Musical Season

El Camino College will round out the busiest summer theater season in its history this week-end as a 50-voice chorus presents the oratorio, "Elijah" in the Campus Theater.

Free to the public, performances will be conducted at 8:30 p.m. tomorrow and Sunday under direction of R. Neil Hill, director of El Camino College choral groups.

The full-length oratorio, the first to be presented in the 11-year history of the college, follows a series of four dramatic performances which concluded last week-end with the presentation of Thornton Wilder's "Skin of Our Teeth."

Participating in the presentation of the Mendelssohn work will be representatives of a number of church choral groups

throughout the college district. Accompaniment will be provided by the college community orchestra under the baton of Calvin Greer, who will conduct Part I of the oratorio and Hill, who will conduct the final section of the work.

Pittsburgh Plate Wins Safety

The National Safety Council has awarded its Certificate of Commendation to Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company's Torrance paint division employees in recognition of their perfect safety record last year, H. E. Post, general manager, Pacific Coast Operations, reported today.

Post said employees had completed 434,462 man-hours without a single disabling injury during 1957. Since the plant's last disabling accident on July 12, 1956, employees have increased the man-hours total to 858,735 running through June of this year the local plant official revealed.

The Council's Certificate of Commendation is awarded to industrial units completing a perfect record of 200,000 to 1,000,000 man-hours during a calendar year, or if the record covers two or more calendar years.

Earlier this year the East Point unit was one of five paint and brush division operations among the 13 company organizations to receive the Certificate of Honor, Pittsburgh Plate's highest citation which is awarded annually for perfect safety records.



IN FIRST PLACE—Jim Panos, sales manager, and Fred Miller, general manager of Herman Miller Plymouth, congratulate each other while reading telegram congratulating firm on winning first place in sales during July.

Herman Miller Plymouth Wins Top Sales Place

Giving the public a fair deal and honest advertising was credited by the management of Herman Miller Plymouth for propelling the Torrance auto agency from nearly last to first place in sales in a period of 16 months.

The Plymouth auto dealership at 1600 Cabrillo ave., beat nearly 50 agencies in Southern California and Arizona in July sales with almost exclusive newspaper advertising.

Fred Miller, vice president and general manager of the firm credits old-fashioned hustle by his sales force for achieving the amazing record.

Two uncles, Bernard and Marty Beckman, and a brother, Mike Miller, run the used car business at 1311 Cabrillo ave. Experienced mechanics are on the job to give the best of service, Miller says.

"When we took over, this dealership was one of the smallest. Now we are in first place and plan to stay on top," he declared.

Maternity Shop Opens Today

Opening today under the firm name of Kitty's Maternity Shop, is Torrance's first business place devoted exclusively to the clothing needs of expectant mothers. Owner and manager of the store at 1326 Sartori ave., is Kathleen Norris, formerly of Westchester where she operated a similar store for more than two years.

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