REV. MEL DIBBLE

Former TV Star to Hold Crusade at First Baptist

The Rev. Mel Dibble, former television star will conduct a week of evangelistic meetings starting Sunday in the First Baptist Church, 2118 W. Carson St., according to the Rev. Mor gan Gates, pastor.

Prior to 1953, Mel Dibble was with NBC in Cincinnati. Five years ago he had a conference with Billy Graham and decided to become a fulltime evangelist

During the Billy Graham New York Crusade in 1957 he was associate evangelist

John and Bobbie Laddgraf will lead Crusade Choir. Both are graduates of Wheaton College and will work directly with the young people.

Mrs. George Dibble, Mel's mother will hold 10 a.m. services Monday through Friday.

The Sunday meetings are at 9:15 and 10:45 a.m. and will conclude March 6 at 7:30 p.m. Meetings also will be held each night at 7:30 including Saturday.

Bowl-O-Drome's popular Wednesday Night Mixed heads into the last round of their winter bout with Baer's Draperies hanging onto a slim one game edge over Chandler's Sand and Gravel in the A" Division. Rossman Lumber trails in third, four back of the league leaders, followed by X-Ello Shade Co., Blue Diamond Mkt. and the Otulaws, oJe Cucci, going the route with the Kott and Smolar quintet, leads in the race forthe men's individual season series honors with his power-packed 610 and 54-664 set, while Rancher's Corners Connie Montgomery, and her impressive 601 and 57-+658 three game effort heads the list of female kegling addicts. Bob Good, league leading member, soared to a towering 277 and 6-283 single, claiming the top notch for the season's individual high game for the men, as C. Taylor, representing the Balls-O-Fire, cut loose with a sizzling 241 and 34-275 pitch for the gal's season solo high.

Avalon Builders Supply continue to widen the gap between them and the rest of the pack in the "B" Division. Now enjoying a 61/2 game lead over the second spot Hamatures, Torrance Electronics rides in third, only one half game out of second, followed one half game down by South Bay Humane Society, Frontier Realty hurler M. Belt uncorked the men's individual season series topped, chalking up a powerful 615 and 54-869 on the scoreboard, as D. Loveridge produced the female high with her blistering 559 and 99-658 package. High game limelight was copped by C. Crawford and his whopping 257 and 21-278, going under the Frontier Realty banner, as L. Gilmore, rolling with the leading Avalon Builders Supply, racked up the female high, connecting with a tremendous 233 and 36-269.

Monday night's Harvey National loop completed the 22nd week of locking horns, with the Mixed Fives out in front by a big 81/2 games. Pennoakes rest in second, trailed 11/2 down by the Odd Balls. Head Hunters ride in fourth, followed by the Tigers, Going Five, an the Otulaws. G. Lange whipped up an impressive 606 and 117-723 to top the men's individual season series honors as F. Foster, with the Head Hunters, scored 465 and 180-645 taking over the female high, League leading member B. Pooler tossed out a tremendous 238 and 31-269 single pitch to claim the men's game high, while Peanuts kegler came up with a 188 and 59-247 pitch to be listed at the head of the gal's column for the season's solo award.

GAS COMPANY AIDE HEADS CHEST EVENT

Jim Becker, Torrance manager, Southern California Gas Co., has been appointed chairman of the annual Harbor area Community Chest awards and Installation dinner meeting by Glenn Koger, Harbor area

board chairman. The dinner, scheduled March 24, will honor Chest volunteers and contributors and will inelude installation of new board members and officers.

Reg. Size

100 Car Derby at Ascot Ascot Surface up against top competition in the form of CJA Hot Rod races at the Gar- CJA Hot Rod races at the Gar- Bob Hogle, and Ed Van Eyk.

Something new comes to the dena Stadium, will make a one road course, over a one story so that he can participate in Rose, Long Beach; Arley Scran-dena Stadium, and is favored to driving one of his final races in ton, Compton; Jack Blevens, Will-triumph in the days thirty lap the Hot Rods before going into noon, when for the first time, there will be much more room for through a slithering mud bath, Rough competition will come mington; Tom Nobel, Long feature. a 100 car Destruction Derby will cars to maneuver and crash. just to make the days program from such favorites as, Roger Beach; Ray Malatta, Garden Austin, winner of three main Van Eyk was the 1959 CJA

be presented at the South Los Also added to the seven event more interesting.

Hazher, Wilmington; Al Cooper, Grove; Lowell White, Santa Mon- events, already this season, will Champion, but has gone with no Ingeles stadium.

The Destruction Derby which at 2:30 sharp, will be the fact ed include; last year's champion, geles; Jerry Dodds, El Monte; and Jim Bartosh, Los Angeles.

His added to the seven event with seven even event with seven even event with seven even drew capacity crowds all sum- that all cars must make one lap Howard Walton, of Hawthorne, Jack Potter, Gardena; Lamrr An- Women drivers will also drive as he has discarded his older consistant high finishes in races. mer long last year at the Gar- around the three-quarter mile Walton has entered four cars, derson, Manhattan Beach; Frank in event for Ladies Only.

ride, a sedan. Van Eyk, hails from Bellflower.

driving a new car in Sunday's competition in the form of Bob Hogle, and Ed Van Eyk.

Hogle from Buena Park will be driving one of his final races in the Sprint Car field.



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