

Children's Fantasy Will Head December 4 El Camino Production

Opener for the second annual Christmas Festival of Arts at El Camino College will be the December 4 production "Tony Beaver," described by directors as a "fantasy for children of all ages."

Campus Theater production will start at 3 p.m. with a repeat performance being given on Dec. 11 at 7:30 p.m.

A second feature of the Dec. 3 program will be the presentation of Handel's "Messiah" by the College Music Department featuring students of instructors Christ Mikkelsen, Neil Hill, Dr. Robert Haag and Dr. Gordon Orme. The musical program will be offered in the Campus Center at 8:00 p.m.

The "Messiah" will be repeated on Dec. 11 at a 3 p.m. matinee performance. Added to the Dec. 11 Christmas entertainment will be the introduction of the 1960 addition to the college's famed Madonna Row.

The unveiling ceremony will occur on the lawns fronting the Administration Building at 2:15 p.m. The newest reproduction of great Christ-

mas art has been prepared under the direction of Miss Mildred K. Walker, who was instrumental in establishing the tradition 11 years ago.

The Row, which will be on exhibit on Crenshaw Blvd. throughout the holiday season, features art reproductions of Madonna and Child in oil, mosaic and stained glass. Most of the art works are 8' x 10' in size and all are attractively framed and lighted.

As a prelude to the unveiling ceremonies, the music department of the college will present a 15-minute program featuring the carillon bells and brass ensemble, starting at 2 p.m.

Southland Listed As Contributor In Bond Sales

Los Angeles County this week was listed as one of the "plus counties" contributing to the increase in the sales of United States savings bonds for the most recently reported period.

United States Treasury Department Consultant Howard D. Mills said this county reflected a plus 3.8 per cent change in the sales of Series E and H bonds for the January through October period as compared to the same months of last year. Sales for 10 month period of 1960 were \$107,310,349; for the same months of 1959 they were \$103,344,202. Sales for October of this year were \$10,479,460.

Southern California achieved a 3 per cent increase the first 10 months of this year compared to the same period of 1959, the 1960 sales being \$146,293,355.

Sheriff Issues Grim Warning as Holidays Near

With Thanksgiving here, and with Christmas and New Year's holidays just around the corner, Sheriff Peter J. Pitchess issued a grim reminder to motorists: "Traditionally, families gather on these festive occasions, which means traveling on our freeways and highways. In 1959, over 40,000 persons lost their lives in motoring accidents—and a considerable portion of these were victims of the Thanksgiving and Christmas holiday seasons."

Commenting on the more than 7000 prisoners that will be his "guests" in the Los Angeles County Jail on this Thanksgiving Day, Pitchess struck a lighter note: "Many of us recall the legend over a very famous prison—'Abandon hope, all ye who enter here.' This is not the case for our inmates. We make every effort to restore them to society as useful citizens. Proper and just treatment are a part of our everyday jail administration."



ARCHITECT'S DREAM—Mrs. Christ Saunders here admires a cookie and candy house at the Torrance Arts and Crafts Center, 22730 Lupine Drive. House is one of many Yule decorations that can be made at Christ-

mas workshops to be conducted at the Center. Outdoor decorations will be featured on Dec. 5 and 7, while indoor decorations will be made on Dec. 12 and 15. Sessions are scheduled for 1 p.m. and 7 p.m. each day.

Torrance YMCA Sponsors World Service Rummage Sale

Torrance YMCA will conduct the fourth annual World Service Rummage Sale this Friday, November 25, from 11 a.m. until 9 p.m. at the Y headquarters, 2080 Washington Ave.

The sale is being conducted by the Phalanx Club, a group of college-age boys in the local YMCA. Books, clothes, stoves, refrigerators, shoes, and many other items will be on sale.

All proceeds from the benefit will go toward YMCA World Service, a missionary effort of the Y in 36 needy countries of the world.

World Service money is spent on programs representing a wide variety of Y activities in these nations. This includes schools, camping, rural reconstruction, and audio-visual aids. Most important are the projects that train young people for leadership—both for the YMCA and

for the community. There are funds, too, for emergency work with refugees—in Europe, the Middle East, and Asia.

Through donations from the kids themselves, the Torrance YMCA has already sent a check for \$550 to aid the YMCA orphanage in Seoul, Korea.

Thanksgiving letters have also been mailed to thousands of YMCA members this week asking for a "count your blessing contribution to World Service. In this way, average families can take part in the battle for peace and world brotherhood. All citizens are urged to visit the YMCA on Friday to purchase articles or contribute to World Service."

Local Hospital Accepted for California Association Membership

Membership in the California Hospital Association recently was achieved by South Bay Hospital new 150-bed district hospital at N. Prospect Ave. and Diamond St., Redondo Beach, it was announced this week by Russell B. Williams, hospital administrator.

Membership application was considered and accepted by CHA delegates at a recent annual meeting of the CHA at Santa Barbara.

Significance of the membership to South Bay residents is that the four-story South Bay Hospital has achieved standards of operation and medical practice acceptable by other leading hospitals in the state.

CHA action on the South Bay application came only after a team of three outside hospital administrators surveyed the local facility, and reported to a CHA committee at the Santa Barbara meeting.

of personnel, equipment, facilities, and operational procedures, Williams said. "Membership in CHA should offer greater assurances to South Bay citizens that the hospital is a quality medical institution," Williams said.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL Warm clothing, home furnishing and toys will be provided by the St. Vincent de Paul Society for hundreds of destitute Southland families this Christmas. Contributions to St. Vincent de Paul Christmas Gifts can be sent to 717 S. Burlington Ave., Los Angeles 57.

ANNETTE Annette, popular teen star of Walt Disney motion pictures, television and Vista Records, will perform in special shows at Disneyland over the Thanksgiving holidays, this Thursday through Sunday. She will be featured in two shows each day, at 1:30 p.m. and 3:30 p.m., in Disneyland's Plaza Gardens.

Aviation Expert Is Guest Speaker At Executives' Dinner Club Saturday

Winner of the "Man of the Year for Aviation in 1955" award, and of countless other ones since then; Dr. John Furbay, Ph.D. one of America's outstanding authorities on aviation education and its effect on the modern business world, will be the guest speaker at the Executives' Dinner Club of the Torrance area meeting Saturday evening, December 3, at the Plush Horse.

An articulate speaker who only last summer made 66 addresses in 22 countries, Furbay is one of the widest traveled speakers in the world, doing almost a quarter of a million miles annually in making some 25 to 40 speeches a month.

He is in constant demand by teachers groups, and himself holds several top educational degrees. He was graduated by Ohio State, took additional courses at New York University and was honored with a Doctor of Philosophy degree from Yale.

Furbay is a fellow in the Royal Geographic Society, London, and a member of the Royal Anthropological Institute. He is education director for TWA in 26 countries and his assignments in this

field take him to almost every important land in the world at least once each year.

He is the consultant to the Disney picture on Aviation. At the same time, he is preparing a book to be printed by Prentice Hall, entitled "The Global Concept Takes the Stage."

BEGONIA TUBERS

Separate Begonia tubers from their stems as the latter dry off. Wash soil off the tubers and store them until next year in a dry place.

New Parents Class

Films on the hygiene of pregnancy, labor and delivery and the home care of newborn infants will be shown at classes for prospective mothers and fathers at the Torrance Health Center, 2300 W. Carson St., Thursdays from 1 to 3 p.m.

FINAL ROYAL BALLET

The two final performances by the Royal Ballet at Shrine Auditorium, Monday and Tuesday night, (Nov. 28 and 29) bring to the Southland for the first time, "La Fille Mal Gardee" the great hit of the last London season.



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A ten week Civil Service preparation class is now beginning at the Gardena Adult School, stated William Johnston, principal. The class will meet from 7 to 9:30 p.m. on successive Monday and Wednesday evenings for the 10-week period.

Class is designed to assist adults in preparing themselves for a Civil Service examination. Review of the fundamentals of arithmetic, grammar, spelling, punctuation, and capitalization is presented, as well as a study of office procedures, and skills necessary for Civil Service or business positions.

Registration may be completed at the Gardena Adult School office, 1301 West 182nd Street. A tuition fee of \$3 is payable, if exemptions do not apply, at the time of registration.

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