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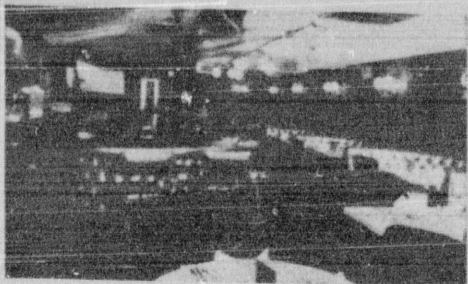
ENTERTAINMENT AND DINING GUIDE

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STAY AWAY FROM ME... is what Duke Massey as Shannon is saying to Constance Brudence as Charlotte in Tennessee Williams' "Night of the Iguana" now at the Chapel Theater.



READY FOR PARTY... Sam Failla, owner-host of the San Francisco Restaurant on Sepulveda Boulevard at Crenshaw, has the place all ready for tomorrow night's first anniversary party. He'll have buffet supper on the house for patrons.

OVER THE TABLE TOPS

One of the early Easter presents for diners that is truly exciting is the new menu, with new prices, at the very attractive PLUSH HORSE RESTAURANT in Hollywood Riviera.

Many of you are familiar, I am sure, with the charm of this beautiful restaurant but it is only now that the menu and the prices have come down to where most of us can afford them. For instance, their dinners start at just \$2.50—that's for the ground sirloin Royal, served with vegetables and potatoes—and there are four complete seafood dinners, including the popular Mahi Mahi, for \$2.95. Even the prime rib dinner costs less than \$4.

This is one of the most attractive, spacious restaurants in the Southland, under the guidance of the Skoby brothers, John and Chris, who also own the equally noteworthy Queen's Arms in Encino. If you haven't visited the Plush Horse recently, may I suggest you do so soon?

GIFTED PIANIST, Paul Smith, entertains regularly at the HUNTING HORN Restaurant in Peninsula Center and it is easy to understand his great popularity. For some years Smith has been Ella Fitzgerald's accompanist on tours and his records include "The Music Man," "Slightly Latin," "Liquid Sounds," "It's a Pleasure," "The Sound of Music," "Mack the Knife" and many more. Incidentally, I understand he recently did a "live" recording session at the Hunting Horn for a new Warner Bros. recording—soon to be released.

CHILDREN AMUSED by the story of the little French boy, Pascal, and his Red Balloon, at the attractive RED BALLOON Coffee Shop-Restaurant on Hawthorne Blvd. near Artesia, are also entertained by the illustrations in the children's menu. With the description of the Mad Hatter meal is a superb reproduction of the Mad Hatter from Alice in Wonderland. Other entrees include a small hamburger with french fries at 39 cents and the Jack Spratt, a roast round of beef with potatoes, roll and butter for just 95 cents. There are Jack Horner pies, March Hare Sundae and Snow Queen Ice Creams. So not only do the kiddies enjoy eating at THE RED BALLOON; so do their parents, 'cause the quality's high and the prices are low!

Front Row Center

So eager are Southern Californians to see the new Ballet of Los Angeles' in the Pavilion of the Music Center this Saturday night, that it was necessary for James Doolittle, Administrative Director, to arrange for a second performance. Fortunately it was possible to take over the Pavilion for Sunday matinee performance, so that not only will more adults be able to be among the first to enjoy what promises to be an outstanding ballet company, but many more young people can attend.

Premiere danseuses Maria Tallchief and Allegra Kent head the company, both of them flying here last week to join in rehearsals with the Corps de Ballet, all of whom are local dancers. Torrance's own Carol Peterson, daughter of the Albert Petersons of Van Ness Ave. in Torrance, is a member of the corps de ballet chosen by artistic consultant, George Balanchine. John Guthrie of San Bernardino will be the conductor for both performances, so everyone can be assured of top performances in the pit as well as on stage.

SALUTE to Bob Stane of the Ice House in Pasadena for bringing back to the intimate theater-restaurant the exciting Greenwood County

Singers, through March 28. With them are folk singer Carol Hedin and flamenco guitarist, Peter Evans... Tomorrow in UCLA's Schoenberg Hall the noted American composer Virgil Thomson conducts the University Extension Chorus in a concert version of his opera "Four Saints in Three Acts"...

Be sure to get your seats to the Los Angeles Civic Light Opera. Besides much praised and looked for, "Hello, Dolly!" with Carol Channing in her original role,

WEEK'S ENTERTAINMENT CALENDAR

Blue Fox (Low)—Judy West, singer, with Stu McGee group (Dancing)
Cassara's (Torrance)—Paul New & Crew (Dancing)
Chapel Theater—"Night of the Iguana" (play)
Huntington Hartford (Hollywood)—"After the Fall" (Stage)
L.A. Art Museum—Monday Night Concerts (Fri.)
Music Center—L.A. Philharmonic (Thurs. Fri.); L.A. Opera "Madame Butterfly" (Wed.); Ballet of Los Angeles (Sat. Sun. matinee)
Palos Verdes—(2514 Tejon—Malaga Cove)—"Dial M for Murder"
ROADIUM THEATRE—"The Patsy" and "Taggart"
Shrine Auditorium—International Folk Festival (Sat.)
UCLA—(Royce Hall) Opera Workshop (Fri.) (Schoenberg) Virgil Thomson conducting "4 Saints in 3 Acts" (Thurs.) Leo Smit, pianist (Fri.)
UNITED ARTISTS (Torrance)—"Father Goose" and "Send Me No Flowers"



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