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HERMOSA THEATRE

Hermosa Beach
Now Playing
"Topper Takes a Trip"
also W. C. Fields, Bergen and McCarthy in
"You Can't Cheat An Honest Man"
Starting Sunday
"STAGEOACCHI"
with John Wayne, Claire Trevor, and
"The Girl Downstairs"
Franchot Tone and Francisca Gaal

Firemen Save Horse in Well
FORT WAYNE, Ind. (U.P.)—The fire department saved Old Nell after she spent four hours struggling in a 10-foot abandoned well.

REDONDO

SMOKING LOGS & BALCONY
Starts Saturday
George Bernard Shaw's
'PYGMALION'
with Leslie Howard
also Bob Hope and Martha Raye in
'Never Say Die'

Relief or Motor Car?
Many Choose Latter

ST. JOSEPH, Mo. (U.P.)—A number of relief clients in Buchanan county apparently have found motor cars of greater necessity than relief.

Martin-Fellhauer, director of the county office of the state social security board, ruled that all relief clients operating motor cars must get rid of them or turn in the licenses if they wished their aid from the county to continue.

In answer, a number of the clients drove up to his office, withdrew from the relief rolls, and drove away.



BIBLE CLASS
TO PRESENT
'MIRANDY'

"Mirandy" of radio fame is due to make a personal appearance at the Civic Auditorium next Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Torrance Men's Bible class. That she will receive royal welcome was indicated today by the ticket-selling committee which is finding a ready market for the pastebards that will admit buyers to a program of unusual entertainment.
The radio comedienne, now appearing in other programs broadcast from three different stations, will present her hilarious Ozark impressions in songs and dialogue. The ticket sale is being conducted by members of the non-denominational Bible class, Roy Scotts, De M. J. Methodist and Christian church members.
Sandy Ferguson, president of the group, and Rev. Ben Lingenfelter, its instructor, extend a cordial invitation to all residents to attend the entertainment which will start at 7:30 o'clock.

The Herald—50c for three months.



MISSTEP MEANS DEATH!... Cary Grant doffed his dinner jacket for soiled khaki in "Gunga Din." Pursued by a band of murderous fanatics, he and Gunga Din (Sam Jaffe) make their escape over a swaying suspension bridge in the Thrill-packed pageant of Kipling's immortal saga that opens at the Plaza theatre in Hawthorne Saturday.

Cast for Play
Here Announced

Thru the efforts of Director William A. Fariss, new and capable talent has been developed for the first production of the Torrance Community Players. This three-act comedy drama is scheduled for presentation at the Civic Auditorium, April 13.
Little Bonnet Jean Edlison will be starred in the juvenile "brat" part and Miss Lucille Stroh is cast in a black-face comedy role. Miss Virginia McNally and Jeanette Michelson are featured in the feminine lead and ingenue roles respectively.
The male leads are capably filled by Louis Murray and Don Mitchell. This group is supported by Mrs. Lolly Armstrong, Mrs. Karmee Dolley, Miss Juanita Davidson, Dale Howe and Director Fariss. According to James R. Wilkes, chairman of the Community Players, there will be no advance sale of tickets. Admissions will be sold at the boxoffice of the Auditorium on the night of the play.

"Gunga Din"
Opens Tonight

A colorful chapter in the history of British rule in India, revolving around a native outbreak along the Northwest Frontier in the Nineties, is the picturesque setting against which are laid Kipling's stirring scenes in the screen epic based on Rudyard Kipling's famous poem, "Gunga Din," opening tonight at the Torrance theatre for a five-day run.
Cary Grant, Victor McLaglen and Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., are starred in the film, which ranks as one of the most pretentious screen spectacles of recent years. Joan Fontaine has the principal feminine role, with Sam Jaffe, Eduardo Ciannelli, Robert Coote, Montague Love and Abner Biberman heading the huge supporting cast.
Grant, McLaglen and Fairbanks are seen as a happy-go-lucky trio of sergeants of the Royal Engineers, British Army, stationed at a cantonment near the Khyber Pass. When the telegraph line from the frontier mysteriously goes dead the three modern musketeers are sent out with a repair party, meet a murderous group of Thugs, the religious stranglers of India, and barely escape with their lives after a thrilling hand-to-hand battle.
Filled with thousands of players in the huge Indian settings built on a vast scale on the flanks of the California Sierras, where the landscape bears a striking resemblance to the mountainous ramparts of the Khyber area, "Gunga Din" ranks among the "biggest" pictures of the year, and as one of the most impressive screen achievements in screen history.

WALTERIANS
HOLDING FINE
PROGRAMS

Having been recognized and imbued with considerable civic pride, the Walteria Promotional and Entertainment Guild of which John Minor is president, is now embarked on an extensive program of community festivities. Tomorrow (Friday) night there will be a dance at the Walteria Recreation hall, 94489 Park street and other events on the April calendar include:
April 7—Program and dance;
April 14—Entertainment by Walteria amateurs, followed by a dance, and another dance on April 21.
Mrs. Lyla Hansen is secretary of the Guild and other officers are Mrs. Helen Conzo, treasurer; Chick Crowther, master-of-ceremonies for the dances, and Joe Hagberg, master-of-ceremonies for the entertainment events.

Program Reviewed
The Walteria Choral Society presented two selections, "May Magic" by Anne Stratton and Brahms' "Cradle Song" to open last Friday's program. These were followed by a novelty skit staged by Howard Pritchard and Joe Ballinger, a medley of American and German numbers on the harmonica and several other popular selections on the accordion by Miss Krausmark of San Pedro. Ted Dahl of Harbor City also gave several harmonica numbers and Messrs. Lamberger, violinist, and Dawson, guitarist, gave old-time music selections.

Ballinger and Pritchard closed the program with banjo, ukulele and musical song pieces that were roundly applauded. Members of the Choral Society who appeared were Mesdames Della Armstrong, Martha Carter, Helen Conzo, Florence Hagberg, Lyla Hansen, Luella Lassen, Elsie Minor, Vera Murray, Zella Pritchard, Lenore Young, Dessie Crowther, pianist, and Eva Kelly, director.
At the close of the program there were two hours of dancing to music by the Walteria orchestra, composed of Mrs. Dessie Crowther, piano; Ralph Martinez, cornet; Joe Ballinger, banjo; and Howard Pritchard, saxophone. Impresario Hagberg wishes to get in touch with any kind of talent who desires to volunteer services for the Walteria programs. He can be reached by mail by writing Box 14, Walteria, or by calling John Minor at Redondo 2776.

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Around Hollywood Film Lots

HOLLYWOOD (U.P.)—The business ability of motion picture stars frequently in the past has been the subject of much joking but the laugh is on the other side now as many of the actors and actresses find their sidelines profitable.
Constance Bennett, for example, is highly successful in her business enterprise of manufacturing cosmetics. The profits roll in regularly and as a result she could retire from the screen if she desired to devote all her time to the business.

Another who has been successful in business enterprises is Richard Arlen. For many years he has been connected with profitable real estate transactions and more recently has been engaged in commercial ranching. He reports his ranch is showing a good margin on the sale of walnuts and oranges.

The sporting interests of Bing Crosby are well known but not so well known is the fact that his Del Mar race track had a highly successful season and Crosby can laugh back at his critics who predicted he would drop a fortune on the venture.

Barbara Stanwyck and Zeppo Marx are also in the horse business, but their enterprise is breeding thoroughbreds. Their Marwick breeding farm has had considerable success the past few years.
Allan Jones and Robert Young are in another branch of the equine business. They are co-owners of the Del-Art stables, which board and train thoroughbreds and polo ponies. The venture makes money for them.

Eddie Cantor's antique business, aside from providing the comedian with a source of jokes for his fun-making, also has proved a growing enterprise.
Victor McLaglen has a Sports Center which he started as a non-profit organization and footed all the bills at first. Now the center is self-supporting and gaining in membership daily.

Glenda Farrell likes to decorate houses and her work is so expertly done that she has also gone into the interior decorating business, having sold several homes that she furnished and decorated, making good profits each time.

The Herald—3 months, 50 cents.

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Donald Duck, News
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John Garfield, May Robson, Claude Rains in
"THEY MADE ME A CRIMINAL"
also
Andy Devine, Joy Hodges, Wm. Gargan in
"Personal Secretary"
Disney's "Farmyard Symphony" News
Wed., Thurs., Fri., Sat. 5, 6, 7, 8
Tyrone Power, Henry Fonda in
"JESSE JAMES"
also
Ken Murray, Kathryn Kane in
"Swing, Sister, Swing"
Cartoon News

Knights of Old
Called Small,
Skinny Legged

CHICAGO (U.P.)—Steel-armored knights of old whose prowess and chivalry have warmed the hearts of school children everywhere probably were little fellows with skinny legs.
This evidence on the old warriors was reported in the current issue of U. S. Steel News.
That they were strong goes without saying, since a suit of steel armor weighed about 60 pounds, the magazine said. "But they were not large. Quite the contrary, a man carrying a stature today would find it impossible to get into a medieval suit of armor."
One reason advanced for the large size of modern man was his "better-balanced diet."

Another factor was reported to the publication by John W. Higgins, Worcester, Mass., steel executive.
He wrote that armored suits were worn by "young men, 20 to 30 years of age, who had been trained from boyhood for the tournaments. They spent long hours in the saddle, which probably prevented to some degree the development of leg and thigh muscles, and they were, of course, considerably restricted in breathing by the heavy breast plates and closed helmets."

Thieves "Bury" Victim
CLEVELAND, O. (U.P.)—When thieves held up James Kirkwood, 50, a grocer, they heaped insult upon injury. They injured Kirkwood's pocketbook to the extent of \$45, then piled 500 pounds of sugar and flour on their victim.

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