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**Local Manager Honored By A&P Company**

The great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company, "California's \$70,000,000 food customer," is honoring Orville Hakanson, local manager, during Managers' Week, April 1-8.

Managers' Week, which G. S. Higi, superintendent of California A&P stores inaugurated three years ago as an annual event, is saluting managers this year "for their splendid efforts in providing food during the war, despite serious shortages and lack of experienced help, and for their peace-time drive on waste to help feed less fortunate nations."

Hakanson, manager of the A. & P. store at 1330 El Prado, Torrance, has been with the company nine years and formerly was produce manager at the same store.

Residing at 800 Portola avenue, Hakanson cites company statistics indicating A&P is "California's largest customer in the food field."

During A&P's fiscal year just closed, it spent more than \$37,000,000 for canned fruits and vegetables, dry catables such as beans and prunes and other war-short merchandise alone. In addition, he pointed out that the company's produce-buying affiliate, Atlantic Commission Company, spent over \$33,000,000 for 24,500 carlots of California fresh fruits and vegetables.

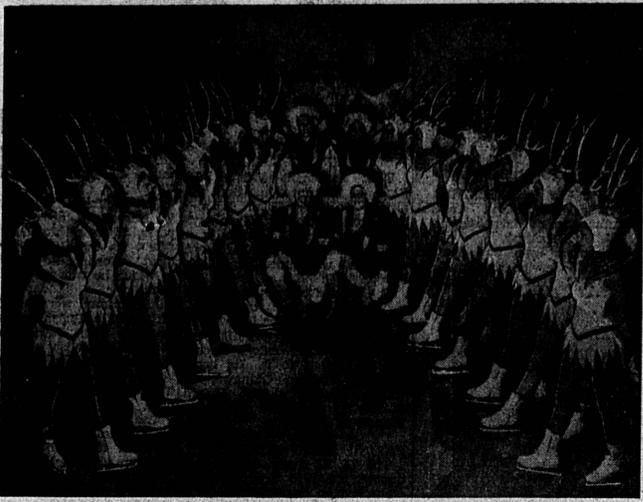
"All of the company's facilities are now being directed toward improving the quality and variety of foods, Hakanson quoted

**Paul J. Hippik Discharged From Army In Utah**

S/Sgt. Paul J. Hippik has been discharged from the Army at the Fort Douglas Separation Center.

S/Sgt. Hippik, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen J. Hippik, who served 33 months in the Army as an administrative non-commissioned officer, is authorized to wear the American Theater ribbon, Good Conduct Medal, Victory ribbon and Meritorious Service Unit insignia.

Prior to entering the Army June 18th, 1943, Hippik was employed as an accountant at Los Angeles.



**PRETTIEST REIN-DEARS IN THE WORLD!** . . . The petite Ice-Ca-Pets of the new Ice-Capades of 1946, which opens April 25 at the Pan-Pacific, certainly make the Frozen North attractive in the Rainbow's End number. This bit of polar paradise is but one of the many opulent spectacles in the fabulous Ice-Capades spectacle.

**Ice-Capades Of 1946 Opening On April 25**

Hailed as the greatest ice show in history, the 1946 Ice-Capades will open at the Pan-Pacific Auditorium, 7600 Beverly Blvd., Los Angeles, Thursday night, April 25.

With a record amount of money orders pouring into the Pan-Pacific, the advance sale is mounting daily, it was revealed by John Harris, president of the Capades.

The use of money orders was praised by Harris, who pointed out that this method of obtaining tickets was a great time saver. In addition choice seats have been set aside to take care of mail orders which are always filled promptly.

Ice Capades fans have three things to remember (1) send check or money order payable to the Pan-Pacific (2) state number of tickets desired, date of performance and price of each ticket and (3) enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope for speedy return.

This year's Ice-Capades is loaded with old favorites as well as a generous sprinkling of new stars. Donna Atwood heads the cast along with Markhus and Thomas, known as the "Old Smoothes." Red McCarthy, Phil Taylor, Bobby Specht, Jimmy Lawrence, Tricia, Ann Robinson, Condon and Bohland, Nate and Eddythe Walley, Leo Loeb, Larry Jackson, Dench and Steward, the Hu bTrio, Chuckie Stein, Al Surette, Patti Phillippi, the Senoit sisters and Eric Walte.

This is the sixth triumphal tour of the Ice-Capades and the famed frosted fantasy will remain at the Pan-Pacific for a short time.

The land division of the Department of Justice today announced that \$124,109.12 has been paid to the Chanslor Canfield Midway Oil Company, for land acquired for the Navy in Torrance.

According to attorneys for the lands division of the department of justice, 91 acres bounded by Crenshaw boulevard, Santa Fe avenue, Jefferson street and the Santa Fe Railway right-of-way was acquired for the navy material redistribution center in Torrance.

Construction was started on this property by the Navy in April, 1945, on construction permits from the landowners pending condemnation proceedings. The Declaration of Taking was filed in October, 1945, by the Lands division of the Department of Justice.

**PETITIONS TO REMOVE 220TH STOP SIGN FAIL**

Petitions asking the removal of the stop sign at 220th st. and Arlington ave., were filed with City Clerk A. H. Bartlett this week.

The city ordinance halts traffic moving along Arlington at 220th st. due to the many school children who cross there.

GARY COOPER AS CLINT-INGRID BERGMAN AS CLIO

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**Famous Ramona Pageant To Be Resumed Soon**

The famous outdoor play dealing with Early California fact and fiction, as written by the late Helen Hunt Jackson, will be presented this year for the first time since the war in Ramona Bowl near Hemet.

Edward Poorman, president of the Ramona Pageant Association, announces six performances for the current season with playing dates over the weekends of April 27th and 28th; May 4th and 5th and May 11th and 12th.

THIS will mark the 19th season the play has been presented in Ramona Bowl by the residents of San Jacinto and Hemet. Each year the citizens of these two communities have banded together in bringing to life the romance of Ramona and Alessandro. Over 600 residents take part in the production; three hundred in the cast and the balance on various committees in the production work.

Rehearsals are now under way with the choral group and Spanish dancers. In the former there are over one hundred persons participating under the direction of Lillian Roberts while Malcolm Knight is handling the Spanish dance routines.

Direction of the play itself will be conducted by Victory Jory and his wife, Joan Inness, both of whom have participated in the play for many years.

Executive supervision of the spectacle will be Adrian Awan, who has been associated with

**Lt. W. H. Allen On Duty At Texas Training Center**

First Lieutenant William H. Allen has recently reported for duty at the AAF Military Training Center, San Antonio, Texas.

Entering the service on July 8, 1942, Allen served within the States until March, 1944, at which time he was assigned for overseas duty in the European theater. Before returning to the States in November, 1944, he flew on sixty-nine combat missions. He is credited with five planes downed. He wears the Distinguished Flying Cross with one oak leaf cluster, the Air Medal with four oak leaf clusters, the European Theater of Operations Ribbon, and the American Theater of Operations Ribbon.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hilliard, 2122 E. Main st., Torrance.

the Pilgrimage Play and the Hollywood Bowl and Los Angeles Civic Light Opera season for many years.

Ramona Bowl lies in the foothills adjacent to Hemet with snow capped Mt. San Jacinto forming an impressive backdrop for the unfolding of this dramatic and highly colorful play.

It is thirty four miles from Riverside, and accessible to any point in Southern California within a few hours over paved highways. At the bowl entrance there is a parking acreage for thousands of cars.

Reservations are now available by writing to Ramona Bowl at Hemet.

**Navy Land Here Cost \$124,000, Report Shows**

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By Rogers Dale Evans  
**"Along Navajo Trail"**

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 APRIL 7-9  
 CONT. SUNDAY FROM 1 P.M.

Vera Hrusa Halston William Marshall  
**"Murder in the Music Hall"**  
 ALSO  
 Nancy Kelly John Loder  
**"The Woman Came Back"**

COMING WEDNESDAY  
**"Whistle Stop"**  
**"Sunbonnet Sue"**

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JOAN LESLIE and ROBERT ALDA in  
**"Cinderella Jones"**

**"California Gold Rush"**  
 With RED RYDER

SUN. - MON. - TUES.  
 SHOW STARTS 1 P.M. SUNDAY

DEANNA DURBIN, CHARLES LAUGHTON and FRANCHOT TONE in  
**"Because of Him"**  
 Co-Feature  
**"Dick Tracy"**

NEXT WEEK—STARTS WED.

**"Bells of St. Mary"**  
 With BING CROSBY

**TORRANCE THEATRE**  
 PHONE TORRANCE 142

NOW—ENDS SATURDAY  
 IN TECHNICOLOR

GARY COOPER in  
**"Northwest Mounted Police"**  
 ALSO  
**"Swing Hostess"**

SUN. - MON. - TUES.  
 BING CROSBY and INGRID BERGMAN in  
**"Bells of St. Mary"**  
 ALSO  
 Selected Short Subjects

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**"Whistle Stop"**  
 ALSO  
**"I Love a Bandleader"**

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