

"TELEVISION FACTS"

FACTS YOU SHOULD KNOW IF YOU ARE BUYING OR OWN A TELEVISION SET

By Phil Gibson
It's a Fact—

Today if you want to find out something about Television . . . if you want to know that Television has really established itself in the hearts and homes of the American people . . . ask a friend of yours who happens to own one. Or . . . if you don't happen to have someone you know real well . . . we've got dozens and dozens of Gibson-DeVore Television fans living near you who can testify that " . . . I wouldn't give up my television set for love or money!"

It's a Fact—
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It's a Fact—
When SHIRLEY DINSDALE was awarded the coveted "Emmy" at the first award banquet of the Academy of Television Arts and Sciences recently, she said that she knew a certain little person who would dispute her having the honor. Sure enough, when Judy made her appearance she decided that Shirley could hold the statuette but the honor all belonged to Judy. She was very indignant anyway because she had been carried to the banquet under a gentleman's overcoat and so consequently missed out on all the events. Her feelings were deeply wounded but the "Emmy" award finally pacified her.

SHIRLEY DINSDALE and her little pal, JUDY SPLINTERS, have become a household word with Television families. Grown-ups too also enjoy this young ventriloquist, who is outstanding in her field. Shirley was first introduced to the art of ventriloquism at the age of 13 and she showed even then remarkable powers . . . Since that time she has followed this chosen career and Judy, her favorite foster sister (Shirley dislikes having anyone refer to Judy as a dummy) is so well known to Television youngsters that when they have been invited to guest on her program most of them do so with great eagerness to meet and hold the hand of Judy, who is a live, little girl to them.

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Queen?



★ HERE THEY ARE . . . Seven candidates for the title of Torrance for 1949 are: (left, top-down) Marlene "Bunky" Quaggin, Joyce Franzen, Jerry Speck, (center row) Della Cooper, Edna Mae Snell, Julia Menni and (at right) Pat Clerc.—All Photos by Bob Roberts.

Princess Heads YWCA Program On April 26

Ataloo—an Indian princess will be the main speaker of the evening on Tuesday, April 26, when the YWCA will hold a special program in observance of National YWCA Week April 24-30, according to Mrs. A. E. Palmer, chairman of the Torrance committee.

Speaking on "How Wide Is Your Horizon?" Ataloo will address the meeting which is open to the public in the Woman's Clubhouse.

Additional entertainment will be offered by the Torrance High School A-Capella Choir under the direction of George Zavelian. Members of the Y-Teen-Timers the YWCA junior high school club, will be ushers for the event. Refreshments and decorations are being arranged by Mrs. Carl Forkum, and Mrs. J. Parke Montague.

Numerous national radio programs will highlight National YWCA Week and its theme, "YWCA—Your Window to the World," according to Mrs. Ben J. Hostmark, Torrance YWCA program director, who stated that Ted Malone will tell his millions of listeners about the Ladies' Day Out programs of many YWCA's. This program may be heard locally over KECA at 10 a.m., Wednesday, April 27.

Brownies Make Trip

Easter basket hunt and a "nose-bag lunch" featured a hike of the Walteria PTA sponsored Brownie Troop No. 421 last week. The girls, who were accompanied by adult leaders, made the outing from the community recreation hall to the Hollywood Riviera Park.

Girls who went on the outing were Frances Wilkins, Geron Katering, Georgia Powell, Shirley Hoskins, Shirley Hinesley, Margie Clark, Sharon Conger, Suzan Wise, Mary Burke, Maurine Gordon, Sharon Hurley, Beth Schneider, Carol Ludolph, Carol Harvey, Patsy Kamfonik, Elaine Phelps, Wanda Ellison, Ronee LeMaster and Bonny Gooler.

CONSTRUCTION DATE SET
Construction of the Alondra Park Community Building is scheduled to start May 16, Supervisor Raymond V. Darby announced recently. The building is expected to take approximately 60 days, with perhaps another 15 days' margin allowed in case of delays, Darby said.

READJUSTMENT ALLOWANCES

The deadline for applications for readjustment allowances for veterans discharged on or before July 25, 1947, is July 25th this year. For information see Miss Helen K. Dill at Veterans Service Center, 1539 Post Ave., Torrance.

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GIRL INJURED IN CYCLE TUMBLE

Tumbling off a motorcycle driven by a man known only as "Nick," 18-year-old Maurine Morris of 17039 South Western avenue suffered minor injuries Tuesday afternoon about 3 p.m. Police said that the girl was riding on the rear of a cycle driven by "Nick" who is believed to be a resident of Compton, when she fell from the cycle at Western avenue and 82 street.

She said "Nick" took her to a local cafe and left her there after the mishap. From the cafe, where she lost consciousness, she was taken to Harbor General Hospital by J. N. Mathias. At the hospital she was treated for head lacerations and removed to her home.

Queens

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the most tickets—ten votes for a dime, or the giant economy size, 100 votes for a dollar, will be the Queen for 1949.

The queen and the other ladies of her court will receive a number of gifts which have been donated by local merchants to the campaign. Many of the prizes, totaling more than \$700 are now on display in the windows of the cooperating merchants throughout the city.

To make it more interesting for those who help elect one of the girls, a television set has been acquired which, at the end of the contest will adorn the living room of some member of the participating public.

The contest is under the Chairmanship of Mrs. Ethel Richardson of the Junior Woman's Club who may be contacted at 2903 Cabrillo (Lomita 1241W) regarding the sponsorship of any of the girls.

Earlier this week a committee was appointed by Club President Mrs. Jeanne Clayton to investigate the possible locations for the future YWCA building—funds for which are gained through the sponsorship of this contest.

Those who took place in last year's contest other than Queen Mary Ellen who was sponsored by the Torrance Lion's Club were: Dona Mauk, sponsored by the 20-30 Club; Beverly Crook, sponsored by the Optimist Club; and Marie Keiton, sponsored by the VFW.

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Good Friday Services Attended By 600 Easter Worshippers

For the three hours that Good Friday services were held in the Civic Auditorium last Friday nearly 300 persons per hour attended the ceremonies, according to Rev. Torben Olsen, chairman of the observance.

Rev. Olsen expressed his appreciation on behalf of the Torrance Council of Churches, sponsors of the services, to merchants, newspapers, and individuals in the area for their cooperation in the program.

Stores in the city were closed from 12-3 p.m. Among those who spoke during the afternoon services which were based on the "Seven Last Words" of Christ on the cross were:

Rev. W. A. Penner, Nazarene Church, "Father forgive them for they know not what they do";

Rev. Paul Wenske, First Lutheran Church, "Today thou shalt be with me in paradise";

Rev. C. M. Northrup, First Baptist Church, "Woman, behold thy son, behold thy mother";

Rev. Clyde E. Ruckman, First Methodist Church, "My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?";

Rev. Cecil England, First Christian Church, "I thirst";

Rev. Arthur Pedersen, Four-square Church, "It is finished";

Rev. H. Wesley Roloff, Evangelical United Brethren Church, "Father, into thy hands I com-

mend my spirit". Special music was provided for the observance by Patricia Munyer, Norma Dobrick, and Lyn Pearson with Mrs. Hilda Findley at the piano.

The closing talk and benediction were by Rev. Olsen who is Rector of the St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.

Vandals Do \$85 Damage

Estimating damage at \$85, J. T. Boatright reported to police that plaster boards on the interior of an unfinished house at 203 Street and Crenshaw boulevard were mutilated during the week end.

Torrance police believe juveniles were responsible for the damage to the new house, which is being built by the Stiner Construction Co.

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The "Blue Bonnets" of "The Lone Star State" and their friends will join in an all-day reunion this Sunday at Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles.

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