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LUCIEN CAILLIET
Conductor of Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo
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New Plans Told For Improving Hollywood Riviera Beach Club

A new policy, certain to make a hit with the public, will be adopted by the new management of the Hollywood Riviera Beach Club—scene of many Torrance social affairs—after June 24, it was announced this week.

"When we officially take over the club in June, we hope to make a real club of it for the 1200-1500 property owners in Hollywood Riviera, offer other persons the same first class service and facilities found in the best hotels or restaurants," stated William Freely, new manager of the club.

Freely, well known hotel and restaurant operator and organizer of the American Professional Football League, will take over the management of the club from Graham Harris, present operator.

The announcement of the new policy followed a Superior Court action in which Harris was ordered to step out as operator of the beach-front club by June 24. The legal action was brought by the Hollywood Riviera Community Association, owner of the property.

During the three-day trial in Judge Jesse J. Frampton's court last week, the association maintained that Harris, a Los Angeles school teacher living in Culver City, was arrears about \$2100 in rental payments Harris, brother of Lewis Harris, who operated the club prior to the management by the present operator, was ordered to pay an amount estimated to be approximately \$2500.

Youth Band Ends Benefit Drive Tomorrow Night

The Torrance Area Youth Band winds up its Fourth Annual Band Benefit drive, Friday night with the band's Fourth Anniversary concert to be held in the Torrance Civic Auditorium.

The concert will begin at 8 p.m. and is free to the public. Immediately following the concert a new 1950 Ford V-8 will be given away as a door prize.

Highlight of the evening's program will be a guest appearance of Lucien Cailliet, well-known composer, arranger and conductor who will conduct the band in two of his own arrangements. They are "Lady of Spain" and "Die Fiedermans" overture.

Mr. Cailliet is chief arranger and conductor of the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo and has just completed a transcontinental tour with that group. He is at present composing music for the picture, "Tripoli" for Paramount. Immediately following the completion of this assignment, he will compose the music for another picture before starting a two week engagement with the Ballet at the Hollywood Bowl in late July.

Besides the two numbers by Mr. Cailliet, the band will play "Carnival of the Roses" overture, "Amoroso Roca," "In An 18th Century Drawing Room," "My Hero" from the Chocolate Soldier and a trombone duet entitled "Friends," played by Dale Whistles and Bob Smith.

Women Schedule Vesper Services

Third in a series of Vesper services will be held at the Methodist church Sunday evening.

Beginning with a buffet supper at 5:15, the services will continue with a Bible study at 6:00 o'clock on the theme "Women of the Scripture." Mrs. C. E. Miller will be in charge of the study.

Sponsored by the Spiritual Life department of WSCS, the study will be closed by Mrs. Earl Robinson, chairman, who will talk on "The Status of Women."

Top Talk Made On Smooth Water

Speaking champion last week at the Toastmasters' regular meeting at the Waverly Fish Shanty was Dr. R. A. Larson who spoke on "Smooth Water."

M. C. Hunt was accorded second honors for his talk entitled, "More Precious than Rubies," and Joe Overholtz was third with "Soaring."

WINDS-UP SEMESTER

Friday is the final day of classes at Palos Verdes College as the semester draws to a close. Final examinations will be held all next week. On Saturday, June 3rd, with their studies behind them, the entire student body and many of the faculty will take a chartered boat trip to Catalina, where they will enjoy a day and evening of swimming, picnicking, and dancing.

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EXHIBITS . . . Thomas Bray, left, machine shop instructor and Donald Manashaw, director of adult education, glance over some of the articles made by members of the adult education classes and which will be among the arts and crafts to be exhibited at the Torrance High School tonight. A concert in connection with the exhibit is also planned.

Adult Education Annual Festival Features Handicrafts, Concert

Young Pianist Featured With Concert Orchestra

Anita Menni, 17-year-old Torrance High School senior, will be the featured soloist at the combined free Torrance Adult Concert and Arts and Crafts Exhibit to be held Thursday night, June 1, at 7:30 in the Torrance High School Auditorium.

The vivacious blue-eyed coed will play Chopin's Nocturne No. 1, and Khachaturian's Toccata. Miss Menni has studied with Colette Nance for several years and is now a teacher in her own right of nine children in Torrance and the South Bay Area.

Anita Menni was born in Los Angeles, the daughter of an illustrious musician, Marino Menni, symphony, concert, and grand opera trumpeter. Miss Menni is looking forward to a career as concert pianist upon graduation from Torrance High School. She will take up advanced musical studies at the Los Angeles Music Conservatory of Fine Arts as preparation for her serious graduate music studies at the Eastern School of Music in Rochester, New York.

Anita Menni has achieved wide fame in Southern California music circles as an accompanist and as a featured piano soloist on important radio programs, including American Broadcasting Company's "Pianist of the Future."

Featured on the program with Miss Menni will be Joseph Borissoff, pianist, guest conductor, and Abe Milstein, regular conductor of the Torrance Adult Orchestra. Numbers to be played will include: Nocturne by Mendelssohn, Finlandia by Sibelius, Down South by Myddleton, and Strauss' Blue Danube.

Exhibits of social dancing, square dancing, ceramics, textile painting, china painting, leather, copper tooling, cake decoration, and woodcraft will be on display. Adults and their children are invited to the Tor-

Fashion Show, Dancing Exhibition Planned

After the intermission there will be a fashion show of the adult dressmaking classes showing products that have been designed and produced by local adults.

Bill Collison, square dance caller, will put on an exhibit of how a square dance class learns to square dance. The social dance group, which is regularly held at the Three Arts Studio, will put on an exhibition of the popular ballroom steps, including the foxtrot, waltz, rumba, samba, and tango. Martha Rickard, instructor of the class, will tell a few helpful hints to the audience in elementary dance routines.

After the exhibit the arts and crafts displays will be available for further study in the auditorium.

This free public function will start promptly at 7:30 and will last until 10 p.m. Adults may ask questions on arts and crafts, dances, and program subjects in adult education for the fall semester.

Torrance High School Auditorium at 7:30 on Thursday night, June 1.

Children's Day Program Planned

At the Church School Sunday at 9:30 a.m., the First Christian Church will present a Children's Day program in the sanctuary, according to Rev. Cecil J. England, pastor. The children of the beginners and primary departments will sing the Lord's Prayer and also will present a drama of the use of our missionary money which will be received at the class period in all the classes. Several other numbers will be presented under the leadership of the teachers, and with Mrs. V. T. Vanderpool as the director.

During the church service a special feature is to be the singing of "A Children's Prayer" from Hansel and Gretel. This will be presented by the Junior Choir under the direction of B. L. Brimley. The first Sunday in June is observed by Christian churches all over America as Children's Day and a special missionary offering is received.

The pastor's sermon is to be "Learning to Live." This is to be in keeping with and in honor of all students of our church who are to graduate this June from high schools, junior colleges and universities.

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Torrance Moose To Initiate 50

Members of the Loyal Order of Moose in Torrance participating in a national drive for new members, have enrolled 50 new members from this area, Daniel Desmond, governor of the Torrance lodge, announced this week.

The new members will be initiated in a huge ceremony for the area to be held at Lodge No. 29 in Los Angeles on June 20. Present for the initiation will be the director general of the national organization, Malcolm R. Giles.

D. D. Palmer, membership chairman of the Torrance lodge, expressed his belief this week that the June 20 initiation will be the most massive initiation in this part of California.

Recognizing the work of Moose in such endeavors as Mooseheart, a home for needy children, and Moosehaven, a home for the aged and infirm, the California State Assembly passed a resolution recently extending official greetings of the state to the national leader, who represents nearly a million lodge members.

The resolution stated, in part, that the planned initiation and ceremonies "are to be held on a scale so extensive as to make this day, in effect, Loyal Order of Moose Day."

Torrance members have adopted this to mean just that, and now say that "June 20 is Moose Day."

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