



DOWNTOWN TORRANCE

JANUARY CLEARANCE

CHEST CAMPAIGN NETS \$97,633 IN FINAL LAP

Cleanup efforts by Community Chest volunteers helped the Harbor Area total for the 1958 fund appeal to \$97,633.

Summarizing campaign results for the Welfare Federation area board, at a Palm restaurant meeting in Torrance, Glenn Koger, area chairman, congratulated residential volunteers on raising the overall percentage with an 18 per cent increase over last year.

Only Harbor Area city to go over its quota was Rolling Hills, with 102.44 per cent reported. In recognition of her outstanding achievement, Koger presented a Chest statuette to Mrs. Almeron J. Field, city chairman.

20 per cent increase in the number of subscriptions and approximately \$10,000 more money raised, 10 per cent more than the 1957 total.

"But that is not enough," he warned, "to meet minimum needs for operating 167 essential health and welfare services.

"If the Welfare Federation doesn't have enough money to meet constantly growing demands," he warned, "the only alternative is a reduction in service and lengthening lists of people waiting for help.

"Our job won't be finished," he concluded, "until we have combed the by-ways for every dollar we missed on earlier calls."

MORE CALLS were made than in any previous year, Koger disclosed, resulting in a BESIDES KOGER, presiding as first vice-chairman, board members present included Ed-



STRAIGHT UP . . . Ryan Vertiplane, experimental VTOL aircraft being built by Ryan Aeronautical Co. for the Army under Office of Naval Research contract, is shown flying at Moffet Field in first conventional flights with Ryan test pilot Peter Girard at controls. (Official NASA Photo)

BOARD OF REALTORS NAMES COMMITTEES

Committee members of the Torrance-Lomita Board of Realtors for the coming year were named by President Kenneth Miller at a recent breakfast meeting of the board of directors at the YWCA.

Headed by Irene Baker, the attendance committee will include Brad Barfield, Charles Mumford, Marjorie Krogman, and Hallie Crow. Publicity chairman is Rose Craig, assisted by Pearl H. Jacobs and Mary Toombs.

Court of Ethics members are Perry L. Connert, chairman, Harold Hutchison, Jim Osborne, Cliff Olson, Jack Pettitt, Fred Hansen, and Theresa Denton. Chairman of the industrial committee is Albert Z. England. His committee includes William Tolson S., Elmer Epperson, and Nick Dralle.

Torrance Man To Get UCLA Fellowship

Peter J. Mel, counselor and life science instructor at El Camino College, will attend UCLA this fall on a National Science Foundation faculty fellowship.

Mel, who lives with his wife, Nancy, and their three sons and one daughter at 5508 Calle Mayor, will do graduate work in the fields of medical sciences during his leave of absence from El Camino.

The National Science Foundation will pay the instructor the equivalent of his college salary in addition to educational costs at the university.

AT CONFERENCE

Rev. Walter M. Stanton of Central Evangelical United Brethren Church will return this week end from San Bernardino, where he attended a

mid-winter ministers' conference. During his absence Mrs. Eileen Whitacre, class leader, conducted the midweek service of prayer and Bible study.

SERVING ON THE CARAVAN

committee are Bill McEwen, chairman, Don Wolf, and Bill McEwen Jr. In charge of multiple listings is Del Wright. Included on his committee are Gerald Alter, Mary Toombs, Paul Hill, and Del Vaughn. Lee Dawson was named educational and program chairman. Committee members are Gerald Alter, Larry Fritzen, Aober L. Trujillo, C. Colsch, Alice O'Rourke, and Jack Kastner. Among the office personnel are Kenneth Miller, chairman, Bob Haggard, and C. Moody.

THE BY-LAWS committee is comprised of Roy Shaw, chair-

ward B. Patterson, second vice-chairman; Dr. Frances N. Clark, Thurmon A. Crosswhite, Robert Johnston, director, Catholic Maritime Club, agency participation chairman; Rodney F. Smith, Kersey E. Stamps, all of San Pedro.

Also, Mrs. A. J. Field, Portuguese Bend; Mrs. Donald Armstrong and Mrs. Wallace Lebkicher, Palos Verdes; Miss Frances Dastarac, Lomita; Mrs. Thomas Burrow and Frode B. Kilstofte, Wilmington.

Others attending were Mrs. Lura LaPorte, Palos Verdes city chairman, and Tom Tracey, Torrance, area commerce and industry chairman.

El Camino Prof To Lecture On 'Man In Space'

El Camino College's spring lecture series will be opened Feb. 10 by physicist-educator Dr. Heinz Haber, who will speak on "Man in Space," in the campus theater at 8:15 p.m.

Dr. Haber currently has a half-hour Sunday afternoon television program in which he alternates with El Camino physics teacher Julius Miller. Topic of this TV series is: "Our Friend the Atom."

Aside from his mass-education program, Haber is a visiting professor at UCLA, the chief science consultant of Walt Disney Productions and author of three books.

Born and educated in Germany, the 46-year-old scientist

came to this country in 1946 under a five-year contract with the Air Force, where he pioneered in the field of space medicine at Randolph Air Force Base, Texas.

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