



AIR TENT . . . Meetings at Cloud Cathedral began last night, with Dr. Virchel E. Wood and Manson Metcalf speaking at the Medical-Religious meetings sponsored by the Seventh Day Adventist Church. The large tent is supported by a special generator which circulates air inside. The series of meetings begins each evening at 7 p.m. and will include a film. The tent is located at Spencer Street at Hawthorne Avenue. (Herald Photo)



UP WITH THE SIGNS . . . Assistant manager Dan King gets a helping hand from Doris Escobar as signs making the first anniversary sale of the Carson Center Thrifty Drug Store are put into place. The store is celebrating its first anniversary in the center with a sale which is now in progress. (Herald Photo)

**... Death**

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**Harbor College Adds to Faculty**

This semester marks the addition of seven instructors to the faculty at Harbor College. New staff members are: Mrs. Enid Diamond and Lavar N. Rigny, engineering; Mrs. Joyce M. Cannon, speech; Mrs. Amy Coury, nursing; James H. Hefron, secretarial sciences; Chester Christensen, theater arts; and Josephine Chapman, physical education.

**'Friendliest Tellers' to Be Announced**

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**Hawthorne Alumni Plan Annual Dance**

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**... Robbery**

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 two men dressed in coveralls, one white and the other a light blue, forced their way into the bank building shortly after 8 a.m. when Velasco arrived for the morning cleanup. They told him to go ahead with his work and admit other employees as they arrived.  
 One of the bandits was carrying a revolver and the other had a razor. Both were wearing grotesque Halloween-type masks which hid the features of their faces.  
 AS EACH employe arrived at the bank, he was admitted and then taken to an upstairs office by the bandit duo. Plastic clothesline was used to bind them, and most had their mouths taped shut.  
 Bandits demanded the combination to the safe when Emerson Kreiger, 37-year-old assistant manager arrived. He told them he had only half of the combination and could not open the safe.  
 TELLER BONNIE Farquhar, 29, was finally able to open the safe after the time-lock had released the mechanism about 10 a.m. Manager Keith Pischel, 37, was held at his desk by the hooded bandit with the razor. Several slight cuts were inflicted on Pischel's neck during the time he was being held, but none was serious.  
 The bandit pair removed their masks and stepped through the back door of the bank, telling customers waiting there that the bank opening would be delayed a few minutes because the crew was late in completing the cleanup. The pair stepped into Velasco's truck parked nearby and drove away. The truck was found later at 212th and Normandie.

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**Obituaries**

**HARLAN B. HUFFINE**

Funeral services for Harlan Bert Huffine, 66, Torrance resident for 40 years and operator of a service station at Carson Street and Arlington Avenue for many years, will be held Tuesday at 11 a.m. at the Halverson-Leavell Mortuary Chapel with officers of Torrance Elks Lodge 1948 officiating. Pat Huffine, son of the pioneer Torrance businessman, is exalted ruler of the Elks Lodge here.

Mr. Huffine died at his home at 1515 1/2 Ocean Ave., Long Beach, where he had lived during the past year. He is survived by his widow, Anita; son, Pat, and a daughter, Dora Bash, of Las Vegas. Also surviving are six grandchildren.

Interment will be in Green Hills Memorial Park, San Pedro.

**JOSEPH E. HALL**

Funeral services for Joseph Emanuel Hall, 74, of 1423 Crenshaw Blvd., were held at graveside Wednesday morning with the Rev. William J. Roleder of the First Lutheran Church of Torrance officiating. Mr. Hall, an auto mechanic, died at a Torrance hospital Sept. 28. He had lived here 55 years.

He is survived by a son, John A. Hall, of Torrance; a daughter, Esther Bevan, Wilmington; and two grandchildren.

Burial was in Green Hills Memorial Park under the direction of Stone and Myers Mortuary.

**GILBERT NICOLAS**

Funeral services for Gilbert Nicolas, 23633 Madison Ave., are scheduled for Monday at the Halverson-Leavell Mortuary Chapel with interment following at Roosevelt Memorial Park. Nicolas who would have

been 18 on Oct. 21, died at his home Thursday. (Related story on Page 1).

He is survived by his mother, Vera Daguro; father, Hilario; brothers, Harold, Teddy, and Joe; sisters Angie, Lillian, and Florence, all of Torrance, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pablo Ramos of Los Angeles.

**OSCAR B. ROBINSON**

Funeral services for Oscar Burton Robinson, 79, of 21233 S. Shearer Ave., were held at the Stone and Myers Mortuary Chapel Wednesday with the Rev. Bert Bruffett officiating. Mr. Robinson a resident here for 20 years, died Sept. 29. He was a carpenter for Goodman Construction Co.

He is survived by his widow, June; two sons, Orren of Wilmington, and James of Rome, N. Y.; six grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

Interment was in Green Hills Memorial Park, San Pedro.

**DANIEL BALLANTINE**

Funeral services for Daniel Ballantine, 95, of 1513 W. 215th St., were held at the Stone and Myers Chapel Wednesday afternoon with the Rev. Hugh R. Percy, rector of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, officiating. Mr. Ballantine, plant guard for Richfield Oil Corp., died here Sept. 28. He had lived here for 20 years.

He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Edith Hartel of Torrance, Mrs. Helen Van Jacobs of Chicago, and Mrs. Margaret Shore of Michigan; two sons Daniel Ballantine of Long Beach and Elmer Smith of Chicago; three grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren.

Entombment was in Sunny-side Mausoleum.

The government is us; we are the government, you and I.—Theodore Roosevelt.

**United Artists Opens New Theater Wednesday**

Stars of stage and screen will highlight the opening of the United Artists Theatre, located on Pacific Coast Highway just west of Crenshaw Boulevard, Wednesday evening.

The stage program will begin at 8 p.m. followed by a sneak preview at 8:30 and the feature films, "Toys in the Attic," starring Dean Martin, Geraldine Page and Wendy Hiller, at 10:15, according to Carl Burns, theater manager.

Johnny Grant, of KMPC, will be master of ceremonies of the affair which will include Chuck Connors, Madlyn Rhue, Pamela Curran, George Peppard, Ed Faulkner, Mike Sayne, Shelley Fabares, John Doucette, MacDonald Carey, Diana Dors, and Chill Wills.

United Artist Theatres, headed by George P. Skouras, with home offices in New York City, owns and operates 450 theaters throughout the United States. United Artists also owns Todd-AO Corp. which brought to the screen "Oklahoma" and "South Pacific."

THE NEW United Artists Theatre in Torrance is the first house that has been built in Southern California by United Artists Theatre Circuit and will introduce many innovations and facilities for patron comfort and convenience. Safety factors have also been stressed in this new construction.

Theater architect Drew Eberson has incorporated cut stone and cement blocks, accented with quarry tile and aluminum fins for the exterior. The lobby and foyer decor is in basic tones of gold, red and white in furnishings with the

use of hand finished walnut as an accent.

The unusually large screen is designed to afford a perfect view from every seat, with no side angle viewing. Specially designed lighting fixtures have been installed to enable exact lighting control.

MANAGER BURNS has been with United Artists Theatre Circuit for five years. He was recently assigned to New York where he was associated with Loews Theatres, Inc.

Following his plan to bring only the best in entertainment to the residents of the Southwest, he has included the following in upcoming productions: "Running Man," Laurence Harvey and Lee Remick;

"Johnny Cool," Henry Silva, Elizabeth Montgomery, and Sammy Davis Jr.; "McLintock," John Wayne and Maureen O'Hara and Walt Disney's "Sword in Stone" for Christmas.

The policy of the theater will be doors to open at 12:30 daily and admission prices will be \$1.25 for adults, \$1 for students, and 50 cents for children.

**Teachers Fellowship Program Set**

High school teachers in Torrance will be eligible to compete for John Hay Fellowships in the humanities for the 1963-64 academic year, according to trustees of the program.

Fellowships amounting to more than \$750,000 will be awarded to teachers in 36 states and the District of Columbia. About 85 teachers will receive awards in the humanities.

Teachers granted John Hays Fellowships will receive stipends equal to their salaries during the year. In addition, travel expenses for the fellow and his primary dependents, his tuition, and a health fee will be paid.

To be eligible for consideration as a fellow, teachers must have five years experience as high school teachers, not more than 55 years of age, and teachers of humanities or fine arts. Inquiries about the program should be made to Dr. Charles R. Keller, John Hays Fellows Program, 9 Rockefeller Plaza, New York 20, N. Y.



**OFFICIAL OPENING WED., OCT. 9, 1963**

STAGE PROGRAM 8:00 P.M.  
 SNEAK PREVIEW 8:30 P.M.  
 FEATURE FILM PRESENTATION 10:15 P.M.

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**A PROMISE TO THE COMMUNITY...**

As the management team representing The United Artists Theatre Circuit, we are committed to the goal of making the Torrance theatre an important part of this area.

We shall do everything possible to present the best in Entertainment under the most ideal conditions. All of us and the staff of the theatre will try to earn your friendly approval of our theatre as a place for the entertainment of you and your families. We will be GLAD to welcome you. We will constantly strive to warrant your patronage. We want you to be as proud of this theatre as we are. Your pleasure is our business...and it's a pleasure.

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