

# Torrance Herald

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## HIGHLIGHTS

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Idaho mountain trout, Louisiana seafood platter, Australian lobster tail and many other seafood entrees are rivaling the charcoal broiler specialties and continental fare in popularity at the PEN & QUILL Hotel-Restaurant in Manhattan Beach.

Catering to individual preferences this nationally-known dining establishment features fish and shellfish in 16 different varieties.

Oceanfare meriting appreciation includes king crab legs sauted Meuniere, broiled filet of halibut, filet of pompano or lobster thermidor.

And just to provide the perfect introduction Chef John Giorgio, supervises the preparation of pre-dinner appetizers, forecasts of seafood delights to follow.

Sven Reher, director of the Marymount College Chamber Music Ensemble, will present his group in a concert of Mozart and Dvorak selections March 9 in St. Gertrude's Hall.

Participating will be Sandra Karol and Dianne Plummer, violins; Anna Meyer, viola, and Lois Blackburn and Gina Dentesano, cellos, with Reher, violinist, also appearing for a portion of the program.

The program will include Mozart's Divertimento No. 1 in D Major, K. 563; Dvorak's Quartet No. 3, opus 51, and the String Quintet in E Flat, K. 514, by Mozart.

There is no admission charge for the concert, which will begin at 8:15 p.m. on the Palos Verdes Estates campus.

Many coins in the fountain! Tossing coins in the wishing well at the Dominguez GOLDEN BULL Restaurant is a favorite pastime of diners just before they journey out on the adjoining Dominguez three par golf course.

The linksmen flip a coin in the water and wish themselves a low score just before teeing off. All money collected goes toward a fund to purchase souvenir cigarette lighters that are awarded to the lucky golfers who make a hole in one at Dominguez.

The South Bay Art Assn., 105 Coral Way, will present a special showing by two local artists Dorothy Harvey and Augusta Berg Sunday through April 3. A reception will be held March 8 from 2 to 5 p.m.

Miss Harvey, 4608 Highgrove studied at the Otis Art Institute and has exhibited in many local shows.

Miss Berg studied in New York before coming to California where she studied under Dale Sexton and Dave Miller.

Both painters will display oils.

### Footlighters Will Present 'Our Town'

Footlight Theatre will present "Our Town," three week-ends, beginning March 13 and closing March 28.

Gordon See will direct the well-known Thornton Wilder drama. Curtain time is 8:30 p.m., at Crenshaw School, 18620 Crenshaw Blvd.

Reservations and group rates are available at DA 9-5338.

## Sutton to Stage 'Separate Tables'

The Palos Verdes Playhouse announced this week that Ken Sutton, actor-producer-director, has agreed to stage "Separate Tables" opening May 1 at the Peninsula's new little theater.

Casting begins with open tryouts on March 9, 10, 11 at 7:30 each evening. Director Ken Sutton encourages all interested talent to appear, together with those wishing to participate in any phase of the theatrical production.

Most recently associated with the Gardena Valley Playmakers as producer-director, Sutton now holds honorary membership in that organization which he served as president and charter founding member.

Returning to the Palos Verdes Players after a long absence, Sutton's last offering with the Players was in a reading of Shaw's "Pygmalion."

Presented at the Art Gallery, Sutton appeared in the leading role as well as directing and editing the concert version.

TRAINED AT the Chicago Art Institute's Goodman Memorial Theatre, Sutton matriculated at Columbia University, and Long Beach State College. "It's more than a sentimental kick to rejoin the Palos Verdes Players," Sutton commented; "This beautiful new playhouse we have to work with is a showcase indeed and very exciting."

His hopes for "Separate Tables" are very high, he stated, describing the vehicle as "one of the New York critics choices for 'Ten Best' in 1957-58, and perhaps the most successful and entertaining of playwright Terrence Rattigan's efforts."



MOMENTOUS DECISION . . . Irene Ryan, granny of the "Beverly Hillbillies," is perplexed as she looks over the varied menu at Marineland Restaurant with owner George M. Foster. Miss Ryan finally decided on the famed lobster of the "restaurant by the sea" but the prime rib was a real tempter. Granny spent three days at Marineland for the filming of a TV special, "Marineland Circus," which will appear over CBS-TV Easter Day, March 29.



TALENT TIME . . . Dick Wheaton, who opened at the Push Horse Tuesday evening, could have coined the phrase, "hometown boy makes good." The singer, who recently completed an engagement at the Beverly Hilton, is a native of Redondo Beach, graduating from Redondo Union High School. Dick, who traded a thriving gas station for show business, has appeared also in many TV and nightclub shows including Art Linkletter's House Party and the Guys and Dolls show in Las Vegas for six months.



SINGING TEAM . . . The junior class of South High School will present Joe and Eddie at their fourth annual junior class show March 7, at 8 p.m., in the school's gymnasium. Featured on the same bill will be the Baytown Singers and Tahitian folksinger, Yvan Arie. Tickets are \$1.75. Proceeds will go to finance the school's first off-campus prom.

### Watercolors Set For PV Exhibit

Travel Exhibition 1963, a matted show of 40 watercolors, opened at the Palos Verdes Community Arts Gallery, 2400 Via Campesina, Sunday and will run through March 25.

Artists exhibiting in the show include: Irma Attridge, Chester Amyx, Aimes Bourdieu, Ruth Erlich, Michael Prary, Olga Higgins, Meredith Olson, Gordon Wagner, Gerry Waldman, Robert E. Wood,

### Local Photographer Enters Competition

Erma Lauck, 17234 Eastwood St., has submitted four prints for judging in the International Exhibition of Photography to be held in conjunction with the National Orange Show in San Bernardino March 12 to 22.

Her works are: "Deep Thought," "Surfers," "The Goodness of Life," and "Glassware No. 5."

Gerald Brummer, T. John Christo, John A. Dominique, and Hilda D. Levy.

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### Library to Show Children's Films

Torrance Library, 1345 Post, will present two children's films Saturday at 10:30 a.m. Films are: "Whatever the Weather" and "Eruption of Kilauea." There is no admission charge.

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### Men Wanted! Adult Chorus Issues Appeal

The adult mixed chorus which meets each Monday night at Narbonne High School is seeking more members, according to Walter Wittel, director of the group.

"We have the pleasant and attractive problem," Wittel stated, "of having more women at rehearsals than men. We can use more women singers, too, but we are out of balance on the male side at the moment."

Sponsored by the Los Angeles Bureau of Music of the Municipal Art Department, the chorus is open to anyone who can sing or wants to sing. Free group voice instruction is given by Wittel from 7:30 to 8 p.m. and from 8 to 10 p.m. the chorus rehearses for its first public concert. Narbonne High School is located at 24300 Western Ave., Harbor City.

### 'Fair Lady' to Open Musicals

The West Side Civic Light Opera Co. season opens June 16 with "My Fair Lady." Other shows slated include "Bye Bye Birdie," "Gypsy," "The Sound of Music," and "Flower Drum Song."

Season tickets are now on sale at the Santa Monica Civic Auditorium.

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