

Seven residents of Torrance are enrolled at Whittier College. They are Paul L. Black, 3119 W. 18th st.; Jane Fischer, 1318 Beech ave.; Alicia J. Lo-

ranger, 1448 Post ave.; Kathleen R. McGinley, 2415 Gramercy; Dorothy J. Markham, 23317 Hawthorne blvd.; Sally A. Sprout, 1327 Beech ave., and Ann Stephens, Box 177.

### New Wesley Film Slated At Methodist

The new motion picture "JOHN WESLEY" is coming to Torrance. It will be shown at the First Methodist church on Wednesday, April 20, at 7:30 p.m., according to the pastor, Rev. John L. Taylor.

The feature-length film is in the new Eastman color and was produced by the radio and film commission of the Methodist church in cooperation with J. Arthur Rank.

It brings to the screen for the first time John Wesley the dynamic and colorful 18th century evangelist and educator. John Wesley's miraculous rescue from a burning house at the age of five, at the beginning of the film, forecasts the dramatic and eventful life which unfolds in this story of a man of slight stature but of impelling influence upon his contemporaries and upon history.

The Rev. John L. Taylor explained that while the film is being released only to Methodist churches during the initial period, the public is invited to see the picture at the First Methodist Church, 1551 El Prado.

Some comments on the Wesley film made by well-known publications have been "... deeply moving."—Life "... superb photograph."—Newsweek. "... to teach as well as to entertain."—Time.

Young accordianists from Bettie Thomas studio, 1215 Crenshaw blvd., Torrance, will participate in the "Accordion Festival March" to climax the festival program of the Accordion Teachers Guild in the Los Angeles Shrine Auditorium on April 24.

**Cookie Sale**  
at the home of Mrs. A. J. DeFields, 1411 Crenshaw blvd. It was announced that each girl scout of the Harbor area will be asked to sell three more boxes on a volunteer basis. April 15 was the date set for the sale. This was done to overcome the deficit of the recent sale when there were 5000 cartons returned.

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

**THE CHURCH OF GOD**—2230 Cabrillo Avenue, Torrance. Pastor, Rev. W. E. Combs. Bible Study, Tuesday 7:30 P.M.; Y.P.E. Meeting, Friday 7:30 P.M.; Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Preaching, 11:00 A.M.; Evangelistic 7:30 P.M. Everybody invited.

**NATIVITY CATHOLIC CHURCH**—1447 Engracia Avenue, Torrance, California. Rev. Patrick McGuinness, Pastor. Telephone FAirfax 8-2776. Schedules of Masses and Services: Six Sundays, Masses—9:00, 8:00, 7:00, 10:00, 11:00 (High), 12:15. One Mass at 9:30 in St. Joseph's Church, 2314 West 203rd Street, (Pueblo) Torrance, Wednesday Evening Devotions at 7:30 P.M. Confessions Three Times on Saturdays—9:30 A.M. to 10:30 A.M., 4:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M., 7:30 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. Baptisms Saturdays and Sundays at 2:30 P.M. Instructions and Bible Study—Saturdays from 9:30 to 10:30 A.M. at 2371 West Carson, Nativity Catholic School, First Communion Class and Infant care at Nativity Annex, 1415 Engracia Ave., on Sundays from 9:45 A.M. to 11:00 A.M.

**THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**—El Prado at Manuel Avenue. Rev. John L. Taylor, Minister. Church School for all ages 9:00 A.M. Worship Youth Choir church school fourth grade and below 10:00 Church School, all ages, extended sessions fourth grade and below 11:00 Morning Worship—Adult Choir, Infant care from 9:00 to 12 A.M. 6:30 High School Youth Fellowship.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST OF TORRANCE**—1217 Cravena. Meets Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 10:45 A.M.; Evening Worship, 7:30 P.M.; Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M. Elmor Front, Minister.

**KEYSTONE BAPTIST CHURCH**—435 West 220th Street, Torrance. Rev. W. L. Lowe; home phone, Terminal 4-8974; study phone, FA 8-6734. Torrance, Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Training Unit, 7:00 P.M.; Evening Worship, 7:30 P.M.; Mid-Week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M. Cooperating with Southern Baptist convention.

**FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH**—Located on Carson Street and Flower Avenue in Torrance. Rev. Paul Wenske, Pastor. Residence 2950 El Dorado. Phone FA 8-2245. Church Office, 1723 Flower. P. Cadista. Church Worship, 8:00 A.M.; Sunday School, 9:30 A.M.; second Morning Worship, 10:45 A.M.

**FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST**—218th Street at Manuel Avenue. Sunday School, 9:30 A.M.; Sunday Service, 11:00 A.M.; Wednesday Evening Meeting, 8:00 P.M.; Reading Room, 1617 Cabrillo Avenue. Open 10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. daily except Sundays and holidays. Monday and Friday evenings, 7 to 9 P.M.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**—1501 West Carson Street. Rev. Freeman A. Brunson, Pastor. Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Youth Groups, 6:30 P.M.; Evening Service, 7:30 P.M.; People's Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**—Carson at Manuel Rev. C. Miles Northrup, Pastor. Douglas Jeffrey, Director of Music and Youth. Church phone: FA 8-5030; Northrup, FA 8-3405. Bible School, 9:30 A.M.; Morning Worship, 10:30 A.M.; Junior Church in annex, 10:15 A.M.; Training Classes, 7:00 P.M.; Evangelistic Service, 7:00 P.M.; Mid-Week Service, Wednesday, 7:00 P.M. Nursery for every service.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD REVIVAL TABERNACLE**—Normandie at 256th Street, Harbor City, Calif. Rev. and Mrs. Fred Martin. Services: Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Evening, 7:30 P.M.; Tuesday, 7:30 P.M.; Thursday, Young People, 7:30 P.M.

**FOUR SQUARE CHURCH**—1207 El Prado; telephone, FA 8-5736. Rev. and Mrs. James P. Lowen, Pastors. Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 A.M.; Morning Worship, 10:45 A.M.; Group Services, 7:30 P.M. Cadista. Defenders, Evangelistic, 7:30 P.M. mid-week; Wednesday, Bible Study at 7:30 P.M. Public invited.

**LOMITA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**—245th Street at Woodward Ave. (Near Lomita Boulevard and Narbonne Avenue.) Rev. Eldon Durham, Minister. Residence, 23397 Oak St. Telephone DA 6-0129. Sunday School, 9:30 A.M. and Morning Worship, 9:30 and 11 A.M. Westminster Fellowship Youth Groups, 6:30 P.M.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF TORRANCE (Disciples of Christ)**—2930 El Dorado Ave. Rev. H. Milton Sippel, minister. Residence phone FA 8-4583. Two sessions of Church School and Morning Worship 9:30 and 10:30. Nursery provided for both sessions. Chi Rho 5:30. Christian Youth Fellowship 7:00.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF GARDENA**—16414 Dalton Ave. (between Western & Normandie Ave.) Summer schedule: Bible school 9:15; Church, 10:15; Junior church, 10:15; Midweek service at 7:30 on Wednesday. Rev. Maurice Knott, Pastor.

**TORRANCE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH**—Located on Acadia and Sonoma 19 Seventh-Day Adventist Bldg. E. Thurmond, Pastor. Resident Phone, Terminal 4-4967. 9:45 A.M. Sunday School; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; 6:30 P.M. Bible Study; 7:30 P.M. Evangelistic Service; Prayer Meeting, Tuesday, 7:00 P.M.

**KEYSTONE ASSEMBLY OF GOD**—21916 Moneta Ave., Keystone. Pastor Charlotte Shook, DA 6-6861. Sunday School 9:45; Preaching 11 A.M. Evening Evangelistic Service 7:45 P.M. Sundays, Mid-Week, Thursday, 7:45 P.M.

**THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF TRUTH (Spiritualist)**—Masonic Hall at 1006 1/2 Gardena Blvd. Sermon, Healing, Spiritual Messages, Sunday School at 10:15 A.M.; Morning Worship at 11:00 A.M. We extend a cordial invitation to the public.

**CENTRAL EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH**—Corner of Arlington and Normandie. Walter M. Stanton, pastor. Sunday School 9:30 A.M. Morning Worship, Sunday 11:00 A.M. Christian Endeavor and Evening Worship, 6:30 to 8:00 P.M. Mid-Week Bible Class, Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

**CHURCH OF CHRISTIAN ABUNDANCE (non-denominational)**—3426 Marietta St. FR. 9-1188. Rev. Helen Brown, Pastor. Sunday Worship and Divine Healing, 11 A.M.; Personal Problems Service, Friday, 8 P.M.

**SOUTHWEST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**—1929 Pacific Coast Highway, Lomita. Sunday School 9:45. Morning Worship 11:00 A.M. Wednesday Evening Bible Study 7:30 P.M. Roland Bond, Minister.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**—Waltera Corner of Park and Newton. Rev. R. Owen Douglas—Pastor phone DA 6-7435. 9:30 A.M. Sunday School with classes for all ages. 11:00 A.M. Morning Worship; 6:30 Youth Services; 7:30 P.M. "The Glad Gospel Hour." Wednesday 7:30 P.M. the Power Hour. We welcome you.

**CHURCH OF RELIGIOUS SCIENCE (Masonic Temple)**—Corner of Ruby and Catalina streets. FR. 4-8331. Redondo, Minister, Dr. Earl D. Barnum. Services, 11 A.M. Junior Church and Metastens, 11 A.M. Inspirational Hour, 1 P.M. Wednesdays.

## Dedication And Installation Slated At Seaside Church

The dedication of the new Seaside Community Evangelical and Reformed church at 230th street and Ocean avenue will be held this Sunday, April 17, at 2:30 p.m.

Rev. Richard A. Miller will be installed as pastor of the new church by Rev. J. W. Flucke, assisted by Rev. Allen Kroehler. Dr. Flucke, who will preach the dedication sermon, is pastor of Morningside Community Evangelical and Reformed church of Inglewood and president of the California Synod of the Evangelical and Reformed church. Rev. Kroehler is pastor of the City Terrace church.

**Church to be Built**  
The chapel to be dedicated is located on a two-acre tract where a future church plant will be built unit by unit. The chapel has been erected almost altogether with volunteer labor under the direction of Harry Schneider, a building contractor of Morningside Community Church of Inglewood.

Heretofore, Seaside Community church has been meeting in the home of Rev. Miller, 5342 Sharynne Lane. Part of the church school, the kindergarten department, has been meeting in the home of Mrs. Lois Martin, 5307 Reese road.

Seaside Community church is sponsored by the Board of National Missions of the Evangelical and Reformed Church which is one of the old, established Protestant denominations in the United States. It has a membership of almost one million members, with nine churches in the greater Los Angeles area. In addition to the Seaside Community church in the Meadow Park tract, several other mission churches in the area are to be organized in the near future.

**Church School**  
In the chapel will be a departmentalized church school with a curriculum adapted to the age level of the members of the church school. In addition to the church school, to serve the community needs and interests there will be organized various interest groups, a Youth Fellowship, a Young-Adult or Married Couples' group, a Men's Brotherhood and other groups as there is need and interest for them.

The women have organized a local Women's Guild. Very recently a choir and Women's Women's Chorus have been meeting with Mrs. Thomas Traumer as director. Mrs. William L. Parker is pianist.

The officers of Seaside Community church are: president,

## Altar Society Plans April Card Party

The Nativity Altar Society met last week in Nativity parish hall, and highlighted the meeting with plans for a card party to be held Thursday evening, April 21, at 8 p.m. in the hall at 1418 Cota avenue, with Mrs. Regina Cunningham, November guild chairman, in charge of the affair.

The card party is open to the public and refreshments and prizes will be featured. For further information call FA 8-4733.

During the business meeting, Mrs. John Tweedy was appointed the new chairman for the September guild, and the society also discussed plans for purchasing carpeting for the choir staircase.

New members welcomed into the Altar Society at a previous meeting were Mesdames Gerald Campbell, Kieran Brennan, Ray Ranes, Patrick Lynch, and Harold Gondringer.

The refreshments committee at last week's meeting included two of the new members, Mesdames Lynch and Ranes, who assisted Mrs. Thomas Moore.

## Groundbreaking Set At Christian Church

The First Christian Church of Torrance, 2930 El Dorado avenue, will break ground for their new sanctuary at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday, April 17. In an impressive ceremony, Walter Levy, chairman of the official board, will move the first shovel of earth to begin actual construction of the building. Assisting in the ceremony will be Rev. Frank Furnell, director of the department of Evangelism and Church Development for the Christian Churches of Southern California; Rev. J. J. Walker, who served the church as an interim pastor for one year; Howard Foster, chairman of the building committee; and Rev. H. Milton Sippel, minister of the church.

**Special Shovel**  
A special shovel will be used by Levy, and attached to it will be two long streamers, held by all present, so symbolically everyone will share in the ceremony. It will take place between the two worship services. The Rev. Frank Furnell will preach at both services, 9:30 and 10:50.

The new building, which will be joined to the present Fellowship Hall, will have an area of 3000 square feet with seating capacity of 400. It will contain a church office, ministers study, prayer room, baptismal dressing rooms, and choir room.

The architects are Gamble Associates and Louis Culler will be superintendent of construction.

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## Local Men Attend Army Exercises

Three men from Torrance, members of the 63d Infantry Reserve Division, will participate in a 30-hour mock combat training exercise at Ft. Ord, Calif., on Saturday, April 16, and Sunday, April 17.

Pfc. Carlyle Merino of 3455 Newton st.; Cpl. Clyde B. Hudson of 4327 Newton st. and Cpl. James S. May of 4741 Deelane st., Torrance.

Designated as "exercise Break through," the training maneuver will be attended by Army reservists and members of the National Guard from the 6th Army area.

A special business seminar conducted by the Prudential Insurance company at the Chapman Park hotel in Los Angeles was attended by six staff managers of the company's South Bay district agency, 1603 Cravena avenue. Participating from the local office were William J. Bryant, Keith Fowler, Franklin T. Pletcher, Newell D. Larsen, William Hanger and James Trani.

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