

Famous Paintings of Disciples To Be Presented Here Jan. 25

Because Mrs. Sunc' Richards, nationally known photographer, artist, and minister, believed that there are men now living who in physical appearance and often in personal characteristics may be called counterparts of the disciples of Jesus, she devoted fourteen years searching for them, finding them, and painting them. Under the title, "My Search for the Disciples," she will lecture and display her paintings at the First Methodist Church in Torrance at 7:30 p.m., on Jan. 25, under the auspices of Wesleyan Service Guild. The public is invited.

Why and how she pursued this search and produced the photo-paintings is a fascinating story, even one with a touch of humor now and then. It is also a moving one, for it reveals little known facts about each of the disciples, who each one was, where he came from, and what he did, and what became of him after the close of the New Testament record.

In this forthcoming lecture, dramatically posed, historically correct, and brilliant in photography and oil colors, are: Andrew and Simon Peter, James and John, Bartholomew, Thomas, Matthew, Phillip, James the Less, Jude, Simon the Zealot, and Judas Iscariot. Climaxing all the disciples, of course, is Mrs. Richards' own painting of Jesus of Nazareth.

Behind each of these paintings has been many weeks of intensive Bible study, research into many historical and literary sources, consultation with Bible and church authorities, painstaking search for a model to pose acceptably as one of the disciples, and long production work at camera and easel. Each painting was made only after prayer by the artist herself and also by the model.

How well Mrs. Richards has succeeded in each painting is evident in the spiritual experience shared between her and all who listen while they are held by the deep appeal of her paintings.

More than 500,000 copies of the disciples have been printed and circulated in most of the countries of the world. Recently the publishers of the Encyclopedia Britannica and the publishers of three different editions of the Bible have made arrangements to include reproductions of her paintings and descriptions of the disciples in their newest editions. Also a life-sized painting of one of the disciples, Andrew, hangs in



MRS. SUNC' RICHARDS ... To Appear Here

Citizens Name New Officers

A group of Milwaukee churchmen, organized as Community Associates, Inc., has underwritten the cost of Mrs. Richards paintings. It is a non-profit organization. Reprints of her paintings are now obtainable in book form. Income from the sales of books and printed sets of the paintings provides not only a regular income for Mrs. Richards, but it also helps to provide scholarships for seven young men studying for the ministry.

Samaria Senior Citizens named Henry Cohen as president at a recent meeting when election of officers for the new year was held. Serving with Mr. Cohen will be Ruth Feimer, vice president; Ethel Bodian, secretary; Sophie Ross, treasurer; Bessie Lubman, sunshine chairman and Dina Emmer, tribute chairman. These new officers will be installed at a noon luncheon on Thursday, Jan. 13 at the Southwest Temple Beth Torah, 14725 S. Gramercy Pl., Gardena. Rabbi Henry E. Kraus, spiritual leader at the Temple, will be the installing officer. Samaria Senior Citizens meet every Thursday at noon at the Temple. Their calendar includes birthday and anniversary celebrations the first week; social, second week; pot luck luncheon, third week; and business meeting, the fourth week. Senior Citizens, over age 50, are invited to join this group. For further information Henry Cohen may be called.

Children's Party

The annual Christmas party for children and grandchildren of the Loyal Order of Moose 785 and Women of the Moose, Chapter 44, was held Dec. 19 at the Lodge Hall. Gifts and candy were distributed by Santa Claus and movies were shown.

City of Hope Group to Meet

The next meeting of the Sam Levy Chapter, City of Hope will be held this morning at 10 at the home of Vera Howe, 1955 W. 241st St., Lomita.

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John Davis Claims Bride

John Leland Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, 2514 W. Carson St., Torrance, claimed as his bride, Miss Grace Joy Sherman, in an evening ceremony Dec. 18 at the Church of Jesus

Christ of Latter Day Saints in Torrance. Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Sherman, 4924 Hillcrest Dr., Los Angeles.

Bishop Ronald G. Hendry officiated at the ceremony for which the bride wore a full length brocade gown, fashioned with a sweep train. A lace and pearl headpiece held her silk illusion veil and she carried a bouquet of white roses.

The bridal entourage consisted of Helene Hughes, maid of honor; Luann Mirande, Sandy Sturman and Cathy Scott, bridesmaids; Debbie and Julie Scott, flower girls.

Ron Butterfield stood as best man and ushers were Gary Sherman, Ralph Hamilton, Gerald McFarland, Kenneth Weir was ring bearer. A reception was held at the church and the newlyweds left for a honeymoon in Hawaii. The new home is in Los Angeles.

The bride is a graduate of USC and attended the University of Vienna. She is a member of Alpha Chi Omega, Mortarboard, and Pi Lambda Theta, education sorority.

Her husband, a graduate of Torrance High School, also attended Brigham Young University and USC where he was a member of Athenians.



MRS. JOHN L. DAVIS (Ken Nissle Photo)

Italian Dinner At Serra High Benefits Band

On Sunday, Jan. 9, from 2 to 6 p.m., Serra High School will hold its first social event in 1966. The school's Cavalier Concert Band is sponsoring an Italian dinner in Serra's auditorium at Compton and Van Ness Ave. in Gardena.

Tickets may be purchased at the door, or from the band members, who are very anxious for the financial success of this dinner. They will use the profits to help finance a trip to San Francisco in February. The Band has accepted invitations to give performances for five schools in the San Francisco area, Father Butler, Bellarmine College Prep, Bishop Mitty High, Immaculate Conception Academy, and St. Joseph High School.

Serra's Cavalier Concert Band consists of forty-five students this semester. They will leave Serra High School by chartered bus on Feb. 16 and return on Feb. 18. The Band Director, William B. Power, and a dozen parents of the band members will accompany the boys.

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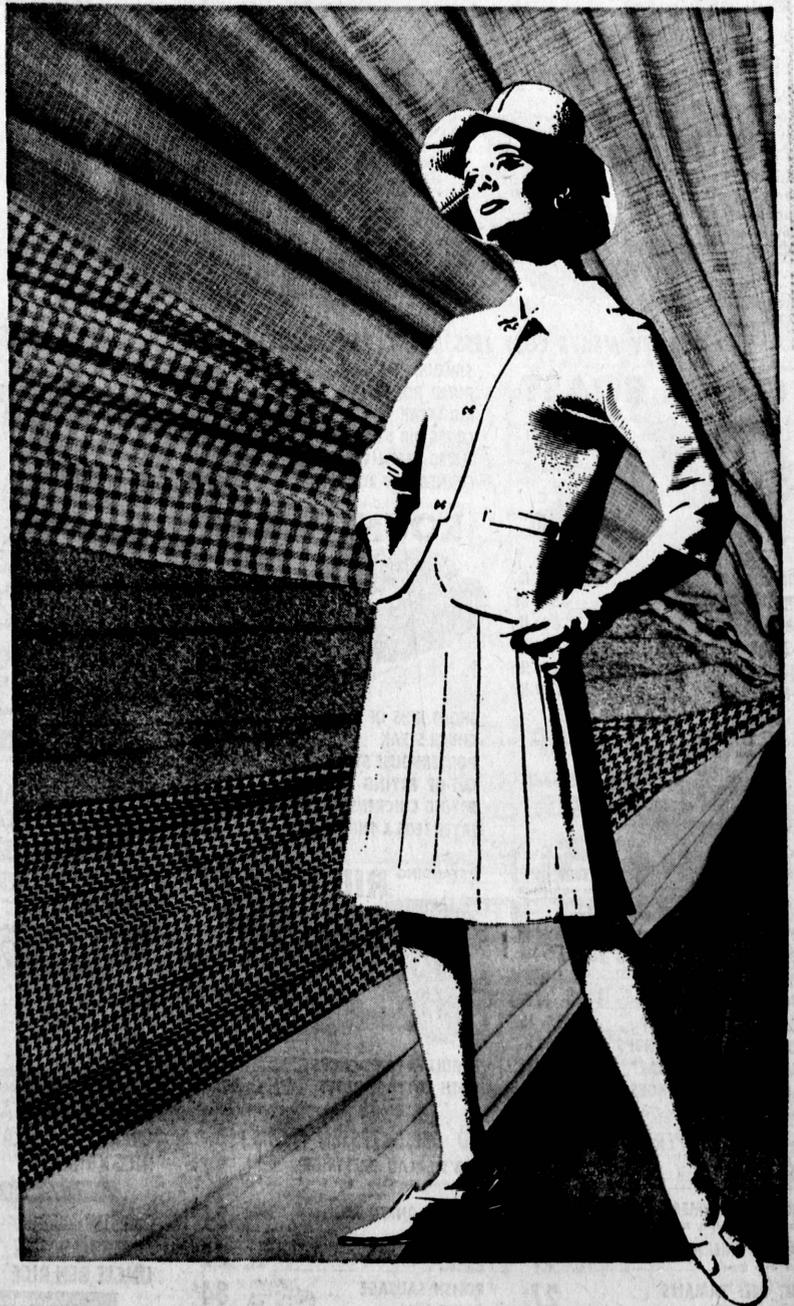
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