LANAI WAITING ROOM . . . More like a garden patio than a doctor's office is this beautiful reception room which will be used by patients visiting the new suite of offices of the Torrance Medical Group. The organization's new offices will be located at 1104 Sartori avenue after Monday of next week. (Herald photo).

Torrance Medical Group Moves Into New Offices

Doctors Eugene Cook and Kurt Shery will move into a new $60,000 suite of offices on Monday, April 23, the physicians announced this week.

The two well-known local doctors head the Torrance Medical Group founded by the late Dr. William Laughon in 1943.

The entire facilities of the Medical group, now located at 1335 Post avenue will be moved during the weekend to the recently completed medical building at 1104 Sartori avenue—a block north of Torrance boulevard.

The facilities at the beautiful new building will enable the doctors to treat nearly all types of ailments and to perform minor and major operations with the exception of those requiring an extended stay in a hospital. Included are complete diagnostic x-ray equipment, a fully equipped clinical laboratory for the determination of basal metabolism rate, electro cardiograph equipment, and six private examining rooms. A spacious, modern lanai-type reception room with beautiful tropical plants is provided for patients awaiting treatment.

Dr. Cook, senior partner in the group, has been associated with the organization for six years. He is an Army veteran and spent three years in the China-Burma-India theater during World War II.

Dr. Shery, associated with the group since 1946, came to the group from the Ross-Loos Medical group in Los Angeles. He, too, is a veteran of Army service having spent two years in Europe during the last war.

With new and larger quarters now available the doctors plan soon to enlarge their staff to care for an increasing general and industrial practice.

The group's phone number, Torrance 1088, will remain the same. When not available at that number the doctors may be reached through the Medical Exchange, Torrance 192.

The doctors originally planned to build new offices on Torrance boulevard near Cravens avenue but abandoned the plan when the government recently established strict restrictions on new building.

Wife of Former Resident Victim Of Fur Burglary

Beer drinking burglars ransacked the home of Hurum Reeve, former Torrance resident and pioneer hardware dealer here, last week and stole $9000 in furs belonging to Mrs. Reeves.

Mrs. Reeves, the former Nell Brinkley, is the author-artist of the famous Brinkley girls cartoon so popular a generation ago.

Reeves, now head of the Hurum E. Reeve Manufacturing Company, Los Angeles display fixture making firm, lives at 3503 Griffith Park boulevard.

Missing from the Reeve home was an ermine cape and muff, a sable scarf and silver fox muff.

FARMING FIRST

About 90 percent of all Egypt's 18 million people are said to obtain their living from agricultural pursuits.

National Engineer To Teach Metallurgy

Basic metallurgy is the subject of a new tuition-free course opening at El Camino College Monday, April 16. The class, being taught by Todd Gardner, metallurgist and material processing engineer at National Supply Company, will meet from 7 to 10 p.m.

The course is designed for persons employed in the metal trades. Included will be a study of the composition of ferrous metals, manufacturing processes, metallurgical tests, heat treatment and the uses of engineering materials.

El Camino College is located at Crenshaw and Redondo Beach boulevards. Students may register Monday through Thursday from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. and on Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

STARS SHINE FOR DEMOS

Motion picture stars Louis Calhern and Audrey Totter will headline the entertainment portion of the annual Jefferson-Jackson Day Dinner of the Democratic Party, to be held at the

Lt. Jay Slover Serving Aboard 'Sinkable' Ship

Serving aboard a ship which can "sink itself at will" is Lt. Jay Alden Slover, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Slover of 1712 Martina avenue, and husband of Mrs. Wanda V. Slover of 3215 53rd street, San Diego, who is aboard the landing ship dock USS Colonial in the Far East.

Ships of this type are capable of sinking themselves at selected places to permit other vessels to enter their holds for repair. The Colonial has been in the combat zone since last December and has participated in three invasions, and two evacuations.

Lieutenant Slover, who entered the Naval service November 19, 1935, was graduated from Torrance High School.

Husband of Local Woman Aboard Oiler

Playing the role of "the man behind the man behind the gun" isn't always glamorous—but it is vital, as the part played by Walter J. Sayles, gunner's mate, second class, USN, husband of Mrs. Nancy E. Sayles of 17519 Patronella avenue, North Torrance, helps keep the guns "up front."

He is serving aboard the fleet oiler USS Ashtabula, aptly termed the "floating oasis" for the ships of the Seventh Fleet in the Far East, because it is capable of refueling ships at sea regardless of weather conditions or choppy seas.

Tom Faren Earns Second Stripe

Pfc. Thomas R. Faren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas V. Faren, who is stationed with the 32nd Air Division, has been promoted to the rank of corporal.

Cpl. Faren is a graduate of Torrance High school, class of 1947. Both his father and brother, Charles W. Faren, have military service.

Prior to transfer to his present station, he attended technical school at Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyoming. His principal civilian trade was that of carpenter.

Employers Reminded of Wage Report Deadline

Deadline for filing California unemployment insurance wage reports and contribution returns for the first quarter of 1951 is Monday, April 30, E. L. Funder, auditor in charge of the State Department of Employment in Long Beach said this week.

Returns filed after April 30 are charged interest and penalty.

Funder said the department's audit district office in Long Beach is open Monday through Friday and that he and his staff will gladly assist any employer who needs help in completing the report form.