

STADIUM
 NOW-SATURDAY
DORIS DAY
GORDON MACRAE
 "By the Light of the Silvery Moon"
 -In Technicolor-
 -Plus-
GLORIA GRAHAM in
 "The Glass Wall"
 SUN--MON--TUES.
STEPHEN McNALLY and
ALEXIS SMITH in
 "SPLIT SECOND"
 -Plus-
RHONDA FLEMING and
WILLIAM LUNDIGAN in
 "Serpent of the Nile"
 -In Technicolor-
 COMING WED., JUNE 17
 SCREENING IN
3 DIMENSIONS!
MAN IN THE DARK
 A GARDENA PICTURE
 EDWARD G. ROBINSON - AUDREY HOTTOR
 -Plus-
TERESA WRIGHT in
 "Count the Hours"
TORRANCE
 FRI--SAT--SUN.
CLAUDETTE COLBERT
 as
"CLEOPATRA"
 -Plus-
MARIA MONTEZ
JON HALL
"Cobra Woman"
GARDENA
 FRI--SAT--SUN.
DONALD O'CONNOR and
DEBBIE REYNOLDS
 "I LOVE MELVIN"
 -In Technicolor-
VAN JOHNSON
JANET LEIGH
"Confidentially Connie"
PARK
 FRI--SAT--SUN.
 Two Torrance Thrillers!
"Tarzan's Desert Mystery"
 -and-
"Tarzan Triumphs"

North Torrance Tattler
2 Scout Troops Win First Place Ribbons

By ILENE ALLISON
 Menlo 4-2430
 The Boy Scout Troop 761 and Cub Scout Troop 761-C both took blue ribbons for first in booth displays at the Scout-O-Rama last Saturday. The Boy Scouts took the prize for a display of tin craft with a barbecue pit, lanterns, cups, spoons and many articles made of tin cans. The Cubs were very authentic in the display of the life and location of the American Indian. Tepees were erected and many boys were busy with bead-craft and leatherwork typical of the Indians. This brought a ribbon for outstanding booth. Congratulations both to the boys involved and to the leaders who spent many hours in anticipation of this yearly event held at Shrine Auditorium.

Mr. Loren Paulson, president of the California Fuchsia Society, and Mrs. Marie Petersen, membership chairman of the organization, met with a group interested in forming a garden club for North Torrance on Tuesday, June 2, at 17088 Glen-born Ave. Colored slides of fuchsias as well as other shade plants and patio scenes were shown. Paulson explained that the Fuchsia Society was an incorporated affair and the by-laws were read and discussed. Yearly dues are two dollars to the California Society, and the unit will determine if they desire dues for this branch. Copies of the Fuchsia Fan were given to the prospective members.

Lucky guests winning lovely plants were Mrs. G. G. Babbs, Mrs. Helen French, Mrs. Lou Merry, Mrs. Ilene Allison, and Mrs. Ruth Snell. Meetings will be held at McMaster Hall on the second Tuesday of each month. The first will be held on July 14. Officers will be elected and installed at this meeting. Those attending this organizational meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence DeCamp, Mmes. Audrey Richter, D. Sherwood, G. Babby, P. Bruce, D. Snyder, H. York, G. McDonald, L. Dorsey, E. French, J. Tardaglia, J. E. White, W. Towell, H. Cortez, R. G. Holtbrook, J. R. Snell, B. Yopp, T. Bunick, C. Fash, E. Glick, L. Isaacson, E. Jackson, L. Merry, M. Smith, A. Pesola, N. Hale, H. Brewer, L. Matson, T. Fannon and J. R. Allison. New members are cordially invited to attend the next meeting.

Mrs. Walt Bronson was the recipient of a stork shower at the home of Mrs. Hamilton Black on June 1. Mrs. Delbert Alford was co-hostess of the event. A paper-covered parasol covered the gifts for the prospective heir. The Canasta Club gave a crib mattress and bumper. Tiny parasols were given to the guests as they were served the stork cake. Gathered at the 17224 Atkinson Ave. address were Messrs. James Bertrand, C. and I. Line, Schultz, Simon, Crumm, Verberg, Reiss, Pagnano, Schindler, Johnson, Stepp, Hoffman, V. Bron-

son, Bynon, and Mrs. Bronson's mother, Mrs. Hanson.

Bad luck plagued the Blake household, at 3761 W. 177th St., this past week. Mrs. Blake was rushed to Park Emergency Hospital with a very badly cut finger on June 2, and recently little Jerry ran a nail through his foot and was taken to the same hospital. Everything is under control now, however, with both patients doing nicely.

Speaking of bad luck, or was it good luck? Anyway, it was good to talk with Jan Beeson, who has just arrived home from spending a vacation which got off to a bad start. About half way to their destination the car overturned and was totally demolished, with Mr. and Mrs. Beeson and their two children severely scratched. The Beesons continued their trip by train and reunions were held in their honor with both sides of the family. Reservations were made to return, but the train was delayed before reaching their city. Need it be said that the Clint Beeson, of 3437 W. 175th St., are glad to be home?

The paley marathon this week got three little girls busy going from house to house collecting for these unfortunate children and doing a grand job of it too! Carolyn Barre, 4307 W. 179th St.; Marietta Luke, 4348 W. 179th St.; and Judy Ward, 4320 W. 179th St., collected \$61, took it to the Carthy Theatre, and turned it over to officials.

The Rodney Baillies, 4222 W. 179th St., are entertaining Mrs. Baillie's brother and wife, Capt. and Mrs. C. F. Steele of Camp Roberts.

Congratulations to the Harold Morenbergs of 17209 Crenshaw, upon the birth of a brand new daughter born Monday, June 1, at Torrance Memorial Hospital. The Harvey Braves have Larry Anthony and Mike Deasey; the Kiwanis Dodgers have Don Baker and Richard Hamilton. The Lions Club grabbed Camden Corberly while the Police Department Pirates boast Ross Groves. The Farm Team has John Streetmaker, who is also bat boy for the Braves, and Paul Anthony. Opening games will be held June 20 at the Little League Field at the parade in downtown Torrance. The first games should start at 2 o'clock. For those unfamiliar with this organization, the sponsors provide the uniforms but the boys must provide gloves and shoes.

It was a big week for the Little Bates family, of 17039 Glen-born Ave., who took a vacation to meet Mrs. Bates' mother and son, who were coming to spend the summer. While they were sunning at a resort in Needles, the prospective company came right on through. Upon arriving home they found Mrs. G. A. Little Zette Anne bowling, who has just finished the year at Southeastern State College in Durant, Okla. News arrived that another son, Jerry Downing, who is attending University of California at Santa Barbara, received special awards at an ROTC service recently, and will stay on as an assistant in the anatomy laboratory for the fall semester.

The Hamilton Black family spent the week-end at San Diego visiting friends and also took a trip to the zoo and saw the sights at Tijuana.

From night at El Camello brought all the young ladies out in beautiful formal and the fellows all looked very handsome in their white dinner jackets. An open house was held at our home and the crowd gathered for cake and punch and to have pictures taken. Hostesses for the

group were Mrs. R. Carter, Mrs. G. Babbs and your reporter, Jim Babbs, brought Connie Erickson, who was dressed in lavender with a white orchid. Jerry Allison brought Alice Olsen, who wore a bodice of heavy white daisies, each centered with a rhinestone and a ballerina skirt of white with rhinestones.

Larry Carter escorted Sally Hickman, in pink with a beautiful jacket of white velvet. At Sally's waist was an orchid. You never saw such an excited group as the big night arrived! After the dance the couples ate at the Bar of Music. Sally Collins and Fred Carlson, and Dorothy Grey with Don Brunat attended the prom and later went to the new Circus Garden for a very enjoyable evening.

Roger Snell took part in the concert given at Music Center Studios last Sunday afternoon. Among the guests were Doye O'Dell and his entertainers.

This Sunday marked the last sermon in our area for the Rev. Zeller, who is going to Burbank. The hall at McMaster's was filled with well-wishers who have enjoyed and derived much from his association. The Alpha Society presented Mrs. Zeller with a stole as a token of esteem and the choir girls gave a bracelet with a small coin purse on which was the Bible and a cross. Sunday School will be held as usual in the hall this next Sunday, but church will not be held pending the arrival of the new pastor on the following week. The congregation is invited to attend services at Central Church this Sunday.

Little League baseball has made more than one North Torrance boy from 8 to 12 take to the field for some strenuous practice, and many have been assigned to the various teams. The Harvey Braves have Larry Anthony and Mike Deasey; the Kiwanis Dodgers have Don Baker and Richard Hamilton. The Lions Club grabbed Camden Corberly while the Police Department Pirates boast Ross Groves. The Farm Team has John Streetmaker, who is also bat boy for the Braves, and Paul Anthony. Opening games will be held June 20 at the Little League Field at the parade in downtown Torrance. The first games should start at 2 o'clock. For those unfamiliar with this organization, the sponsors provide the uniforms but the boys must provide gloves and shoes.

Any organization caring to supply shoes for North Torrance boys can do so by calling Menlo 4-0188. The Auxiliary, a group of mothers of the boys, will sell hot dogs, lemonade and coffee on the grounds this June 20. Umpires are needed, so keep this number in mind.

Birthday week on Faysmith recently, with Neil Hoffman having a patio party in honor of his seventh birthday, Pamela Haas a luncheon for her ninth birthday, Bruce Smith a party for his fifth and a slumber party for Sue Dudley, who invited the following over to honor her thirteenth birthday, Carlos Seligst, Carol Parks, Patty Reilly, Francis Martin, Diane Holecher and Kathleen Eytkenon.

Mrs. Eva Hamel, 17020 Faysmith, was called by her son, Dr. Hamel of Redlands, to care

B. S. Talk
 (Barber Shoppers)
 By DOUG MCCLAY

INTERNATIONAL CONTEST
 Yes, this is the time of the year when the international contest rolls around. It's in Detroit, Mich., this year on June 10 to 14. That's including the convention and everything. The actual contest is Saturday, June 13. The location changes each year and Los Angeles is making a bid for it in 1956.

Yeah, I know, it seems a long way off, but this is pretty big time stuff and is booked up several years in advance. As a matter of fact, competition is so great for the annual blow-out, that if a city wants to enter the race it is letting itself in for a high-power SELLING JOB. Members having experience in public relations and advertising are consulted. A movement is started that is virtually a publicity campaign. All the tricks in the book are used to entice the powers-that-be to consider OUR TOWN for the show.

The SPEBSQSA's annual contest and convention is akin to any national convention, and thousands of visitors and members crowd the town's hotels, tourist camps, and streets. So, for five days Detroit will be full of barbershop harmony at every turn. It makes a huge place to hold all those people, of course. The Shrine Auditorium is about the biggest place of its kind in Los Angeles. I understand it seats around 5000 people. And the barbershoppers FILLED it two years ago when a DISTRICT CONTEST was held. So you can imagine the situation when the INTERNATIONAL shindig is brought to our fair town. I might add at this time that

for her daughter-in-law who is very ill.

The most unfortunate lady in the neighborhood at this reading is Mrs. Audrey Hoffmaster, 176th St. way, who has three little children with the chicken-pox!

the report is the SPEBSQSA is the only amateur organization to ever fill that huge place. Quite a trick if you can do it!

I understand that Detroit has been a sellout for two months. Quite a few are going from the Los Angeles area, of course, including our own prey, Herb Allen. Herb is making good use of his vacation time! He will have lots to tell us when he returns.

Our own Torrance show plans (Little League Benefit) are coming along. Arrangements being made with outside talent and a committee being set up for the myriad details connected with a show of this size. Show will be July 25, as it appears now from here. Hope to have more specific dope soon. Things are in a sort of nebulous state at the moment, however.

Gotta go now and work out a swipe on that new quartet song. See you next week.

D. M.

Long Beach State Offers Remedial Reading Course

Long Beach State College will offer a nine-week Remedial Reading Clinic and Workshop course for secondary teachers from June 22 to August 21, inclusive. It was announced this week.

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