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Summer 'Safaris' Planned For Kiddies by Library

Summer "safaris" to here, the Doctor's home in Puddle-there and everywhere will be booked at the Torrance branch to the Los Angeles County Public Library, 1345 Post Ave., the day school lets out for all the Reading club. Everybody boys and girls who want to go is welcome and it promises lots is welcome and its promises lots. boys and girls who want to go is welcome and it promises lots

on a vacation adventure.

In case you don't know what "safari" means, Miss Lila Held, the Torrance Branch Chil-

ary's summer treat is "Doctor Dolittle's Summer Safari." What boy or girl hasn't heard of the famous Doctor John Dolittle and his fabulous animal friends, "Chee-Chee," the monkey; "Polynesia," the parrot; "Gub-Gub," the pig; "Too-too," the owl; "Dab-Dab," the duck; and that very strange animal "Pushmi-Pully. strange animal, "Pushmi-Pully

THEY ARE all in the Doctor Dolittle books and if you haven't already met them at

Californians Giving More, **Bigger Gifts**

Californians are giving more and bigger gifts these days.

This is the word from State Controller Alan Cranston, who keeps track of gift tax collec-tions. Cranston noted that the gift tax is yielding about 50 per cent more for the General Fund this year than it did last

By the end of the current fiscal year on June 30, Crans-ton said, the gift tax is ex-pected to have produced \$5.3 million. Last year it raised \$3.6

million.

The controller reported that the average collection per gift tax return this year is \$763, compared with \$569 last year. More than 7,000 returns already have been filed this year — about 14 per cent more than last year.

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cransion said a strengthen-ed auditing program may also be responsible in part for the increased revenue.

The state gift tax law re-quires the filing of a return by any donor of a gift of more than \$4,000 in value in any one

Returns are filed with the Controller's office, which de-termines the amount of tax due, if any.

Three Given School Honor

Recipients of Alpha Gamma Sigma gold pins include five El Camino College graduates not previously named among the 32 who achieved life mem-bership in the scholastic honor

bership in the scholastic honor society.

Completing a full program of study with a minimum grade average of 3.3 for three semesters, the five received their gold pins from Dr. Jeanne J. Garrison, advisor of the group, at a recent campus awards banquet.

awards banquet.
The five are Ronald Dransfeldt, El Segundo; Marie Gantner, Manhattan Beach; Leah R. Hammond, Inglewood; Gerri P. Harinck, Torrance, and Beverly Flo Hart, Torrance.

Mrs. Joan Ladderbush, leader, presented the wings to the girls, and Mrs. Rose Prentiss, co-leader, conducted the pinning ceremony.

nie La Coe, Carol Ann Ploen, and Jo Ann Ploen.

Alondra Park to Shoot Fireworks

Alondra Regional Park, 3850 Manhattan Beach Blvd., is of-fering its annual protechnic display on July 4.

Mhen the sun goes down, fireworks will be seen exploding in the sky. The fireworks will be shot off from the island on the lake side at 3535 Redondo Beach Blvd.

Reservations are now being

Reservations are now being taken for reserved seats for 25 cents. Additional information can be obtained at Alondra Regional Park at DA 3-8125.

of fun. There will be a special party for all members in the fall. To become a member you

The full name of the library's summer treat is "Doctor Dolittle's Summer Safari."

What boy or girl hasn't and you can accompany him heard of the famous Doctor on any one you choose on any one you choose.

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Each "safari" is just like the Each "safari" is just like the Doctor's garden in Puddleby. You wander for days and days and always come upon something new.

So boys and girls hurry to your library, talk over this unusual vaction activity with the librarian and get in on the fun at the start.

Local Leagues Will Sponsor District Finals

Torrance Central and North Torrance East Little Leagues will host the District 27 tournament play at their home fields, announcd John Schnepp,

North Torrance East's Gar

rett Field, located at 190th Street and Arlington on the AiResearch Co. property, will

host four games.

The schedule for the district play follows:

No. 1 C July 19 — Harbor City — Torrance Central — Mobil Field — 5:30 p.m. No. 2 — July 19 — North Torrance East — Freeway — Garrett Field — No. 2

East — Freeway — Garren

5:30 p.m.
No. 3 — July 20 — Torrance American — North Torrance West — Mobil Field — 5:30 p.m.
No. 4 — July 20 — Lomita — Torrance National — Garrett Field —
Winner No. rance National —
5:30 p.m.
No. 5 — July 21 — Winner No.
Domingues — Garrett Field —

No. 6 — July 21 — Winner of No. 2 — Pacific Coast — Garrett Field — 2 Pacific Coast — Garves

1:15 J.m. July 21 — Winner of No.

3 — Winner of No. 5 — Mobil Field

5:30 p.m. July 27 — Winner of No.

4 — Winner of No. 6 — Mobil Field

5:30 p.m. No. 8 — Mobil Field

7 — Winner of No. 8 — Mobil Field

1 p.m. — Will play at The district winner will play at West Lakewood on Aug. 1.

Girl Scout Troop 128

Girl Scouts of Troop 128 re-cently attended the Senior Girl Scout Mariner Gam at Newport

Dunes.

Approximately 30 ships, or troops, and 600 girls from the Los Angeles area gathered for this three-day Gam. The Mariners of Troop 128, or the Ann McKim ship, planned and prepared for this trip at their weekly meetings. weekly meetings.

DURING THE Friday eve Brownie Troop 28

A Fly-Up Ceremony for the girls from Brownie Troop 28, who became intermediate Girl Scouts, was recently held in the Higgins Brick Yard patio. Participating in presentation of the flag were Diane Johnston, Lynne Kilgore, Cynthia Plebanek, and Annett Prentiss.

Mrs. Joan Ladderbush lead.

BURING THE Friday evening camp, consisting of three tents, a tarp shelter, a working tanks, a tache, a grease pit, one drying rack, two washing stands, the ship's flag, and the red inner the girls gathered around the campfire for informal entertainment.

Saturday morning after breakfast the camp was read-

mal entertainment.

Saturday morning after breakfast the camp was readied for inspection. The mariners took tests on compass, bell time and watches, and thins. There are three divico-leader, conducted the pinning ceremony.
Invested were Retta Lyn
Holcomb, Cheryl Evans, Diane
Johnston, Lynn Kilgore, Debble Lailer, Jane Niswonger,
Cynthia Plebanek, Annett
Prentiss, Camilla Seeger, Susan Wizer, Patti O'Rouke, Bonnie La Coe, Carol Ann Ploen,

SUNDAY CHURCH services were held, followed by the awards ceremony where the Ann McKim was awarded the rank of sloor

Mrs. L. H. Voien, is leader, and Mrs. C. T. Rippy Jr., is co-leader, and the troop is sponsored by the Torrance Kiwanis Club. Members are: Judy Bradford, Danielle De Boer, Darlene Gray, Cindy Geirger, Jackie Harmon, Carolyn Jensen, Mary Kane, Jacquee Megow, Gina Peckham, Kathy Rippy, Kay Roberts, Candy Voien, Nancy Whitcomb, Cindy Wicker, Dana Wolinsky, Linda Wyatt, Sharon Stout, Karen Waren, Bonnie Dalton, Raphara, Leffers, and Dalton, Barbara Jeffers, and

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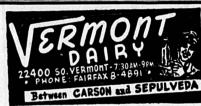
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