## Scouts Given Antique Flag

An American flag from the Mrs. Clair Fillman, Mrs. Ruth The boys were brought from Spanish American War was pre-sented to Cub Pack 371C at their first meeting recently. The flag was given to the boys

by Mrs. Josephine Almon, on will be held in their respective

Eugene R. Hill, Ray Pickerbehalf of her husband who homes on Saturdays. served in the war as Calvary Committee chairman, David ing, and Ruby Vincent are Watson, paid special tribute to among the well known sports Corporal from 1898 to 1902. Seventeen boys were inducted a color guard from Walteria to the pack at this meeting. Troop 240C which instructed car racers in Torrance.

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the group in the formation of

a color guard.



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By ROY O. GILBERT, M. D. Los Angeles County Health Officer

Rabies is now prevalent among the animal population in the southern part of Los Angeles County, and within this area 122 dogs have contracted the disease during the

past few months. This represents a tragic amount of animal suffering

that could have been avoided. Editor ... for rabies is a disease that can, and must, be prevented by vaccination. There is no cure for it either in dog or man.

Schwab Praised Rabies is an animal disease usually transmitted by dogs to Editor Torrance Press: other domestic animals, and man.

Councilman Mervin Schwab It is generally the dog Dear Councilman Schwab: rather than the cat that spreads Congratulations for your the infection since it is the dog courage on the rabies issue. We are very recent residents

Dear

Attention:

that most often comes in contact with the wild animals that of Torrance. From our home in are the reservoirs of the dis-Long Beach, we had watched ease with interest the rabies issue Once a dog becomes infected here as our plans included buy-

the disorder quickly spreads to others of its kind, and the dising a home in Torrance (now under construction.) The safety of our 8-year-old canine population as it is ease becomes endemic in the daughter concerned me. Two among wild animals. months ago when the law was

**Vaccination The Answer** rejected, I honestly wondered if The wholesale vaccination of we had made a wise choice in dogs would prevent further locating where was an apparent spread of canine rabies, and negligence for the safety es- the danger of human rabies pecially of children. would then be lessened to the But your stand on Tuesday vanishing poin.

night now prompts me to add Since cats have never yet, my thanks to a list of grateful been included in a program of compulsory vaccination and Sincerely yours,

since wild animals cannot be, (s) HELEN S. EGGLESTON control of the disease would 2074 Middlebrook Ave. never be 100 per cent possible. (temporary address) But, as in those parts of the world where compulsory vac-

cination has been the practice for some time, cases of either canine or human rabies would become exceedingly rare. **How Administered** 

Such a program provides for to the Press staff and to all in the impounding of stray, un-Torrance and surrounding comvaccinated dogs and their demunities for their many kindstruction or vaccination before nesses during the recent illness release. This procedure also and death of our dear husband holds true of those dogs whose and father, Herbert C. Allen. owners, for some reason or All the personal calls, cards, other, do not have them vaccinletters, flowers, and the Bar- ated. bershoppers of the SPEBSQSA But, for the safety of the

stopping in to sing for him more favorably placed, the most unfortunate may suffer the The many messages of sym- final misfortune of death. Alpathy and condolence have though many of these pitiable

been indeed a comfort-deeply appreciated and gratefully cently which were unsigned, yet which merit publication. If individuals consider their

Sincerely, Mrs. Inez J. Allen,

made him very happy.

acknowledged.

ideas important enough, they Mr. and Mrs. Hugh C. Allen should be willing to endorse Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Colethem. man.

May we express our thanks

. . . Editor's note: The Torrance Press welcomes all expressions of opinion and will be glad to reproduce letters from our readers so long as they do not contain libelous. statements. It is absolutely necessary, however, that all letters are signed. Upon request, we will be glad to withold publication of the signature. A number of letters have been received reThursday, September 22, 1955

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## Living It Up



sound planning, effective de-YOUNGEST MEMBER attending the Father-and-Son ainner held sign and decoration, and the by the Kiwanis club Monday night was Scott Hofferber, 5 months, son of Dr. and Mrs. Allen H. Hofferber of 1624 Iris. utmost in worksaving equipment for the modern home Youngsters were showered with attention and gifts .-- Press Photo maker.

creatures are no doubt leading | some question of the safety of a dog's life in the full sense of the vaccine when used in cats. kitchen in which food could be neatly stored, easily prepared the expression, their destruction There is a decided difference nevertheless seems a very great pity. Only by compulsory vac-cination, however, can repies in these two household pets just cination, however, can rabies in as there is in susceptibility to dogs and humans be controlled. disease. Nor are remedies ad- Glendora, South Pasadena, and vised for dogs necessarily rec. El Monte have all had such a

Vaccine Is Safe Many individuals, genuinely ommended for cats and vice law for a number of years. fond of their pets, are opposed versa. to vaccination against rabies **Pasteur Shots Dangerous** because of the fear that the vaccine might actually cause the disease rather than prevent

Pasteur treatment that must be Research through the years Research through the years has resulted in a vaccine that is lowing the bite of an unidenticonsidered as safe as such a fied or rabid dog. product can ever be, and only In every course of 14 injectwo cases of rabies have occurred in the approximately tions that constitutes the standard Pasteur treatment, there three million doses that have been given. In both of these is a certain degree of hazard instances, the vaccine was given from postvaccinal encephalitis, contrary to the standards es. a disorder that affects the brain tablished for its safe adminis- and spinal cord causing either disability or death. tration.

One case occured in a puppy In recent weeks a number of under three months of age, al- beach cities in Los Angeles though directions state that the County have passed compulsory and its prevention in greater devaccine should not be given dog vaccination laws. These tail will be mailed to anyone when the animal is at so tender include Torrance, Manhattan who sends a card of request to an age, The other case occured Beach, Hermosa Beach, Redon- the Los Angeles County Health in a kitten. Peculiary enough, there is vina, West Covina, Claremont, ueroa street, Los Angeles 12.

The truth of the matter is vaccinated before they are rethat dog vaccination against leased from the animal shelter. rabies is a lot safer than the All health authorities recommend that compulsory anti-rables vaccination of dogs be done for the good of both dogs and man. People have little hesitancy in protecting themselves from many serious illness by vaccination, and it seems no more than ordinarily humane that this form of disease prevention be

extended to the animals who serve as their intimate household pets.

Pamphlets describing rabies do Beach, and Hawthorne. Co- Department, 241 North Fig-



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FEATURE

KITCHEN

An exciting model kitchen

featuring California arts and

artists and the world premiere

of three gleaming gas appli

ances is sure to be the hit of

the Arts in Western Living ex

hibit at the Los Angeles Coun

ty Fair in Pomona, Sept. 16

The three new appliances

which will be shown for the

first time publicly, are a built

in Western Holly rotisserie

broiler, a pre-production-mode!

Servel horizontal built-in re

frigerator, and an O'Keefe and

Merritt built-in combination

The kitchen, designed by Robert W. Kite, of the firm of Mill-

er, Royer, and Kite, offers

Architect Kite kept in mind

Whittier has a modified form

of the law that extends only

today's basic needs for a

washer-dryer unit.

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