

**Torrance Man Receives Apoinment from Firm**  
 H. R. Nebeker Jr., has been of the Synthetic Rubber Division manager of the new vision of Shell Chemical Company, it was announced to-

day by J. P. Cunningham, General Manager, at the Division's headquarters at Torrance.

Nebeker has been Senior Technologist of the Product Development section of Research and Development at the company's Torrance plant since 1958. He joined Shell Development Company, Emeryville, Calif., as a chemist

**Dinner Gathering Marks Couple's Fifth Year**  
 The Pen and Quill in Manhattan Beach was the setting for a dinner party commemorating Mr. and Mrs. James P. Davis of Torrance on their fifth wedding anniversary.

# Local Boy Scouts Scale Mountain

Boy Scouts of Troop 964 climbed Mt. Whitney the weekend of Aug. 12 and 13, beginning the ascent from Whitney Portal. The final leg of the climb was captured by Douglas Alcorn, Ronnie Hansen, Lloyd Harline, Rusty Mueller, Vernon Payne and Mark Rogers. Accompanying the "hi-toppers" was Jim Alcorn, scout master, and George Mueller, committeeman from Troop 214.

The climb culminated weeks of practice hikes and campouts. The most noteworthy part of the trip was that Douglas Alcorn of Cub Scout Pack 996, who is nine-years-old, is one of the youngest people to conquer the mountain," the scoutmaster said.

The mountain soars to an altitude of 14,502 feet above sea level.

The base camp crew was composed of Pat Alcorn and children; Norma Payne and children; Richard and Ricky Kleinmark; Orval, Steve, and Ricky Woodbury; Jon Payne and Kenneth Voight.

## Staff Sponsors Polio Clinic

Sponsored by Medical Staff and Volunteers, polio vaccine shots at \$1 each will be given Saturday, Sept. 10, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Robert Delaplaine Medical Group Center, 198 E. Carson St., it was announced today by the vaccine department of the March of Dimes.

First, second and third shots will be given to persons of all ages from three months and up at the clinic, according to the National Foundation.

"Under the new, accelerated program, the second inoculation should be taken two weeks after the first injection. The third injection should follow in four weeks," the department advised.

Dr. Robert Delaplaine, chairman of the polio vaccine clinic, pointed out polio again is on the increase in Los Angeles County, with 116 cases of paralytic polio reported to date this year, as compared with 92 cases in 1959. A total of 190 cases were reported last year, an increase of nearly 51 per cent over 1958.

Pre-school children were hardest hit, representing nearly half of the cases. Next highest incidence was among five to nine year olds, followed closely by the 20 to 29 year olds. Seven cases were reported among persons over 40 years of age, four of them past 50 years.

## City Parks Cease Summer Programs

Play activities at all school playgrounds concluded Aug. 26. Supervised play programs will terminate for the summer at parks Aug. 31, according to the Torrance Recreation Department.

Cessation of the summer programs will allow the department to prepare for autumn activities.

Afternoon and Saturday supervision will resume at parks Sept. 19, although McMaster Park will conduct touch football practice Sept. 6 through 15 from 5 until 10 p.m.

Summer programs have closed at South, North and Torrance High Schools and at Walteria School.

## Auxiliary Holds Special Meeting

A special meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the South Bay Pharmaceutical Association will be held today at the home of Mrs. David Forsyth.

Mrs. Donald Damarest, president, will bring up the Pharmacy Scholarship Fund for discussion, which will be designated for a student or students before the beginning of the fall semester.

Other business will be the third annual combined installation dinner dance to be held Sept. 24 at the Palos Verdes Country Club.

At the recent 54th Annual Convention and Drug Trade Show held in Fresno, State Auxiliary officers were elected. The auxiliary has two of its members on the executive board. Mrs. Fred Reese, second vice president and Mrs. David Forsyth, parliamentary are the board members.

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