



STREET IMPROVEMENTS

NORTH GLENDALE PEOPLE JUBILANT OVER ROAD WORK—OTHER ITEMS

Of much interest to North Glendale residents is the fact that the long promised road improvements of Central and North Pacific avenues, also Kenneth road, will soon be a reality, the contracts having been let, George L. Terrill securing the contract for Pacific avenue and Kenneth road, while Merrill has the contract for Central avenue. The work is to be done under the road district improvement act of 1907, at a cost to the property owners of \$31,022, the county furnishing the oil and rock, which will cost \$12,000, making a total cost of the improvements of \$43,022. The distance to be improved will be about four miles and will add greatly to the valuation of property in the entire district.

Mrs. B. L. Lytle of New Jersey, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Irving H. Oliver on Acacia street, Tropic, left Sunday afternoon for San Francisco, where she will visit a daughter who resides in the bay city and attend the exposition.

Miss Alpha Clement of 1321 North Pacific avenue returned home last Thursday from an extended stay with relatives in Lindsay. Mr. Clement's father, Mr. J. R. Clement, returned with the young lady and will spend the summer in North Glendale, as the house guest of his son and family. Miss Alpha's many friends are delighted to have her home again, as she has been missed in the social pleasures of the young people here.

Miss Ruby F. Wright of 1649 Ruth street, with Miss Hazel Anderson of 320 Cedar street, went to Los Angeles Monday afternoon to meet Miss Louise Butterfield, a popular resident of Glendale who during the past six months has been in Calexico. In the evening the party were guests of Miss Anderson at dinner before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Fryer of 1424 North Pacific avenue, entertained as their guests last Sunday Mr. Fryer's sister, Mrs. J. C. Shepherd, who with Mr. Shepherd and son, Mr. Jamie Shepherd of Whittier, enjoyed a motor trip over to North Glendale.

Mr. Jack Wilder of Oxnard has leased his property at 1660 Ruth street to Mr. J. Miller of Los Angeles, who with his family are cosily domiciled therein.

Mr. Elvord Mager of Angeleno Heights, Los Angeles, was the guest for the week end of his sister, Mrs. Bert J. Lyons of 1617 Ruth street.

MISS BOUCHER HOSTESS

A merry party of young people gathered at the home of Miss Margaret Boucher, 224 South Louise street, last Friday evening and enjoyed games and dancing. Miss Boucher was assisted by her mother and Mrs. J. M. Lynn in the entertainment of a number of her friends, among whom were the following: Evangeline Hunchberger, Ernestine Lyon, Mildred Wight, Marjorie Imler, Esther Schremp, Lilly Schick, Kathryn Renshaw, Wuanita Emery, Florence Heacock, Mona Butler, Katherine Phillips, Eugene Imler, William Bode, William Renshaw, Paul McGowan, Thomas Phillips, George Hastings, Frank Hester, Harry Spink, Chancellor Livingston and Robert Cowlin. The home was artistically decorated with Cecil Brunner roses and ferns. In a coin game the prize was won by William Bode, while Mildred Wight captured the prize in a movie game.

SPLendid MUSICAL

The musicale given at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Eames, 703 North Brand boulevard, Tropic, Monday evening, was a delight to all who attended. The program consisted of numbers by the very best talent and was thoroughly appreciated. The choir of St. Mark's feels deeply grateful, not only to those who so kindly took part, but also to Dr. and Mrs. Eames, who so graciously opened their beautiful home to all to aid the choir.

FORMER MISSIONARY ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Harriet M. Dow, 141 South Orange street, had as dinner guests Monday evening Rev. and Mrs. Edwin E. Adams and their daughter Bessie of Chicago, who passed through the city from San Francisco enroute to San Diego. Rev. Adams is a Congregational pastor in Chicago who was at one time missionary to Bohemia.

One of the war needs is a self-nouncing geography.

THE BIBLE INSPIRED

DR. JOHN BALCOM SHAW GIVES SECOND IN SERIES OF ADDRESSES

Monday night just as the clock ticked 7:45 the auditorium of the high school was packed to the limit to hear the second of the series of Bible lectures being given under the auspices of the Ministerial association. Rev. C. Irving Mills, D. D., president of the association, presided and the meeting was opened with prayer by the Rev. E. E. Francis of the Christian church.

Misses Marian Carmichael and Vivian Engle sang with sweetness and power that beautiful song, "My Guide and Keeper." Then the Rev. W. E. Edmonds of the Presbyterian church introduced the speaker, the Rev. John Balcom Shaw, D. D., whose atmosphere is a power and an inspiration. He spoke on "The Bible the Inspired Word of God."

He said: "I read the Bible and the times and I find that God has put more of himself into this book than into any other book." He treated the subject under four heads, showing that inspiration is an extraordinary divine agency upon teachers, while giving instruction, by which they were taught what and how they should write or speak; as well as the divine providence in keeping the sacred oracles and their dispensation to the world. Dr. Shaw said:

1. What is inspiration? Then he quoted from II Peter 1:21: "For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man, but holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost." Ten in the New Testament and twenty-five in the Old Testament constitute the thirty-five writers of the Bible. These writers take part in the divine scheme extending over sixteen hundred years, write sixty-six separate books and these all unite, not by the bookbinder's art, but by their inherent nature, into one Bible. Written by men of varied stations and gifts and widely separated in time. What is the explanation? The answer, inspiration of God.

2. How did God preserve the book? Ink fades and paper decays. So he sees the divine hand in the vellum manuscripts which are in almost perfect condition after fifteen hundred years. He also said they were no unenspired amanuenses, but vestal virgins, converts from heathendom, whom Origen used in copying the word. Their work was done after invoking the Holy Spirit and that only could account for so few mistakes. God's hand was at work. Then these volumes were kept from final destruction through the years in a way that no finite mind can account for aside from God. Where was the Codex Vaticanus for eleven hundred years? "I think it was in the Alexandrian library, but for a long time God took care of it." It is in the vatican at Rome, where it was received in 1448 after being conserved from the fourth century. Then the Sinaitic Codex discovered by Tischendorf in a convent out in the desert where old vellum manuscripts were being used for fires. Why did they not use this book for kindling? God was taking care.

3. How translated to a new language? Here he discussed the various translations by Wickliff, Tyndall, Coverdale and others and spoke of the work of Jerome in Bethlehem in the place where Christ was born, how that eminent scholar was used of God in giving to the world the Vulgate which is used unto this day in all Catholic priestly services. Then of how the Bible was translated into the best English of Shakespeare time so that God could not but be understood. He takes it that the revised version of the Bible will not supersede the authorized version because God was in the simplicity of the English of that day and makes this a part of inspiration.

4. Wide circulation inspired of God. While two of our most popular novels have a combined sale of 495,000, the Bible has a sale of 5,000,000 copies. Thus he showed the marks by which we may know our Bible is the book of God. "Here it is, hoary with the centuries, baptized with the tears and blood of saints, flaming with the scintillating fires of a thousand marvels, literary, moral, spiritual. Mere paper and ink, it yet speaks with the tongue of all time and of all place. It is the oldest book, and yet one most widely read today. It is the simplest book, yet a thousand libraries have grown out of it. It seems to be nothing more than a miscellaneous collection of tracts, widely separated in time and style, yet open it anywhere and you find the same theme. It is the most thoroughly human book; more personal to the business man than his ledger; to the student than his text-books; to the man of leisure than his diaries.

TROPICO ITEMS

MISS OTT HOSTESS TO LIBRARY WORKERS—PLAYGROUNDS CELEBRATION MAY 7

The beautiful and spacious grounds surrounding the home of Miss Susan Ott on East Cypress street were the scene of a merry gathering Sunday afternoon when Miss Ott entertained the Los Angeles county and the Los Angeles city library staff with a most charming garden party. The soft and balmy spring air was redolent with the perfume of roses, orange blossoms and many spring flowers. Through the branches of trees and shrubs many birds flitted to and fro warbling in their sweetest notes their joy and happiness. Mrs. Lillian Burkhardt Goldsmith, the dramatic reader of national reputation, gave several readings, among them "The Mob," by Gifford. The music of the ukulele was wafted through the gardens. Then a dancing girl added to the pleasures of the afternoon. Charles H. Cushing, Tropic city librarian, was among the guests whom Miss Ott so charmingly entertained in such an ideal spot that all imagined they were in fairyland.

Mrs. Ella W. Richardson, chairman of the committee planning for the celebration of the completion of the municipal playgrounds, announces that this celebration has been postponed from Saturday evening, May 1st, until Friday evening, May 7th. This postponement is necessary owing to the fact that the playgrounds will not be completed by the first day of the month. This deferred celebration will be all the larger and better, as it will give the committee more time in which to complete their elaborate arrangements for this celebration, in which every citizen of Tropic is very much interested. The subscription list at the Tropic bank is being lengthened with the names of many citizens who are quite desirous of aiding this most worthy cause.

Mrs. Louise Purnell, accompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth Kasseall and Mrs. M. Parker, has returned from a three days' auto trip to San Diego. The exposition was visited, as well as every point of interest in San Diego and at Tia Juana.

N. P. Banks Camp, Sons of Veterans, will hold their regular semi-monthly meeting in G. A. R. hall this evening. There will be initiation and every member and visiting member in the valley is urged to be present.

Mrs. Ernest J. Morgan and son, Eric Morgan, left for El Centro, their future home, Sunday morning. Mr. Morgan preceded Mrs. Morgan and son to the Imperial valley about a week ago.

TELL THE EDITOR HOW

Mr. Samuel Parker of Glendale, who is a frequent contributor to The News, recently made the statement that no one thinks of telling the editor how to run his paper, although the minister is often told how he shall preach.

This is the first time we have caught Mr. Parker in a mis-statement but this is due to the fact that while he has long contributed to newspapers, he has evidently never edited or published one.

Scarcely a day passes but some one volunteers information as to how the paper should be conducted, sometimes in a very peremptory manner. In fact, many people think that the fact of their being subscribers to the paper puts them in the position to have the right to shape the policy of the paper. The editor is thankful for suggestions and would like to please every subscriber, but it can readily be seen that everyone's suggestions cannot be adopted. However, it is usually the subscriber further in arrears that has the most severe criticisms to offer.

FREE EXHIBITION OF CELEBRATED PICTURE OF CHRIST

The Art section of the Tuesday Afternoon club have arranged for the exhibition of the celebrated painting of Christ by Darius Cobb, at the high school auditorium on the evening of Wednesday, May 5th. Admission free and the general public are cordially invited to be present.

Yet at the same time it is so far removed above human thought that no mortal has ever claimed to be in any true sense its author. Wonderful book! Our God is marching on; I see him coming with the Bible in his hand; that is why I preach it, and that is why I study it. All our savior said is in the book our mothers read. Holy Bible, book divine, precious treasures thou art mine!"

The next lecture will be given by the Rev. D. F. Fox, D. D., next Monday evening at 7:45 on the subject of "Christian Faith."

H. J. HARTSELL,
Secy. Ministerial Assn.

DIRECT ROUTE TO CITY

COMMITTEE OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE CONFERS WITH OTHERS INTERESTED

On Friday night Messrs. J. N. McGillis, A. M. Brooks and G. B. Woodberry, representatives of the Glendale Chamber of Commerce, met at Tropic with representatives of Burbank, Tropic, Edendale and Atwater for the purpose of considering the feasibility of extending Brand boulevard across the Los Angeles river. This would be the most direct route from Glendale to the city of Los Angeles, as well as a most beautiful driveway. The chief obstacle in opening this route is the expense of constructing a bridge over the river. The city council of Los Angeles has had this problem under consideration for some time and they are still considering the matter, with some prospects of a favorable report. The Glendale committee will meet representatives from all the San Fernando valley towns and the interested communities of Los Angeles on Wednesday evening of this week. We hope to present a map of this route in the near future.

COUNTY SCHOOLS INVITED

Every school and school district in Los Angeles county is invited to take part in the great parade that will open the magnificent children's pageant in Los Angeles beginning on June 3.

"Southern California, Home of Youth," is the general title under which will be grouped entries from all educational institutions. The sunshine, flowers, gardens, homes, legendry, romance and beauty, all in historic settings will be unfolded by the flower of the county's young people.

There will be seven divisions in the parade, which will include the city and county schools and the state normal. R. J. Sterrett, principal of the Los Angeles high school, has general charge of the pageant, and Irvin Hague, of Manual Arts high, is parade manager. Entries may be made by the county schools to either of these at once.

The pageant is under the auspices of the 1915 general committee on entertainment. The parade will be at 10 o'clock on the morning of the first day, thus giving all taking part an opportunity to view the opening of the pageant in the afternoon.

RIDERS GATHER FOR BIG RODEO

Five hundred cowboys and cowgirls, gathered in Los Angeles for the biggest round-up ever held in the United States, will be a most picturesque feature of the Golden West pageant to be produced next Saturday morning under the auspices of the 1915 general committee.

Every range state west of the Mississippi will be represented in the personnel of this contingent, and among the riders will be the most famous broncho busters, both men and women, in the country.

Sharing honors with the plainsmen will be the entire membership of the Westerners, 306 strong, including both horsemen and horsewomen. The Westerners will include in their number Troop C, made up of the Ventura county members of this typical southwestern organization.

The Venturans, to the number of sixty, will be commanded by Maj. J. A. Driffill, manager of the American Beet Sugar company's factory at Oxnard.

The Westerners and the cowboys will make up the first of the six divisions of Saturday's pageant, and they will be led by the famous cowboys' band, headed by Captain Jack Sinclair of Cody, Colo.

Among the latest arrivals to compete in the Rodeo, which will open May 1 at the Stadium, East Thirty-fifth street and Hooper avenue, is Jason Stanley, a Chicago attorney, who reached Los Angeles Monday. Mr. Stanley learned to ride in Oklahoma, where he was born, and he wears a diamond medal as the world's champion pony-express rider. This trophy was awarded him last year at the Pendleton round-up.

Another woman rider in the cowgirls' relay race, one of the big numbers on the Rodeo program, is Mrs. Nettie Hawn of Fresno county, who with her husband, "Happy Jack" Hawn, has figured in many breath-taking range Olympic stunts at various points along the Pacific coast.

Mr. Hawn brought with him to Los Angeles the biggest collection of bucking horses ever assembled in the San Joaquin valley. Most of these are wild animals, never having been ridden.

The trouble in Europe may make the work of royal matchmakers more difficult.

DOINGS AT CITY HALL

CONSIDER TERMS OF TRANSFER OF VERDUGO PIPE AND RESERVOIR CO.

The regular weekly meeting of the board of trustees of the city of Glendale was held in the city hall on Monday evening, April 26th, 1915. Present: O. A. Lane, president of the board, and Trustees Chas. Grist, J. S. Thompson, A. W. Tower and George Williams. Also present: T. W. Watson, city manager; J. C. Sherer, city clerk; W. E. Evans, city attorney; H. B. Lynch, manager of the public service department; Edw. M. Lynch, city engineer; G. B. Hoffman, city treasurer, and G. H. Herald, city marshal.

The minutes of the preceding session were read and the same were approved. A communication was read from the secretary of the Verdugo Pipe and Reservoir company stating upon what conditions their stockholders and directors would transfer the water system owned by that company to the city of Glendale. It is the wish of owners of shares of water stock in this company, that the city, in taking over this plant must agree to furnish the resident shareholders with water at the same price as it now costs them. They also request that the transfer to the city be made on condition that if additional water is developed by the city in Verdugo canyon, that the owners of water stock will have their interests protected as the result of such development of water supply.

J. C. Sherer, who is a director of the Verdugo Pipe and Reservoir company, suggested to the board of trustees that it would be well to have the trustees meet the directors and after having a clear understanding on both sides as to what is for the best interests of the city and the best interests of the stockholders of the water company, he thinks satisfactory arrangements can be made to have the transfer made.

In compliance with Mr. Sherer's suggestion, a motion prevailed that when the regular meeting of Monday evening adjourned, such meeting would adjourn to meet Wednesday evening at 7:30, at which time the directors of the Verdugo Pipe and Reservoir company will be expected to be in attendance to talk the matter of making the transfer of the Verdugo Pipe and Reservoir company to the city.

The time having arrived for the hearing of protests against the opening and widening of Broadway east of Everett street, on motion the hearing was taken up for consideration. George W. Johnson, 420 South Isabel street, spoke against the opening and widening of said street. He said times are too hard to require property owners to pay for improvements that are not absolutely necessary at the present time. He reminded the trustees that he has always been in favor of reasonable improvements in Glendale and stands yet in favor of all that tends toward progress, but he thinks this is an instance in which the spending of money by the citizens may be deferred until financial conditions are better. He said he is well aware that the majority of property owners favor the opening and widening of the street, but he thinks this is one instance in which the wishes of the minority should be heard and their request granted.

Members of the board assured Mr. Johnson that his assessment would not likely be more than ten dollars, whereupon Mr. Johnson replied that he was not talking entirely for himself, but for other people to whom it would be a burden to pay these assessments. Information from the city engineer gave evidence that there are about 22,000 feet of frontage in the assessment district and that protests had been offered by owners of about 1400 feet of such frontage. The engineer stated that many of the letters of protest did not contain a description of the property, so it is difficult for him to know what frontage such protestants represent. A motion prevailed that the protests be denied.

Bids were now opened for the improvement of Hawthorne street and Central avenue. Contractors submitting bids were: O. M. Patton, G. A. Constantine, Thomas C. Brackenstein, Peter L. Ferry, D. P. Schilling, B. A. Clayton and F. R. Sinclair. The bids were referred to the city engineer, who will report on the same later.

The city manager, T. W. Watson, in making his report, recommended that an ordinance be passed amending the ordinance designating at what time of the year the taxes shall be paid. It has been the custom to have taxes on real estate paid annually, the same becoming delinquent at the close of the year. The amendment as introduced by the city manager designates that one-half of the (Continued on Page 4)

NOVEL INVENTION

GLENDALE MAN HAS BROUGHT EXPERIMENTS TO SUCCESSFUL CONCLUSION

J. H. Badgett of 431 East Second street, who has resided in Glendale for the past six years, has been experimenting for four years on a method of printing photographs on wood. He has brought his experiments to a successful conclusion as the samples of his work will show. This is something that has never before been accomplished as far as we can learn and Mr. Badgett's discovery marks an epoch in the photographic art world. The exposures are made on the usual negative and then transferred directly to the surface of the wood. The wood is not painted nor the grain destroyed and the finished product is very clear and fine.

Mr. Badgett uses orange wood, white maple, white holly and birch. He is making a picture of white flowers on dark oak.

Mr. Badgett is being warmly congratulated on the success of his experiments and has already received a number of orders for these novel and beautiful pictures. He is also busy preparing exhibits for the San Francisco and San Diego expositions.

These pictures on light colored wood with dark frames are indeed very handsome works of art and in addition to being something entirely new, possess an art value that would give them a place on the walls of any home. Mr. Badgett is a public benefactor.

BUSINESS COURTESY

A contributor to The News recently freed his mind in regard to impolite and indifferent clerks. He only expressed what many have felt, no doubt, for it is indeed trying to come in contact with a person who lacks business tact or common courtesy. It goes without saying that a customer is pleased to do business in a business house where his wants are attended to promptly and where the clerks do their utmost to please. In this day of competition it behooves the business man to use every effort to get and hold trade. Not the least important is the extending of courtesy to the customer or would-be customer. It is important that a customer is not kept waiting until a clerk is free from attending to some other one or until he takes a notion that he is ready to wait on the customer.

One of the greatest aids to discourtesy in the business world is the telephone. It seems to be second nature to some people to hide behind the telephone instrument, and nothing brands a man or woman a coward and a cheat so quickly as this. No matter who is called or for what purpose, it is only common, every-day courtesy for the person calling to give his name and for him to refuse when asked, is the height of ill-breeding.

RIGHTS ON THE HIGHWAY

In a locality where the automobile is so common and the automobile to be seen in any block at any hour, it is natural to accept the view that the driver as well as the pedestrian has certain rights. There is no doubt, however, that the rights of the driver have been greatly emphasized, until they have seemed to acquire undue proportions. In fact, they have so swollen that the other right, crowded out of real existence, abides in the imagination alone. The pedestrian has still the privilege of escaping, if agile. It is not alone in relation to the individual on foot that drivers seem to need instruction, but there should be some consideration for other drivers. When a man with a few drinks and a happy crowd aboard dashes along regardless of others, comes into collision with a machine that is abiding by the rules of the road, damages and perhaps destroys it, the incident may be considered closed. As a matter of justice the offender should be required to pay for all the injury done, and in addition to this, be deprived of his license for the period of a year.

In many cases actual homicide has resulted from carelessness clearly, criminal, but nobody is punished for this. One lad in Los Angeles has killed two men at different times, and while he seems not to be pleased at his prowess, he was excused, perhaps with a caution not to kill any more. He still drives a machine, and in the fullness of time, is expected to achieve a record of at least three. Responsibility for present lax conditions may be traced to the fact that violations of the statute, and of the unwritten laws of decency, do not carry any penalty. The chauffeur who chooses to run over a citizen or to smash an unoffending machine, seems to be at perfect liberty to do so, and unless his conscience troubles him, to go his way unpunished and unreformed.

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STORY OF THE GOLDEN WEST

Los Angeles is making final preparations this week to entertain the thousands of visitors expected for the big nine-day Fiesta and Rodeo celebration, which the 1915 general committee is staging from May 1 to 9 to add to the festivities of the Golden State during exposition year.

Leading off with the great street pageant, "The Story of the Golden West," the program includes floral pageants Saturday and Monday and the 1915 Rodeo running through nine days. The pageants will be street affairs, free to all; the Rodeo will be held in the big stadium at Hooper avenue and East Thirty-fifth street.

"The Story of the Golden West" will be an effort to visualize the life of a romantic past; the successive days of the Indian, the Spanish conquistador, the padres, the gold hunters and the plain pioneer. Entries for the pageant have been coming in from all over the state and when the procession moves Saturday morning it will be perhaps the most complete show of its kind ever undertaken.

As for the electrical pageant, "Queen Flora, a Feast of Flowers," Saturday evening, its beauties can only be surmised, for Fawcett Robinson, the creator of the floats, has kept them under cover. But even their assured beauty cannot surpass the living beauty of the girls and flowers that will be an attempt to depict the floral wealth of the Southland at the time when, above all others, wild and cultivated, are at their best. This parade will begin moving at 10 o'clock, and like the others, will traverse the business streets.

Prize money totalling \$2675 will be awarded for the most artistically arranged entries in this pageant. This money will be awarded in sums ranging from \$200 to \$5.

At the head of the pageant, which will be in six divisions, directed by Gen. Wankowski as grand marshal, will be the decorated autos entered by the board of supervisors, the city council and the Chamber of Commerce.

Municipal floats have been entered by the following cities: Santa Ana, Pasadena, Long Beach, Ocean Park, Huntington Park, Monrovia, Azusa, Gardena, Montebello, Inglewood and Fullerton. Chambers of Commerce and Boards of Trade of other Los Angeles county cities have expressed their intention of participating by making entries.

Lindsay, Tulare county, will show the orange from bud to ripe fruit. Upon this float will ride the Tulare orange queen and her court of pretty girls.

In class H there will be many elaborate floats, including a strong German-American representation by the German-American alliance, the Saengerfest committee and the Turn Verein Germania.

Among conspicuously elaborate entries in this class will be that of the Japanese association of Southern California, which will be a pageant in itself, with its own Oriental fiesta queen and her court.

Leading women of motion picture companies will be seen upon floats in this part of the production.

The fire department, which will be represented by twelve pieces of apparatus, will be the feature.

Among the marching clubs entered are the four companies of the Y. M. I. battalion, under command of Maj. J. L. Irwin; the White Star Patrol of the Glendale Lodge of Elks, and the White Squadron of the Los Angeles Elks.

The full membership of the Knights of the Rose Tournament, Pasadena, will take part in the pageant. In red and white hunting costume and riding beautiful horses they will be commanded by Liege Lord Frank G. Hogan.

Thirteen bands will furnish music for the pageant. These musical organizations will be headed by the 1915 City and County band.

Hundreds of horses will be seen in the fifth or equestrian division. A majority of these will be ridden by the Westerners, the typical southwestern organization of both men and women, and by the cowboys from all the range states of the West, here to participate in the 1915 Rodeo.

Another division of the pageant will be composed of six daylight floats prepared by Fawcett Robinson, America's foremost artistic electrical designer. These floats, which collectively will be designated as "the queen and her court," will be unique in that their like never before has been produced anywhere.

The title of these floats will be "Ben Hur," "Fairy Queen," "Naiad Queen," "American Beauty Rose," "Sleeping Beauty" and "Animated Flowers."

Still another division of the pageant will be made up of a silken Chinese dragon of great length, which will make its way through the streets attended by an Oriental-garbed retinue.

Preparations are complete at the 1915 stadium for producing the 1915 general committee's Rodeo, in which will appear the most daring horsemen and horse-women west of the Mississippi.

There will be 1000 riders and more than a thousand horses at this old Southwest range festival and a thrill a minute every afternoon for nine days, beginning Saturday, is the program promise.

Riders are now in Los Angeles awaiting the call to ride the most famous bucking horses in America, representing California, New Mexico, Arizona, Colorado, Montana, Wyoming and other states.

Not infrequently a misfortune becomes a ground for joy, simply by looking at it from a different angle.

BETTER TIMES AHEAD

With the exception of construction, the business of the country is now on an excellent basis, and construction on a large scale is the last to show the effect of unfavorable conditions, because financing has been provided in advance, and the last to resume the forward movement, for the reason that the necessary financing requires time.

The most striking evidence of renewed confidence is found in the investment market. There is a steadily increasing conversion of short notes into bonds, which means that the class which is in the best condition to judge believes that the future of the bond issuing corporations is assured, and that interest rates are unlikely to greatly advance.

While the increasing activity in the stock market doubtless represents speculation rather than investment, the speculators are a very bright class of men and their confidence as expressed in the course of the stock market reflects some very competent opinion.

The crop prospects of all kinds are excellent. The grain producing sections of the country are as prosperous as ever they were and their ability to purchase is reflected in increasing orders for all kinds of manufactures.

The cotton states, which for a time were in a most distressful condition, are rapidly recovering, owing to the free movement of cotton, even at the low prices which have prevailed, and prices are advancing. There is already "10 cent cotton" in evidence in the New York market, and it is in sight for the grower at home.

Here on the Pacific coast we have begun to harvest by far the largest tourist crop the West has ever known, some of which we were sure of, but much of which is as much the gift of war as the activity of the powder and shell factories.

The financial condition, as usual, after a period of depression, is very sound. General economy is adding greatly to the accumulated savings—possibly sufficient to make good the falling off in the revenues of some classes of corporations. At any rate, money is abundant, and its owners evidently believe it to be now safe to apply it to productive uses. And it is the fact that those make the most money in the rebound from a depression who are the first to recognize that the tide has turned.—San Francisco Chronicle.

NOT YET IN SIGHT

J. Pierpont Morgan, at a dinner in New York, said with his good natured chuckle:

"These industrial commissioners of ours are terrible men. The questions they ask you! 'What is the cause of poverty? How would you abolish crime? Please describe the origin of the universe?'"

Mr. Morgan laughed again. "I felt," he said, "like asking the commissioners a question in my turn. I felt like asking them, as little Willie asked his father:

"When will the millennium come?" "The father's answer to that difficult question of little Willie's was: "The millennium will come when everybody goes on strike for more work and less pay."

VERY EXPENSIVE

Gifford Pinchot was talking about the owner of a notorious foreign weekly.

"No wonder he's rich," said Mr. Pinchot. "Blackmail, blackmail, you know."

He laughed bitterly and added: "Silence is golden, and they who buy it from this scoundrel know it well."

CARD OF THANKS

Capt. and Mrs. J. A. Neil wish to express their most sincere thanks to the friends who so kindly assisted at the time of their recent bereavement.

BIG COMBINATION OFFER

On page three of this issue the Tropico Mercantile company advertises a \$1.90 Palm Olive Soap and Toilet Assortment for only 59c.—Adv.

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION P. E. O.

Mrs. John Hunchberger, Mrs. A. W. Tower and Mrs. R. E. Chase have been appointed delegates to the state convention P. E. O., which opens its week's session at Alhambra tomorrow, Wednesday, May 28th.

ALL MEAN

Mother Jones said in the smoking-room of the Colony club: "I've met young John D. Rockefeller, and I've found him all right. I'm afraid we've been misjudging one another on both sides. We've thought one another as bad all around as Grover and his guides."

Mother Jones smiled, straightened her little black bonnet and went on: "Grover and two guides started out fishing one day. They made a bet that whoever caught the first fish would have to stand a treat. Grover said afterwards at the fishing club:

"Do you know, sir, those two scoundrels had fish on their lines all day, and were too mean to pull them up!"

"How about you, then, Grover? I suppose you lost, eh," said his friend. "Me, oh, no," Grover answered. "You see, I didn't put any bait on my hook."

I RISE TO INQUIRE

(By Jay E. Randall)
 Why should we place any faith in the man who knocks the town in which he lives? If a man don't like his home town, there must be a good reason why he don't move to some other place. Either he is a liar or he is so cursed mean that the world will not let him live elsewhere.

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NO. 29167

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES.

In the Matter of Notice of Hearing the Estate of of Petition for Rose E. Hamlin, Probate of Will Deceased

Notice is hereby given that the petition of Grace L. Bean for the Probate of will of Rose E. Hamlin, deceased, and for the issuance of letters testamentary thereon to said Grace L. Bean will be heard at 2 o'clock p. m. on the 5th day of May, 1915, at the court room of department 2 of the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, California.
 Dated April 16, 1915.

H. J. LELANDE, Clerk.
 By H. C. LICHTENBERGER,
 Deputy Celr.

CHARLES L. EVANS,
 626 California Bldg.,
 Los Angeles, Cal.,
 Attorney for Petitioner.
 207-111

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A few poorly built streets in Glendale and poorly built streets in all cities should be a warning to persons having in charge the construction of streets to construct only good streets.

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GLENDALE EVENING NEWS
 920 WEST BROADWAY GLENDALE, CAL.

Some people are born with a capacity for kindly thought, and some achieve it, but no person ever had it thrust upon him. It does not come from within, and the human soul is so ordered that things cannot be thrust into it one day and forced to bloom the next. They must take room and achieve some degree of permanency before they can pass the examination which the world's vigilant and acute critical faculty is forever demanding.

Perhaps one person in ten has a genuine talent for kindly thought. He is marked beyond disguise; indeed, disguise is the last of his concerns, for kindly thought is as clear as the morning sunlight. It is the man whose thoughts run to cynicism who assumes the disguise. Leave him alone with his thoughts and he reveals in them without regard for what the world thinks; but place him where he is observed, and his vanity drives him behind his best imitation of that twinkle which marks the person of kindly thought. But he deceives no one of discernment. The world is too sensitive to its faults and too eager to rectify them. Instinctively it penetrates his disguise, classifies him where he belongs, and adds pity to its sorrow.

So rare is the person of kindly thought that a premium is placed on his friendship. In society he becomes the center toward which those seeking good cheer naturally gravitate. His command of the sterner virtues gives weight to his opinion on matters concerning the world of affairs. To his family he is something of a constant necessity to be leaned on while at home and longed for while away. In the crowded street his eye roves everywhere, and those who meet it are cheered and uplifted. His rewards are sometimes strangely at variance with the quality which earns them. When he lends money to an impecunious friend it is one to whom that friend will come when again in need, and as likely as not the last one to be repaid when prosperity again comes to the friend. He takes this as a matter of course, however—sometimes to be expected because of the very nature of things and what he loses in money he gains in the satisfaction which money cannot buy.—Indianapolis News.

It's a good idea to think twice before speaking if you can think twice before the occasion for speaking has passed.

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A CYNIC

Mr. Carnegie, the evening he addressed the Rockefeller Bible class at the Aldine club in New York, had occasion to refer to a cynic.

"Oh, he was a great cynic," declared Mr. Carnegie. "Once, advising me to take a mean advantage of a rival, he said:

"We must profit by other people's mistakes—like the ministers do when they marry us, you know."

The barking dog seldom puts a human being in danger of rabies. Much noise, either from dog or man, usually signifies little or nothing.

PERSONALS

Ezra Parker and wife motored to Van Nuys Sunday.

Maj. Shattuck of 1228 West Chestnut street left for San Diego Monday morning of this week.

The Thursday Night Five Hundred club met last week with Mrs. John Robert White of Orange street.

Mrs. Treadway of East Second street and Mrs. Edgar leave this morning for a two weeks' sojourn at Tulare.

The many friends of Mrs. A. L. Bryant will regret to hear of her illness at her home, 421 South Jackson street.

Mrs. Helen W. Boyd of Ivy street will have as an out-of-town guest today and tomorrow Mrs. Mary Scott of San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Corwin of 438 Central avenue have been visiting on the Hanson ranch in the western part of the San Fernando valley.

Rev. Arthur Rogers of Transvaal, South Africa, who has been visiting Joseph Kirkby on Verdugo road, will leave for London on Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Hazel Bixby of Hollywood spent Tuesday of this week at the A. T. Cowan home, 114 Orange street. Mrs. Bixby leaves Wednesday for a visit in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shafe of this city and their visitors, Miss Florence Vogt and Davis B. Woodward of Los Angeles, autoed to Mint canyon, 20 miles beyond Saugus, Sunday.

Mrs. Robert McIntyre, wife of the late Bishop McIntyre, with her two daughters, the Misses Ruth and Nelle McIntyre, and also Miss Edna Dove, all of Los Angeles, were the guests Sunday evening of Mrs. Helen W. Boyd, 1463 Ivy street.

EAGLE ROCK

Miss Katherine Smith and nieces, Flora and Hazel Winstel, who have been living on North Kenilworth avenue, have rented their house to Mr. and Mrs. Pendale of Highland Park and will move to Los Angeles very soon.

The Alpha sorority at South Central avenue entertained Messrs. R. Doig, H. Hayward, C. Smart and D. Harden at dinner Sunday evening.

Mrs. T. E. Shafer of North Kenilworth avenue gave a delightful party one day last week in honor of the birthday anniversary of her sister-in-law, Mrs. T. Osborn of Casa Verdugo. Thirteen, all members of a club from that place, were the guests. The afternoon was passed in doing fancy work. A delightful luncheon was served.

Editor and Mrs. W. Miller of the Sentinel attended the San Francisco exposition last week. They helped make up the party consisting of members from the Southern California Editorial association which attended the exposition in a body.

Mrs. E. J. Donnell of Eddy avenue entertained on Monday last week Mrs. Beulah Ingram, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bartleson and daughter of Beloit, Kans., and Mrs. C. H. Baker and children of Sierra Madre.

A baby girl arrived last week at the A. J. Kleine home on North Central avenue.

The Epworth League social held Friday evening at the Vince home on East Sycamore avenue proved a "big success" and a most delightful time was had by everyone. Previous to the social the girls had made blocks and set them together for a quilt, so Friday the quilt was stretched on the frames ready to be tied. The boys were asked two cents admission to enter the room and take turns tying the quilt, which was a big surprise to them. "Rook" and "pit" were enjoyed the fore part of the evening, then delicious refreshments of sandwiches, olives, pickles, coffee and cake were served. After this "winkum" and "spin the platter" brought the evening to a close and all regretted that the evening had passed so quickly. The quilt will be taken down to the mission in the near future to be given to some needy family.

This Saturday evening the Epworth League will meet at the home of Miss Alice Kolbe for the purpose of electing new officers for the year.

Mrs. Martin Post of Ridgeway avenue entertained Robert Creswell and Howard Mason at her home Sunday as dinner guests.

The Pomona Huns defeated the Occidental track squad Saturday by a score of 86 to 44.

Saturday of this week the Christian Endeavor society will hold an entertainment at the new church for the purpose of raising funds to buy furnishings for the church. There will be no admission charges, but a silver offering will be taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunn are now residing on their ranch near Roscoe, having recently sold their home here on Ellenwood drive.

The man who has no faith in human nature seldom inspires any faith in himself.

Praying for victory is not like praying for rain. The rain is bound to come.

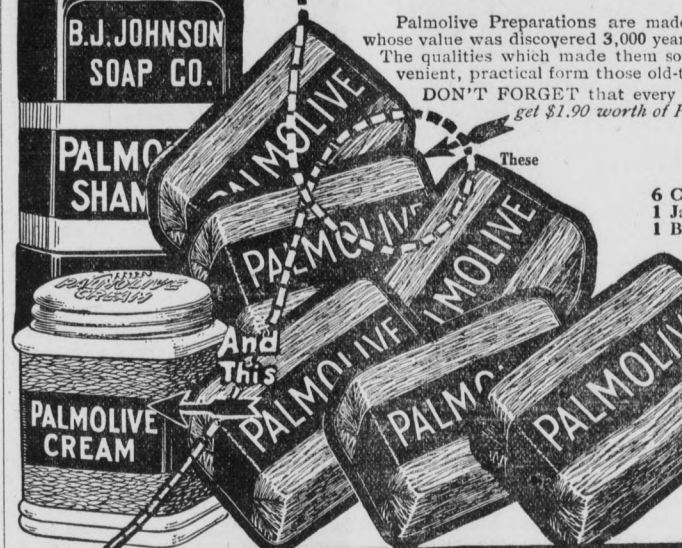
We Offer for This \$1.31 Coupon and 59c—a Full Assortment of Palmolive Toilet Specialties

We can't very well send you the money to pay for this trial assortment, as we don't know your name and address, and to send these Palmolive Toilet Preparations by express would be expensive. But we can and will do this:

We have arranged to have the dealers whose names appear in this advertisement accept the Free \$1.31 Coupon at its full cash value on the purchase of the Full Assortment listed below, and only ask you to pay your dealer 59c for his trouble and the freight on the goods shipped to him.

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Your 59c pays the cost of delivering the preparations to you through the dealer. This offer will not be made to you again, as we are doing this solely to tempt you to give Palmolive Toilet Preparations a trial. Cut out the coupon, sign your name and address and hurry to the nearest dealer who is acting as our distributor.

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CELEBRATES SEVENTY-EIGHTH BIRTHDAY

The residence of Mrs. S. E. Munn on Colorado street was the scene Monday of a happy gathering of ladies, the event being the celebration of her seventy-eighth birthday, which occurred on Sunday.

Her daughter, Mrs. Bundy, invited a number of Mrs. Munn's friends for an informal musical and literary afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Mary A. DeMuth, Mrs. W. M. Moore, Mrs. Kate Manford and her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Copeland; Mrs. W. J. Hoops, Mrs. C. P. Hoops and daughter, Mrs. E. J. Hammil; Mrs. Darling, Mrs. F. Hoops, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. G. Goad, Miss Matthews and Mrs. Bundy.

The rooms were filled with the fragrance of honeysuckle, while a beautiful centerpiece of roses decorated the table upon which an elaborate luncheon was served. Instrumental and vocal selections interspersed with readings filled up an enjoyable afternoon, which will long be remembered by those fortunate enough to be the happy guests.

NORMAL CLASSMATES MEET

On Saturday last Miss Elsie Church of Orange street informally entertained at luncheon some of her classmates in the normal school. They were the Misses Alice McKay, Leota Snyder, Eunice Jones, Frances Worden of Glendale and Miss Bertha McKay of Alhambra. Miss McKay is a special music student at the normal and during the afternoon charmed her hearers with many beautiful instrumental selections.

MAN WEIGHS 450 POUNDS

Chris. Wolber, who was buried in Hopkins, Whiteside county, Illinois, last week, weighed 450 pounds and owing to his enormous size it was necessary to send for a special coffin to bury him in. The largest casket that could be secured was three feet wide, which was too small, so a special casket had to be made, and it was impossible to get it inside of the church at Hopkins. It took twelve palbearers to carry the casket from the church to the grave.

If you simply must "throw on dog" make it a full grown one and not a pup.

Every town has two classes of people—builders and destroyers; of which class are you?

THE MOVIES

Indubitably the movies will have to be considered as a factor in the education of the rising generation, since education is but the sum of knowledge acquired through experience. The prediction is made that they will become of common use in the schools. Whether they do or not all city school children see them and learn of them. Hence the necessity for making the pictures clean and instructive.

Walter Pritchard Eaton, dramatic critic, naturally feels towards the movies some of the same resentment that is felt by actors still in the "legitimate" drama. He has been printing his opinion freely. It may best be described as "damning by faint praise." Mr. Eaton is apprehensive for the future of youth. He thinks that the movies in no way stimulate thought, and thus that they fail to take the place of the articulate play. In this view it is quite possible not to agree with the gentleman. The average play of the cheap theater is a pitiful thing. It is not stimulating to the intelligence and it may be followed without mental effort, and if it impresses, it does not do this with any greater clearness and force than the screen picture does. Mr. Eaton objects that the movies give no mental exercise. On the contrary, they require close attention, the situations changing with such rapidity that this is essential to following the story; and there being no vocative guidance, the sense that conveys the impression must be alert. In other words, the juvenile spectator is given a chance to think instead of being deprived of such chance. In portrayal of adventure, in scientific presentation of material fact, even in making the news of the day seem real, the movie has a distinct value aside from its purely dramatic phase. The effort to combat it is useless. The endeavor should be to improve it, to widen its field, and make it more nearly complete in scope. For all of which no dramatist worth while is going to suffer.

Sometimes the man who intended to put it back really does it, but you never hear about him.

Flies try to keep clean, according to scientists; but this is no reason why they should bathe in our soup.

This war zone is something like a man with the "shingles"—it doesn't kill unless it goes all the way round.

Funny actions may be due to a missing sense of humor.

It's a bad thing to be a "good thing."

MAY DAY

is a good time to begin preparations for the

May Festival

Let us repair your old screens or install new ones.

Improve the appearance of your garden with a trellis or by the addition of lattice work or garden seat.

Nicely painted stakes of uniform size for your plants add greatly to the appearance of your home.

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WANT GLENDALE ROSES

Glendale in conformity to the decision of other Southern California cities will enter a municipal float in the Fiesta parade which will take place in Los Angeles Monday, May 3. All persons having roses which they are willing to donate for the purpose of decorating the float should call the city manager's office, phone Sunset 714. Only San Fernando valley roses are to be used in decorating.

NEW CITIZENS

Mr. G. F. Warde, recently of Regina, Canada, has purchased a lot on East Broadway and is having a modern bungalow built on it under his direct supervision.

Until their new home is ready for them he and his family are domiciled with Mr. W. H. Ward at 328 East Broadway.

Mr. Warde until a year ago was a prominent contractor and builder in Eastern Canada, but has been failing in health for some time and found it necessary to migrate to a more healthful climate.

Mr. Warde in relating his experience in how he came to locate in Glendale, said that he had visited San Diego and other coast towns, and while in Long Beach he came in contact with a newspaper man from Glendale, who pictured to him the beauty and healthfulness of our city, and at once he made up his mind to investigate. With the result that Glendale has a new citizen, as well as a booster.

And it was only by accident that Mr. Warde heard of Glendale. Hence the urgent need of more advertising for Glendale.

THE INVESTIGATOR

The late Norman B. Ream, the organizer of the steel trust and many other important corporations, once said to a New York reporter about a trust investigation:

"Maybe these investigations will have the same luck as the game warden. A game warden heard that a restaurant was serving game out of season. He disguised himself with a false beard, visited the place, and ordered a pheasant.

"The pheasant, delicately high, like Roquefort cheese, as all good pheasants should be, was served to the game warden, and he devoured it to the last morsel, at the same time inflicting severe punishment on a bottle of rare old Burgundy—for the state, of course, paid for all.

"At the end of his repast the game warden summoned the proprietor and said: 'I arrest you, sir, in the name of the law!'

The proprietor's mouth opened in astonishment. He swallowed two or three times, then he gasped:

"Wh—what for?"

"For serving me a pheasant out of season," said the game warden.

A look of relief appeared on the proprietor's face.

"Oh," he said, "that wasn't pheasant; it was crow."

LONGER PRESIDENTIAL TERM

Several men eminent in statecraft have discussed seriously the matter of extending the presidential term and limiting the tenure of the president to one term. Mr. Taft has just expressed his views to the effect that it might have been better had the makers of the constitution made the presidential term six or seven years, with the provision that the president should not be eligible to re-election. But so averse is the ex-president to having the constitution tinkered, he does not go so far as to advocate a constitutional amendment lengthening the presidential tenure.

TAKE OVER WATER PLANT

The city of Glendale, through the manager of the public service department, H. B. Lynch, is taking over the Verdugo Springs Water company's plant, the consideration being more than \$51,000. This will add many patrons to the city's municipal water system.

Now and then one reads of a horse being stolen, but stealing sheep went out of style long ago.

About the only way a general can get his name into print in a modern war is to get killed.

It's just like a censor to cut out of the news the very things everybody wants to read.

There is a lot of overhead expense in the millinery business.

Sugar at any other price than the present would be as sweet.

Countries hungry for war news can't see any sense in a censor.

A Denver musician has been arrested for forgery. False note.

Cycling is coming back. Why not? Even history moves in cycles.

They are still playing baseball, but the fans are reading war news.

Friendships you buy are never worth the price.

An up-to-date man has no time for ancient history.

Ambition without pluck and energy is a lot of bother.

Many a bright woman takes dancing lessons after she reaches forty.

DOINGS AT CITY HALL
(Continued from Page 1)

taxes shall become delinquent on the last Monday of November and the other half on the last Monday of April. He explained that a request had been made by many taxpayers of Glendale to allow them to divide their payment of taxes, so that it would not bring the entire burden upon them at the same time.

The board now adjourned for a recess of forty-five minutes. Upon re-convening, a motion prevailed that the chairman of the board and the manager of the public service department be authorized to accept the Verdugo Springs Water company's plant at the price agreed upon by the railroad commission.

City Manager T. W. Watson informed the board that very likely a bill which had been introduced into the state legislature giving the city officials the power to keep vacant lots clear of weeds at the expense of the property owners would become a law, and if such did become a law, it would aid greatly in keeping the vacant lots in the city of Glendale in a neat condition.

H. B. Lynch, manager of the public service department, recommended that the board authorize the clerk to publish a notice calling for bids for electric light globes. The board concurred in the recommendation.

The board adjourned.

TERRA COTTA

Terra cotta means literally baked earth. It is usually employed as though it meant only architectural ornaments made of baked clay. Yet Michelangelo made statues of it, the Japanese use it cleverly painted as "imitation bronze" for busts, tea jars and bowls, and the ancient Greek children had terra cotta dolls with movable legs fastened by wooden pegs.

In the trade today pieces of clay work for architectural ornament over eight inches square are called terra cotta. Under that size they are called ornamental brick.

The famous Della Robbia ware of Italy was of terra cotta covered with opaque enamel and painted. England used it much. From the time of Henry VIII it was popular in large buildings, and since Queen Anne's day it has been used for ornamenting smaller houses.

Terra cotta can be produced in a variety of colors, and while rains leave stone surfaces dingier, they brighten surfaces made of the clay. It is as durable as stone; it can be produced in more shades and colors; it can be molded into a great variety of designs; it can be given more delicate outlines than stone; it is lighter than stone.—New York Telegram.

TRAPPING BABOONS

Hagenbeck in his book says that baboons are caught in traps made much like the huts of savages. Food is put into the huts and once the baboons go inside, a trapdoor closes behind them. Outside baboons make a great to do and urge the prisoners to escape. When the trappers come the captured baboons are terror stricken and try to force their heads through the walls of the huts. One baboon was caught three times in the same trap, and several when turned loose got back into the same trap a second time. When the baboons are carried away all their comrades thereabout climb into trees and scream out to the prisoners, who answer in sad, mournful voices. On one occasion some big Arabian baboons were trapped, when 2000, or 3000 baboons hurled themselves upon the trappers, who had hard work to save themselves with firearms and clubs. As the trappers were forced back the victorious baboons tore up the trap and turned loose the captured baboons.

A DIVERTED RIVER

Arabistan lies at the head of the Persian gulf, its western boundary being the Shatel-Arab, the great river formed by the combined waters of the Tigris and Euphrates, the right bank of which is in Persian territory, while the left is in Turkish Arabia. Forty miles above where it flows into the Persian gulf the Shatel-Arab is joined by the Karun, and the town of Mohammerah stands at the junction of the two rivers, the former a clear green stream, the latter thick and red.

In ancient times the Karun flowed into the gulf and part of the river still runs along the old channel, but the main stream has been diverted, three miles above Mohammerah, into an artificial channel known geographically as the Haffar canal.

It is impossible even to make a guess at the date of this wonderful work, not even a tradition remaining of the ruler whose far-sightedness realized the enormous advantage of joining up the two waterways. Alexander the Great has been suggested, but apparently for no other reason than that he is a convenient and likely person to credit with any ambitious enterprise, and that one of his many Alexandrias was built on the site of the present Mohammerah.—Wide World Magazine.

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