

**STATE NEWS**

**GOVERNOR SIGNS BILL TO REGULATE KERP BEDS—MAKE WAR ON RATS**

SACRAMENTO, May 21.—Most important of the latest batch of bills signed by Governor Stephens is the Mouser measure providing for state ownership and regulation of the extension kerp beds in the vicinity of San Diego.

The kerp industry is growing by leaps and bounds, due to the discovery that this species of aquatic plant yield various valuable chemicals, some of which are essential in the manufacture of explosives. At this particular time regulation by the state is of great importance. The bill provides for a license of 1 1/2 per cent for persons or corporations harvesting kerp, proceeds from this source to be divided between the state fish and game commission and for the Scripps Institute for Biological Research at La Jolla. The Scripps institute has given great aid in the investigation of possibilities offered by the kerp beds.

The governor also signed the bill prohibiting the shipment of wild ducks by parcel post; the bill licensing trappers; bill fixing yearly license for commercial fishermen at \$10; bill protecting Golden trout; bill putting further protection on bass and the bill putting protection on abalones.

Baldwin's measure prohibiting the use of feathers or plumes from aligrettes, spreys, birds of paradise and other birds of fancy plumage in decorating women's hats, and the bill making the opening date of the duck season in California comply with the federal law, also are signed.

A campaign is launched today by the state board of health for the extermination of rats. It is pointed out that a war on rats, if successful, will be as much of a victory as winning an important battle in the war with Germany. Rats, besides spreading disease, eat and destroy something like \$50,000,000 of food-stuffs a year in the United States, it is estimated. The health board suggests that the first move in the extermination be a cutting off of the rats' food supply. This could be done by making buildings ratproof.

A state position with a salary ranging from \$200 to \$250 a month will be filled from the list of eligibles in a civil service examination on June 16 at Sacramento, San Francisco and Los Angeles, it was announced today. The position is that of engineer for the state water commission. Candidates should be skilled in hydrographic work and must have had at least six years of engineering experience.

On June 15-16, examinations will be held in the three cities for structural draftsmen and junior structural draftsmen, the former having a salary range of \$1200 to \$1800 a year and the latter from \$900 to \$1200.

Information relative to the examinations can be secured from the state civil service commission, Forum building, Sacramento.

**GLENDALE GUEST COMPLETED**

Miss Annabel McClellan of Glendale, was the charming honoree last night at a delightful little affair in which Clarence E. Krinbill was host to twenty young people at his Locust avenue residence.

During the evening's enjoyments which were varied and diversified, Miss Bernice Retter played, Miss Helen Grieve sang and Doris Lynn gave pianologues.—Long Beach Telegram.

**CAPTAIN HAWKINS TO THE FRONT**

Among the Californians who will go forth with the first quota of troops to the war zone is Captain Hawkins who has recently become identified with the Out West magazine. Ten days ago Captain Hawkins was ordered to report to Major-General Pershing at Fort Sam Houston. It is not known when the division will leave further than that they will go "at as early a date as practicable."

**THERE IS STILL A WAY**

Those towns that have failed to carry their school bonds issue may still find a way to make their contemplated improvements if the governor has signed the bill passed by the last legislature to meet just such a contingency.

The law provides that a district may levy a tax of 15 mills on all taxable property for school improvements.

**AT THE HIGH SCHOOL**

**PREPARING FOR ANNUAL EXHIBIT—SATURDAY'S BALL GAME DISAPPOINTING**

Preparation sare being made in the different departments for the annual Spring exhibit, which is scheduled to take place the latter part of the month. This exhibit is the only event in the entire year in which the real progress of the schools is demonstrated, and plans are being made to have this year's affair the best in the history of the school. Excellent exhibits are being got up of both the free hand and mechanical drawing departments, the domestic science classes, the science division, the mechanical arts students, and the commercial department. An added feature to this year's exhibit will be an agriculture department, in which the high school "soldiers of the soil" will show their garden produce.

Word has been recently received from Donald Cowlin, a former member of G. U. H. S., who is now a hospital apprentice in the United States Navy. He has sailed around the Horn and is now stationed on one of the warships which patrol the eastern coast of the United States.

The Juniors have announced that they will conduct a picture show at the Palace Grand Theatre next Friday evening, and that everyone is urged to attend. They are planning on giving a large sum to charity in the near future, and anyone buying a ticket will be putting their money to a good advantage.

Our big championship baseball game with Santa Barbara Saturday turned out to be a farce instead of an athletic contest, our hopefuls being overwhelmingly defeated by the one-sided score of 10 to 0. The only alibi that we can offer is that the boys practiced too much, and became "stale." Following are the four main reasons for the team's bad showing Saturday: Poor pitching, worse support, weak hitting, and a hostile umpire. Quite enough to lose any ball game, isn't it?

Now that the sum and substance of the onslaught has been given nothing remains to be mentioned except that it was a fine day and that we should have won. A crowd of about 500 rooters came out, a fact which put such a scare into the players that might account for the result. Batteries for the game were: Santa Barbara, Thompson and Stewart; Glendale, Crandall and Sharpe. Umpire, Abbot.

**AUTO SHOW**

A visit to the A. Meyer & Co. Overland Automobile agency at the corner of Brand Boulevard and Colorado street, Saturday evening, gave very substantial evidence to the writer that Mr. Meyer and son are real live wires in Glendale. The Overland and Willys Knight cars on exhibition were models of mechanical art, and just how it is possible to improve upon the appearance of these cars for beauty and durability is a question left for the wise ones to solve.

Mr. Meyer says the time is near at hand when a half dozen of the large automobile manufacturing concerns will furnish practically all the cars, as it is possible for the factory whose output is 1000 cars per day to manufacture them for a much less price than factories whose output is not more than 1000 cars per month. Good cars for the minimum price is what will predominate in the motor world from now on.

Mr. Meyer says the leading automobile manufacturers have adopted standard styles for the various parts of cars, and in the future there will not be so many changes from year to year. The Overland cars are used in all parts of the world and Glendale citizens have their share of this popular make of automobile.

**TUESDAY AFTERNOON CLUB**

The Tuesday Afternoon Club meeting tomorrow at Masonic Temple at 2:30 p. m. is the Annual Business meeting of the year. Election of officers for the coming year will take place and the curators of sections and the chairmen of committees will give account of their stewardship for the past year. The president, Mrs. H. E. Bartlett, will give her report for the year also. This should be the rally day of the club, and it is confidently hoped that all members of the club will be present to voice their request for leaders for the new year and to show their loyalty and appreciation of the work of the outgoing workers.

Mrs. Frank Arnold is the soloist of the afternoon and Miss Doris Packer will read for the club.

**INCREASED COST OF MISSIONARY WORK**

**PRESBYTERIAN BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS SAYS WAR IS MAKING WORK MORE COSTLY**

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

DALLAS, Texas, May 21.—The war has touched practically all missionary fields and has made the work more costly but has not disturbed its progress, the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions reported to the General Assembly meeting here to-day. Missionaries at work during the past year numbered 1353 with 6242 native helpers, the report said. Reports for the year were \$2,525,369, which was more than the original appropriation called for. Increased costs due to the war made an additional call for more than a quarter of a million necessary.

**TO FIX COAL PRICES**

**FEDERAL TRADES COMMISSION CHARGES COAL OPERATORS WITH MAKING EXORBITANT CHARGES**

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The Federal Trades Commission to-day urged Congress to establish government control of coal prices. They allege that the mine operators charge exorbitant prices for the coal and doctor their books accordingly.

**AMERICAN WOMEN KILLED**

**ACCIDENT ON THE ARMED STEAMER MONGOLIA CAUSES DEATH OF NURSES EN ROUTE TO FRANCE**

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Miss Edith Ayers and Miss Helen Burnett Woods, American nurses en route to France, were killed by a bursting torpedo while watching gun practice on board the armed steamer Mongolia. The Mongolia returned to the United States with the bodies to-day. A third nurse was injured at the same time.

**KILLS OWN CHILD**

**WOUNDS WIFE AFTER KILLING MOTHER AND BABY DRUNKEN MINING ENGINEER AT McKELUMNE HILL**

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

McKELUMNE HILL, Cal., May 21.—Jack Treanor, a mining engineer, in a drunken frenzy to-day shot and killed his mother-in-law, Mrs. Jane Forms, killed his eight months old baby as it slept in its crib, and fired four times at his wife, wounding her. Treanor then fled to the hills, where he is being trailed by several posses.

**REPORT SEA FIGHT**

**BERLIN AND PARIS ISSUE CONFLICTING STATEMENTS CONCERNING ENGAGEMENT OF TORPEDO BOATS**

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

LONDON, May 21.—Berlin and Paris both report an outpost engagement between French and German torpedo boats. Paris says a French vessel was slightly damaged and that the Germans withdrew immediately. Berlin says the engagement took place off the coast of Flanders and that several French vessels were badly damaged.

**FILIBUSTERS ARRESTED**

**MEXICANS ATTEMPTING TO CROSS THE LINE AT NOGALES STOPPED BY CUSTOMS OFFICIALS**

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The State Department reported this morning that a group of filibusters attempting to cross the border at Nogales had been arrested by American customs officials. An American soldier was fired upon from a Mexican house across the line from Nogales.

**ALLIES IN BIG OFFENSIVE**

**BRITISH AND FRENCH CO-OPERATE IN NEW DRIVE AGAINST HINDENBURG LINE**

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

PARIS, May 21.—The British and French troops co-operated in another big offensive this morning, capturing several important points along the Hindenburg line.

**BAN LIFTED IN SWEDEN**

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)

STOCKHOLM, May 21.—The nation-wide prohibition decree announced April 24 as a precaution against labor and socialist demonstrations on May day, expires to-day. Agitation for a Republican form of government was the cause of the stringent precautionary measure.

**GUARD AUXILIARY**

**MRS. WEST, CHAIRMAN, EXPLAINS PURPOSE OF WOMEN'S ORGANIZATION**

The Women's Auxiliary of Glendale will give an entertainment on Friday evening, May 25th, in the High School auditorium. Many of the citizens of Glendale may not understand the purpose for which these entertainments are given and the following explanation may not be inappropriate. When the mass meeting was held in the City Hall recently, a lady asked one of the officers who spoke that evening what work could be done that was not covered by the organizations already established. He spoke very earnestly on the need of starting activities to get together a sum of money to hold in readiness to relieve the families of soldiers called to serve their country.

He spoke of actual suffering that occurred when our soldiers were sent to the border and said that a soldier could do better work for his country if his mind was not being harassed with worry about the financial limitations of his family at home. His pay is very small, usually, and there is no savings account.

Sons leave their mothers in care of others and no one can prophesy what turn events may take. At present I have been told some 52 Glendale boys have gone into service; after June more will have to go. In the fall the real problem comes up. To pull through the winter may be a hard task, so the Women's Auxiliary was formed and two branches of work were finally adopted: one was the producing and conserving of food products, and the other was the raising of a dependency fund.

In order not to make any heavy demands on the public at any one time, but seeing the necessity of starting at once to build up this fund, the ladies will give concerts, card parties, private entertainments, dances, etc., from time to time. At no time will more than 25 cents be charged, so that all may do their little two "bits." We will certainly appreciate your patronage and solicit your co-operation.

Some one asked what would become of the money if no soldier's family in Glendale were in need. The answer is: When did we have too much money in Glendale to take care of its less fortunate ones? We would vote to use this fund to relieve distress in our home vicinity should we be fortunate enough not to find a soldier's family who needs help in some way.

The program will appear later. Please do not forget the date, May 25th, at 8:15 o'clock at the High School auditorium.

(Signed) MRS. W. H. WEST.

**RED CROSS MEETING**

This evening at 7:30 at the Glendale Chamber of Commerce, 1010 West Broadway there will be a meeting of the Red Cross Society. Very important questions are to be discussed. The president or some representative of every secular society or association in Glendale or vicinity not affiliated with the Red Cross elsewhere is an ex-officio member of the Glendale Red Cross board of directors, and is cordially invited to attend all its meetings. The same published notices are given to all alike.

Tonight's meeting will be perhaps the most interesting and important yet held. Will you not attend? Glendale Red Cross Publicity Com. By Walt Le Noir Church.

**FOOTHILL CLUB**

The monthly meeting of the Foothill club occurred Friday afternoon when Mrs. Mary J. Culver, 1314 N. Central avenue, was hostess for the afternoon. An abundance of Sweet William with other spring flowers and bouquets of roses lent a spring-like atmosphere to the rooms where the guests were entertained. The Foothill club was primarily organized for social purposes but like other organizations they have responded to the spirit of the hour and are giving up their afternoons to sewing for the Red Cross. The ladies brought their needles and thimbles and the afternoon was spent in work on hospital garments. While the members sewed Mrs. Bardell delighted the workers with several piano selections, Miss Harriett Barnes gave a humorous reading and Miss Marie Oliver, daughter of the hostess sang very sweetly one of her selections being a patriotic song.

At the close of the afternoon the hostess served delicious refreshments and the club adjourned to meet June 15 with Mrs. Walter J. Elliott.

**THE PROVERBIAL FLY**

**LOW GRADE FUEL FOR AUTOMOBILISTS DICTATES THE LOCAL OIL BARONS**

There is always the proverbial fly in the ointment. Los Angeles motorists will be supplied with lower grade fuel and likely will be charged just as much for it as they are paying now for high grade gasoline, if a proposed ordinance now with the public safety committee, is adopted by the city council.

Incidentally the oil refiners will be able to produce from 30 to 40 per cent more gasoline from a given amount of crude oil than they can do now under the present specifications in force here, according to Charles A. Blackmar, city oil inspector.

The proposed ordinance which was drawn up by the oil refiners and changed some at the insistence of Inspector Blackmar, has been demanded for the last six months by the oil men.

According to Inspector Blackmar the refiners threatened to market no more gasoline in Los Angeles unless the present ordinance is modified.

In support of their demand, they stated that the supply of crude oil on the Pacific coast had dwindled until a modified ordinance is necessary to allow them to supply the market and besides they had plenty of other markets in the middle west that would bring them as much money as they could get here.

The present ordinance provides that 70 per cent of a given amount of gasoline must distill at 260 degrees Fahrenheit and the residuum must not be heavier than 47.5 Beaume. The proposed ordinance, it is stated, provides that 90 per cent can distill at 350 degrees and the residuum doesn't count.

This means, according to experts, that the fuel under the proposed specifications will be heavier and not so volatile. There is a difference of opinion on how the lower grade fuel will operate when the ordinary carburetor is used.

Inspector Blackmar stated that motorists can expect some trouble until they get their carburetors properly adjusted to the new fuel, while T. W. Okey, sales manager of the Ventura Refining company, is of the opinion that no trouble will be experienced.

He further stated today that the proposed ordinance will result in a better average motor fuel. He stated that the minimum distillation point is not so low as to produce carbon and a great deal higher than distillate.

"I do not think that the new ordinance will bring about a change in price," said Mr. Okey.

Inspector Blackmar says that prohibiting the misuse of market containers the poor product of one company cannot be substituted for the good product of another.

**WORLD WIDE PUBLICITY**

Mr. Walt Le Noir Church, Secretary Chamber of Commerce, Glendale, Cal.

Dear Mr. Church: We are pleased to receive the cordial invitation of the City of Glendale as extended through your Chamber of Commerce, to meet the National Preparedness train in Glendale on Saturday the 26th, and are to-day giving our local press the information contained in your communication.

Hoping that there will be a good delegation of our citizens present on that occasion, we remain, Sincerely yours,

SANTA MONICA—OCEAN PARK CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, WILLIAM A. GIBSON, Secretary.

The above letter is a sample of answer being received, to the invitations sent out by Glendale—as provided at the Joint meeting between the City Trustees and the Glendale Chamber of Commerce. Secretary G. C. C.

**GET FLAGS NOW**

Now is the time when "old glory" should be flying from every flagpole and those who are not supplied should not delay for the stock is well-nigh exhausted. The wholesale houses are turning down large orders every day and have no promises for the future.

Our flags of fast colors are largely supplied now by Japan and shortage of ships makes all foreign freights uncertain.

WEATHER FORECAST—Fair tonight and Tuesday. Southwesterly winds.

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GLENDALE, CALIFORNIA, MONDAY, MAY 21, 1917

## TO AID HOME EFFICIENCY IN CLOTHING AS IN FOOD

Here are some of the ways American women can help in war-time to be taught in the special summer term at the University of California from Monday, May 21, to June 23—just before the regular annual Summer Session.

Learn to buy clothing efficiently.  
Learn how things can be "made over" to the best advantage.  
Learn how new materials may be used economically.  
Learn how to make bandages and hospital garments.  
Learn how to make babies' layettes and children's clothing for community relief work.

Scissors, needle, thread, and sewing-machines will be the laboratory apparatus for these summer-time University courses. Women who want to organize Red Cross Stations in their own communities may win the Red Cross Certificates by completing summer courses in the preparation of surgical dressings, first aid, home nursing, or dietetics. There will be similar courses also in the regular Summer Session, from June 25 to August 4.

To train women so that they will be fitted to be leaders in their own communities in war-relief work, housekeepers' institutes, and the like, is the object of a general course to be given by Professor Mary F. Patterson. This course is intended for social workers, mature women who have had experience in conducting their own households, and seniors or graduate students who have had training in Household Art. They will be shown by Miss Patterson how to organize and present to other women throughout California sensible ideas as to efficiency in buying, as to the labor-saving arrangement and equipment of a home, economy in buying, and conservation of materials and the prevention of waste.

A course on civilian relief for adults, to be given by Miss Helen Fancher and several assistants, will show the processes of cutting, fitting, and sewing and remodeling of garments so as to make them "as good as new."

And meanwhile the young men will be studying aviation, military telegraphing, care of automobile and other gas engines, and like timely themes in the special five-weeks term at the University.

## DESTROY RATS TO SAVE FOOD SUPPLY

The destruction of food by rats and ground squirrels is so great that the California State Board of Health urges every community in the state to engage in their extermination. Not only are these rodents responsible for plague and other infections, but they cause an economic loss estimated at from thirty-five to fifty million dollars, annually, in the United States. The expensive cultivated grains are the favorite food of both rats and ground squirrels. The ground squirrels are particularly destructive of the growing grain, eating the tender sprouts and destroying the plants until the crop matures. Rats attack the matured grain, invading granaries, elevators and warehouses, but they do not stop with these depredations, displaying a great fondness for food products made of grains, such as bread, cake, macaroni, etc.

Rats eat almost all of the foods that human being eat: fruits, vegetables, milk, butter, cheese, eggs, and an endless variety of similar foodstuffs, enabling them to thrive almost anywhere that these products are available. Certain species even climb trees to obtain fruit.

Ordinarily, rats breed faster than they are destroyed. It is estimated that in most cities there are as many rats as there are people, and in the very thickly populated rural districts, it is said that there is a rat for every acre of ground. Since they seek their food mostly at night, few people realize the immense numbers of these rodents that are fed at the expense of the community. They fairly swarm along wharves and river fronts, in sewers, stables, warehouses, markets, garbage dumps, and all places where food is abundant.

The best way to destroy rats is to cut off their food supplies. This may be done by rat-proofing buildings and keeping garbage in tightly closed metal containers. They may be trapped and poisoned, but cutting off the food supply is the surest and most effective method of extermination. Ground squirrels are destroyed by poisoning and suffocating.

Some idea of the expense connected with the maintenance of rats maybe learned from the fact that a full grown rat consumes about two ounces of grain daily, from forty-five to fifty pounds a year. At the present price of wheat, it would cost a warehouse man several dollars annually for the maintenance of each rat upon his premises. Since other food supplies are now proportionately high, the expense of rat maintenance to the average householder may be just as great.

The California State Board of Health will supply information relative to rat and ground squirrel extermination, upon request. Residents of California who engage in the extermination of these rodents will not only aid in "doing their bit" in conserving food supplies for our allies, but at the same time may be aiding in the equally important work of safeguarding the public health.

The Glendale Evening News should be delivered at your home by the carrier not later than 4:30 p. m. every day except Sunday, and usually much earlier than that time. Subscribers who have not received their paper at 4:30 o'clock, should notify the office by phone: Glendale 132, Home 2401.

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# GLENDALE

ON

## Saturday, May 26, 1917, All Day

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These cars will be open for visitors from 10 to 12 o'clock in the morning, open again shortly after one and remain open till 5:35, and then during the evening. Everything free.

At 4 p. m. the UTAH-IDAHO SUGAR COMPANY will give a free moving picture exhibit in the Glendale Palace Grand Theatre, which will last about an hour. Then for an hour or more longer in said theatre there will be short talks by expert instructors accompanying that train, giving the audience the privilege of asking questions.

NOTE—One very interesting feature will be the fact that the time from 2 to 4 p. m. will be devoted by some of the best instructors to children—boy and girl gardeners and planters—with practical illustrations and demonstrations. They, too, may see the moving picture show.

## IN THE EVENING

there will be a mass meeting in the Glendale Union High School (and at other places simultaneously, if need be), to hear the renowned speakers and teachers, scientists and orators tell about those wonderful exhibits and what they mean to California and her people. In the evening also questions will be answered.

NOTE—Why not write out your questions before you come, or after you have seen the exhibits, and hand them in early for answer by accepted authorities?

Among those noted speakers are

### Mr. DOUGLAS WHITE

of the Salt Lake Route

### Professor JOHN T. CAIN, III

Director of the Agricultural Extension Division of the Utah Agricultural College, who will give "Some Practical Suggestions for Increasing Live Stock Production." That alone is worth a trip to Glendale.

### Dr. J. H. WHITE

Director of the Citrus Experiment Station, Riverside, California, will tell you things well worth knowing, things already practically demonstrated on resources and food supplies in Southern California.

You can also have the privilege of hearing

### Dean CHARLES S. KNIGHT

University of Nevada, and Miss Gertrude McCheyne, State Leader of Women's Work, Utah Agricultural College. From the University of California, will come

### Professor W. T. CLARK

Director of the Agricultural Extension Division. Also Professor V. C. Bryant and Professor Francis W. Nunenmacher of the Agricultural Extension Division. From the University of Nevada, College of Agriculture, and

### Director CHARLES S. NORCROSS

of the Agricultural Extension Department. From the Utah Agricultural College also will come Miss Mildred Manghan of the Extension Division, Professor Byron Alder, of Poultry Husbandry, and Professor L. M. Windsor of U. S. D. A.

The United States Forest Service will be represented by

### Mr. MARK ANDERSON

NOTE—There will be a caterpillar tractor and plowing demonstration at 2 p. m. by Consolidated Wagon & Machine Co. and Holt Mfg. Co.

This Salt Lake Route National Preparedness Train will be the most elaborate educational special ever operated by American Institutions of Learning, and while this magnificent display appeals directly to the agriculturist, it has its important message also for dwellers in the city.

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FOR SALE—Pen each, Anconas and Brown Leghorn hens \$9.00 doz. Phone 682 M or call at 1435 Sycamore. 22512

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(Life:) Mrs. Crawford: Her mother slaved all her life in order to give her an education.  
 Mrs. Crabshaw: Now she's turned around and is trying to educate her mother.

**Personals**

Mrs. H. H. Storrs and great-granddaughter, Ava Grace Winney, of Sibley, Iowa, arrived last week to spend the summer with her daughter, Mrs. H. M. Beckman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Legge who have been living in Bishop have returned to Glendale to reside. Mrs. Legge is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Pulliam. Mr. Legge will have business in Los Angeles.

There will be another one of those delightful card parties given by the Eastern Star Thursday, May 24th, at the Masonic Temple. Mrs. Good, Mrs. Betz, Mrs. Deal, Mrs. Pulliam, and Miss Echols, are in charge. All Eastern Stars and friends are invited.

A meeting of the Auxiliary of the Home Guards will be held at the home of Mrs. J. C. McQuiston, 1446 Pioneer drive, on Wednesday, May 23, 2:30 p. m. Addresses will be made on the subject of domestic science, food conservation, loyalty, etc. Silver offerings for the benefit of the fund will be taken.

Mrs. Hazel Williams came Friday from Hollister, Cal., to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wood, 500 East Third street. Her husband, Roger J. Williams, who is teacher of chemistry in the Hollister high school, will join his wife for a visit here at the close of the school term a few weeks later.

M. B. Hartmann 1020 Chestnut St. is among the first to respond to the call of the county officials for volunteers to assist in the work of registration of men eligible for draft. Mr. Hartmann has signified his willingness to work in Glendale or at any place those in charge of the registration wish to use him.

Mr. J. G. Hunchberger and family and Mr. Seymour Smith motored to Bear Valley and Houston Creek on Sunday. They reported poor fishing on account of the recent rains. They are trying to decide upon just which peak they will locate their mountain cabin which will be built in the near future. If present plans materialize there will be quite a settlement of Glendale cabins in Bear Valley.

Rev. R. W. Mottern of the Lutheran church participated in a big Lutheran rally in Los Angeles at Trinity auditorium yesterday afternoon. This was one of a series of meetings the Lutheran churches of Los Angeles and vicinity are holding this year in commemoration of the quadricentennial of the Reformation. The meeting yesterday was addressed by Dr. Simon P. Long of Mansfield, Ohio, one of the leading men in the Lutheran church in the United States.

The Lankershim club last Friday entertained the San Fernando Valley clubs. Mrs. Mattison B. Jones, her daughter Winifred, Mrs. Harlan and Mrs. Spalding were present from Glendale. Every club in the Valley was represented and a most delightful time was reported. The first thing on the program was a visit to Universal City, where some thrilling "stunts" were pulled off for the interest and edification of the visitors. At 3 o'clock the party returned to Wellington Hall, Lankershim, to hear an enjoyable musical program.

**VICTOR CAFE OPENS**

The Victor Cafe of which E. H. Louser is the proprietor opened to the public Sunday, May 20, 1917 at 329 S. Brand Boulevard, several doors south of the Palace Grand Theatre. This Cafe serves a merchant's lunch from 11 o'clock until 2 for 35 cents. Dinner de luxe, Sunday 50 cents. Lunches served all hours of the day. 226t1

**HAWAII WILL FEED ITSELF**

Hawaii will be practically independent of the mainland of the United States, as far as foodstuffs are concerned, the managers of the large plantations and estates throughout the Islands having signified their intention of making early preparation for the planting of food products. This was done following Governor Lucius E. Pinkham's proclamation in early April directing plantation men that their assistance is necessary in the production of food supply sufficient to support the entire population of the Islands without any help from the mainland. In response to this suggestion, Ewa Plantation, one of the largest sugar estates on the Island of Oahu, took up the problem with the Federal Experimental Station and has made application for certain food products. These will be planted and experiments will be made to determine whether they are suitable to be grown in large quantities. The same degree of cooperation has been manifested by large corporations on the islands of Hawaii, Maui and Kauai. During the early days of the settlement of the Hawaiian, then the Sandwich Islands, considerable attention was given to the raising of potatoes and other vegetables, large shipments and other vegetables, large shipments being forwarded to California.—Hawaiian Topics.

(Boston Transcript:) Agnes: No, I would never marry a man to reform him.  
 Ethel: Well, I don't think myself that harsh measures are the best.

**FUNERAL OF ELMAR CAWOOD**

Funeral services for Elmar Cawood, who passed away at La Vina Sanitarium on Thursday last, were held from the Jewel City Undertaking Parlors Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Episcopal burial service was read by Rev. Mills. Six high school boys acted as pall bearers. Mrs. Cole was the soloist and sang several unusually sweet selections. Floral pieces were in abundance, the casket being almost hidden from view. These beautiful tokens of love and esteem came not only from relatives and friends of the young lady, but from different Lodges and Clubs of which her father, Mr. A. E. Cawood, is a member or connected with, the Elks of Glendale, Universal Studio, and the Static Club. A very beautiful piece was sent by the girls of the High School. The body was laid to rest in Forest Lawn cemetery. Elmar Cawood was born in New York October 11, 1897, and came to Glendale with her parents some three years ago. Her home was at 1453 Ivy street. She was a student of the Glendale High School and had built great plans for her future education—but owing to ill health she was obliged to give up her studies, greatly to her disappointment. She was taken to the La Vina Sanitarium some four or five months ago where for a time it was hoped that she would be greatly benefited, but it was not to be and despite the efforts of the physician and nurses, she began to fail rapidly. She suffered greatly during the latter part of her illness, but bore it with remarkable fortitude, never complaining and always remarking on the kindnesses shown her.

Her character was beyond reproach and her disposition unusually sweet. There was always a kind word for every one. Despite the fact that for so long she was obliged to give up all amusement and things that are dear to the hearts of all young people, she never murmured, but was so glad that others were able to have a pleasant time and looked hopefully forward to the time when she would be herself again. She was a talented pianist, with an unusually sweet touch and a great lover of music. None knew her but to love her and her presence will be greatly missed. Besides her parents and friends here, she leaves relatives in England and a host of friends in her former eastern home.  
 A FRIEND.

**FRUIT BASKETS**

A few days ago the local committee of Home Conservation of Food Stuffs published in The Glendale Evening News a notice to housewives to save baskets. In that notice the statement was made that "we have been reliably informed that a certain local basket factory is being forced to close its doors because it is not able to procure the tin binding for the top of baskets, etc." As this report came to us from several different sources and was later reaffirmed by one of the party to investigate the matter, the committee felt warranted in publishing the item it did.

We have since learned, however, that the statement was not true, the manager of the basket factory in question, Mr. Herman Paine, has informed us that his factory is in a most flourishing condition, that they have material enough on hand to last for eighteen months or two years and that they have contracted for the entire output for the present year.

We regret exceedingly our misstatement made and take this first opportunity to correct same. We are much pleased to learn through Manager Paine, himself, of the excellent and thriving condition enjoyed by the local basket factory.

(Signed)  
 MRS. KARA S. ROOT,  
 Committee Chairman.  
 MRS. R. D. WHITE, Secretary.

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**FLAG PRESENTATION**

Last Friday evening Troop number 2 of the Boy Scouts held an important, interesting and inspiring meeting. At the appointed hour the boys marched into the church and took their places upon the platform. Mr. D. A. Lane, the popular and efficient scout master of number two, told in a most-interesting manner the purpose and program of the Scout movement, he related some of the important things that the boys were striving to accomplish.

Guy Bennett the chairman of the troop then took charge of the boys and called for the various parts of the program which consisted in a demonstration of the varied activities of scout life. A group of boys demonstrated how the different knots are tied and their special use. A number of messages were sent by the signal method. "First Aid" was administered to a number of boys who had suffered imaginary accidents.

The Scout oath, laws and rules were given and other important phases of the work presented. Mrs. F. W. Chambers of 860 So. Glendale avenue in a few well chosen words presented the troop with a beautiful flag. Guy Bennett in a most manly way accepted the splendid gift and pledged the scouts to care for and honor the flag.

Master John R. White in a very able manner gave the history of the flag. The story of the flag is one of the many useful things which the boys learn.

After giving a number of their yells the boys brought their meeting to a close.

Quite a number of the parents of the boys were present to enjoy the evening.

Troop number two has its full enrollment and several on the waiting list.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Rev. W. E. Edmonds preached Sunday morning on the subject, "Nearness to God," taking for text the 119th Psalm, verse 151, the longest of the psalms and one filled full with the wisdom of David, garnered no doubt from his wonderful personal experiences. This fact was spoken of by the preacher as adding greatly to the force and interest of the words, "Thou art near, O Lord."

It is surprising that so few people, speaking comparatively, turn to these psalms for comfort and wisdom. They are full of the lessons of wisdom applicable to all the circumstances of life, aside from their beauty as poetry. The emphasis in the text may be put on the word "art," as showing that beyond all question the Lord is ever present. He is near in many ways; He is near in his created world, in the many objects that surround us, but that does not satisfy us, I want to know that He is near with His grace, that He can bind up the broken heart and bless us in our afflictions. I want to know that He is a sin forgiving God. There is no trial in life that is not offset by a promise, He is the promise keeping God. God is an exercise through which we are brought into harmony with His will. If we feel that God is near we will not willingly walk into temptation, He keeps our life clear. The nearness of God is a personal question, the important thing is how near is He to you and me. In the light of the text, who is it we are talking about? Did David mean an atmosphere when he talked about God? God is the Father who sitteth on the throne of the Mist High and yet can be near to his children. He is the Father whom Jesus came to reveal. We need to know this Father, to put ourselves in His hands, for unto all of us will come the time when we shall feel the need of Him if we do not at present.

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 "Yes, Sir."  
 "Married or single?"  
 "Married three years last March."  
 "Have you formed or expressed any opinion?"  
 "Not for three years, your Honor."—New York Times.

**FICTION BETTER THAN TRUTH**

A certain politician seeking office was very much incensed at certain remarks which had been made about him by the leading paper of the town. He burst into the editorial room like a dynamite bomb and exclaimed: "You are telling lies about me in your paper and you know it!" "You have no cause for complaint," said the editor coolly. "What in the world would you do if we told the truth about you?"—New York Globe.

One precedent creates another. These soon accumulate and constitute law.

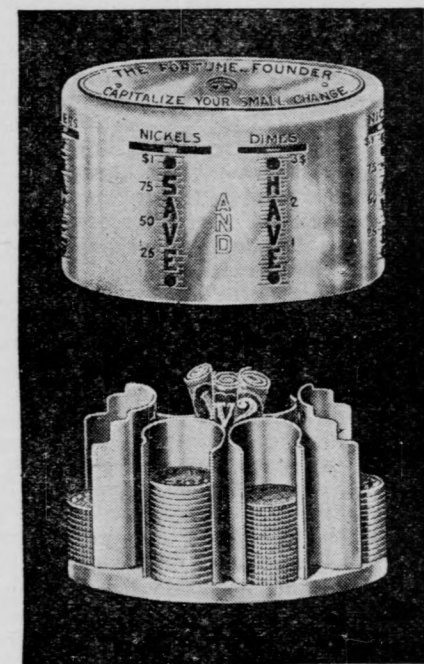
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Passenger. What makes the train run so slowly?

Irate Conductor: If you don't like it you can get off and walk.  
 Passenger: I would, only I am not expected until traftime.

"I overheard Miss Oldun ask you to guess her age. Did you?"  
 "Yes, but I didn't tell her what I guessed."

**SUNLAND**

Mr. and Mrs. Tench and son George accompanied by a lady friend motored to Sunland Wednesday and was the guest of Mrs. Tench's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blumfield.

Mrs. Thayer of Tujunga was a Sunland visitor Wednesday.

The meeting of the Commercial secretaries accompanied by their wives will be at Catalina Island May 26th. Our secretary and wife, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Rowley, will attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis of San Fernando were in the Valley Thursday.

Rev. Green, former presiding elder of the Southern California M. E. church, was calling on friends Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Corey attended the funeral of Mr. David Corey of Long Beach Wednesday. Mr. David Corey was the uncle of Frank Corey of the Monte Vista Tavern. He was seventy-two years old and was an officer in the civil war. The funeral was conducted by the G. A. R. order of Long Beach. Interment at Rosedale cemetery, Los Angeles. The floral offerings were beautiful. Besides his nephew, Frank Corey, he leaves a wife and daughter. Mr. Corey was well known in Sunland.

Mrs. Vease of Santa Monica who is stopping at the Tavern was very ill Wednesday night with heart trouble. Dr. Hammond was at her bedside nearly all night. At this writing she is much improved.

Mrs. Spencer received the sad news of the death of her father, Mr. Machado, at Palms Saturday, May 12th. Mr. and Mrs. Spencer left at once to attend the funeral.

Miss D. Cahill received a message announcing the serious illness of her sister Margaret in Pittsburg, Penn. Miss Margaret spent the winter with her sister in Sunland, having returned to Pittsburg only a few months ago.

Mr. Alfred Strader, wife and children were guests at the home of Alfred Adams Jr. Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Shaw has moved to Sunland and is occupying the Hoflinger apartments.

Dr. and Mrs. La Fatra are at the Park Hotel for a while.

Herbert Branstetter had a very busy day at his stand Sunday. The park was full of people enjoying the shade of the lovely oaks.

Mr. Spear, the blacksmith, has moved his family to Sunland and is occupying the John Mueller home on 1st street.

Mr. Rowley has a new Ford car.

Mrs. Chris Beckmeyer was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Lancaster spent Thursday in Pasadena visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornwall and friends of Los Angeles spent the day, Wednesday, with Mr. and Mrs. C. Harding and daughter, Mrs. Frisbee.

A special meeting of the Ladies' Aid society was held in Mrs. Bernhard's store to discuss the arrangements for a fair to be held in November. The following committees were appointed: General overseer, the President Mrs. Huse; General Manager, Mrs. McNab; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Richardson; Entertainment, Mrs. Bernhard, Mrs. C. Blumfield, Mrs. Lewis; Advertising Committee, Mrs. Rowley; Reception, Mrs. Blumfield, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Rowley; Candy, Mrs. Nance, Mrs. Abrams, Mrs. Garner; Delicatessen, Mrs. Branstetter, Mrs. Frisbee, Mrs. Carey; Fancy Work, Mrs. Lancaster, Mrs. Percy, Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. Wester; Apron, Mrs. Freeman, Mrs. Hartranft, Mrs. Adams; Club, Mrs. Rowley; Coffee, and Cake, Mrs. Kirschman, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Livingston.

Mr. C. White and wife visited their daughter Mrs. H. V. Freeman last week.

The hotels and resorts in Sunland are getting very popular. Mrs. Graham of the "Oak Home Ranch" had to turn away thirty-six people last week as they were crowded to the ben educated abroad.

Miss Lowe and Miss Simson of Los Angeles were guests of Miss Florence Abram last week. Miss Hilda Cluff who has been making improvements on her foothill home left last week for San Francisco. Miss Cluff has a beautiful homesite at the entrance of the Big Tujunga canyon.

The people of New Jersey and of New York will now soon have an opportunity of an outing and of meeting old time friends from "Our Country." They are to meet in an annual picnic in Sycamore Grove, Los Angeles, Saturday, May 26. The usual basket lunch will be taken with coffee free to all who pay the nominal fee for a badge of their respective state. These two state picnics are not held in conjunction but at the same time in the beautiful park of Sycamore Grove. This is the day when it is all right to forget that you are a Californian and live in thought at least, in the old home state.

**MISS RANKIN CRITICIZED**

Enthusiasm for the cause of woman suffrage wanes as we contemplate the weak, uncertain attitude of Congresswoman Jeannette Rankin in her failure to rise to the occasion and vote—at least vote, even though it subsequently appeared that she would have voted wrong on the most momentous question that statesmen have been called upon to decide since the days of the Civil War, says the New American Woman.

It is reported, however, that Miss Rankin's vote was recorded, notwithstanding her refusal to respond audibly to the call of her name. Again, enthusiasm in the suffrage cause takes a fall when Miss Rankin states to a half dozen reporters who sought to know her position on various great and vital problems of the hour, which vex the President and the Congress of the United States, that she "had determined to devote her time exclusively to the cause of woman suffrage."

Does not our first Congresswoman know that woman suffrage is not an issue at this hour? That questions involving the very life of the nation are at stake? That Americans are even as we write, lining up upon foreign battlefields? That our sons are called upon to defend democracy and the principles of this American Republic, and to that end they have offered their lives and the sacrifice of those dear to them?

Increasing the electorate of this country is not now the subject of discussion, nor should it be. The women of America will do well to take a broader view of the situation that confronts us. They should understand once and for all, that it is possible for this country to increase the number of its electorate beyond our power to assimilate.

In this tragic hour when the world is aflame, woman's suffrage per se is secondary, and beyond the bounds of present discussion.

Again let us emphasize that woman suffrage is not now nor can it be an issue while the American nation is calling to arms its defenders against an organized horde of destroyers, who have blown up our ships, murdered our citizens, and who at this very hour are threatening to invade our unprepared and defenseless country.

She must be blind indeed who cannot realize the necessity of women confining themselves to the work of the Red Cross, to preparedness to meet every demand in the fields and factories and in all places of human activity which will be made vacant in the event our men and boys are called to the front. Doubtless Miss Rankin expressed her own views when she refused to vote to empower the President to take whatever steps he found necessary to defend our country, but her attitude was not representative of the American women throughout the nation, nor was it representative of any respectable number of the women of the State of Montana. And let the fact not be ignored that a woman member of Congress represents men in the very same degree that men members of that body represent women. Miss Rankin's failure to vote on the war question left a vast number of the people of the State of Montana, at least, unrepresented so far as her obligations to them were concerned.

**WHAT WE CAN DO**

We cannot run this old world. We cannot change a law of the universe nor control the planets as they roll on in their orbits to the end of time. The glory of the sun and the grandeur of the stars are beyond our ken or comprehension. We cannot add to the fragrance of the inmost tints of the lilac blossom. With nature and nature's God, we poor, weak creatures can little interfere, nor are we of much moment or consideration.

But to the lives of our fellow-men we are all in all. How much love, joy and sunshine, peace, happiness and glory, we could bring to the hearts of those about us if we would but try. If we would displace selfishness by generosity, slander by praise, lies by truth, hatred by love, and tear from our bosoms the demons of greed and jealousy, avarice and ignorance, we could make this old world a fit habitation for God's noblest handiwork; and by lives of righteousness bring tears of joy to the eyes of Him who broke bread with beggars, slept in the bush and sweat blood in the garden of Gethsemane, that the thieves, crooks and grafters of this planet might have a chance for Eternal Life. This is what we can do! Suppose we try.—Egbert C. Misner.

**A BIT INACCURATE**

A girl was required to write a brief sketch of Queen Elizabeth. Her paper contained this sentence: "Elizabeth was so dishonest that she stole her soldiers' food." The teacher was puzzled, and called the girl.

"Where did you get that notion?" "Why, that's what it says in the history."

The book was sent for and the passage was found. It read: "Elizabeth was so parsimonious that she even pinched her soldiers' rations."—San Francisco Chronicle.

**COUNCIL OF DEFENSE**

Here are the things which the California State Council of Defense has accomplished since April 6, when it was organized by Governor Stephens:

1. Increased forthcoming crop production in California more than 30 per cent, thereby insuring millions of pounds of additional foodstuffs for both the U. S. and the allied armies.
2. Formed County Councils of Defense in all of the 58 counties of the State which will have supervision over and co-ordinate the efforts of local organizations and individuals in putting the entire State on a systematic and unified preparedness and defensive basis.
3. Through its Committee on Scientific Research, utilized scores of heretofore wasted by-products and made them available for industrial purposes.
4. Through its Secret Service department given material aid to the federal government in the repression of enemy plots. More than 200 persons have already been interned in California.
5. By co-ordinating federal, State and municipal free employment bureau systems, county councils of defense, the Farm Bureau of the U of C and farmers organizations, taken steps to provide for quick mobilization of available farm labor and the prevention of any shortage of needed help at harvesting time.
6. Secured legislation which permits water and irrigation companies to furnish surplus water to crop-raisers outside of their own districts.
7. Through County Councils of Defense, taken steps for the prompt and efficient carrying out of the provisions of the government's selective draft plans.
8. Supervised and encouraged the formation of more than 250 companies of Home Guards, more than half of which have taken the necessary oath which makes them available as a secondary reserve defense for the State.
9. Through the State Marketing Commission, taken steps for the prompt handling and disposal of increased crop and food production.
10. Through the enthusiastic co-operation of newspapers throughout the State along all lines, and through women's clubs and similar organizations, successfully waged a campaign for food conservation and prevention of waste.

SACRAMENTO, May 21.—Created on April 6 by Governor William D. Stephens for the purpose of preparing California for war, the State Council of Defense in approximately five weeks of operation has put the State on a basis to cope adequately with almost any emergency which might arise and at the same time has established California in the front ranks as one of the most quickly and efficiently prepared states in the Nation.

In a resume of its activities just given out, the State council shows that in addition to co-ordinating individuals and local patriotic effort into systematized and unified lines for defensive-organization, it also has brought about increased food production throughout California which will insure millions of pounds of badly needed foodstuffs for home consumption and for the allied armies abroad, and that in the line of military defensive steps it has fostered and brought into existence a home guard force estimated at 37,500 men, which when properly armed through federal channels, can be used as a secondary defensive line in military emergency.

Summing up the activities of the State Council of Defense and the results which have been obtained since its organization little more than a month ago, A. H. Nafziger, vice-chairman, says:

Our initial efforts immediately after organization were directed toward increased food production. Through our Committee on Resources and Food Supplies and the Agricultural Department of the University of California, which has been of incalculable aid, practically every farmer in the State has been induced to plant largely increased crops. In every county of the State, through the University of California farm advisers, farmers have been advised as to what crops would be most needed and every possible assistance given to them. The result is that the forthcoming crop production in practically all lines will be from 35 to 50 per cent greater than in former years.

**County Councils Aid Work**

"Next to increased crop production, our most important problem was the co-ordination of individual and local efforts and patriotism into a systematized and unified preparedness program. Toward this end there have been organized in every county in the State county councils of defense which have been subdivided into committees similar to those of the State Council of De-

fense, and which are taking up on a smaller scale the same defense problems which met the State council on its inception. Under the jurisdiction of county councils, of which the presiding judge of the Superior Court is chairman, are all county organizations which have preparedness as their objective. In hundreds of cities and towns local councils of defenses have been formed and these municipal organizations are carrying out locally the defensive steps initiated by each county council. In practically every county in the State from two to a half dozen home guard companies have been organized and are being drilled; steps have been taken to properly safeguard water, power and other public utilities; peace officers have gotten together for the purpose of concerted effort in the repression of enemy plots; growing crops are being watched over to prevent destruction by fire or by the blowing up of irrigation gates and dams; relief work and the training of nurses for war purposes are being carried on under the direction of the Red Cross; home gardening is being encouraged on a wide scale by practical public instruction and in many places cities are providing free water, and scores of other lines of defense activity are being followed out.

**Industries Set Stimulus**

"One of the most important works and one which will have its effects after the war is over is being carried on by the Committee on Scientific Research, which has for its object the supplying of much-needed chemicals and similar products through the utilization of heretofore wasted by-products. When it is said that this committee has discovered a desert plant which grows in profusion and which can be used as a substitute in the manufacture of rubber, some understanding of the value of their work is given. The results that they already have secured have been of vast importance from an industrial viewpoint. Many big mining projects which were tied up through inability to secure cyanide again are in operation. And in utilizing waste products for making cyanide again are in operation. And in utilizing waste products for making cyanide, not only mining work but the citrus growers and hundreds of farmers have been aided. Steps are now in progress for the utilization of waste and the manufacture of by-products which will give California industries more than a score of chemicals, the securing of which had been practically cut off by the war in Europe.

"Apropos the work of the Secret Service department of the State Council of Defense, for precautionary reasons little can be said. Sufficient is the fact that more than 200 persons are now interned in this State, practically all of them for attempts to carry out enemy plots within our borders. We are working with the closest co-operation with the federal government in these matters.

**Far Labor is Big Problem**

"Having urged farmers throughout the State to plant increased crops, it has been contingent upon the State council to see that here would be sufficient labor to harvest these crops when they were ripe. Toward this end a complete survey of the forthcoming crop production not only has been made, but a comprehensive survey of all available labor for farm work is now near completion. This will include not only the labor which is regularly available in each locality, but a careful count of California's floating labor population.

"Co-incidence with the crop and labor surveys, steps already have been taken to co-ordinate the efforts of the Federal, State and municipal free employment bureaus, county councils of defense, the Farm Bureau of the University of California which has agents in every county, and farmers organizations, toward making the available labor supply more mobile and toward getting both laborers and employers in better touch with each other. In order to accomplish this latter requisite it has been necessary for members of the State council to assimilate the viewpoints of both the farmer and the men who work as farm hands. With already available data on the number of men who can be utilized for farm work, and with the improvement of the living conditions and with the paying of the same wage that is offered for common labor by railroads, construction projects and others, we do not believe that there will be any difficulties encountered by farmers in securing necessary help to harvest their forthcoming crops.

**Surplus Water for Crops**

"Practically every farmer in the State already is aware, of legislation enacted by the State Legislature at the request of Governor Stephens, which will permit water and irrigation companies to sell their surplus water to crop-raisers outside of already defined irrigation districts, without jeopardizing their future rights in such matters. Thousands of acres of increased crops are being produced through these steps.

"Through county councils of defense, steps already have been taken by the State Council of Defense through its newly created State Registration Bureau, of which Ralph P. Merritt is head, for the prompt carrying out of the provisions of the recently enacted national selective

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scription law. With the receiving of definite instructions from Washington, California is ready to carry out the necessary registration work with all possible speed and accuracy.

"The actual work of putting California on a strictly military defensive basis has necessarily been left largely in the hands of the military authorities. By fostering the organization of home guard companies in different localities, however, we have been able to build up a secondary line for military defense which would be extremely valuable in time of emergency. Practically 250 of such home guard companies have been formed throughout the State and more than half of them have complied with the provisions of the State law which makes them amenable to call by the Governor. Many of them already are effectively armed and with the ability to secure needed guns, this branch of military organization will be a big asset toward defensive preparedness. At a rough estimate, figuring an average of 150 men to each home guard company, there would be available 37,500 men in this branch of service.

**Newspapers Invaluable Aid**

"Steps for the handling and marketing of forthcoming crops are being taken through the State Marketing Commissioner, and are now being worked out.

"Inculcating the public mind with the idea that food conservation and the prevention of waste was absolutely necessary to prevent a serious shortage in the food supply now available, the newspapers throughout the State have been our most valuable ally. In fact, along every line of State organization for defense, the aid of the newspapers has been enthusiastically and spontaneously given. The quick and efficient results which have been obtainable so far can be directly attributed to their co-operation. In the prevention of waste, with the co-operative and state-wide aid of women is organization, publicity has been productive of splendid results.

"There are many other problems on which we are working and which are integral parts toward efficient, state-wide preparedness, but which are less important than the problems mentioned. Taken as a whole, however, the preparedness work already accomplished in California puts us in a position to cope successfully with almost any kind of an emergency which might arise. We are being called upon daily to furnish information about the organization work already accomplished in California for the guidance of councils of defense being formed in other states."

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**DON'T WORRY**

Why shadow the beauty of sea or of land  
With a doubt or a fear?  
God holds all the swift-rolling world in His hand,  
And sees what no man can as yet understand,  
That out of life here,  
With its smile and its tear,  
Comes forth into light, from Eternity planned.  
The soul of Good Cheer,  
Don't worry,—  
The end shall appear.  
—ELIZABETH PORTER COULD.

**SENT HIM HOME**

On Lincoln's birthday, an aged man was brought into the jail at Butte, Mont., for drunkenness. When he proved that he had voted and fought for Lincoln, Jailer Lavell sent him home in a taxicab.

Homely Aunt—Do you suppose those young men are following us? Prettly Niece—One of us, auntie.