

AT STATE CAPITOL

PLAN TO BUY UNRECLAIMED LANDS ISSUE IN LEGISLATURE

SACRAMENTO, March 8.—The proposition of the state buying the vast acreage of lands to be directly benefited by the Sacramento river flood control and reclamation project is fast coming to the front as one of the most important issues before the legislature. The idea originated with Senator William Kehoe of Eureka who sees a chance for the state to secure a substantial annual income through this investment. Under the present arrangement through which the state is to give \$5,600,000, the government \$5,600,000 and property owners in the Sacramento-San Joaquin drainage district about \$30,000,000, the lands of private property owners would be reclaimed and greatly enhanced in value.

Kehoe believes it would be of great interest to the whole state if the state should buy these unreclaimed lands at the present low value and get the benefit of the increased value through the flood control and reclamation features of the project. He believes the lands could be leased out by the state for thousands of dollars annually, the rental money to be given toward the support of schools throughout the state, thus relieving the general property tax for this purpose.

Senators Jones, Benson and Inman are among the legislators who have voiced their interest in the proposal, and Jones is preparing a resolution to have Kehoe's idea fully investigated.

The state reclamation board has interested itself in the proposition, but is advising Jones and Kehoe to "go slow."

It will require the whole machinery of the legislature to give Jerry Collins of San Francisco an increase in salary of \$50 a month. The bill through which Jerry will get the raise is entitled "An act to amend section 86 of the code of civil procedure of the state of California relating to Justices' clerks and appointees." Sunny Jim Ryan, who introduced the bill, asserts that the whole object is to give Jerry a raise and, the assembly having passed it upon being informed by Assemblyman Ryan that "it is a meritorious measure and Jerry is deserving of the raise" the senate will undoubtedly concur. Collins is a chief deputy clerk in one of the San Francisco justice courts.

Warring nations having almost stripped California of horses, there is unprecedented activity toward replenishing the supply. Secretary C. W. Paine of the State Stallion Registration Board reported to the legislature. Applications for registration of stallions are coming in at the rate of 25 a day, Paine says.

Constitutional amendment is introduced in the legislature to provide for two additional courts of appeal in California. The present courts are at San Francisco, Los Angeles and Sacramento.

A bill providing for the examination and certification of plumbers was passed in the 1915 session of the legislature but was vetoed by Governor Johnson because it created an expensive commission to carry out the provisions. In this session Assemblyman Phillips has introduced the same kind of a bill but it provides only for a single person to attend to its administration. The bill has passed the assembly.

DANCING PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Cross were host and hostess at an informal dance given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Guthrie, 523 West Ninth street, Wednesday evening. Yellow acacia was used in decoration and enhanced the beauty of the spacious rooms so admirably adapted to tripping the light fantastic. At a late hour delicious refreshments were served at daintily appointed tables. Those invited to this delightful affair were Messrs. and Mesdames H. H. Parker, A. L. Weaver, Charles H. Temple, Harry T. Lockwood, Walter Stamps, Laurence Ellis, Charles L. Evans, Warren Roberts, W. T. Whedon.

CORNERSTONE LAYING

The First English Lutheran church of this city have all arrangements completed to hold the cornerstone laying of their new chapel on the corner of Fifth and Maryland, this coming Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Let all members and friends of the congregation take notice of this announcement.

WEATHER FORECAST—Fair tonight and Friday. Light westerly winds.

RECIPROCITY MEETING

GLENDALE LADIES ENTER-TAINED AT SOUTH PASADENA

Mrs. Mattison B. Jones and Mrs. C. E. Harlan represented the Tuesday Afternoon club of Glendale at the reciprocity day meeting of the Woman's Improvement club of South Pasadena Wednesday. The club house was very beautifully and elaborately decorated for the occasion and the club house itself is very pleasing to the eye with its beautiful furnishings in brown and gold color effects. The artists appearing on the program were all members of the Woman's Improvement association and evidenced much talent among its membership. Miss Ann E. Hughes was the vocalist and the pianist for the afternoon. Mrs. Halbert Thomas gave four numbers from Chopin and two compositions from the old classical school. Among the readings given was "The Dog from Flanders," which was very beautifully rendered by Mrs. Joseph A. Probst. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the program. The courtesy committee had arranged for each member to take charge of one guest and be with her all the afternoon, a very pleasing courtesy. The chairman of the civic committee of the club, Mrs. Frank Stevens, and the other ladies of the committee, have made arrangements with the city trustees of South Pasadena whereby that body will have plowed free any vacant lot a resident wishes to use for the planting of vegetables, the planter to pay the trustees for the work after the crop is harvested. There is a great deal of activity in the matter of planting vacant lots to potatoes, corn and other crops, in that vicinity in a laudable effort to reduce the high cost of living. Some of the members said they could not afford to pay the price of seed potatoes and Mrs. Stevens told of a method by which a crop could be secured without going to the expense of purchasing seed potatoes. She told them when paring potatoes to pare a little deeper at one end, sufficiently to get two eyes and these parings would furnish a crop if planted. She said she expected to raise all the vegetables she needed this summer by the use of a vacant lot adjoining her residence.

NORTH GLENDALE W. C. T. U.

A meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. O. A. Townsend, 1429 Stocker street, Friday afternoon at 2:30, to organize a North Glendale W. C. T. U. Mrs. Gaylor, the county organizer, hopes that all the ladies interested in the temperance movement in that vicinity will be present to aid in the establishing of the new union. The ladies of any community banded together can accomplish so much more than each one individually for the cause. In spite of the fact that the nation is slowly but surely gaining dry territory, there is a lot of work to do yet and there is still need of organization. The state president has been at Sacramento the past month in the interest of measures the temperance people wish to have put through. And after the country has become dry there will still be work for the unions to do in seeing that good men are elected to office who will enforce the laws. A few weeks ago Mrs. Gaylor organized a union at Pomona with five members and the membership has already grown to thirty.

BIG REAL ESTATE DEAL

Two or three days ago a big real estate deal was closed, as is reported, for a large tract of land two or three blocks east of Glendale, within Eagle Rock limits, and running up into the canyon, supposed to involve about one hundred acres. It was made between Mayor J. S. France of Eagle Rock and three wealthy men from Los Angeles, but whether residents of California is not known to our informant.

Streets are to be curbed and houses built, including a fine school. A jitney is to be purchased and given to a chauffeur to run between Eagle Rock and the new addition to our enterprising sister city. We congratulate Eagle Rock on having her beautiful and picturesque scenery and home sites so appreciated by people who have the means to make the most of a most desirable location.

Glendale also has scenes of delight which will soon be glorifying many a palatial home on the hillside, and many a cosy cottage in the dale.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Colson of 1516 Burchett street are entertaining an old-time friend, Mrs. E. J. Bennett of Redlands. Mrs. Bennett is the mother of Jas. S. Bennett, a prominent attorney of Los Angeles.

IRISH ASK AID OF U. S.

WANT PRINCIPLES OF SELF GOVERNMENT ADVOCATED BY WILSON APPLIED TO IRELAND

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)
LONDON, March 8.—Members of the Irish party who forced the Home Rule bill in the House of Commons have issued a manifesto asking all Irish-Americans as well as all Americans to aid their movement. They are pleading for pressure on England for an application to Ireland of the principles of self government advocated by President Wilson in his peace speech.

GERMAN AGENTS ACTIVE IN MEXICO

PLAY VILLA AGAINST CARRANZA—PAY BANDITS TO HARRASS TROOPS ALONG THE BORDER

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)
LAREDO, Texas, March 8.—The Germans have been playing Villa against Carranza. It has been learned that German agents have made an agreement with Villa to send small bands of his men to harass the troops along the border, in case of war between the United States and Germany, the agents to pay Villa monthly. There is also a rumor that officials close to Carranza are also dealing with German agents.

PRESIDENT WILSON ILL

CONFINED TO HIS BED WITH COLD AND WORRY OVER TRYING PROBLEMS OF THE PAST FEW WEEKS

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)
WASHINGTON, March 8.—President Wilson is confined to his bed with an aggravated cold. He is tired out from the trying weeks following the break with Germany. He may be confined to his bed for several days according to his physicians. His illness has delayed the announcement of his declaration on the arming of merchantmen although there is increasing evidence that his orders to Secretary Daniels to arm American merchant ships will not be postponed.

DARDANELLES CAMPAIGN

COMMISSION REPORTS WAR COUNCIL FAILED TO INVESTIGATE AVAILABILITY OF TROOPS

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)
LONDON, March 8.—The Dardanelles Commission to-day reported that the British War Council and the late foreign war minister, Lord Kitchener, failed to investigate the availability of troops when starting the ill-fated campaign in the Dardanelles.

NO FOOD INVESTIGATION

CONGRESS FAILED TO APPROPRIATE NECESSARY MONEY FOR FEDERAL TRADES COMMISSION PROBE

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)
WASHINGTON, March 8.—The Federal Trades Commission will not make an investigation of the high cost of food. Congress failed to appropriate the necessary money for this purpose.

PLAN TO RAID PACIFIC SHIPPING

PLOT OF PERUVIAN SUBMARINES BRIBED BY GERMAN AGENTS IS DISCOVERED

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)
WASHINGTON, March 8.—It has been officially learned that German agents bribed the officers and crew of two Peruvian naval submarines to raid allied shipping in the Pacific ocean. The arrest of German agents on a Chilean steamer by a British warship revealed the plot before it was executed.

\$200,000 FIRE IN SAN FRANCISCO

PLANT OF STEIGER TERRA COTTA COMPANY DESTROYED—FIRE BELIEVED INCENDIARY

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)
SAN FRANCISCO, March 8.—The plant of the Steiger Terra Cotta company in South San Francisco, was burned to-day. The loss is \$200,000. It is believed the fire was of incendiary origin. The plant had been closed owing to labor trouble.

BRITISH NEAR BAGDAD

(Special Service to Glendale Evening News)
LONDON, March 8.—The capture of Bagdad by the British is a foregone conclusion. British cavalry is within twelve miles of the city. Bagdad has no defensive works.

BIG CONVENTION

WILL SOON BE A REALITY—LOCAL COMMITTEES ENTHUSIASTIC

We have been hearing a lot about the big convention the past two months and in a little over a week the event long anticipated will be realized. The big tent which will seat about 3,500 people was erected Wednesday on the convention site at the corner of Colorado and Louise streets. Other plans of the convention committee are being worked out step by step.

On Saturday night the boys who will act as pages and guides had a banquet and a real enthusiastic time planning their work for the days of the convention. That bunch of twenty-five boys have the convention enthusiasm. One of these boys remarked the other day: "I am on three committees and if anything else turns up that I can do I am right here to do it." Many of the young men and women are spending every evening and all of their spare time at the Christian Endeavor headquarters.

The entertainment committee is a busy bunch also. This committee is composed of seventy-five young men and women divided into seven groups, each group with a chairman. The district, which is composed of Glendale, Eagle Rock and Tropic, is also divided into seven parts making the work easier for all. This committee is to have a banquet and a get-together time at the Christian church to-night. Then on Friday and Saturday we will all hear from them. They will canvass every home in the district from beginning to end, not missing one, and will find out how many delegates each of us will take into our homes. Decide how many you can entertain and when the young people call upon you give them a hearty welcome and show that we appreciate their hard work and their Christian enthusiasm.

OFFICIALS' SALARIES

The question often arises what is the salary of certain public officials. For the information of the public we reproduce in part a page from the new city directory which gives the salaries of the city officers and the heads of the various departments of the public schools. Many other important facts may be found in the 1917 city directory, which is just off the press.

City Officials	
President and other members of the Board of Trustees are paid \$5.00 for attendance at each meeting of the Board.	
City Clerk	\$ 85.00
City Treasurer	85.00
City Manager	150.00
City Engineer	150.00
City Attorney	100.00
Mgr. Public Service Dept.	250.00
Health Officer	25.00
Recorder	25.00
Building Inspector	110.00
Street Foreman	100.00
Asst. Treasurer's Office	85.00
Asst. Treasurer's Office	65.00
Stenographer	50.00
City Marshal	110.00
Police Captain	95.00
Deputy	85.00
Deputy	85.00
Deputy	80.00
Deputy	75.00
Police Desk Sergeant	\$25.00
Public Warfare bookkeeper	60.00 85.00
Fire Chief	100.00
Deputy	80.00
Deputy	70.00

Glendale City School District Principals' Salaries	
Supervising Principal	\$2200.00
Principal Broadway School	1244.50
Principal Central Avenue School	1140.00
Principal Colorado Boulevard School	1244.50
Principal Columbus Avenue School	1244.50
Principal Doran Street School	1083.00
Principal Pacific Avenue School	1140.00
Principal Third Street School	1140.00

Tropico City School District Principals' Salaries	
Principal Acacia Avenue School	\$ 810.00
Principal Cerritos Avenue School	1260.00

Glendale Union High School Principals' Salaries	
Principal's salary	\$2800.00
Vice-Principal's salary	2200.00

YOUNG MEN, ATTENTION!

Remember the meeting of the First M. E. Baraca class to-night at the home of Herbert Matthiesen, 805 W. Fifth street. Important business. Come!

GARDEN INSTRUCTION

MANY ARE BEING BENEFITED BY TALKS ON VEGETABLE CULTURE

On Tuesday night, at the free gardening demonstration held at 1111 West Broadway, under the auspices of the Glendale Garden society, Professor Houdyshele gave a very interesting informal talk and answered many questions. Much expert advice was given on the subject of bean planting. For dry beans plant Tepary Navy, and for the fresh variety plant the Stringless Green Pod.

The different forms of infection of plant life and remedies were discussed. When cucumber leaves turn dark, an emulsion of soap and water is used; for the beetle-infected cucumber, paris green; for plant lice, tobacco tea. Arsenate of lead will destroy worms on corn. The professor talked in favor of the compost bin and explained its desirability.

Wednesday evening, Miss Helen White, agricultural teacher of the Glendale Grammar schools, explained many interesting points to her attentive listeners, a number of adults, two school boys and one little girl. Many new faces were noticed, and great interest was manifested in the instructions given. Indeed, it was 9:30 before teacher and pupils, big and little, dispersed. To keep birds from young peas, Mr. Le Noir Church, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, suggested tin discs which reflect the sunshine. Wire worms were spoken of, and Mr. Church mentioned armies of such which, in his boyhood days, they would kill by thousands with flails. Vegetable rows should be run north and south, unless the slope of ground determines otherwise. The best corn for local purposes is Golden Bantam, and should be planted April 1. Splendid carrots which can be planted any month in the year are the Long Orange.

The old question or superstition (?) of planting in the dark and the light of the moon caused considerable discussion. Miss Helen White is a highly scientifically trained agriculturist and handled her subjects with great ease and simplicity of language. Her lucid explanations proved of inestimable value to her hearers. These free classes are being held every evening this week at 1111 W. Broadway, from 7:30 to 8:30 each night.

To-night, at the free instruction class, 1111 W. Broadway, an ideal plan of a 50x150 foot lot will be explained—houses, garage, chicken yard, vegetable plots, fruit trees and ornamental yet useful shrubs and vines, making for combined beauty and utility. Expert advice upon raising carrots, radishes, parsley, lettuce, etc., will be given to all desiring information. Come punctually at 7:30. The discussions become so interesting that last night it was 9:30 before the meeting broke up. So come punctually that proceedings may terminate earlier. There is no regular meeting, no lecture, just informal discussion, questions asked and answered, notes taken by those who wish, and individual attention paid each enquirer. These free classes will terminate on Saturday evening. Take advantage now of the opportunities offered without charge by the Glendale Garden society. God helps those who help themselves. Help to reduce your family expenses by learning how to produce table vegetables in your own back yard.

CATHOLICS PLAN ENTERTAINMENT

The members of the Holy Family Catholic church are planning for a big event to follow soon after the close of the Lenten season. Members and interested friends will meet to-night at the parish house at 8 o'clock to make plans for a big minstrel show and entertainment. Further details of the program and special features will be given later.

SHAKESPEARE SECTION

The Shakespeare Section of the Tuesday afternoon club met at the residence of Mrs. W. E. Evans on Monday afternoon. The study was on "The Tempest." Several guests were present and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent. Mrs. Chas. Temple presided at the tea urn. The tea table was decorated with jonquils. The next meeting will be held March 19 and the section will take up the study of "Twelfth Night."

KEEPS EVERLASTINGLY AT IT

F. D. Silvius, who has his office at the corner of Brand and Colorado, is one real estate man who believes that constant work will bring business. During the month of February he sold four lots in Strong and Dickerson's Hollywood tract, a house and lot in Tropic, and lot 3 in the Newmark tract, Tropic.

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THE CHILD AND THE PUBLIC SCHOOL

In view of pending legislation, the object of which seems to be to extend the powers of physicians in the matter of compulsory physical examination in our public schools, it would be well for all parents to read the following article written by Dr. Lewis P. Crutcher, a practicing physician and president of the Board of Education of Long Beach. The bill now before the legislature calls for an appropriation of \$30,000 by the state, but nothing is said as to what it will cost counties and school districts. The bill provides for daily inspection of all pupils in the schools and of hygienic and sanitary conditions in the homes.

This article by Dr. Crutcher is reprinted from the February issue of "The Worth While Magazine," published at Long Beach. Careful retrospection involving the tendencies of the American people in the realm of sociology and governmental activity, reveals an alarming indifference to, or ignorance of, the fact that government is a product of organized society and that the individual is never a creation of government,—that is to say, they have seemed to believe that man was made for government, rather than that government was made for man.

Modern acceptance and moderate application of that governmental idea expressed in the meaningful word Democracy, have relieved us of much of our perverted concept of human relations, although it must be admitted that we yet have far to go ere we shall have fully emerged from the notion that man was made to be ruled rather than to be ruler. Indeed, it may be justly held that we have not by any means fully outgrown our willingness to submit to domination by persons, organizations, parties, groups or cliques. And quite as true is it that so long as a people submits to domination, the dominating force is least to be blamed.

One of the most striking evidences of the modern tendency to invade the cherished rights of the individual is to be found in the program for state medicine, in which a clique known as political doctors has been and is enforcing, by state laws, certain of its tenets upon a people who boast of freedom and independence.

These astute politicians realized at the beginning of their raid upon human rights, that any effort to trespass the home would result in disaster for their subtle scheme, and straightway they began to shape legislation to the end that the child in the public school would be their prey under sanction of the state.

Bear in mind that these medical mamelukes had previously resorted to every available seductive inducement to the home and that only after the home had rejected them did they proceed along the lines of compulsion; nor were they so stupid as to first approach the public school in the habiliments of the bandit, but rather, in the garb of the philanthropist, arguing as they went that what they proposed was for the best interests of both the child and the school and that their propaganda was one of education and purely optional with parents.

Subsequent history of this matter proves, among other things, that from provisional or optional examination to compulsory medication is but a step. Parents seemed, however, to have sensed the fact that philanthropy is generally used to cloak some act of crookedness in the past or to veil some evil intent, and they strenuously refused to accept this free-will offering of service to their children in the schools.

A typical case in point is vaccination as a preventive of small-pox. First it was a "good and acceptable" thing—next it was still "good" but not so acceptable. Then whether good or bad it was so freely rejected that the only hope that remained for its continued application was to compel submission to it at the public school, the question whether it was good, bad or indifferent having been swallowed up in a state enactment, placed upon the statute books by a group of disappointed and disgruntled, and possibly very greedy, medical politicians.

From what has already been said it is not difficult to understand why these persistent philanthropists cunningly centered their attention upon the citadels of learning and exempted the parents who had reached the age of discernment and resistance.

What cared these "guardians of human health and happiness" if the state has no right to interfere with the individual except in case of criminality or contagion? Of what concern to them was the fact that the healthy child cannot be held to be a danger or menace to the community?

What matters it if the people of this state have forced an amendment into the state vaccination law providing exemption for those who conscientiously oppose the practice; do not arrogant medical officers demand that every student who enters the State University at Berkeley submit to vaccination by scarification as a condition of matriculation?

These several deliberate violations of the accepted rights of our common citizenship have their proper effect, however, for slowly but surely a liberty-loving people are awakening to the outrages involved and it is but a matter of a little more time until these manifested impositions and the pernicious laws that make them possible will be swept into oblivion.

Seeing the approach of this storm of protest, these wily champions of Medical Trust tactics have already begun to trim their sails and we find them harking back to that initial period in political medicine when the program was based upon parental option. The example of this change of course is the inauguration of what is termed "child hygiene," which originally involved only the examination of school children for the possible detection of the presence of tonsils, adenoids, crooked teeth and other defects to which the American child may fall heir.

Accompanying this novel adventure we find that other edifying procedure known as sex hygiene which affords splendid opportunity for the salacious tongue to empty its filth into innocent and unsuspecting ears. To be sure, the movement of child hygiene—or medical inspection of school children—had its inception in the established fact that a child suffering a contagious disease has no right to attend school and thereby endanger other school children with his contagion; but it is a far cry from this manifest right of the healthy child to protection, to insistence upon an examination of all

school children for conditions known and acknowledged to be innocuous and non-transmissible, and the curt demand that the subjects of these examinations shall submit to such treatment as the inquisitor may demand.

At this juncture it may be well to report the experience in this connection of the Board of Education of which the writer has the honor to be presiding officer. When the present Long Beach Board of Education went into office in the spring of 1915,—it found that the school system had a department of child hygiene with a liberally salaried doctor at its head.

In passing, it may be stated that the salary in question was insufficient, since it was found expedient by the medical director to recommend a Los Angeles throat specialist as the operator in tonsillitis, he the aforesaid director, administering the anaesthetic for the modest sum of twenty-five dollars. The Long Beach Board of Education, as one of its first official acts, abolished the department of child hygiene, or medical inspection of school children, dismissing at the same time the director and his aggregation of assistants and nurses.

The proponents of medical inspection of school children may be embarrassed to no little extent by the record of attendance of our school system which conclusively shows that since the abolition of the department of child hygiene from our schools, there has been a less number of absentees from school on account of sickness, than in any similar period in the history of the system. Certainly then, the plausible verdict in this case is that in abandoning this activity the people of the community have not lost anything. Quite to the contrary, they have awakened to the pleasant consciousness that their rights and responsibilities in the medical oversight of their children have been fully restored to them, and now, with the hearty co-operation of both parents and teachers, the Board of Education feels that it was justified in the contention that the function of the public school is to EDUCATE—not to medicate.

The American parent now faces the significant fact that the Bible has been taken from the public schools to be reclaimed by the home, and that it has been supplanted in the curriculum by stereopticon views of tuberculous lungs, emaciated infants, the grimy feet of the festive house fly, and other delectable horrors offered by the fraternity of fright, but just as no child was ever made more moral or more truly religious by having presented to his vision and imagination a devil with horns and hoofs and forked tail, in brimstone environs, so also no child was ever made healthier or happier or better able to resist disease from observing the uncanny and disgusting specimens exhibited in these modern times by a substitute propaganda.

The whole problem of the rights of parents and their children on the one hand, and the public school and its children on the other, will be easily solved if the patrons of the public school will constantly keep in mind.—First, That the public school is maintained as a convenience to the home and is, and must always be, held subordinate to it; Second, That the moral and religious welfare and medical oversight of the child are primarily and fundamentally functions of the home that cannot be safely delegated to any other institution; Third, That the "ignorance of parents" claimed as a justification of medical inspection is always gauged by the degree in which the parent differs from the inspector in the contentions of the latter; Fourth, That it is the school that is PUBLIC and not the child.

PASADENA IS BUSY ON RAPID TRANSIT

Horace M. Dobbins, president of the Pasadena Rapid Transit company, which recently sold the city an option to its right of way for a railroad line between Pasadena and Los Angeles, may be employed by the city for part of the work of securing options on properties to complete the right of way, it is stated by Chairman A. L. Hamilton, of the City Commission.

The city's next step, Mr. Hamilton says, is to proceed to complete the right of way, securing options on the various properties required for that purpose. The vote on the purchase of the right of way as it now stands between the south city limits and Avenue 34, in Los Angeles, will then follow. It must be held within one year from the date the option was approved by the City Commission.

It is not believed that any great difficulty will be found in securing options at a reasonable figure. It is believed the advantages of the proposed municipal railway will be readily recognized by property owners who must be negotiated with.—Star-News.

BLOSSOM-TIME

California is the land of eternal summer, and especially in the south our lasting fame is largely due to the succession of brilliant days such as we are now enjoying. But who can think of the Golden State as anything but the land of a billion blossoms, if he has been fortunate enough to see the orchard region of California during the latter part of March or the beginning of April. As typical of the scene is the beautiful Santa Clara valley, fifty miles in length and five to twenty in width, inlaid with thousands of tints, squares and rectangles. It is a veritable garden of Eden in early spring, for while the east still shivers under the lashing of the most boisterous of months California and the Santa Clara valley in particular, is flushing with prune, plum, cherry, al-

mond, peach and apricot. You cannot match this wealth of bloom even in Japan, and Japan's cherry blossom trees are barren, while those of California bear luscious fruits. Our beautiful land has wealth of various kinds, its mountain, forest and stream to draw the tourists from the world's ends, but he who has not seen our orchard country a bloom, and better still, glowing whitely in the rays of a full moon, has still a treat in store for him.—Monrovia News.

FOR EXCHANGE

FOR EXCHANGE—40 acres fine alfalfa land, in Fresno county, on railroad, plenty water, actually worth \$6000.00; will exchange for Glendale house and lot or L. A. suburban. No agents need submit. Rattray, 1003 Title Insurance Bldg., L. A. 16112*

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FOR SALE—Or will trade for Glendale property, brand new Saxon Six touring car, 1917 model. Call or write 1539 Hawthorne St. 16212

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At a recent meeting of the new school district of San Marino it was voted to authorize the school directors to call an election to vote on the issuance of \$60,000 bonds for the purchase of land and the erection of a modern school house. This new school district was recently formed out of portions of the Pasadena, Alhambra, San Gabriel and Chapman school districts.

A meeting will be held in Alhambra this evening to take preliminary steps toward organizing a military company.

Personals.

N. P. Banks Woman's Relief Corps will meet at G. A. R. hall Friday afternoon at 2:15.

Cameron Johnson will give his illustrated lecture on the Far East at the Presbyterian church this evening.

Mrs. John Paul of 533 S. Orange street entertained Mr. and Mrs. Adam Paul of Bairdstown, Cal., Sunday.

N. P. Banks Post, G. A. R., will hold its regular meeting at G. A. R. hall on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Cora Eddelman of Montebello, formerly of Tropic, visited her many friends in Glendale and Tropic last week.

Mrs. S. F. Hurlburt of Los Angeles spent Saturday and Sunday in Glendale as the guest of Mrs. J. J. Schremp of 1442 West Broadway.

Rev. S. W. Carnes, formerly pastor of the Tropic M. E. church, whose pastorate is now at Fallbrook, visited Glendale and Tropic friends Wednesday.

Rev. Don S. Ford, pastor of the Tropic M. E. church, is confined by illness to the home of Rev. Henry Goodsell, and his friends will be glad to learn that he is improving.

Mrs. H. P. Goodwin and Mrs. W. E. Evans had dinner at the University club Tuesday evening and witnessed the Julian Eltinge play, "Cousin Lucy," at the Mason.

Mrs. John Laber of Portland, Oregon, has been the guest of Mrs. W. C. Wattles of 332 North Glendale avenue. Mrs. Laber is at present visiting friends in Los Angeles.

Rev. Stanton, who has been ill at the Thornycroft hospital, is considerably better and expects to be able to leave for his home in North Carolina in a few days. He came here to visit his sister in Tropic.

Mrs. Hattie Gaylord of 143 East First street attended the executive meeting of the Southern California W. C. T. U. at the Temperance temple in Los Angeles Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Brown, Mr. John Fanset, Mrs. H. E. Heiser, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron D. Thom motored last week to Shepherd's Inn and Santa Barbara, where they spent the week-end.

The many friends of Mrs. F. P. Webber of 541 S. Orange street will be glad to hear that both she and her infant son Donald Salyer Webber have now returned home from the hospital and are in perfect health.

The Illinois people of Southern California will meet under the auspices of the Illinois society of Los Angeles for an all-day picnic reunion in Eastlake Park, Los Angeles, Saturday, March 10. There will be county registers so you can find your old home neighbors. There will be a brief program with music and greetings from Illinois speakers, but the main object will be to have a good time.

Mrs. Geo. Sherman Wood of Berkeley was the honored guest at a luncheon given by Mrs. G. D. Wood of 430 Orange street Wednesday, covers being laid for Mrs. Geo. Sherman Wood, Mrs. Edward M. Lynch, Mrs. Harry Baker Lynch, Mrs. Frank Echols, Miss Dorothy Woods and the hostess. Mrs. Geo. Sherman Wood has been the house guest of her daughter, Mrs. Edward M. Lynch, this winter, also visiting her son, G. D. Wood.

The members of the Music Section of the Tuesday Afternoon club are planning a colonial tea for April 27 for the benefit of the Music School Settlement on Mozart street. It will be held at the home of Mrs. E. W. Kinney, the curator of the Music Section, from 2:30 to 4:30 and will be open to the general public. The members of the section will act as hostesses and will wear colonial costumes. They are earnestly working at present on the program, which they will endeavor to make of exceptional merit. Refreshments will also be served.

The Acacia Avenue School Mothers' club held an afternoon tea at the home of Mrs. R. F. Todd, 344 North Glendale avenue, Tropic, on Wednesday, when a very delightful social afternoon was spent by the ladies. The principal feature of the afternoon was the announcement of Mr. Irwin Oliver as a candidate for the next school trustee, and his candidacy was unanimously endorsed by the members of the Mothers' club present. Pleasing vocal solos were rendered by Mesdames Peabody, Meager and Roberts, and Mrs. Balch contributed piano selections to the program. Light refreshments were served at the close of the program and a general good time followed. Those present were Mesdames Ed Strong, Burt Roberts, Geo. Peterson, Will Peterson, Louis Coole, F. E. Peters, Ripley, Crane, J. C. McQuiston, John Lawyer, A. H. Gaarder, Hal Davenport, Meager, Wade, Prialux, Balch, H. D. Sawtelle, Fleming, Chappin, O'Brien, Parker, Patterson, Geo. Balentyne, Bradley, Peabody, Clyde Carmack, Grant Fleury, De Gaston, Melrose, and W. C. Wattles; Misses Bowerfind, Small, Edna Brown, May Cornwell, Thayer and Cushing.



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Wednesday evening will go down in the history of Glen Eyrie chapter as one fraught with the pleasantest of memories, the grand officers of the Eastern Star lodge visiting the local chapter. The Worthy Matron of Glen Eyrie, Mrs. A. M. Beamon, invited fifteen guests, including the grand officers, to a six o'clock dinner at historic Casa Verdugo, two of whom were unable to be present, leaving the fateful number of thirteen. However, anyone witnessing the fun and frolic of the thirteen gathered about the table could easily see the guests were in no wise disturbed by the ghosts of the early Spanish dons that might linger near their casa, nor the superstitions of the later dwellers in the valley. Those who bid defiance to ancient superstition and did partake of the good cheer and hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Beamon were Mrs. Maud Noble Haven of San Francisco, worthy grand matron; Mrs. Ivy Shellhimer of Pasadena, grand marshal; Mrs. Nellie Dean Graham of Alhambra, associate grand matron; Mrs. Anna H. Funk of Claremont, district deputy grand matron; Mrs. Dan Campbell of Glendale, past deputy grand matron; Miss Cora Hickman of Tropic, past deputy grand matron; Mrs. Lillian Holman of Los Angeles, wife of the grand patron and also worthy matron of Pacific chapter; Dr. W. Frank Holman of Los Angeles, worthy grand patron; Mr. Clarence Von Graham of Alhambra, Mr. Clarence Shellhimer, Pasadena and Mr. Dan Campbell of Glendale. After dinner the party went to the chapter room where the work was exemplified for the grand officers. The grand worthy matron possesses a very gracious, charming personality and both she and the grand worthy patron radiated a spirit of good cheer and fraternity that was contagious and the evening was voted one of the pleasantest in the history of Glen Eyrie. The officers were at their best and there was a splendid attendance out to greet the visiting grand officers.

NEW METHODIST CHURCH BUILDING

Those of the citizens of Glendale who are desirous of seeing a large church building in process of construction should make a visit to the corner of Third and Kenwood streets just across the street from the Third street school and see men at work shingling, laying brick, doing plumbing work, electrical wiring, sawing lumber, etc. Contractor T. H. Addison is kept busy laying out the work and doing the general superintending of the job. Architect Arthur G. Lindley devotes a few hours of time every morning answering questions and giving information. The building is a large one, and is a credit to the church organization and to the city of Glendale.

Mrs. Anna H. Funk of Claremont, district deputy grand matron of the 39th district of the State of California, was the dinner and house guest of Mrs. A. M. Beamon of 245 Maryland avenue, Wednesday evening and to-day. Mrs. Funk went to Los Angeles to-day to visit Westlake Chapter, O. E. S. at her home chapter.

The front of the White Store is being remodeled and when completed it will present a very attractive appearance.

Throop college has received a gift of \$30,000 for establishment of an aeronautic laboratory and a building will be erected at once to teach aviation.

Wise is the young man who finds his wife's biscuits are even better than those mother made.

READING CIRCLE

The reading and discussion of "Training the Boy" was continued at the regular weekly meeting of the Mutual Benefit Reading Circle yesterday. "Play and Playthings" was the special topic under consideration. Some time ago the members had prepared a list of the toys and playthings that they consider educational and useful in furthering the child's mental and physical development, and yesterday the report on these lists was given to the circle. One of the members, Mrs. H. V. Henry, in submitting her list, had given several excellent suggestions. She said, quoting Froebel, "Give to each stage of growth that which each stage demands." This brought out the fact that it is stage of development and not age that must be taken into consideration with the child. She also said that every toy should be put to the test, "What can my child do with you?" before placing it in the child's hands. The more the toy can do itself, the less the child can do with it. She also suggested that we should wait for signs from the child before supplying it with new toys. The really excellent list submitted, bars out many of the more common toys as being of no value, while it includes many toys that are often overlooked. The fact was developed that money is not needed in furnishing toys for children so much as ingenuity in making and care in selecting.

Next week's readings will cover Juvenile Recreation, Boy Scouts, and Social Experiences.

Mrs. R. T. Burr gave some readings from "Educational Meaning of Manual Arts and Industries," by Robert Keable Row. These emphasized the mental, physical and ethical development resultant from a broad industrial training.

Thirty-three women attended the meeting yesterday, among them being a new member, Mrs. C. E. Reuben, and four visitors, Mrs. Julia D. Noble and Miss Beresford Joy of Los Angeles, Mrs. H. C. Kennedy and Mrs. Wm. M. Stofft.

ENGLAND GOING BACK TO WOODEN SHOES

(By United Press.)
LONDON, Feb. 20 (By Mail)—England, faced with an acute leather shortage, is adopting wooden shoes, commonly known in the Netherlands as clogs.

This situation, which before the war would have been hooted by John Bull, to-day is faced calmly. Measures have been taken looking toward the development of the already established business of making clogs. To quote the Textile Mercury, of Manchester, on the subject:

Hundreds of London school children are now wearing clogs, which cost about 3 shillings a pair (73 cents) and London County Council school-teachers have been providing clogs for ill-shod pupils, who have been paying for them by weekly installments of 3 pence.

The price of leather, states a writer in the paper mentioned, suggests that the city man of the future will clatter to business in his clogs. "For country wear one can buy an elegant pair of lace-up clogs at a quarter the price of equally efficient boots." Apart from the attention that they would attract, there is no reason why these should not be worn in "town." There is nothing undignified in the clog worn by the Lancashire or Yorkshire textile worker. Not a few of the captains of the textile industry have themselves worn clogs, and some at least would not be ashamed to wear them again.

The present home demand is so great that an order for 100,000 pairs of sabots for the Belgian government has just had to be declined by a British clog-making firm.

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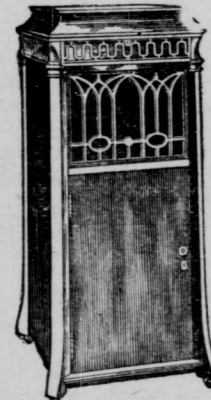
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LA CANADA

What was it? A La Canada Christian Endeavor Social.

Where was it? At the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Johnson of N. Haskell street.

When was it? Friday night, March 9.

"Did you have a good time?"

"Did we! Well I guess. I never laughed so much in my life. They had some of the cleverest games I ever played. Absolutely original."

"Dorothy Lester is at the head of the social committee and she sure is a peach. Her socials have been about the best ever given. There was a good bunch there, too. They had dandy eats along about 11:30."

"Say, I don't belong to that C. E., but might I go next time? When is it to be?"

"Sure you may come. They'd love to have you. One month from last Friday night. Don't miss it or you'll miss the time of your young life."

For the past ten months Judge Sargent of Los Angeles, who purchased the old Deitle place on Mountain avenue about a year ago, has been putting extensive improvements on his La Canada ranch.

For three months last summer the Judge had a force of a dozen men cleaning up the grape vineyard, rooting out old shrubbery, and trimming up uncareed for trees. He has since then set out several rows of new trees. Later on the Judge expects to put in a lemon grove.

Aside from these improvements, Sargents have had built scenic roads, winding in around the mountain back of his house. These improvements have made the Sargent ranch one of the most attractive places in the valley, according to the tourists who frequent La Canada scenic drives.

Mr. E. A. Brigham of North Commonwealth avenue has had charge of the work.

Less than a total population of 500 will be the only obstacle to keep La Canada from becoming a city of the sixth class, was the decision derived from the last meeting of the La Canada Improvement Association, held last Saturday night at the La Canada club hall.

Mr. C. B. Andrewson of North Haskell avenue talked on the subject, "Shall La Canada become a city of the sixth class?" The general sentiment of those present was decidedly in favor of the above mentioned question.

"This would mean a form of government similar to that of Glendale," said Mr. Andrewson, "a city council or the trustees, mayor, clerk, attorney and treasurer."

"And I will say," he continued, "that as far as I know, no city which has been incorporated under this system has ever gone back to its former condition. Others have tried it and succeeded. Why not we?"

Mr. Andrewson explained that the requirement to become a city of the sixth class was a population of 500. A committee, Max Green, T. F. Knight and one other to be appointed, was authorized to find the exact census of La Canada.

Mrs. Penfield and Mrs. Durand, as representatives of the Parent-Teacher association, asked if it would be possible for the improvement association to join them in their attempt to have the seats of the new school house auditorium fastened on to runners. This will make it possible to move the seats in case of necessity.

A committee was appointed by the association to confer with the trustees in regard to this.

If the committee finds that La Canada has a population of 500, the subject of local government will be continued at the next meeting.

After suffering for the past month from a severe attack of throat trouble little Ruth Arvidson, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stultz of the La Canada grocery store, passed away at the home of her grandparents Sunday evening.

Ruth was only about ten years old. She had been attending the La Canada grammar school. For the past month the child had been suffering from this trouble but was not confined to her bed until a few days before the end came. Everyone who knew her was struck by her hearty, healthy beauty and her childish, lovable manners. It is with the truest sincerity that the people of La Canada extend their warm sympathy to the family and relatives of little Ruth. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon in Glendale.

Evading the hand of the law, a burglar made away with valuable belongings from several homes in La Canada last week. Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Cooper of Craig avenue missed seven turkeys. Dr. and Mrs. Smalley of North Commonwealth avenue lost at least a dozen high-grade chickens.

Mr. and Mrs. Norcross of North Roy avenue were spending one evening away from home last week. Upon their return they found that their house had been broken into and valuables taken.

Mr. B. D. Jackson, who owns the little candy shop on the corner of Michigan and Homewood avenues found that his place had been broken into during the night and stripped of candy, gum and cigars. No evidence of the thief has been discovered.

Rolling the final score up to 6-1 in their favor, Sunland grammar school carried off a baseball victory last Saturday afternoon on their home grounds against the La Canada school team. Although both teams

put up an excellent fight, Sunland showed evidence throughout the game of better team work and heavier hitting. La Canada was at a disadvantage on account of the sickness of several players. Mr. C. B. Andrewson and Max Green of La Canada umpired the game. Three machine loads from La Canada went over to encourage the players on to victory.

This is the final game of a series of three. The first was won by La Canada and the last two by Sunland. Defeat or victory makes no difference to the boys. They were in the game for good sportsmanship. They feel that their time was well spent.

Should children be allowed to tell their own fairy stories, or should this natural instinct be crushed out, was the substance of the question discussed by the La Canada P.-T. A., which met last Friday afternoon at the schoolhouse. The discussion was carried on by means of a question box.

Mrs. Guidinger talked on the work and needs of the children's hospital. She told the women that any child in the valley who was ill had the privilege of going to the hospital free of charge, with guarantee of perfect care. The association subscribed \$5 to the hospital fund.

A committee was appointed to confer with the school trustees in regard to fastening the seats in the new auditorium on movable runners.

Miss Housen told of the county health officer's visit last week. She said that the children's eyesight was very good, but the officers found a little throat trouble.

Several musical numbers followed by dainty refreshments closed the meeting.

Paul H. Ehlers, a prominent contractor of Hollywood, has received the reservoir contract of the La Canada Water Co. Mr. Ehlers has recently put in some of the biggest jobs in Southern California. He is well known as a fellow who gives a square deal. The reservoir is to be reinforced concrete, 14 feet deep and 135 feet in diameter. It will be covered with good strong roofing. The job for excavating was let to Mr. Baker, who did the street work on Roy and Commonwealth avenues.

LA CRESCENTA

Moving Pictures

The next attraction of the new series of moving pictures at the Auditorium will be a five-reel feature, "Madam Butterfly," another popular Mary Pickford drama. A "Ford Weekly" one-reel comedy will also be enjoyed. A large crowd turned out to see "Carmen" at the Auditorium last Tuesday evening.

Col. Tom C. Thornton of Los Angeles has leased the Hawkins residence on Briggs avenue and will make it his home until he can improve his 14-acre tract near by.

Mr. Wm. Fahey and wife spent last week at the home of their son-in-law, Mr. H. D. Lanfair of South Pasadena.

Mrs. T. D. Long of Denver, Colo., Mr. George Farnsworth of Boulder, Colo., and Mrs. Ben Holt of Spokane, Wash., are visiting at the home of Mrs. C. E. Schilling. Mrs. Long is the owner of the Eletches gardens of Denver, Colo., one of the largest amusement resorts in the United States.

Miss Ethel Lewinstein spent Saturday and Sunday with her friend, Miss Dorothy Rowley of Sunland. Miss Lewinstein was a guest at the Littlelands dance Saturday evening.

Mr. Joe Hawkins, who has been in the real estate business in La Crescenta for the past seven years, moved on Friday to Glendale, where he expects to handle La Crescenta and La Canada property as well as property in Glendale. He says, while sales have been dull for the past year, we have the climate, elevation and pure water that are par excellence.

Friends of Mrs. Burton are glad to know of her rapid recovery in the past month. Mrs. Burton visited her Montrose home last week and is able to enjoy auto rides almost daily now.

The Cunningham place of Montrose has been traded in at an equity of \$12,000 on a large apartment house located on Raymond avenue in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scheuner entertained a number of relatives and friends from Los Angeles with a picnic on Sunday.

Mr. Bruce and family motored to Ontario last Sunday, where they enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Bealy of that place.

Mr. Herbert Scheuner, who recently left High School for the remainder of the year, has obtained a position at the Title Insurance and Trust Co. at Fifth and Spring, Los Angeles.

Mr. Harrington Fiekles of Pasadena was a guest on Tuesday at the Thos. Minford place.

The Presbyterian Church of La Crescenta, now holding services in the school house, is planning to erect a church according to the above design on its site in the Brown tract on Los Angeles avenue with a modern equipment for its educational and devotional work. The auditorium will seat 180 people. Two large rooms opening into the auditorium will seat another 150 people. These rooms may also be used as parlors and class rooms. There are also on

the main floor a minister's room and choir room.

A large and well lighted basement will contain the Bible School assembly room and class rooms, kitchen and furnace room.

The services of the Presbyterian Church next Sunday will be conducted in the morning at eleven o'clock by Mr. W. W. Youell of Los Angeles, and in the evening at 7:45 o'clock by Elder J. B. McLaughlin.

The Week's Temperature

The maximum-minimum weather report as given by Mr. Fred Pinkus for the week February 30 to March 7 (Wednesday) was as follows:

March	Maximum	Minimum
1	59	40
2	57	40
3	62	43
4	70	50
5	69	49
6	68	47
7	69	48

Mrs. Harlan Aldritch was a week-end guest visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Hawkins. Mrs. Aldritch is a niece of Mr. Hawkins.

Mrs. A. W. Brown spent a few days last week with Mrs. S. Dymant at the Hotel Virginia. Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Dymant were school companions during their girlhood days at Barrie, Ontario.

Mr. T. J. Stevens of the Glendale & Montrose Railway Co. recently purchased the one-acre lot adjoining the Fred Russell place on Montrose avenue. The property was formerly owned by the Holmes-Walton Co.

Ted Hopping has arranged to take the La Crescenta correspondence for this paper in the future, as Walter Hawkins, the correspondent for the past year, has moved to Glendale.

TUJUNGA

Last Saturday night witnessed one of the liveliest entertainments and dances that has been given at our well-known social club hall for many a day.

The event was given under the auspices of the Senior Social Dancing Club for the good cause of adding to the piano fund for our school. One and all caught the spirit of the occasion and vied with each other on having a good time. As many as could comfortably dance filled the spacious hall. Prof. Maygrove's orchestra with its harmonious melody tingled the feet of the old as well as the young in stepping off the old Virginia reel.

Many of the social people of Sunland and La Crescenta joined in the festivities, much to the gratification of the committee and to the addition to the piano fund. Much credit is due the ladies of the refreshment committee who so admirably catered to that condition of "gone feeling" without mar or friction. In fact, the whole committee acting as a unit are deserving of thanks for the good time extended to one and all, and of which one and all enjoyed to their fullest extent. The piano fund was very substantially augmented in over a score of the bright round dollars.

The committee desire at this time to make the announcement of a grand ball to be given at the same place on the eve of St. Patrick's Day, on the 17th of March. All are most cordially invited, including Sunland and La Crescenta.

A MURDEROUS RACE

A Frenchman was waiting at a railroad station in Ireland when a couple of natives sat down beside him. Said one:

"Sure, Pat, it's down to Kilmory I've been and I'm on me way back now to Kilmory."

"Ye don't say," said the other. "It's meself that's just after being down to Kilmory, and I stop here a bit before I go to Kilmory."

"What assassins!" exclaimed the shocked Frenchman. "Would that I were safely back in France!"

HOW A WAITER PUT IT

"Until a man forgets where he came from and remembers where he is, he is not all an American." That epigrammatic utterance was let fall in Chicago by a waiter, born in Scandinavia, to a customer the other day. It is expressive of a great truth.—Minneapolis Journal.

A man is one whose body has been trained to be the ready servant of his mind; whose passions are trained to be the servants of his will; who enjoys the beautiful, loves truth, hates wrong, loves to do good, and respects others as himself.—Anon.

If fortune with a smiling face, Strew roses on our way, When shall we stop to pick them up? To-day, my friend, to-day!

But should she frown with face of care,

And talk of coming sorrow, When shall we grieve—if grieve we must?

To-morrow, friend, to-morrow!

God Almighty first planted a garden; and indeed it is the purest of human pleasures; it is the great refreshment to the spirits of man.—Lord Bacon.

Real culture grows out of economic efficiency. Economic efficiency never grows out of culture. Heaven helps those who are found to be helping themselves. Heaven teaches those whom it finds learning how to teach themselves.—Rural World.

"Ye in the fold your task fulfill, And the good Shepherd on the hill From afar, approving sees."

Facts and Comment

With the harvest of a big crop of dates over, Coachella Valley growers are increasing their acreage. The California Citigraph asserts that more progress has been made in the date industry in the Coachella Valley in the last ten years than in the preceding thousand years abroad.

Improvements costing \$25,000 to be made by the Gold Buckle Association, speak the growing importance of East Highlands, in the Redland district, as a citrus center. A new wing is being added to the warehouse and ice storage rooms with a capacity of 3,000 tons are being erected.

Congress has appropriated money for experiments looking to the increase of production of sugar-beet seed in the United States. The Arkansas Valley in Colorado, the San Joaquin Valley in California, produce great quantities of sugar-beet seed, and the methods employed there are recommended by the government.

Crews of men working under the supervisors have completed clearing the right of way for the state highway south from Visalia to Tulare, the last link in the state road through the valley route. Surveyors are now working north out of Tulare, and are expected to complete their locations some time within the next week. Deeds for all the necessary property for the road have been secured.

Plans for a unique, yet utilitarian, structure in pink and gray, designed after some of the famous hotels of Europe, have been accepted by the Broadmoor Hotel Company for its new hotel in Colorado Springs, Colorado. That city is one of the famous summer resorts and industrial centers on the Santa Fe Railway. The new hotel will be completed for the 1918 season.

The story is told of a California business man who bought some very fine Newtown pippin apples in New York City, supposing that they were grown in the "Albemarle" apple regions of the Adirondack Mountains. He shipped them home and afterward, from marks on the box, discovered that they were California apples, grown within fifty miles of his home.

In 1914 Los Angeles imported 158 cars of poultry products. The next year the number was only 55. A like reduction continued. Now the city's contributing territory is shipping

SAY

MR. MERCHANT:

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Only a very small per cent of the people who reside in Glendale ever pass your place of business. Many, therefore do not even know that you are in business and further they do not know what line of goods you carry. Many of these newcomers immediately become subscribers to the Evening News and if they are not subscribers they read a neighbor's paper.

They read advertisements of city business houses in city papers and they expect to find the advertisements of local merchants in the Evening News, the local daily paper.

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eggs and poultry to New York. The livestock industry has advanced correspondingly in this territory. A livestock country is a rich country. In California livestock will make for richer orchards, and a richer state, generally.

With the threatened shortage of refrigerator freight cars beginning to be felt this week, orange growers and packers of the Duarte-Monrovia district are crowding on all the extra men possible and are rushing fruit to the eastern markets while they can, says the Monrovia News. A combination of brightening weather in the far east that has caused a jump in price, the advantage to California growers through frost damage to the Florida crop, and the nation-wide advertising for Orange Day has resulted in local citrus fruit being in great demand, at good figures.

The concrete retaining wall being built at Sulphur slide, in the Santa Ana canyon, will be completed and the road open to traffic before the summer rush to the beaches, according to the statement of Contractor H. C. Kellogg, says the Santa Ana Register. The retaining wall will be 12 feet high and reach above the flood line, thus preventing washing out of the bank at this point during future high water periods of the Santa Ana. The contractor is now laboring at some disadvantage, as supplies and materials have to be sledged in over a temporary road.

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HATCH CHICKENS EARLY

Did it ever occur to you that nature requires her children to take an annual vacation? She does, and nowhere do human beings puzzle their brains over this fact more than when the hens begin their yearly holiday. This vacation is technically called the "molting season." It begins during the late summer. The hens stop laying, and change their suits of feathers for new ones. Usually they consume three or four months in the process. Most of us know this perfectly well, but are apt to overlook the fact that a very important feature of the molting period is that egg laying stops. We are unreasonable and expect the hens to lay all the time. When the hens take this vacation new-laid fresh eggs are scarce and remain scarce until the pullets hatched during the preceding spring begin to lay.

The remedy is very simple, and is under the control of the poultry man. The first step is to have chickens hatched early, so that the pullets begin to lay when the hens begin to molt. This is not difficult. Pullets of the American breeds begin laying at about 7 months of age. Leghorn pullets begin when about 6 months old. North of the Ohio River this means that all hatching must be over by May 1 at the latest. The best plan is to have the chickens coming at intervals during March and April. The earliest hatched pullets will, of course, begin to lay first. If any of them begin to molt, their places will be taken by the later ones and a steady supply of eggs will be more certain.

The difficulty in the way of the practical application of this matter is that so many poultry keepers are dependent on hens for hatching. As long as we have late hatched chickens we will have late sitters. The poultry keeper who wants to change from late hatching to early hatching must therefore either get broody hens from some one else or use an incubator. After he has "changed the dates" on his flock he will have no trouble, especially with the American breeds.

Every progressive poultry raiser who has tried it, every agricultural college and the Government, have data showing that early hatching will produce fall and winter layers. In the Government flock during the past winter the pullets of the entire flock averaged over 20 per cent, in egg production, and some pens made 35 per cent. That means, in plain language, that the egg production for all the pullets was one egg daily for

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