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EVERYTHING IN READINESS FOR SUNRISE EASTER CONCERT

SPLENDID PROGRAM INCLUDES WELL KNOWN MUSICIANS AND PUBLIC SPEAKERS

Every Resident of the San Fernando Valley Should Be On Hand to Witness the Impressive Services to Be Held in the Greek Theater of Owensmouth High School

"All roads will lead to Owensmouth" on Sunday next when the Sunrise Easter Concert will be given in the Greek Theater of the Hi School under the auspices of the Owensmouth Women's Club. The ladies in charge of the affair have worked indefatigably to perfect arrangements which insure success for the affair and they have been fortunate in securing for the program some of the best known musicians and public speakers in Southern California.

Much publicity has been given the affair by the Los Angeles papers, which have given generous space to mention of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Whitley have taken an active interest in the project and lent valuable assistance in the arrangements.

Manager C. H. Coulter of the valley division of the Southern California Edison Company, states that the lights in the valley will remain on until daylight Sunday morning.

The streets in the vicinity of the high school are being put in more presentable condition and will be sprinkled on Saturday, thru the courtesy of the street officials.

Following is the complete program:

Cornet Solo	Frank M. Keffer of Van Nuys.	"Holy City"
Whistling Solo	Margaret McKee	Bird Calls and Ave Marie
Congregational Singing		"Holy, Holy, Holy"
ProceSSIONAL	Hollywood High School Glee Club	
Scripture	Rev. Geo. R. Graff, S. T. B.	I Corinthians, 15
Address	Dr. Chas. Edward Locke	
Vocal Solo	Hosanna,	Constance Balfour.
Reading	"God of the Open Air."	Van Dyke
Vocal Solo	"Fear Ye Not, Oh Israel"	Dudley Buck
Congregational Singing		"In the Cross of Christ I Glory"
Pipe Organ Recital	Miss Genevieve Edwards of Van Nuys.	

RAILROAD SITUATION IS NOW LARGELY UP TO CONGRESS

Must Share Responsibility In Future Development.

ROBERT S. LOVETT'S VIEWS

"Unification of Regulation is Essential. A Complete, Harmonious, Consistent and Related System Needed—Federal Incorporation of Railroads by General Law Favored.

Washington, March 20.—Responsibility for the railway development of the country, for providing necessary transportation facilities to care for the growing business and population of the country, now rests largely with congress and not entirely with the rail-

road managers. This was the statement of Judge Robert S. Lovett, chairman of the executive committee of the Union Pacific system, to the Newlands joint congressional committee when that body resumed its inquiry into the subject of railroad regulation this week.

In making this statement of the changed conditions of the railroad situation Judge Lovett undoubtedly had in mind the decision of the supreme court on the Adams law, handed down last week, which establishes the power of the federal government to fix railroad wages and to prevent strikes. This decision is regarded by railroad men and lawyers as marking an epoch in the development of transportation in the United States.

"We have our share of responsibility," said Judge Lovett, "but it rests primarily on congress. When the government regulates the rates and the financial administration of the railroads, the borrowing of money and the issuance of securities it relieves the railroad officers of the responsibility of providing and developing transportation systems, except within the limits of the revenue that can be realized from such rates and under such restrictions. For a country such as ours, for a people such as we are, a high standard, along with a series of unrelated, inconsistent, conflicting statutes enacted by

different states without relation to each other instead of providing complete and carefully studied and prepared system of regulation for a business that is so vital to the life of the nation, is worse than folly."

He alluded to the present problems and difficulties of the railroads as follows:

First—"The multiplicity of regulations by the several states with respect to the issue of securities, involving delays and conflicting state policies generally dangerous and possibly disastrous."

Second—"The state regulation of rates in such a manner as to unduly receive revenues, to discriminate in favor of localities and shippers within its own borders as against localities and shippers in other states and to disturb and disarrange the structure of interstate rates."

Third—"The inability of the Interstate Commerce Commission, whenever the commissioners may be, to perform the vast duties devolving upon it under existing laws, resulting in delay and the absence of any law to compel the settlement of such disputes by arbitration of some judicial means, as all other issues between citizens in civilized states are to be settled."

Fourth—"The practical legality that has been accorded companies to tie up and suspend the operation of the railroads of the country by strikes and boycotts and the absence of any law to compel the settlement of such disputes by arbitration of some judicial means, as all other issues between citizens in civilized states are to be settled."

Fifth—"The phenomenal increase in the taxation of railroads in recent years."

Sixth—"The cumulative effect of such shoddy laws upon the investing public, to which railroad companies must look for the capital necessary to continue development."

"We believe that the unification of regulation is essential," said Judge Lovett, "and that with the increase of state commissions in recent years congress will in time be compelled to exercise its power to the limit. To unify regulation there should be a complete, harmonious, consistent and related system. We believe the best, if not the only practical plan, is the federal incorporation of railroads by general law which will make incorporation thereafter compulsory on all railroads in the United States the same corporate powers and restrictions with respect to their financial operations and the same duties and obligations to the public and the government, so that every investor will know precisely what every railroad corporation may and may not lawfully do."

Judge Lovett contended that the solution of these problems and difficulties rested with congress. He told the committee that under the constitution the authority of the federal government is paramount, that congress has the power to legislate for a centralized control of railroads under federal charters and that it only remains for that body to exercise that power.

Qualified Praise.

"Do you think your sister likes me, Willie?"

"Yes; she stood up for you at dinner."

"Stood up for me! Was anybody saying anything against me?"

"Oh, no; nothing much." Father said he thought you were rather a donkey, but she got up and said you weren't and told father he ought to know better than judge a man by his looks."—Exchange.

Court Cards.

At the French court the card rooms from the time of Charles VI. to Louis XVI. were extravagantly furnished. The counters used were mother-of-pearl or some other valuable substance. The embroiler used silver of white satin, and some were the work of the most famous miniature painters.

Quite Right.

Visitor—How long are you in for, my poor man?

Prisoner—I don't know, sir.

Visitor—How can that be? You must have been sentenced for a definite period of time.

Prisoner—No, sir. Mine was a life sentence.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Amelia, the lawyer who had written to Sam had adopted the boy.

The Life of Trade.

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"Our horses need no whip to make them go."

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"True. The bill blows them along!"

London Times.

Hartman, the Van Nuys jeweler, does watch and jewelry repairing.

Owensmouth Directory

U. S. Mails

Mails arrive and depart from Owensmouth at 7:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. Arrive from Los Angeles and Eastern point at 7:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. Mail closes for California, Triunfo, Corral and Yerba Buena at 7:30 a. m. Mail closes for California, Triunfo, Corral and Yerba Buena 10:30 a. m.

Owensmouth Public Library

Spokane Block, Mrs. Ann T. Callahan, Director. Open from 10 a. m. to 7 p. m.

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Principal—Joseph Gerard.

Ladies' Aid Society

President—Mrs. W. B. Hyden. Secretary—Mrs. Wm. Malachuk. Meets every two weeks on Thursdays at 7:30 p. m.

CONCRETE PIPE NOW MANUFACTURED HERE

Another new industry was established in Owensmouth this week—a concrete pipe factory. The Valley Concrete Pipe Co. has installed a modern machine for the manufacture of high grade irrigation pipe. The plant is located on Market street, nearly opposite the beet dump.

The machine has a capacity of some 1600 feet of pressure pipe per day and the entire output is contracted for in advance, so popular is this pipe, which is guaranteed for a year.

A number of men will be employed permanently. Owing to the scarcity of houses here the workmen will live in Van Nuys for a time.

We want your subscriptions. When you read this copy, see that you subscribe. The Gazette is a strictly home paper, and it tries to get all the news

seventy-six years. An open ruin

noon, the end of the sixth day.

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MANY ATTEND BIG BOY SCOUTS DEMONSTRATION

Fifteen hundred boy scouts assembled at 8:30 at the Board for final practice. The scouts took cars to where the parade formed. The scouts jared through the principal streets and the reviewing stand which was situated at the city hall was occupied by the mayor, council and high scout officials. The parade lasted about one hour and cars took the scouts back to the field where they did great justice to the lunches. The ice cream and hot dog vendors did a thriving business. At 2:00 o'clock the Big Demonstration and circus started with Mr. Miller, Southern California athletic director in charge. Mr. McArae, valley scout president, was the guest of honor. The San Fernando Valley scouts did great credit to themselves in delivering their message to Mr. McArae with the semaphore. Every phase of scout life was given all the way from first aid to camp life.

Then came the drill given by all the scouts, with 3,000 American flags. The drill was so well performed that it seemed as if they were automatic.

The circus which followed brought many laughs from the audience.

The local scouts are greatly indebted to Mr. Brant for a beautiful American flag which he presented to them.

GEO. BURCH, Correspondent.

J. F. Murphy has bought 40 acres of land at Marian and will build a 2-story house and a large barn. Mr. Murphy deals extensively in mules, with headquarters in the city.

Bechtelheimer's Drug Store is headquarters for poison bait for squirrels.—adv.

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MOBILIZING THE NATION FOR ITS PART IN WORLD WAR

PRESIDENT WILSON ISSUES APPEAL TO EVERY AMERICAN JOIN IN "PREPAREDNESS" MOVEMENT

United States Now Facing Gravest Situation In Its History, With Enemies Home and Abroad—Swift Action Now Will Save Many Human Lives and Hasten Coming of Peace

President Wilson has issued a Special Message to American people urging immediate action along all lines in the gigantic task of preparing the Nation to meet emergency which may arise as a result of our participation in the world war which now embraces nearly all men for the army and navy. It is estimated that two million men as quickly as possible must be mobilized. A large war budget has been approved by Congress for the purpose of providing funds for the prosecution of the war. A strong sentiment is expressed for a direct tax which would place the burden on those who can best afford to bear it. The food supply, and this is a matter of the greatest importance, is being protected by the government. It is estimated that at least three million acres will soon be required to produce the food supply. It is also estimated that at least three million acres will soon be required to produce the food supply. It is also estimated that at least three million acres will soon be required to produce the food supply.

Save the Nickels;
The DOLLARS WILL TAKE CARE OF THEMSELVES



Every time you go out of town to shop you SPEND NICKELS FOR CAR FARE. You spend TIME AND ENERGY. If you want to make an exchange you SPEND MORE NICKELS. MORE TIME AND ENERGY.

TRADE WITH THE HOME MERCHANT

PROTECT YOURSELF ON WAR PRICES

If you are figuring on buying a bill of Groceries to protect yourself on higher prices, give us a chance to quote you a price.

Our Motto: QUICK SALE AND SMALL PROFIT

J. G. GONDON

SAVE SOMETHING EVERY DAY!

4 Per Cent on Savings

Quarters, dimes, nickels and pennies quickly make dollars. You may soon need the dollars. You can have them by using any one of our banks and bringing it in often for deposit.

STATE BANK OF OWENSMOUTH

Owensmouth, California
Capital Authorized, \$50,000; Capital Paid In, \$40,000.

Owensmouth Blacksmith Shop

ED V. ELLIS, Prop'r

Horseshoeing, General Blacksmithing and Repair Work

Owensmouth, Cal.

OWENSMOUTH MEAT MARKET

OWENSMOUTH, CAL.
FRED BALSTER, Proprietor

All Meats Guaranteed. Fish Every Friday

Fifth Season

Mission Play

AT SAN GABRIEL NOW PLAYING.

Performance every afternoon 2:15, Wednesday and Saturday nights at 8:15.

MR. TYRONE POWER in the leading role of "FRAY JUAN, PEDRO SERRA."

MISS LUCRETIA DELVALLE will resume her historic role of "SIBOLIA JOSEFA YORDA."

Tickets and reservations at Information Bureau, Main Street Station, Los Angeles.

Phone or see local Agent for further information.

Pacific Electric Railway

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT!

Having purchased the Owensmouth Cafe, we are prepared to serve First Class Meals at all hours. Prompt, courteous service.

Special Chicken Dinner Sunday!

Comfortable Rooms at Reasonable Rates

J. DETROW, Proprietor

Hardware Harness
Farm Machinery
Building Material, Paints

Hyden Hardware Co.

Owensmouth, Cal.

... LUMBER ...

Lime, Plaster and Cement
Sash, Doors and Mill Work
Lath, Shingles and Shakes

HAMMOND LUMBER COMPANY

J. S. LOSE, Manager Owensmouth, Cal.

A Poor Robin Almanac.

One of the scarcest and most amusing of the early English almanacs is entitled "Poor Robin, an Almanack of the Old and New Fashion" containing a two-fold Calendar—viz, the Julian, English or Old Account, and the Roundheads, Fanatics, paper-scuttlers or Maggot-headed New Account, etc. It is a pamphlet of sixteen pages and is dated London, 1699. The dedication is "to the world" and in it Poor Robin says: "With Pipers, Ballad-singers and Fiddlers it is a merry World; with Prisoners, Sick-people and Money-less persons it is a sad World; with a Soldier it is a hard World; with a Divine a wicked World; with a Lawyer a contentious World; with a Courtier a slippery World; with most men a mad World, and with all men a bad World."

Hay Fever Germs Gnants.

A scientist makes the statement that hay fever is not caused by germs in the blood, but by germs so large that they cannot get into the blood at all. The mites they are much larger than the blood cells. But they do gather in the air passages, where under favorable conditions they multiply until they block the passage. Nature revolts against their presence, so the victim falls to sneezing, and they are thereby expelled. The doctor says that if they were not got rid of by sneezing and coughing they would choke the hay fever victim to death in time.

Milk and Buttermilk.

The nutritive value of milk as compared with buttermilk is not nearly so great as some appear to think. It is about as twenty to eighteen. You get about as many energy units out of a pint and a quarter of buttermilk as you do out of one pint of sweet milk. Besides, the bacteria in buttermilk tend to die out in buttermilk because of its acidity.

Never a Letup.

"Poor Jim's just working himself to death."
"Why, I thought he had a political job."
"He has, but it seems as if he no sooner gets disappointed than it is necessary for him to get out and work again so that somebody else won't get it next time."—Chicago Herald.

Cautious Elimination.

"Father," said the small boy, "what is a freeshooter?"
"I don't know exactly, my son. But I will say that with leather costing what it does, you want to get your mind away from any idea that a freeshooter is a man who sells shoes for nothing."—Washington Star.

Personal and Local Notes

Squirrel poison at Bechtelheim's Drug Store.—adv.

Mrs. E. F. Rankin and three grandchildren, of Hollywood, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rank and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Straublin, are back at their Calabasas home after an absence of several months in the northern part of the state.

PEAL TO EVERY AMERICAN TO BLESS" MOVEMENT

son in Its History, With Enemies of Miss Will Says Many Humans

Mrs. G. W. West and daughter Lucille returned last week from a trip to Nebraska. They are glad to be home again and say there is

Owensmouth

THE COMING MEETING AT THE END OF THE SAN FERNANDO VALLEY

Owensmouth is 20 miles from the center of Los Angeles and is the terminus of the Pacific Electric Railway. It has a new \$100,000 High School, \$50,000 Grammar School, \$15,000 Warehouse, Bean Cleaner, Good Bank, Modern Stores, Etc. It is the distributing point for a large area of developed country. Splendid roads connect all points.

Thousands of deciduous fruit trees will soon come into bearing in this section.

CITRUS FRUIT TREES THRIVE IN THE THERMAL BELT WEST OF OWENSMOUTH

OWENSMOUTH LAND & TOWN CO.

Owensmouth, Cal.

Town Lots & Acreage for Sale

Little Sammy Dresser

By ESTHER VANDEVER

"Well, I like that!" exclaimed Sam Dresser, as he opened and read a letter left by the postman on his morning round.

The letter referred to was addressed to Samuel E. Dresser. Sam had no middle name. It notified him that his uncle, William Dresser, had died and left a son, Samuel, six years old. This was looked at Dresser out of a pale of interest, merry eyes that seemed to titter in him. "You are my fate, and I will be yours forever," it is difficult or some person while looking at picture plays to remember that the play is not a mere photograph. One can imagine a man falling in love with a woman on the screen. Is it much more to fall in love with a single photograph of her?

Anyway, Miss Wilkins in the photograph looked at Dresser in a way that made him long to meet her. The letter through Miss Wilkins. He wrote her, stating the case as it was, but she evidently knew he was talking to the wrong Dresser. Sam concluded that he would try to find the right one through Miss Wilkins. He wrote her, stating the case as it was, but she evidently knew he was talking to the wrong Dresser. Sam concluded that he would try to find the right one through Miss Wilkins. He wrote her, stating the case as it was, but she evidently knew he was talking to the wrong Dresser.

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led him to it is not known, but it is quite likely that it was the latter. Sam was a fine fellow, and a woman is not likely to spy on her devotion. At any rate, Miss Wilkins consented to become Mrs. Dresser.

One day the husband and wife were strolling in the park when a little boy rolling a hoop ran against them. Among other questions, they asked him his name.

"Am Sammy Dresser," was his reply. Both Sam and Amelia burst into a laugh. Not hearing from Sam or Amelia, the lawyer who had written to Sam had adopted the boy.

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Epworth League
President—Warren Hall.
Meets every Sunday evening at 8 o'clock in the Owensmouth church.

H. E. Sunday School
Superintendent—E. G. Goodall.
Meets every Sabbath morning at 10 o'clock in the Owensmouth church.

West End Parent Teachers' Association
President—Mrs. Wm. A. Driscoll.
Secretary—Mrs. Helen C. Mitchell.
Meets on the first Friday evening of each month.
This association includes the school districts of Owensmouth, Chatsworth, Calabasas, Van Nuys, Encinitas, Northridge, Buena Vista, Encino, Topanga, Marina.

Van Nuys Pentecost Association
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Secretary—Mrs. Helen C. Mitchell.
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CHEESE vs. FIBRE

AND on the seventh day God ended His work which He had made; and He rested on the seventh day from all His work which He had made. And in the last verse in the chapter before this it says, "And the evening and the morning were the seventh day." Consequently the seventh day did not begin until noon, the end of the sixth day.

According to this God ended His work as He began it, and He rested on His work also on the seventh day. But what I want to find out is at what time of the day or night did He begin or end. The Adventists and Jews claim that the days begin at sunset and close at the following sunset, and also that evening begins at sunset.

It says in the third chapter of Genesis that Adam called his wife's name Eve because she was the mother of all living. This is apparent from the fact that Eve is deduced from the word "evening," which would be the evening of the day. Now, the day, as appears from the Bible, begins with things upon the earth being at noon, or as soon as the sun begins to sink towards the west.

At noon, or soon after, the new life in man begins to appear in animals. Then these cells become fully developed before the noon of the next day. This indicates that the day begins and ends at noon, when the period of a day is applied to the making of material things. Men have been busy at changing the outlines or shapes of things but no one has ever made any thing. Even the making of money is only working it out of rest of others.

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C. W. DAYTON
The Red Dipe Honey Man.

High Class Orchard Land

In the Heart of the San Fernando Valley, near and fronting Paved Boulevards and Electric Railroad, and under \$2,600,000 distribution system for Owens River Water.

Beet and Bean Land

Rich, level land, easily irrigated and specially adapted to the production of profitable crops of beets; beans and many other commodities.

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Standard

We carry everything that is in large quantities and sold at a low price. We sell everything on a money order.

J. O. CHAPMAN

Announcement is made that the School in Poultry Husbandry conducted by the university of California in Southern California as a branch of its work at the Davis Experimental School, will be held this year for three days at Pomona and three days at Van Nuys.

The dates at Van Nuys, stated in a letter to B. R. Halloway, will be June 11, 12 and 13. The sessions will be from 9:30 a. m. to 12 m., and from 1 to 3 p. m.

This school will bring poultrymen and people interested in the industry together and much useful information will be gained from the exchange of experiences as well as from the lectures to be delivered by the university instructors.

Hatching Eggs for Sale

White Leghorn and Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching, from high class stock. Pioneer Poultry Ranch, Mary Knapp, proprietor, adv.

Watches and jewelry neatly repaired at Hartman's Jewelry Store, Van Nuys.

Pacific Electric Time Card

In effect Thursday, Aug. 24, 1916, between Owensmouth and Los Angeles as follows:

Leave Owensmouth	Arrive L. A.
7:00 a. m.	7:45 a. m.
8:00 a. m.	8:45 a. m.
9:00 a. m.	9:45 a. m.
10:00 a. m.	10:45 a. m.
11:00 a. m.	11:45 a. m.
12:00 p. m.	12:45 p. m.
1:00 p. m.	1:45 p. m.
2:00 p. m.	2:45 p. m.
3:00 p. m.	3:45 p. m.
4:00 p. m.	4:45 p. m.
5:00 p. m.	5:45 p. m.
6:00 p. m.	6:45 p. m.
7:00 p. m.	7:45 p. m.
8:00 p. m.	8:45 p. m.
9:00 p. m.	9:45 p. m.
10:00 p. m.	10:45 p. m.
11:00 p. m.	11:45 p. m.
12:00 a. m.	12:45 a. m.

Leave L. A.	Arrive Owensmouth
7:15 a. m.	8:00 a. m.
8:15 a. m.	9:00 a. m.
9:15 a. m.	10:00 a. m.
10:15 a. m.	11:00 a. m.
11:15 a. m.	12:00 p. m.
12:15 p. m.	1:00 p. m.
1:15 p. m.	2:00 p. m.
2:15 p. m.	3:00 p. m.
3:15 p. m.	4:00 p. m.
4:15 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
5:15 p. m.	6:00 p. m.
6:15 p. m.	7:00 p. m.
7:15 p. m.	8:00 p. m.
8:15 p. m.	9:00 p. m.
9:15 p. m.	10:00 p. m.
10:15 p. m.	11:00 p. m.
11:15 p. m.	12:00 a. m.
12:15 a. m.	1:00 a. m.

* Express and passenger combination car. Sundays passenger car only. † Transfer at N Sherman Way to and from San Fernando. ‡ Transfer at N Sherman Way to or from Owensmouth. § Starts from Highland Ave. || North Sherman Way only. ¶ To Van Nuys only.

TRANSPORTATION RATES OVER P. E. RAILWAY

The following schedule of rates of fare over the Pacific Electric Railway is announced:

Between Owensmouth and Los Angeles	
30-day family book	\$1.85
30-day individual book	75c
30-day individual book	8.00
Single fare	.75
Round trip fare	1.15
Between Owensmouth and Van Nuys	
30-day family book	\$4.50
30-day individual book	5.20
30-day individual book	5.50
Single fare	.25
Round trip fare	.40

Van Nuys, 19.50 miles; Hanna, 31.54 miles; Bolan, 31.54 miles; Mariah, 31.43 miles; El Nopal, 77.9 miles; Owensmouth, 29.46 miles.

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Coming Events

Friday, April 6—Easter supper by Ladies' Aid Society.

Sunday, April 8—Sunrise Easter Service in Greek Theater, Owensmouth Hi School, under auspices of Owensmouth Woman's Club.

Friday, May 4—8 p.m. Dedication new school at Chatsworth.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Go to West's Store and get a new Spring Suit.

Poison Barley for squirrels, at Bechtelheimer's Drug Store.

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Personal and Local Notes

Squirrel poison at Bechtelheimer's Drug Store.—adv.

Mrs. E. F. Rankin and three grandchildren, of Hollywood, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rankin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Straubinger are back at their Calabasas home after an absence of several months in the northern part of the state.

PEOPLE TO EVERY AMERICAN TO "NESS" MOVEMENT

Don't let it slip by. With Enemies at the Gate Will Save Many Human Lives.
Mrs. G. W. West and daughter Lucille returned last week from a trip to Nebraska. They are glad to be home again and say there is no place like California. Mrs. West says there was a severe thunder storm shortly after their arrival, followed by a furious blizzard and snow storm, which left snow drifts 10 feet deep in some places.

Fred Leiser reports good progress in the installation of the machinery for his ice plant. The engine and compressor have been set up and the tanks are now being constructed. He hopes to be ready to begin making ice in about two weeks. Mr. Leiser is receiving much encouragement from the people of Owensmouth and vicinity and he feels assured of the hearty support of the entire west end of the valley.

The H. J. Whitley Syndicate is now located in pleasant, commodious offices at 635-640 I. N. Van Nuys Building, corner Spring and Seventh Streets. H. J. Whitley occupies a large room facing Spring street for his private office; the business of the Bond and Mortgage Company is also transacted here. The large corner room adjoining is requested by George Hanna and R. V. Milner. Ross E. Whitley is pleasantly located in another office. Attorney Fred N. Anoldly has a quiet room facing an inner court. All these rooms connect with the Syndicate office, which is presided over by Charles Daniels and W. J. Walters, both of whom have been with Mr. Whitley many years. The people of the valley are invited to visit these offices when in the city.

Speaking Softly
"It's dearest, my trial," declared the lawyer.
"Perhaps it would be better to request it in a polite manner," suggested his feminine client. "I fear I'm a trifle guilty."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

For that bad, cold use Hospital cold tablets, guaranteed by Bechtelheimer. Adv.

CHATSWORTH

CECILE E. GRAVES, Recorder

J. A. Nieset of Ohio visited his cousin, J. Haubert, several days last week.

Bechtelheimer's Drug Store is headquarters for poison barley for squirrels.—adv.

Mrs. Lenore McDonald is spending the spring vacation with her mother, Mrs. Ann Johnson.

Miss June Proctor is giving a house party this week to a number of her school teacher friends from Los Angeles.

J. Haubert has planted 50 apple trees on his ranch on Otat Ridge and as an experiment is grafting tame walnuts on wild walnuts.

Mrs. Clarence Gray had as guests from San Gabriel one day this week her uncle, E. D. Roath, her mother, Mrs. S. W. Roath, and two little brothers.

The property owners have waged war on the gophers, and about a dozen of the boys of junior age are receiving immediate benefit in the form of 5 cents for each gopher brought in. The boys are using various kinds of traps and show an interest in ridding the neighborhood of pest as well as the accumulation of pocket money.

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Music of the Drum.
All musical authorities have agreed that when used in a proper way the drum is thoroughly musical. The common snare or side drum is freely used in musical composition. A large number of drummers performing simultaneously out of door produce good music. In this connection Berlioz, the composer, pointed out that a sound that was insignificant when heard singly, such as the click of one or two muskets at shoulder arms or the thud as the legs come to the ground at ground arms, becomes brilliant and attractive if performed by a thousand men together.

China's Nomads.
In the plain on the western borders of the Chinese empire, in the heart of Asia, there live roaming tribes who seldom visit towns except for trade. They dwell in tents made of felt and usually low, small and conical. The wooden door frame is no higher than the window frame in English houses, but the tent, although not equal to the wants of a large family, is snug and comfortable in summer, but cold in winter.—London Graphic.

Singing Contests in Norway.
Some of the songs of Norway consist of hundreds of four line verses, which must surely be a hard test to the memory of the singers. Sometimes two singers will have a duet in such a song, singing verse after verse alternately. If whose memory in default of memory, invention fails his first is loser.—From "Norway," by Neo-Jungman.

They Liked Silence.
Carlyle, as every one knows, was a great smoker. The story is familiar—it may be true—that one evening he and Tennyson sat in solemn silence smoking for hours, one on each side of the fireplace, and that when the visitor rose to go Carlyle, as he had his good night, said, "Man, Alfred, I hate had a grand night; come again soon."

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