

In a speech on the subject of health insurance delivered at the recent annual meeting of the National Civic Federation in New York, Hon. Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, said in part:

"The advocate of social insurance, many of them prompted by worthy motives, have late pressed their theories upon public attention, many viewpoints are presented and many theories advanced. This fundamental fact stands out prominently, that social insurance cannot remove or prevent poverty. It does not get at the cause of social injustice.

"The efforts of trade organizations are directed at fundamental things. They endeavor to secure to all workers a living wage that will enable them to have sanitary homes, sanitary conditions of living that are conducive to good health, adequate clothing, nourishing food and other things that are essential to the maintenance of good health. In attacking the health problem from the preventive and constructive side they are doing infinitely more than any health insurance law could do which provides only for relief in case of sickness and yet the compulsory law would undermine the trade union activity. There must necessarily be a weakening of independence of spirit and vitality when compulsory insurance is provided for a large number of citizens of the State. Danger to wage earners really arise from the machinery for the establishment of social insurance, one of which is the establishment of compulsory physical examinations. Such examinations have been performed and made to result to the detriment of workers.

"The trade union movement does not detract from the power or the opportunity of wage earners. On the other hand, methods for providing social insurance delegate to outside authorities some of the power, the opportunities that rightfully belong to wage earners. At first only a limited amount of authority and power may be delegated to and exercised by the governmental agent, but the application of even that little power constitutes a limitation upon the rights and freedom of wage earners and creates a situation which has in it the germs of tyranny and autocratic power. Governmental power grows by that upon which it feeds. Give up agency any political power and it at once tries to react on itself. Its effectiveness depends upon increasing power. Compulsory social insurance cannot be administered without exercising control over the workers. This is the least of the whole matter. Industrial freedom exists only

to increase that power and authority so that the purpose of the law in question may be achieved more completely.

"Compulsory sickness insurance for workers is based upon the theory that they are unable to look after their own interests, and the State must interpose. Its authority and power assumes the relation of parent or protector. There is something in the very suggestion of this relationship and this policy that is repugnant to free-born citizens. Because it is at variance with our concepts of voluntary institutions and freedom for individuals, labor questions its wisdom."

**THE DESERT YOSEMITE.**

**Fantastic Beauty of the Mukuntuweap National Monument.**

For fantastic outline and brilliant and varied coloring Mukuntuweap National monument, in southeastern Utah, popularly known as the Little Zion canyon, probably equals any spot on this continent. Recent geological reports call it "the desert Yosemite," others "the mimic Grand canyon." It inevitably suggests "the Yosemite," reports one recent explorer.

The Mormons of a former generation chose this valley as a refuge in the event of being driven from Zion, as they called Salt Lake City. It was established as a refuge is locally called Little Zion canyon today. The north fork of the muddy Virgin river flows through it, and in the spring streams cascade from the lofty summit walls. Many fine trees—ash, maple, oak, spruce and others—grow on the valley floor.

The canyon is a mighty cleft, as if a giant had been violently divided to obtain a segment. The walls are inconceivably carved into domes, arches, columns and pinnacles. One gigantic cliff suggests a battleship and is locally called the steamboat.

The faces of some of the walls contain thousands of square feet of plane surface upon which the elements have etched various figures. At one point may be seen the profile of a woman, a horse and a pig, forming a distinct group. At another an eagle perches, true to this noble bird's instinct, high upon the cliffs. At other points crypts have been formed in the walls by nature.

Nine adults united with the Community Church on Sunday by letter, and seven by profession of faith. A large offering was made for benevolence.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. H. H. Davis on Thursday, April 11. At this meeting there will be a program and lunch. The hostesses will be Mrs. Davis and Mrs. McCooch.

At the Community Church, Sunday school at 10 a. m. Special classes for all ages in this fully equipped Sunday school. The pastor will preach and there will be a selection by the new choir, which has a fine leader in Mrs. Burgess. Epworth League at 7. The children go on in full swing. Help your side up by being on time and taking part.

For the benefit of the members not present at the last meeting of the women's club it is stated in regard to the nominations of officers for the ensuing year, that the recording and corresponding secretaries are not eligible for re-election, according to the constitution and by-laws, having acted for two years. Members of the board of directors who are not officers may be re-elected. Please fill out the nomination and return to the committee promptly.

Remember the Red Cross sale next Friday afternoon and evening.

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Dr. William F. McAllister, father of Mrs. E. G. Harbo, formerly of Owensmouth, died at his San Francisco home on March 28. Deceased was 75 years of age, and is said to have been the sole surviving member of the party which raised Harper's Ferry in 1859, under the leadership of John Brown. Dr. McAllister was prominent in the medical profession of California, and served as collector of the port of San Francisco and as commissioner of immigration. He received a commission in the United States Army, and was buried at the Presidio with full military honors.

F. A. Horton and son, Raymond, had a most successful fishing trip on Monday. They went to the Ventura river, which is running unusually high at this time. They succeeded in landing some 50 fine trout, one of which was of the steelhead variety, weighing 4 1/2 pounds.

The Farm Bureau meeting, held at Marian on Thursday evening last, was the best attended of any yet held in this end of the valley. In addition to the regular business of the evening, a talk on alfalfa culture was given.

Street Foreman L. D. Pike reports that an appropriation of \$300 has been procured from the city for the construction of a bridge across Ninth street, near the J. T. Hestley home.

Casher J. I. Waring, of the State bank of Owensmouth, has been appointed local director of the Third Liberty Loan Campaign. The big drive opens April 6.

Contractor R. S. Shaw is building the new show building erected at the corner of Salsbury and Yavel, by Messrs. Snow, Walters, Daniels, and others.

Bring in your contributions to the Red Cross sale next Friday afternoon and evening.

Go to the Owensmouth high school this evening and see "The Little Patriots."

See "The Yankee Way" at the high school, April 13.

**Coming Events**

Friday, April 5—Movie—"The Little Patriot," at 5-H School.

Saturday, April 6—Grand Liberty Loan Rally at Burbank.

Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays 7:30 p. m. Red Cross singing work at H. School. An urgent call is made for more workers.

Thursday, April 11—"The Ladies Aid Society meets with Mrs. H. H. Davis.

Friday, April 19—"The Yankee Way" at the hi school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Waring had as Easter guests Rev. C. C. Selcotton and wife of Los Angeles, and Mrs. John Krohn and daughter, Madeline of Los Angeles.

**AMERICAN SOLDIERS RECEIVE GOOD TREATMENT**

On Saturday evening, April 6, at 8 o'clock, there will be a public meeting in the Syndicate Block in the interest of the Third Liberty Loan. Good music and a good speaker from Los Angeles. The people of Chatsworth, Zelzah, Calabasas, Marian and Owensmouth are invited.

**AMERICAN SOLDIERS RECEIVE GOOD TREATMENT**

The following extracts from a letter written by Corporal A. E. Ely, who is stationed at the Aviation General Supply Depot at Fairfield, O., to his family here, will be of interest to all our readers:

"It is spring here now, the front is getting out of the ground, and we have longer twilight. As I told you before, it is absolutely impossible to tell you anything about my work or about the supply depot, as it is forbidden, so I will write about our surroundings, our exercise and play. The barracks, which is our home, is about 400 feet long, by 100 wide, a beautiful snow-white building, mostly windows. Inside are clean, heated, hardwood floors, a high wainscoting, and overhead beams. There are four strings of electric lights running the full length of the interior with globes about every eight feet. To be more specific, there are about 112 large lights. The entire barracks is clean-beated, with large radiators about every forty feet, along each side of the quarters, also steel lockers, one for each man. The wash room and lavatory is a very large room, with cement floor, and contains all the comforts of home. Plenty of sanitary wash-bowls, quantities of shower baths and other equipment, all in white enamel, with the hottest of hot water, and the coldest of cold, at all hours of the day and night.

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"I will tell you about our exercise and play. Each morning, before breakfast, we have our regular drill and calisthenics, but at night, after retreat, it is when we play. We are organizing a baseball club, and each evening we practice until it is so dark that we can no longer see and then we come in and stand around the piano and sing until the trumpet puts us to bed. O yes, we have our orchestra completely organized, consisting of the piano, three violins, bass and trap drums, banjos, mandolins, and a number of horns. Believe me, we have a very musical talent in our squadrons. Am going to Dayton tonight and go to show. A California movie, if it can find one."

**MARIAN NOTES**

Mrs. Ray Smith is under the doctor's care.

M. A. Brainerd returned from Mexiposa Tuesday.

Mrs. Kate Sullivan of Zelzah spent Tuesday with Mrs. Frank Yancy.

Harold Trexler of Owensmouth has been visiting his school friend Wallace Brannard.

A large number from Marian attended the Sunrise Easter Service at Owensmouth.

Mrs. Robert J. Shaw and son Jack are visiting Mrs. Shaw's mother in Los Angeles.

Mrs. J. H. Friedrichs went to spend the weekend with friends.

W. W. Williams and family of Los Angeles spent Easter with his sister Mrs. J. S. Showalter and family.

Mrs. Martha McClure and daughter Rachel, spent with sister in Santa Monica.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Robertson had as guests over Mrs. Robertson's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John Krohn and daughter, Madeline of Los Angeles.

**Personal and Social Notes**

Miss Margaret McKee of Hollywood was the guest of Miss Jessie Beckett Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Ralph entertained Miss Coutoulex and Miss Zens, of the Coutoulex String Quartet, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Reckhelmeier had as guests on Sunday the former's parents and the latter's mother, Mrs. Chambers.

Harry Russell Elliott, who played the violinello in the Easter program, was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Monroe Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kimball entertained friends at the city breakfast on Easter morning, about twenty guests being seated at the hospitable table.

Mrs. E. Morris and daughter Miss Ruth had as weekend guests Miss Viola Bruen of El Monte, the Misses Emma and Mae De La Grange of Los Angeles.

Miss Gloria Mayne, Miss Newton and Mrs. Brooks, who took part in the Easter program, were entertained by Mrs. Morris at the Workman Ranch Saturday night.

**Classified Advertisements**

**HAY FOR SALE—ALSO SEED BARLEY.** E. Stradinsky, 5642 2nd St. Phone 839.

**FOR RENT—HOUSE AND GARAGE** on Vassar street. Inquire Gracie office.

**FOR SALE—FINE EUREKA WALNUT** Trees. T. H. Lambert, El Monte, Cal. Phone 83P.

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OWENSMOUTH, CAL., FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 1918.

The big drive for the sale of the Third Liberty Loan Bonds begins on Saturday, April 6. The campaign for the sale of these bonds will be conducted along systematic lines and strenuous efforts will be made to dispose of the entire three billion dollar issue in one week. The world is passing thru the darkest hour in human history. The liberty of all Nations is at stake. Our Government needs money NOW to meet the stupendous expenses of the gigantic conflict. Will YOU do your share? The State Bank of Owensmouth will furnish bonds for all who wish them, and its officers will cheerfully give all the information and assistance possible to prospective purchasers.

Preparations are being made by the Red Cross ladies for the Community Sale to be held during Easter week. Donations for this purpose are solicited, and parties having articles of any kind they wish to contribute are requested to leave same at the library or communicate with some member of the Red Cross.

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**"YOUR MONEY BACK"**  
and a new pair of shoes free to the wearer who finds paper in the heels, counters, or soles of a pair of

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## THRIFT STAMPS ON SALE

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BEVIS BROS., Van Nuys

## HI SCHOOL NOTES

CLAYTON BIDDLE, Assistant Editor

Wednesday, March 27, was labor day for both boys and girls. A great deal was accomplished. A lunch was served at noon by the freshman girls.

Twenty of the high school took part in the Easter Sun Services, carrying the flags of allies in a flag drill.

Many of the girls have pledged themselves to put three hours work on surgical dressing a week.

There was no school on Friday.

Wednesday, April 3, the different classes were given ground start gardens, the boys work outside and the girls doing late Cross work.

Friday, April 5, the Freshmen will give their entertainment, "The Little Patriot." It is said to be good and the freshmen are promising a good entertainment.

Surprises between reels. It began at eight o'clock and the admission is 15 and 20 cents.

Many of the students are detained from school on account of the mumps and measles.

The fish found in the wash still living in the aquarium.

Miss Ralph reports that the surgical dressing department made six hundred garments within the last two weeks and the sophomores will stay Friday afternoon after school and the Scouts will spend Monday at the high school doing surgical dressing.

Two Verdies, in his opinion, to being a fine blacksmith, was a congenial soul as one could find in blue.

Some of his well meaning friends presented him to take up little piping. "You can do it," said "Well, why all means," said another. He left the blacksmith, being the congenial soul that he was, toolled away faithfully, in time attaining enough proficiency to undertake a patent work. He. Recipitation. In the opinion of blacksmiths he was a rambunctious player. The verdict of the players was that he was a fine blacksmith. (Beautiful weather, isn't it? Philadelphia North American.

Compliments. It was a little hard on the boy, for he meant well and had a sincere admiration for the girl. They were sitting at the tea table with a company of others, and as he passed her the sugar he murmured in an undertone:

"Here it is, sweet, just like you."  
The compliment was a little awkward, to be sure, but he meant it, and it seemed more than cruel when in a moment later she had occasion to pass the butter to him and drawled:

"Here it is, soft, just like you."

Flags in England. The early inhabitants of England, like those of other countries, used emblematic devices of one kind or another. That of the Saxons was a white horse. The introduction of flags into England is ascribed to St. Augustine, the missionary, and his followers, who, after the convention of King Ethelbert, entered Canterbury in procession, chanting and bearing small banners.

Strange Ways of Salmon. The Chinook salmon as they ascend the streams to the spawning grounds fight and starve themselves, not eating from the time they leave the salt water, so that only the hardest survive, and these, when the spawning season is over, die. The young swim to the salt water, where they live four years, when they in turn destroy themselves to preserve the species.

Writing tablets of boxwood are situated in 11 Eastern city, 24.

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## CASH PRICES ON GROCERIES

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### ROBIN WINNER OF COVETED PRIZE

In the milk contest conducted by the Los Angeles Board of Health, under the state dairy law, in which all dairies selling milk in Los Angeles are entered, the Elliot-Brant Rancho Guernsey milk again won first in the guaranteed class.

Not only did Elliot-Brant Rancho milk win first in its class but its score was not approached by that of milk in any class, even tho' the requirements in other classes are not so strict. But 1.6 percent was deducted from the highest possible score during the four months the contest was carried on.

Remarkable as this is the score does not fully show superiority of Elliot-Brant Rancho milk over the ordinary, as the butterfat content is 35 percent greater than the highest requirements for which perfect is allowed. While the milk solids not fat were 10 cent greater than perfect. Allowing extra points for this extra food value, to the same extent that points are deducted from milk not up to the standard, the Elliot-Brant Rancho milk would score 106.2 per cent.

The cleanliness of this milk, as measured by the bacteria count is worthy of note. The average count taken weekly of the Elliot-Brant Rancho milk was less than one-tenth that necessary in the class and less than one-fourth as great as permitted by the most rigid requirements enforced anywhere in the United States.

The Elliot-Brant Rancho has won this coveted award five times, and each succeeding time has bettered their previous high score.

## HAMMOND CO. BOOSTS THRIFT STAMP SALES



## WATER IS TURNED INTO NEW CHATSWORTH RESERVOIR

Water was turned into the new Chatsworth reservoir on Tuesday. Chief Engineer William Muholland.

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Owensmouth, Cal.

## Town Lots & Acreage for Sale

### A Millionaire In Health

CONTENTED mind is the big initial that spells the big word "health."

The best garden I ever had was a moonlight garden—made while my friends were down town at the picture shows.

It deserves three to five hours muscular acting every morning to clean the old, diseased, fifth matters out of the system before putting any more food in.

Such as digging with a heavy mattock, or grubbing out trees, or carrying rocks. No light churning like walking, riding, plowing, hoeing, nailing, milking, or inspecting, is sufficient to send the blood to the ends of the fingers and toes.

Besides, if you have any organ that is diseased you will never cure it until you work it enough to cause it to pain. Pain indicates that the oils slime with which the organ was clogged has been swept away so that new oxidizing matter can find the way in to disinfect the ragged edges of the flesh.

Keep off the sidewalk! Work a piece of land without horses. Dig shallow holes and bury the leaves and branches which the scavenger gets for your neighborhood; and in a little time you will have fruits and vegetables of far better quality than can be found in the market.

Besides, you see the finer blood vessels cleaned out you can enjoy all kinds of uncooked foods, because the uncooked foods send the refuse matters out onto the surface of the skin from whence the refuse is absorbed and carried off by the air.

Cooked foods produce wax and grease through the passages to the skin so that extra effort is required to compel the outward circulation.

Heating food above the natural temperature reduces the oxidizing resins which destroy the orders of their cells so that people act before they think. They want before they are able to produce. Children cannot learn much if their food is weak in acids. They become imitators from sight and hearing, but poor as constructive as the real fruit of our being while imitation is borrowed energy.

When foods are weak in the organs (acid) we may get a grip under way and about to ratchet into fact when another ferment starts up which sets another throb in place of the prior one.

By this process people travel and think but ripen nothing. The cells which sustain thoughts have to develop and ripen and become fixed before a new thought can be added to the fold stock.

The sharp flavor of the fruit is to produce immediate action but the red color produces endurance, after the cells have time to regenerate from red to green, from green to white, from white to red and so on for three generations of cells.

A generation of cells is required to produce dormancy of the trees in the fall; another generation to hold them in dormant condition during the winter, and another to start them to put out their leaves in the spring.

So in the orders of cells in thinking or eating, in the afternoon the cells become inactive and in the night they become dormant or like they were dead and in the morning they become alive again.

For this reason we should take our food at that time of the day as the cells are becoming inactive, or at noon. Food must be put out of the reach of light during the afternoon and night to kill the atmospheric germs in order that the more perfect variety of cells may not be hindered, or cut out.

Germs of the blood pass through these three successive changes in the evening and the morning while the seeds of trees require three periods of longer time.

Three processes are required to produce the living cells. First the dying process in which the germs go out of the growing plant and are gathered into the seeds. Then is a season of dormancy or death or

no action. During this time seeds lose moisture of life. Then the scant supply of moisture that is left is divided into gas and a gaseous fermentation is started; and the gaseous fermentation is soon superseded by others which use higher forms of water.

By this process we are able to get the grease and fats out of the hydrates of the blood and produce purely vegetable cells. Fats and grease are animal.

When vegetables slacken their growth they turn to animal substance by producing a ferment that uses gas of the air which makes flesh tough and woody.

I poured honey into a turbid stream and it colored the leaves and sticks and gravel bright red for several rods both below and above while the water became very clear and sparkling.

If I poured white honey into the stream in like manner the water became slimy and the sticks and gravel became covered with white, greasy, mealy substance like the curdled part of milk, as if soap had been put in.

When red honey or red fruit enter the blood they are colorless like pure water. After meeting refuse and drags which oppose activity they become red, which goes to the skin and change to black, and the black is instantly absorbed and carried away by the white rays of sunlight.

This is the process that takes all of the waste products out of the system. There are other methods which seem to carry off the waste but they only move it out of one organ into another or condense it into another form.

Any beekeeper can change honey to a dark red by subjecting it to a heat that kills the life, but my process makes honey a bright red by exposure to cold, which adds acid.

By "cold" I mean below 60 deg. Fahrenheit. Fruits or honey that become red in color when the temperature is higher than 60 reverses the order of the cells, and draw refuse in out of the air. Then we get catarrh from the overloading of the system with refuse matter.

C. W. DAYTON, OWENSMOUTH, CAL.  
THE RED CROSS SOCIETY, 317 N. 12th St.

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## CHURCH CALENDAR

The Community Church of Owensmouth (M. E. Affiliation)  
George R. Graf, S. T. B., pastor.  
Services every Sunday as follows: Sunday school at 10 o'clock; 11 a. m. R. E. Goodall, superintendent.  
Praying at 11 o'clock; 7 p. m. N. Clarence Gray, president.  
A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Zelzah Lutheran Church  
Services every Sunday morning at 10:30. M. I. Ulmer, Sept. Lutheran League every Sunday evening at 7:30. Services by announcement.

Chatsworth M. E. Church  
Services every Sunday as follows: Sunday school at ten o'clock; 11 a. m. C. W. Doherty, superintendent.  
Praying at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Clarence Gray, president.  
A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Christian Science Society of Los Angeles (Van Nuys)  
Regular services Sunday at 10:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.  
At chapel, 11 F street.

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War Tax Revenue stamps are now on sale at the postoffice. All legal papers now must carry revenue stamps.

All parcel post packages on which postage is 25 cents more are required to have affixed a war revenue stamp of 1 cent for each 25 cents in postage.

## Wood for Sale

Oak wood in stove wood length. \$11 per cord of four tons.  
Apply at Dan Marsh's Camp at Chatsworth Reservoir Site.

## Owensmouth Directory

Owensmouth Branch Red Cross  
Chairman—Mrs. M. A. Driscoll.  
Secretary—Miss Clara Beakley.  
Meet on last Tuesday afternoon in the Synagogue Block.

Chatsworth Branch Red Cross  
Chairman—Mrs. E. C. Menzies.  
Secretary—Mrs. M. C. Gray.  
Meet every Monday.

U. S. Mail  
Mails arrive and depart from Owensmouth follows:  
Arrive from Los Angeles and Eastern points at 6:28 a. m. and 10:10 p. m.  
Arrive from Calhoun, Triunfo, Corral and Van Nuys at 10:30 a. m.  
Mail close for Los Angeles and Eastern points at Calhoun, Triunfo, Corral and Van Nuys at 10:30 a. m.

Owensmouth Public Library  
Syndicate Block. Mrs. Anna Gault, Librarian. Open daily except Sunday from 10:15 a. m. to 7:30 p. m.

Owensmouth Chamber of Commerce  
President—W. E. Reichenbacher.  
Secretary—G. F. Kelly.  
Meet on last Tuesday evening of each month at 8 o'clock in grammar school auditorium.

Owensmouth Woman's Club  
President—Mrs. Ed Morris.  
Secretary—Mrs. W. E. Reichenbacher.  
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. W. A. Driscoll.  
Meet every second Wednesday afternoon at 7:30 o'clock at homes of members.

Owensmouth High School  
Principal—G. E. Monroe.

Owensmouth Grammar School  
Principal—Joseph Grant.

Lindner Aid Society  
President—Mrs. L. Warner.  
Secretary—Mrs. Wm. McCulloch.  
Meet every two weeks on Tuesday at 2:30 at the homes of members.

Erwerth League  
President—Miss Ed Lange.  
Meet every Wednesday evening at 8:30 in the Synagogue Block.

M. E. Sunday School.  
Superintendent—Rev. (Ret.) Goodall.  
Meet every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock in the Synagogue Block.

West End Parent Teachers' Association  
President—Mrs. A. W. Denslow.  
Secretary—Miss Service Bell.  
Meet on the Friday evening of each month.

W. E. Parent Teachers' Association  
This association includes the school divisions of Owensmouth, Chatsworth, Calhoun, Liberty, Van Nuys, Ducker, Moore, Olive, Tonzana, Marial.

Owensmouth Branch Home Investment Association  
President—G. W. Moore.  
Secretary—Clara Davis.  
Treasurer—L. W. Loring, L. W. Ketchum, John Zeas, G. W. Monroe, W. E. Reichenbacher.

Owensmouth Branch Growers' Association  
President—G. W. Brewer.  
Secretary—F. F. Kelly.  
Meet at the California Lima Bean Growers' Association.

Vannoy's Producers  
An Association of growers, fruit and farm products. G. F. Kelly, manager Owensmouth Branch; D. B. Hollaway, Van Nuys.

Owensmouth Branch Boy Scouts of America  
Scout Master—Wm. Davis.  
Scout Scribe—Warne Davis.  
Meet every Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Synagogue Block.

Van Nuys Postally Association  
Meet the first Thursday of each month at 8 p. m. in the Van Nuys Post Office.  
President—D. B. Hollaway.  
Secretary—M. E. McCawley.

## URGENT DEMAND FOR SURGICAL DRESSINGS

The call of the Red Cross for urgent dressings is incessant and urgent. "Speed up the work on the Pacific Coast" is the latest word from Washington. To spend at least three hours a week folding gauze compresses is the duty of every woman and girl in the community. A rooming in the school is open for this kind of work at three o'clock, Tuesday, Thursday, and Fridays. For the sake of the wounded, come and help. The required costume is a sleeveless apron, muslin twenty-seven inches wide for a head covering. At present Owensmouth is sending out about fifty dressings per week. It takes cases with men falling by the thousand over in France, one case does not last long. The making of dressings now of first importance in Red Cross work, taking precedence even of knitting, necessary as that work is.

## RED CROSS NOTICE!

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## BEAN CLEANER PROPOSED AT ZELZAH

The bean growers of Zelzah held a meeting at the Zelzah Hotel last Saturday night to consider a proposition to plant in a bean cleaner and warehouse at this place. The meeting was well attended. It was the unanimous opinion that every effort be exerted to meet the proposition made, and a committee consisting of E. B. Arnoz and E. F. Shimerda was appointed to canvass the community to ascertain the bean acreage that is being proposed to be cleaned here. It is believed that at least 7000 acres are to be planted in the Zelzah section and which is considerably more than is reported by the bean cleaner or promoters.—Zelzah Tribune.

## RED CROSS SALE ON FRIDAY, APRIL 12

On Friday afternoon and evening, April 12, the Red Cross will hold a Community Sale in the Synagogue Club. Contributions of all kinds of articles are desired. Farm products, live stock, etc., will be especially appreciated. A number of articles will be raffied off during the evening. Please report at the library as to what articles you are willing to contribute for this worthy cause.

**Johanna on the Spot.**  
The young teacher had been having a trying time with her nature study class because Johanna had discovered she knew more about her did about birds and frogs and had assumed a derisive attitude in consequence. She appealed to the man principal, who replied: "Next time you have the class let me know, and I'll come in and take charge. I think I can settle Johanna." He was only called in, and all went well at first. With confidence the principal said at the conclusion of the lesson, "Now you may ask me one question." Johanna had been silent up to this time. When it came his turn he rose and asked, "Has a duck eye power?"—New York Times.

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Los Angeles, California, February 28, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that Jacob Hoffman, deceased, of Triunfo, California, who on September 8, 1913, made homesteaded entry, No. 012694, for 31 1/2 NW 1/4, SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 23, Township 1 South, Range 20 West, S. 1. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Los Angeles, California, on the 15th day of April, 1915, at 9:00 A. M.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Jacob Richter, of Yerba Buena, Cal.; Emery Leszlak, of Yerba Buena, Cal.; John H. Mandell, of Yerba Buena, Cal.  
Mark A. Venneman, of Triunfo, Cal.  
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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Los Angeles, California, February 21, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that Charles C. Colchester, of Santa Monica, who, on February 28, 1913, made homesteaded entry, No. 012377, for W 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 14, Township 12 South, Range 12 West, S. 1. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office at Los Angeles, California, on the 15th day of April, 1915, at 9:00 A. M.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Mark A. Venneman, of Triunfo, Cal.; Victor L. Calder, of Triunfo, Cal.; Jacob Hoffman, of Triunfo, Cal.; Emery Leszlak, of Triunfo, Cal.  
JOHN D. ROCHE, Register.

03078  
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION  
(Non-Cool Lands)  
No Withdrawals  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Los Angeles, Cal., January 20, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that Victor Williams, whose post-office address is Triunfo, Cal., did, on the 30th day of August, 1917, file in this office sworn Statement and Application, No. 030878, to purchase the SW 1/4 Section 4, Township 1 South, Range 19 West, S. 1. Meridian, and the stone thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 2, 1878, and acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law" at such value as might be fixed by appraisement, and that, pursuant to such application, the land and stone thereon have been appraised, \$25.00, the stone estimated at \$25.00, and the land \$40.00; that said applicant will offer final proof in support of his application and sworn statement on the 13th day of April, 1918, at 9:00 A. M., before Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Los Angeles, Cal.  
Any person 16 or over to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate a protest, must do so before patent issues, by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry.  
JOHN D. ROCHE, Register.

02560  
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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Los Angeles, Calif., February 13, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that William Kelso, of Cornell, Cal., who, on December 8, 1913, made Homesteaded Entry, No. 025260, for NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 9, NW 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 19, Township 1 S., Range 19 W., S. 1. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Los Angeles, Cal., on the 9th day of April, 1915, at 9:00 A. M.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Elmer Rumbly, of Los Angeles, Cal.; Louis Berger, of Los Angeles, Cal.; David N. Barrett, of Cornell, Cal.; Margaret Rumbly, of Cornell, Cal.  
JOHN D. ROCHE, Register.

017694  
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION  
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No Withdrawals  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Los Angeles, Cal., March 13, 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that Willard C. Page, of Ocean Park, Cal., Gen. Del., who, on February 19, 1913, made homesteaded entry, No. 017094, for SW 1/4 Section 23, Township 1 S., Range 17 West, S. 1. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Los Angeles, Cal., on the 2nd day of May, 1915, at 9:00 A. M.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Carl S. Wilkins, of Los Angeles, Cal.; Joseph H. Morris, of Los Angeles, Cal.; Walter Swenson, of Santa Monica, Cal.; Adolph P. Olivares, of Venice, Cal.  
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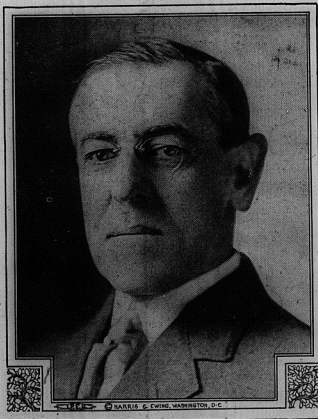
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