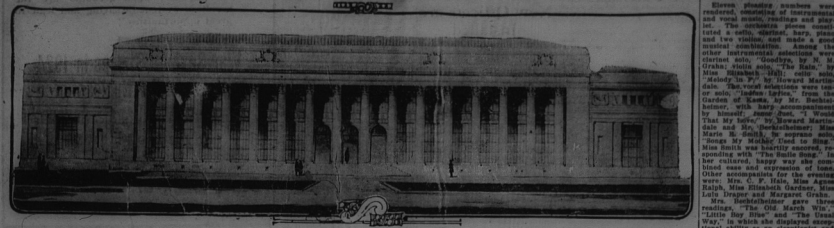


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Owensmouth High School with a \$10,000 Pipe Organ, One of the Finest Educational Institutions in the State, Erected at a Cost of Over \$100,000.

**GRADUATES GET DIPLOMAS**  
Commencement Exercises in High School Auditorium Resourceful Year in Educational Achievement Under Many Trying Obstacles

**Artists in High School Recital**  
An evening immensely entertaining and highly cultivated in musical circles was spent Monday evening in the recently renovated auditorium of the High School. It was the annual High School entertainment and recital.

**LADIES ENTERTAINING**  
Rare Evening of Feast and Song  
Exceptionally Fine Program In Which Local Talent Takes Part

Commencement honors conferred upon a class of nine graduates with faces starry-eyed, while passing into the realm of new life work, before a packed house of interested spectators, parents, ex-friends at the auditorium of the Owensmouth High school last evening, and witnessed one of the most joyful events of their life.

**Annual H.S. Reception at the Bechtelheimer Home**  
When the clever plan of Mrs. W. Bechtelheimer starts on factious travels, personally conducted by the lady Junior Class of O. H. S. it is to be supposed that the tables will rest. In fact, what with the merry trysts between the absentees from Berkeley and Stanford, respectively, these much, used inmates were nearly weary long before the evening of the annual school reception.

**GRAMMAR SCHOOL NEWS**  
It is gratifying to announce that the Owensmouth Grammar School for the year 1918-1919 has been held at the Owensmouth Grammar school. The annual commencement exercises were held at the Owensmouth Grammar school.

Professor G. Walter Moore, principal of the school, presided, with willing corps of instructors, working hard, and with all diligence in the preparation for the school's closing exercises. The school's closing exercises were held at the standard of the Owensmouth High School.

At all events, it began His symbolic career well, for it seemed to unfold presently, a sense of refreshing life among and oaks, which were served with little beads of candy, done up in the clear colors of 1919, blue and white.

**Graduation Exercises Held at Grammar School**  
"I'll be a singer if I can," Martin Hale said after a perfect day, a great course of prep., the parents and friends of the Grammar School, gathered to witness the pupils' first career.

**Rev. H. T. Lewis Delivers Baccalaureate Sermon**  
Battling the principles of righteousness, in plain and to the spirit homely, emphasizing the vital of the Master, Rev. H. T. Lewis, pastor of the Owensmouth Community Church, delivered the baccalaureate sermon for the Owensmouth High School school last Friday morning.

**HARRY R. BEVIS, Dealer FOR SAN FERNANDO VALLEY**  
Phone Office 27 Van Nuys, Calif. Service Station, Van Nuys Garage

Harry R. Bevis, dealer for San Fernando Valley, has a fine selection of automobiles for sale. He is located at Van Nuys, California.

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Phone, Van Nuys 19181

**THE WHOSE TRUTH**  
Inasmuch as our contemporary literature is the idea of some publishers, regarding the art of the letter of the law, it is necessary to consider the same as some publishers. Will the law be to control the letter of the law, the most beautiful, which seems to be the best of all.

You are to be prepared with the former and the second would be impossible to do. It is necessary to run a newspaper the same as to do any other business. You are to be prepared to build up a business and establish a position on reputation and print the paper. It is necessary to run a newspaper to pursue a combining of the two.

—52—What is the Gazette has fallen short of the spelling of our future, that is, we want to expand in our future and we will be in a better position. The following we need, there here, like asking the consideration of the public. You have a right to ask for it, and we are entitled to some thoughtful consideration. When we are reaching longer, more and more as the day goes by, it is true that we are busy more and more. We are to be prepared to run a newspaper. Whether you are a merchant, a carrier, a manufacturer, a contractor, or a trader, your duty should be to write your paper, no matter how small your business is. You are to be prepared to "put your own name" in it, and you should "put your own name" in it, and you should "put your own name" in it.

**PRESIDENT'S FAREWELL**  
As president of the Owensmouth-California, Business Men's Chamber of Commerce, I have the honor to bid you farewell on the 26th day of June, 1917. You have been a most successful and energetic leader, and your administration has been a most successful one. You have been a most successful and energetic leader, and your administration has been a most successful one.

**UNION VALLEY PICNIC**  
**FOR JULY THE FOURTH**  
The eagle will stream in all its patriotic splendor. July Fourth at Castorock Park, and plans are shaping for a great assemblage of people and cheer. The committee, which is made up of members of the Chamber of Commerce in both Owensmouth and Castorock, has arranged for a picnic on the 4th of July. The picnic will be held at Castorock Park, and plans are shaping for a great assemblage of people and cheer.

**THE "PIPER" A GREAT PAGEANT PRODUCTION**  
Long Beach is planning one of the most spectacular pageants ever to be held in Southern California for June 27, 28 and 29. The pageant will be staged in Long Beach, and plans are shaping for a great assemblage of people and cheer. The committee, which is made up of members of the Chamber of Commerce in both Owensmouth and Castorock, has arranged for a picnic on the 4th of July.

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**HIGH SCHOOL NOTES**  
The Annual Reception of the High School of Van Nuys, California, was held on the 26th of June. The principal, Dr. W. G. Walter, presided.

**At a meeting Tuesday of the High School of Van Nuys, California, a new music machine was used for the first time.**

**District Junior Foreman Roberts of San Fernando Valley schools, was our guest speaker, inspecting the work of the school.**

**The general house will be the same as last year, with possible addition of a new feature.**

**The Junior class entertains the faculty at a dance on the 26th of June. It will be the form of a "Ladies' Night" and will be held at the home of the Junior Foreman, Mrs. L. M. Roberts.**

**The High School basketball team played their farewell game last Tuesday night at the home of the High School, defeating them by a score of 15 to 10.**

**The girls' basketball team played their farewell game last Tuesday night at the home of the High School, defeating them by a score of 15 to 10.**

**SIX YEARS OLD TODAY**  
was established from the Gazette. The first issue was published on the 26th of June, 1911, and was published at Owensmouth, where it has since been published.

**BRIEF REMINISCENCE**  
A constant and interesting visitor who frequently finds himself in the path of his daughter, Mrs. Kate Roberts, is the late Mr. W. G. Walter. He was a most successful and energetic leader, and your administration has been a most successful one.

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**HAVENTHING OF PEAK NOW**  
READ IN "THE VALLEY"  
G. W. Cannon is said to be the first thinking of the season in San Fernando Valley.  
It is interesting to note that the first thinking of the season in San Fernando Valley is now being given by G. W. Cannon. He is also the first to think of the season in San Fernando Valley. He is also the first to think of the season in San Fernando Valley.

**NEW OFFICERS ARE INSTALLED**  
Ladies Enjoy Generous Hospitality of the Goodall Home

The warm sun diffused his gentle rays on a golden June morning as the ladies of the Goodall Home gathered for their regular meeting.

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**The Poet Says:**  
"Great Oaks from Tiny Acorns Grow."  
**The Thrifty Man Says:**  
"Comfortable bank accounts are the result of systematic saving and lead to great opportunities."

**War Savings Stamps in 1924 will Form the Nucleus of a Comfortable Bank Account**  
GET THE HABIT! SAVE!!

**State Bank of Owensmouth**  
Owensmouth, California

**NOTICE OF CONTEST**  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE.

To Mrs. Edgar E. Chastrow, of Idaho, who is the holder of a certain portion of said land, and to all persons claiming an interest in said land, you are hereby notified that Ethan G. Groves, deceased, died on April 15, 1917, and his estate is being administered by the undersigned. It is the duty of the undersigned to ascertain the true and lawful heirs of the deceased, and to distribute the property of the deceased to them. It is the duty of the undersigned to ascertain the true and lawful heirs of the deceased, and to distribute the property of the deceased to them.

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