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Is Science a Crime?
Headline—Widens Fined on Charge
of "Stealing Bites" "And we now see
often committed because they don't
comprehend it." C.



(Organized by National Council of the Boy
Scouts of America)

SCOUTS AND "BUDDY" SYSTEM

In its make of nearly a half a million
boys, scouting aims to assist in
orderly planned and appropriate
ways the various types in their prog-
ress towards the ultimate goal: "Men
of character trained in citizenship."
The "Buddy System" is but one of
its aids, and that it produces results
in helping untalented or unstable boys
to live the most ideal life of conduct
in the following instance: Boy Scout
O. Wyland, assistant director, national
office, San Francisco, Boy Scouts
of America:

"Scoutmaster Fred Gassert of Troop
No. 1, East Newark, N. J., who has
conducted a very successful troop dur-
ing the past six years," says Mr. Wyland,
"has evolved a 'buddy' system
which is well worth recognition."
"Each new tenderfoot went into the
troop or patrol is assigned to two ad-
vanced scouts, whose responsibility is
to 'sell' with the new scout and help
him in every way to live up to the
scout oath and law. The tenderfoot
knows nothing of this arrangement,
all he knows is that a couple of older
scouts have become interested in him
and have made themselves unusually
conspicuous."

"These scouts, by close association,
learn all about the tenderfoot and his
personal habits. They subtly suggest
modifications in conduct when the ten-
derfoot shows evidence of failure to
maintain the ideals of the scout law.
Weekly verbal reports are rendered
the scoutmaster and conferences held
on methods of treatment. If the new
scout fails to react favorably to the in-
fluence of his own 'buddies' after a
month or two, the scoutmaster is urged
to attach himself to this particular
tenderfoot, for the express purpose of
helping him to get the light and to
adopt the accepted standard of worthy
conduct which marks the scout
throughout the world."

"Scoutmaster Gassert states that in
six years he has yet to find the impos-
sible when he has been given up as
hopeless."
"On one occasion he visited a family
to obtain permission for their boy to
join his troop, and was told that this
boy could never be a scout because of
delinquency. He would even steal
money from his father's pockets when
his father was asleep! The scoutmas-
ter was not daunted by this report. The
boy did join the troop and today
is a loyal member of a large in-
ternational company with headquarters at
Newark, N. J."

"On another occasion the scoutmas-
ter was led by the tenderfoot to a gam-
bling den filled with slot machines and
dice, and on seeing the money
out of the pockets of luckless boys. He
took steps with the police authorities
and had the proprietor arrested and
put out of business."

SCOUTS—CONSERVATIONISTS

Boy scouts of Ewisch, Minn., doing a
community good turn—stocking a
lake with fish.
GOVERNOR COX SAYS—
In a proclamation of welcome to
recruits in the recent big scout rally of
the New England states, held at Cam-
bridge, Gov. Cheever J. Cox of Mas-
sachusetts said, in part:
"Without drawing distinctions of
rank, race or position, the boy scout
movement is giving to the boys of our
commonwealth the most valuable training
in all that makes manhood and power. It
develops mind, body and morals. It is
helping to make future citizens of the
same character as those of the past
who have given greatness to Massa-
chusetts."

THE BOY SCOUT MOVEMENT

"Few words more eloquent, if any, hold
as great possibilities for good to the
nation and the race as the Boy
Scouts of America."—Arthur M. Hoy,
Governor of Missouri.
Camp Bidda, vacation ground for
the Boy Scouts of America, was opened
and dedicated recently by the
unveiling of a bronze tablet in the
memory of Herbert M. Bidda, the
first scout in Philadelphia to give his
life in the service of his country in
the World War. Bidda, who was one
of the earliest scouts in Philadelphia
and a member of Troop 46 of the Tem-
ple, Indiana chapter, was on the
United States Commerce when it sank
in the Delaware river.

COMPOSED SONG AT AGE OF 6

Camille Saint-Saens Was One of the
Most Interesting Figures in
Modern Music

All the world's music was an-
nounced in December, 1921, by the
announcement of the death of Saint-
Saens, France's most distinguished liv-
ing composer and one of the most in-
teresting of all modern musicians.
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Delilah," "Carmen," in the role of "Sam-
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Camille Saint-Saens (1835-1921) is
one of the most interesting figures in
modern music. He was a "wonder
child" for at the age of two years he
began lessons and in six months had
acquired a whole piano course, un-
der the tutelage of his aunt.
At seven he was admitted to the
Paris Conservatoire as a pupil of the
French Harps in piano, and later of
Beethoven in organ and of Charles Dan-
iel in composition. When he was ten
he played so remarkably well that his
mother invited a group of prominent
musicians to hear him, and in the same
year, at his suggestion, he gave his
first concert, playing Bach, Handel,
Mozart and Beethoven.
All Europe raved over his genius.
He played brilliantly in concert in all
parts of Europe and England for more
than 20 years.
His six years he had composed some
little dances and a song, "Le Ser,". At
sixteen he wrote a symphony. In the
history of music there is not a more
versatile name than his. From his
time on he composed all sorts of mu-
sic, symphonic, chamber music, piano
concertos, organ music, and dramatic,
epic poems and songs.—The De-
clarator.

SOOT USED AS EXPLOSIVE

Will Beat Away Coal and Rock Aft-
er It Is Used in Liquid Oxygen
—Sucked to Liquid Oxygen.
We scarcely think of soot as an ex-
plosive yet it is now being used as
such, and scout cartridges will blow
away coal or rock quite as effectively
as dynamite.

Of course, the soot has to be pre-
pared for its new purpose, and this is
done by making it in liquid oxygen.
The finely divided carbon of which
the soot is made up absorbs large
amounts of oxygen, and the cartridge
explodes owing to the instantaneous
combustion of the carbon in contact
with the oxygen.

A cartridge contains two ounces of
lampblack, and this absorbs seven
ounces of liquid oxygen, which is
made quite cheaply from liquid air
by allowing the nitrogen, which ex-
pands at a lower temperature, to boil
off, leaving the liquid oxygen be-
hind.
The advantages of the new explosive
are many. It is used in the same way
where it is to be used, and is perfectly
safe till the liquid oxygen is poured
into the hole where the soot cartridge
has been placed. The potassium gases
are set free by the explosion, and if
the cartridge fails to explode it ceases
to be a source of danger in about
twenty minutes, when the oxygen has
been exhausted and the cartridge is
merely soot.

Gift of the Nile.

Africa is especially dependent upon
irrigation and it has been pointed out
that modern engineers have not de-
vised any essentially new method of
supplying thirsty lands with water.
Reference may be made to the state-
ment of Herodotus that Egypt is the
gift of the Nile and mention may be
made of the latest conclusion as to
the source of the Nile Delta. The ob-
servations of recent years have finally de-
monstrated that the rains falling in the
tremendous basin of the White Nile are
of no importance to Egypt. From
25, to August the Nile rises and af-
terwards sinks until once more the
floods come down in the Blue Nile
from Abyssinia. Egypt is simply an
irrigated valley 750 miles long, and
apart from the delta, which is 100
miles long, this valley is nowhere
more than 15 miles wide and in some
spots is less than a mile.

A New Contraption.

They were giving a chase party and
the coachman had come in to help
wait at table. Several guests had suffered
from his lack of experience, and in
serving peas he approached a very
dead old lady and inquired:
"Peas, miss?"
"Peas, miss?"
"Peas, miss?" (Loudly).
The old lady said that she was not
speaking to her, and lifted her ear
tipped to the questioner. The coach-
man, seeing the large and the trumpet
directed toward him, thought:
"It must be a new way of taking 'em,
but I guess she likes 'em that way."
"Doesn't she like 'em?"
"Yes," said the other, "but you
forget that she and her husband are
overweight."

Overweight.

The contractor, of a type unfortu-
nately not so familiar, were talking of
some buildings which had collapsed
before they were finished.
"Well, Hester," said one, "you al-
ways have better luck than I do."
"Better luck? How's that?"
"Why, my row of new houses blew
down. I lost twenty odd, you know,
while yours weren't harmed. All were
blown the same—some woodwork, some
brick, some everything."
"Yes," said the other, "but you
forget that she and her husband are
overweight."

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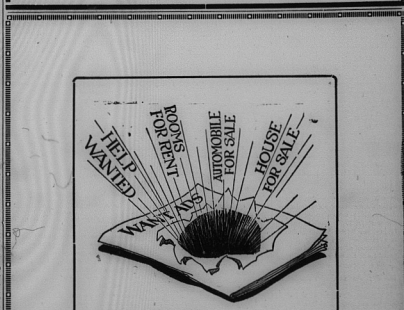
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sacrifices are made—that mean a gain to the fellow who
takes advantage.
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SEEK AND HEARD

Lemon picking is now on in the citrus district in the west end of the valley.

M. G. Clay is confined to his home by illness. His many friends hope to see him about again soon.

George A. Grubb has closed a deal for the purchase of the residence property occupied by him on Owensmouth avenue.

G. W. Hester has purchased a lot in the townsite on East Sherman way and contemplates building a home there in the near future.

D. C. Welch of the Highland Park district in Los Angeles was in Owensmouth Tuesday. Mrs. W. Welch is a brother-in-law of the late David Crocker.

The two lots north of G. W. West's home on Alabama avenue have been sold to Mr. Lambert. We understand he will build a bungalow on one of the lots.

Went Sherman way, from Shop to Breckenridge street, is being oiled and repaved this night. The work is but temporary, as it is expected that this thoroughfare will soon be paved.

Next Sunday, November 11, is mission day and Dr. James A. Owsen, pastor of the White Temple community church, invites the American and foreign born members to worship next Sunday at 11 a. m. Services begin with the singing of hymns.

E. D. Miller of Van Nuys was yesterday installed as manager of the local station of the Southern California Telephone & Telegraph Co. C. W. Cumbers, who has been doing relief duty there since last summer, is to be transferred to E. H. Barber on Oranger. Mr. Miller has been a standard employee for several years and is well business man.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hayward of North Canoga avenue were entertained by sixteen old Kansas friends. After a beautiful dinner served by the women of the church, the party passed with singing and talking over old times and the pioneer days in Kansas. Mr. Hayward is now a resident of that state for six years.

E. C. Goshall of the Owensmouth community was chosen a member of the executive committee of a new department of the public health department of the Southern California farm bureau at Pullman. An executive committee is now being organized in Southern California, and 50 areas having been set out the past two years.

One of the five without permit demonstrations to be held under the joint auspices of the agricultural extension service and the walnut growers' department of the county farm bureau will be held in the San Fernando valley on Thursday, November 15, at the place of Calicut market and D. E. Kibbe, south of the intersection of Woodson street, one block south of East Sherman way.

The city council has authorized the formation of an improvement district under the act of 1913 to build a storm water channel from the mouth of the Pasadena to the Los Angeles river. The city engineer was instructed to prepare the necessary plans and specifications for a contract to be let from Raymer street to the river to go midway between Keener avenue and Saugus avenue. As part of the project, the character of the channel and the nature of the material to be used will be determined after the engineer's report is received.

David J. Krieger, who resided on South Sherman in the West End district Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock while on his way to a Los Angeles hospital, has been in poor health for some time. Mr. Krieger, a native of Kansas, was forty years of age and is survived by his wife and two children. The funeral came to a close at the home of Mrs. C. E. Krieger, 4001 Kansas, about a year ago, and was conducted by the pastor of the Presbyterian Church by the College of Agriculture of Pullman. The "Pruning of Citrus Trees in California" by Farm Adviser Robert W. Hodgson, of Los Angeles county, was recommended by the "Pruning of Citrus Trees in the South" by Dr. S. H. Caryl. Copies of both of these bulletins are free and may be written to the farm adviser's office, at the Southern College of Agriculture, Berkeley, or to the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Russell Sunday, Valley League pastor, San Fernando at Owensmouth.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

(Continued from First Page)

for discussion. To put our machines and curtain in first class condition so to give a bright, even light equal to the best picture houses will cost approximately \$500. This is quite a sum for the student body to assume.

Owensmouth is large enough to support good moving picture programs once a week. The high school has a splendid auditorium and with a modern projection equipment could give as good programs as could be had anywhere.

The high school would be willing to undertake the needed improvements at once assurance could be had as to the support of the public. We therefore interested kindly give expression to your opinion on this question.

An artistic day program of unusual interest is being prepared for next Monday. The exercises will begin at 2 o'clock. The public is invited to attend.

Our people do not as a rule attend our school program to any great extent. But some do and we are glad. We hope our citizens will show their patriotic spirit by attending the exercises next Monday afternoon.

Members of the Y. M. C. A. are being urged to sign up for the pledge for which it stands—one nation, one flag, one God, with liberty and justice for all.

The enrollment in the school is 24 per cent more than it was at this time last year. This is a good indication of the general health of the school. Ordinarily the high school enrollment includes more girls than boys, but in our school the boys have always outnumbered the girls. This year the enrollment is very little, but this last month the balance has turned in favor of the girls.

SEVEN YEARS AGO

Mrs. W. A. Driehl entertained the San Fernando Valley League bank of San Fernando has passed into the hands of the Bank of California, which is a subsidiary and holding corporation for the Bank of Italy. The San Fernando office claims that the population of San Fernando now exceeds 6,000.

C. W. Kimball, employed as an electrician in a battery service station in Van Nuys, was married at Encinitas to Miss Irene H. Hildner, daughter of Mrs. C. S. Stearns of Encinitas.

A total of 127 votes were cast at the special election held last Sunday on the proposition of annexing Los Angeles to the city of Los Angeles.

W. A. Manchester of Lankershim died at a Berkeley hospital after a long and trying illness. He is the member of the Berkeley Y. M. C. A. who was club president.

The new publisher of the Los Angeles Herald-Examiner, H. H. Holden, formerly of Michigan, Miss. assumed the management of the paper last week.

He will be assisted in his publication by his daughter, Margaret. The San Fernando Valley League bank of San Fernando has passed into the hands of the Bank of California, which is a subsidiary and holding corporation for the Bank of Italy.

SPEND MOTOR TAX ON CITY STREETS

As the result of a conference held by the traffic commission of the city and county of Los Angeles and the Los Angeles board of public works with the county board of supervisors, a resolution was passed whereby the county agrees to spend the entire motor vehicle tax for that street in the various cities of the county.

It is estimated that this fund will be in excess of \$500,000 and will be allocated to each of the 35 cities in proportion to the number of cars owned in each city.

This fund will be used for street and highway maintenance.

This is the first time that any street improvements in the corporate limits of any city will be financed from county funds. Heretofore all county funds were used for maintenance and construction of county roads only.

This scheme of co-operation brought about by the Los Angeles traffic commission between the supervisors and the various cities, is gratifying to the protesting public and within the past few months our streets are in good condition.

Among those who attended the conference were Supervisors Bean, Cogwell, Woodley, County Engineer Bligh, County Auditor, County Counsel, City Engineer, Treasurer, and Delory of the Los Angeles board of public works, and Paul G. Hoffman, David Farris, W. Pierce and H. R. Sykes of the traffic commission.

The traffic commission of the city and county of Los Angeles is a non-governmental civic organization composed of representatives of the various business and professional interests working out a plan of relief from the intolerable congestion on all the highways of this country.

It is making a careful study and survey of the traffic problem and is devising solutions and to put them into effect.

Don't forget the invitational dance, Saturday evening, 19th inst., in the new hall in the new Club Bingham at Chatsworth. Best of music and a fine floor.

THE FRENCH-LOAN CHURCH

Services at French and Vassar streets, Van Nuys. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Children's reformation program at 7:45 p. m. Free service every second Sunday at 11 a. m. The new book, "The Mission of the Church," by M. H. Tuttle, pastor, residence 425 Lassale street.

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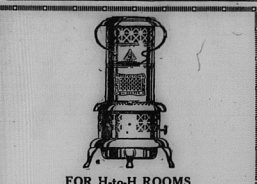
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FOR RENT—Four-room house
double garage, with or without five acres. On Owensmouth avenue, five miles north of Sherman way. W. A. Hall, care Andrew's Hardware, Van Nuys, California. 11p

FOR RENT—Two-room cottage
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