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Constitution Week

A lovely program preceded the talk of Assemblyman Pat McGee at the Chatsworth Center last Monday afternoon in commemoration of our Nation's Freedom. Mr. McGee gave a very clear understanding of the ineffectiveness of the original Bill of Rights as operable by each individual colony; then the making of the Constitution and subsequent Bill of Rights which were submitted to the colonies and ten accepted out of the proposed twelve; and, of course, followed by the amendments up to date. We regret that space does not permit recognizing each step of this well-planned program, but the Santa Susana Chapter of the D. A. R. once again has brought this document to our attention, for which they are to be commended.

Mr. and Mrs. MILTON PARSONS and Sally Ann returned home Sept. 7 from a very successful season at the Windham Summer Theatre in Windham, New Hampshire, where Mr. Parsons served for his fourth year as director. Mrs. Persis Hummel and daughter Karen Sue of Chats. St. also spent the summer with the Parsons, the girls having parts in "The Anniversary Waltz".

Rubbish Dumps

Last Thursday a delegation from the Chamber of Commerce appeared before the Regional Planning Commission armed with resolutions and letters in protest to the proposed dumps up on the Spahn Ranch on Santa Susana Pass.

Much information was gleaned as to the establishment of such a dump, i. e. that the Fire Department requires a 100' path around its circumference as a firebreak; a bulldozer with blade on duty at all times, plus a 2" pipeline with required pressure and reservoir. The Fire Department frowns on any dump in a brush area in addition to overloading the highway, making traffic a hazard. The Flood Control also joins in with its requirements in case of possible flood conditions; that even tree stumps are considered combustible material. All in all, to establish such a dump would cost in the neighborhood of \$20,000 and it is most likely that the Spahn Ranch will retract its application.

The Brandeis Ranch dump application will be heard September 27 and our Chamber will continue to be in protest. It looks like Calabasas will have an authorized dump.

The JOHN PAULYS on Plummer returned late Sunday night from their 10-day campout at Rock Creek, above Bishop.

Mrs. DOROTHY WATTS of 10955 DeSoto participated in the mortgage burning ceremony of the Westchester Woman's Club last Thursday as Past President, having officiated as the first full-term president of that club when it was organized in 1942.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL American Legion Hall, September 26 ---- nickel a dip and ten cents for cake, plus coffee, punch, and entertainment.

"BACIC ACRES SQUARE DANCING" with Wee Willie Brown as caller, September 29, 8:00 p. m. at Orcutt Park, with Bob and

Gail Root supplying "live" music. The theme of the evening is back-to-school, so come dressed in children's clothes, and bring a box lunch. The Henry Berkemeyers are on a month's vacation back east.

DEAN LAMB in the open classification was awarded 2nd prize for her cookies and 3rd prize for her apron at Devonshire Downs.

The HAROLD FAIRBANKS with son Harold returned last week from a 2-weeks jaunt around northern points of interest, Shasta Dam, Sacramento, Tahoe, Yosemite, etc.

ROBERT LAWRENCE, age 61, of 21323 Dupont, passed away September 11 at the San Fernando Veterans Hospital, with interment at Oakwood last Friday. He leaves his wife, who must sell their home and go to the desert for her health.

"Be still, sad heart! and cease repining... Behind the clouds is the sun still shining." -Longfellow

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Next Saturday night the Community Methodist Church will have a

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Friday night at 7:30 Edwin Iverson will present one of his full-color motion pictures at the CHATSWORTH LAKE COMMUNITY CHURCH. Ed's pictures depicting Biblical stories are a fine way to make the accounts as we have learned them come to life on the screen.

"Two men looked through prison bars - - - one saw mud, the other saw stars."

Missionary Society

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gingerich of Northridge opened their home last Saturday evening for an evening of fellowship with various members and friends of the FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, in the form of a "Missionary Fellowship". During the enjoyable evening the following ladies of the church were elected to office in the Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church of Chatsworth: President, Mrs. Mabel Gingerich; Vice-President, Mrs. Leota Clark; Secretary-Treas., Mrs. Juil Milner; White Cross, Mrs. Dale Rosene; Girls Guild Counsellor, Mrs. Margie Hughes; Literature and Reading, Mrs. Dorothy Draper. Leota Clark will also act as Love Gift Chairman, and Key Women are Mrs. Gingerich and Mrs. Hughes.

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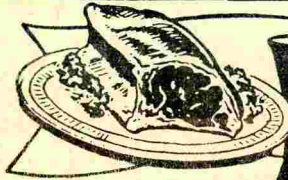
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The girls were taken on their trip by their guardian, Mrs. Ella Hills, Mrs. Marian Wyre, and Mrs. Betty Brewster, and in spite of some weather troubles, fun was had by all. The girls who went on the trip were: Jean Bergen, Lettie Bernhard, Willajean Woodman, Sharon Bryant, Diane Brewster, Peggy Huggins, Judy Hills, Penny Malcolm, Sylvia Wyre, Virginia Cruse, Linda Wassmouth, Diane Cowle, Margery Hills, and Candice Wyre.

--Penny Malcolm, Scribe

BILL SCHEPLER of 22430 Lassen also came out winnah at the Devonshire Fair: five 2nds and one 3rd on his 7 entries of geese; two 2nds on his jams; 1st and 2nd on his roses; 1st on limes. A splendid record. How about the rest of you men donning your wife's aprons and seeing what you can concoct on your own!!

The AL FRAZIERS with their two children and grandma Minnie Corder spent an enjoyable 3 days at Mission Valley Inn in San Diego in August.

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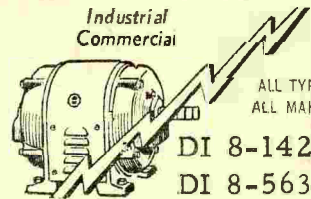
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FLASH -- Just got word that Mrs. Wilbur Queen (Cookie) is taking over our little Hamburg stand as of Monday the 17th.

Mrs. CELIA WOODMAN of 20920 Nordhoff has been assigned to full-time duty as school nurse at Sequoia Junior High in Reseda.

The NAT HUGHES family of Lassen Street spent a week seeing all points of interest up around Carson City, Reno, etc.

In commemoration of the 34th wedding anniversary of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Hayward, members of the WSCS (Chats. Methodist Church) presented them with a planter for their home on the last evening of their three evenings of being host and hostess to the entire church membership.

The TOGNAZZINIS of Devonshire had dinner with Frank and Dorise Parkes in their new home in Panorama City; and for your Christmas list, here is their address: 8645 Ranchito.

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WAYNE COOK had a birthday party for his shetland pony on Saturday afternoon, the occasion being the pony's fourth birthday! Neighbors brought gifts of carrots, sugar, and celery. Wayne and sister Gayle gave him a salt block.

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