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HAWAIIAN LUAU

The Hawaiian Luau, summer party of the Chatsworth Woman's Club held Saturday night at the club rooms, was an outstanding success. The hall was beautifully decorated in the Hawaiian theme, and the food was declared just wonderful by all.

A surprise feature of the evening was a Hawaiian dance given by a group of the club members that was exceptionally well done, and revealed a new talent among these members.

The president, Mrs. Arthur Young, was deeply gratified by the success of the evening and by the splendid cooperation of all the committees and club members.

The second summer meeting of the club was held the Tuesday preceding the luau, with Mrs. William McGinnis and her committee serving a turkey salad luncheon.

Members voted to have another Escort's Night in February and a Federation and Reciprocity Day in March.

Mrs. Robert Randall, chairman for the fund drive for the new wing of the Northridge Hospital, asked for volunteers to assist in the drive.

The last summer luncheon meeting will be on September 10, and on September 13 the club will assist with refreshments for the Birmingham USO.

JUNIOR LEAGUE

The first season for our Chatsworth Junior League is drawing to a close, and Thursday night, August 29 will feature a final get-together of all the teams and managers. All suits are to be turned in for distribution next year. Some of the boys will be too old to play next year, others will outgrow their present suit, and some may move away. Because the suits are expensive to buy, this method of keeping track of them has been decided upon -- but the boys may keep their caps as a memento of this important phase of their young lives.

The meeting on August 29 will be held at Chatsworth Hall (the old Legion building) at 7:30, when awards will be made to the winning team and players. Each of the players on every team will also receive an award.

The meeting is open to parents and interested friends who wish to attend.

SUMMER PICNIC

The second annual summer picnic of the Rotary Club of Chatsworth was held Sunday in the grove of Cliff Parchman's residence. The Rotary Anns joined in this day of fun and fellowship, and Rotary Ann Thelma Dempsey, wife of Rotary President Bill Dempsey, and Rotary Ann
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Final meeting of the 1956-57 year of the Northridge-Chatsworth 4-H CLUB was held at Chatsworth Center on Friday, August 2, for the installation of the new officers. Mrs. Robert Maybin, the outgoing leader, installed the following officers in an impressive candle-light ceremony: President, Pinky Garman, who replaced Bill Downes; vice-president, Karen Fortune, who replaced Craig Avey; secretary, Pay Maybin, who replaced Pinky Garman; treasurer, Judy Watson, who replaced Bill Keppler; Bill Downes, who replaced Gary Avey; song leader, Laurie Jo Bowman, who replaced Pat Maybin; hostess, Chris Barber, who replaced Judy Watson. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Porter were chosen as the new leaders to relieve Mr. and Mrs. Robert Maybin. A film built around 4-H activities in the club with Pinky Garman as the star was shown, and caused much pleasure and delight as the members recognized themselves and their friends.

4-H work has caused the Clarence Avey family to try this way of life on a large scale, and they have purchased a 1,250-acre ranch at Groveland, California, just west of Yosemite Valley, where they plan to raise cattle for market. Gary was a charter member of the Club and his brother, Craig, is a 6-year member. Mr. and Mrs. Avey were Community Leaders of the Club in 1954-55. Their work at the Fair and San Fernando Valley 4-H Field Day will be especially missed by all the Valley Clubs. A cowboy and steer weather vane was presented to the family by the Club as a remembrance, with the hope that whenever it points south they will remember the Northridge-Chatsworth 4-H Club, the presentation being made on August 4 at the swim and picnic party in their honor.

TOM WALKER, who graduated from Canoga High in June, has joined the Guided Missiles Corps, and is receiving his basic training at Fort Ord.

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Susie Parchman, were in charge of the menu which included turkey, ham, and the favorite of all picnics, weiners. There were different varieties of salads and hot dishes and beverages. Everyone had a wonderful time!

Mr. and Mrs. DON PAUL entertained the members of the Cards Baseball Team with their managers and families for a swim and spaghetti feed at their home last Saturday after the game. Mike is a member of the team.

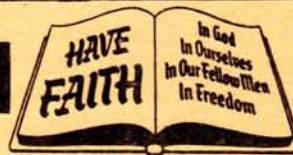
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Mr. and Mrs. RICHARD WILLIAMS of Hillview are enjoying a visit from Mrs. Williams' sister, Mrs. Lenore Mahan of Porterville.

The Tuesday game between the STARS and the BRAVES to determine the winner of the second round of the Junior Baseball League was the best attended and most enthusiastically supported of any of the games, and the game itself was a close one with a final score of 3-2 in favor of the STARS.

The first play-off for the championship with the Cards, winners of the first round, took place Saturday afternoon, and another good crowd was there in spite of the heat, and another good game rewarded the spectators. The Stars won, 10-7. Rusty Ewalt pitched for the Stars and Mike Colvin was catcher. Randy Cluse was pitcher for the Cards, and Wayne Cook was catcher. Much improvement has been seen in the playing of all the boys, many of whom had to learn the game from scratch. The second play-off will be played Tuesday, and if the Cards win the final play-off will be Aug. 24. If they lose, the Stars will be the champion team.

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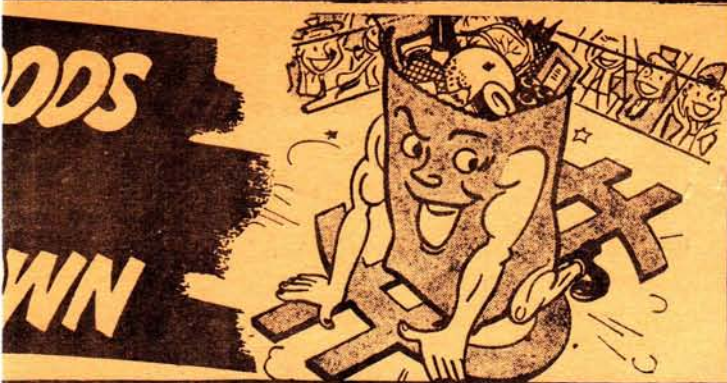
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The BUCK WASHBURNS of Chatsworth Lake enjoyed a 3100-mile trip to Bryce Canyon Park, Salt Lake City, Yellowstone to Idaho, and Reno. They spent one week fishing on Tioga Pass, Rock Creek, and Independence, and they tell us they did catch some fish!

LYNN, EDWARD, and HATTIE BURGETT had their vacation recently too, travelling to Red's Meadows in the High Sierra, camping and fishing on the San Joaquin River.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Robert TAYLOR, new parents of tiny Tressie Marie, born Aug. 6 at the Hollywood Presbyterian Hospital. Tressie weighed 5 lbs. 2 oz. at birth, and at this writing after a series of ups and downs in weight she tips the scale at 4 lb. 9½ oz. She is still at the hospital, although not in an incubator. She is also the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Bythal Clark, who live at the same Mason street address as the Taylor's.

RICHARD DAVIS, who is stationed at Alameda for 6 months training with the U. S. Coast Guard Reserve, was home last weekend on a short leave. On Saturday evening his mother, Mrs. Helen Davis, entertained with a dinner for sixteen of his friends at their ranch. Richard will return in Sept. for another short leave before going to sea for five weeks.



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