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## WEDDING BELLS.

A beautiful garden wedding Saturday evening united Carol Riley of 10422 Variel Avenue, and J. V. Gaddy of the nearby Nike Base, in holy matrimony.

Dr. Harold Hayward of the First Methodist Church officiated at the ceremony which was attended by family and close friends, and was performed at the home of the bride's parents beneath an ivy-covered arch decorated with a white wedding bell and silver cross.

Carol's gown was of baby blue embroidered taffeta, ballerina-length and princess style, with matching blue tulle fingertip veil and pearl tiara. She wore a white gladiola corsage with white ribbon. Charleen Janess as Maid of Honor wore yellow cotton print with yellow gladiola corsage. Margaret Riley also wore cotton print and her corsage was of white roses.

Jim Roesch assisted the groom as Best Man, and Don Riley as usher.

The bride attended our local school, Sutter Jr. High, and will graduate June 19 from Canoga High. She recently was graduated from the Mariner Girl Scouts after six years in scouting. Her new husband presently is in the U. S. Army, stationed at the Nike Base.

The young couple hope to make a trip this summer or as soon as possible to visit the groom's parents.

## Vote for Queen

Have you been voting for the Chatsworth Fiesta Queen as you make your purchases about town?? Be sure and ASK for tickets when you make a purchase! Next week we should have a complete list of merchants sponsoring the Fiesta and it will be printed then. Let's encourage everyone to get behind this annual event that young and old are learning to look forward to -- our **THIRD ANNUAL FIESTA!**

## *New Officers*

Mrs. Guy Clark will be the installing officer for the installation of the new officers of the Chatsworth Woman's Club on Tuesday, June 10, at the club rooms. The installation will follow a 12:30 luncheon.

Officers to be installed are Mdms. Glenn A. Beyer, president; William McGinnis, first vice pres.; Scott Bradley and assistant, Joseph Jurnecka, second vice pres.; Thomas Davidson and assistant, Ray L. Johnson Jr., third vice pres.; John Thornton, recording secretary; H. C. Jensen, corresponding secretary; Robert Crouch, financial secretary; C. C. Carter, treasurer; Arthur Young, Annabelle Baker, and Percy Keith, directors; and J. Dean Park, Bruce Garoutte, and Kate Sheridan, building management committee.

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DON'T FORGET the Zoning and Planning meeting of the Chatsworth Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday, June 10, 8:00 p.m. This is an open meeting to discuss the proposed Chatsworth zoning plan. Mr. Staves of the City Planning Department will be there to make note of all individual suggestions or complaints, and all residents who are at all interested should study the maps now on display at our Security Bank branch, and be in attendance at this important meeting.

THANKS to the many public-spirited citizens of Chatsworth, particularly members of the Methodist Church, the RABIES CLINIC (jointly sponsored by the Chatsworth Chamber of Commerce and the 20-30 Club of Canoga Park) was a huge success. About 1,000 dogs were vaccinated at this location alone.

The Public Health had overall supervision, the Southern California Veterinary Medical Association furnished the vaccine on a cost basis, veterinarians donated their time, and clerical work was furnished by the two organizations sponsoring the clinic. It took about 30 clerks and three nurses to keep the lines moving and the veterinarians busy innoculating. Thanks again for a job well done, from T. A. Newland D.V.M., Chairman of the Rabies Committee.

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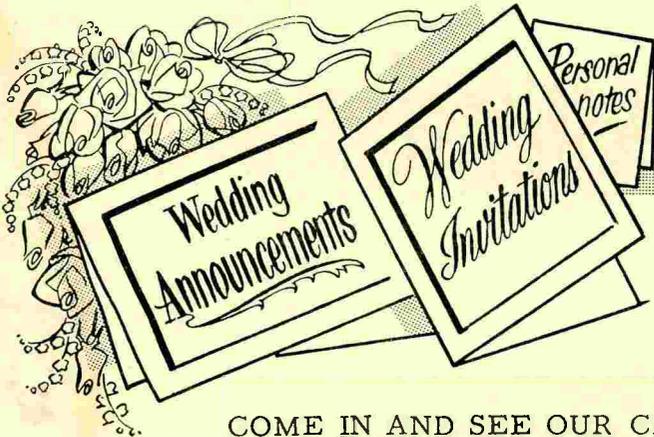
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AN OPEN LETTER TO THE PEOPLE OF CHATSWORTH from Dr. Newland, Chairman of the Membership Committee of the Chatsworth Chamber of Commerce: "Chatsworth is a growing community. This area will develop rapidly in the near future because it is the last bastion in the San Fernando Valley where there is any room for expansion. We would all like to see this take place in an orderly manner, but to do so requires planning. To have planning requires hard working committees who are interested in the various phases of development. Your Chamber of Commerce has many committees who want to do this job and do it right BUT they need help. There are some

twenty committees actively engaged in civic improvement. This is an invitation for each of you to join the Chamber, find a committee in which you are interested, and volunteer to work on that committee. None of us are so busy that we cannot find time for just one more activity, one which will benefit our community. The Chambers' general meetings are the 2nd Tuesday evening of each month and everyone is always invited. Come join and work on a committee of your choice!"

BARBARA TOWNSEND of Chatsworth Lake is grieving over the loss of her pet horse, which fell over a cliff it was staked near, and choked to death.



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# WEST VALLEY LETTERS

(PUBLISHERS OF "THE CHATSWORTH GRAPEVINE")

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Sunday, June 8, will be a big day at LAURELWOOD ACRES when the San Fernando Valley Goat Society will hold a Buck Show, beginning at 10:00 a.m. It will be an all-day affair and those who attend are asked to bring their own lunch. Coffee and soft drinks will be served by the club. The originator of the Buck Show, Jack Coplin, will be the judge. There will be many interesting prizes awarded. Anyone having a small kid to an old buck may enter it in the show. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend. If you wish further information please call Vernon Hill, show chairman, DI 0-5030.

The twenty-seventh annual MAY TEA of the Woman's Society of the First Methodist Church, was held Tuesday at White Oak Hall. The program chairman, Mrs. Larry Wells, presided, and greetings were brought by the president, Mrs. Fred Palmer. Past presidents were presented by Mrs. R. L. Johnson, and the following were present to receive their corsages: Mrs. Frank Lintner of Van Nuys, and Mdms. Durk Haskell, Gordon Watts, Frances Mahieu, and Ray Cook, all of Chatsworth.

Mrs. Robert Rohrs and Mrs. R. W. Sagert sang a duet, "Whispering Hope", accompanied by Mrs. Helen Cottingham, and the Esther Circle presented the playlet, "The Perfect Circle". Greetings were brought by Mrs. Dawson of the Chatsworth Lake Church and Mrs. Roxy Bennet of the Foursquare Church.



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POSTMASTER JENNINGS tells us that the new post office building which will be between the Standard Station and the Chatsworth Center Building, should be open before Christmas this year! It will be modern in every detail, concrete block with aluminum and glass doors, and architectural sun louvres on the front exterior. It will have a double lobby design with separate box and finance sections, and the large 10' x 60' loading dock will handle the new equipment.

The ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS of the First Baptist Church, about 65 in attendance, enjoyed a day of swimming, badminton, volleyball, croquet, ping-pong, delicious barbecued food, games, and hilarious skits last Saturday at the lovely home of the Berle Holts on Andora. Beginning at 2:00 in the afternoon, the party ended with a devotional by the pastor, Chas. Hughes, at 10:00 p.m. Reports are that the group had an exceptionally good time and are planning more such fun in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. ARTHUR YOUNG enjoyed a recent vacation at Three Rivers where they had a pleasant time seeing the sights in that area and visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bert de Lespinasse and Jack Garrity, who operate the restaurant and motel at Three Rivers.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. BURDICK and family moved this past weekend to Van Nuys, after nearly ten years residence in Twin Lakes. Their many friends here regret seeing them leave but are glad they are still Valley residents.

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 FIRST: Mike Lauritzen and Mike Dickson, double sack race.

FIRST: Ann Lauritzen, 40-yard dash.

FIRST: Virginia Ruff, 40-yard walk.

SECOND: Mike and Ann Lauritzen, wheelbarrow race.

SECOND: Mike and Ann Lauritzen, surprise event.

SECOND: Virginia Ruff, 25-yard dash.

THIRD: Ann Lauritzen and Paul Stapp, water balloon toss.

FOURTH: Ann Lauritzen, innertube push.

FOURTH: Mike Lauritzen, backward run.

FOURTH: Tana Lauritzen, girls' sack race.

The boys of the church also came in SECOND as a team in the tug-of-war.

Very good, considering the outstanding athletes on the other teams!

Mr. and Mrs. DON FERRELL and four children enjoyed the holiday weekend camping out in the Santa Barbara area, giving their new motor boat a good initiation. The Wednesday night before the trip, the sixth birthday anniversary of their daughter Nancy was celebrated with a family dinner.

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Mr. LUPE PEREA, 60, passed away at 6:40 a.m. Wednesday, May 28, at the home of his daughter Mrs. Lorena Prichard of Nordhoff Street. He had suffered from heart trouble for the past 12 years, and was taken with a heart attack. Mr. Perea was a resident of Chatsworth Lake Manor for 17 years and was a native of Calif. He leaves his wife, Leota; one daughter, Lorena Prichard; four sons, Frank, Ralph, Earl, and Robert; and 10 grandchildren. Rosary was held Sunday June 1, at 7:00 p.m. at the Noble Chapel in San Fernando, and Mass was celebrated at Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church in Canoga Park at 9:00 a.m. Monday. Interment was at the Mission Cemetery in San Fernando following Mass.

CAROLYN ANDERSON, daughter of the Lee Lowerys, will graduate from the University of California at Berkeley on June 13. She plans to teach the third grade at Camp Pendleton in Fallbrook next year. She has been invited, and accepted, to join the Omega Chapter of the Pi Lambda Theta National Women's Educational Honor Society, which is an honorary society for exceptional students.

# Churches

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10025 DeSoto Ave. Rev. Chas. T. Hughes  
DI 8-6552/DI 4-8287 Pastor

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DI 8-1231/EM 3-1326 Pastor

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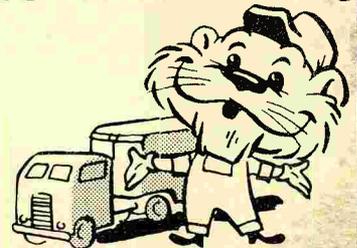
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Attorney and Mrs. RAY L. JOHNSON, JR., and son Kurt returned Thursday from a two-week combined business and pleasure trip to Washington, D.C., where Mr. Johnson conducted a case in the Supreme Court. They made the trip both ways by plane.

Besides hearing the case in the Supreme Court, they visited Congress when Senator Knowland was on the floor. They also made a tour of New York and the New England States, and visited the places where they lived during the three years Mr. Johnson attended Harvard Law School. They made a cruise of Manhattan Island, and had the unusual experience of seeing five great ocean liners, three American, one Swedish, and one Italian, enter the harbor almost simultaneously and deposit their five thousand passengers on shore.

They visited Dr. and Mrs. Tom Hendrix and family in Baltimore, where Dr. Hendrix is professor of Medicine at John Hopkins. Mrs. Hendrix is a cousin of Mrs. Johnson and Dr. Hendrix grew up in the valley here as a resident of Tarzana.

Mrs. SCOTT BRADLEY entertained with a dessert stork shower Monday, May 26 at her home, honoring Mrs. Grant Beckfield (SHIRLEY McELVAIN). Clever and appropriate favors graced the tables.

Following the dessert, the guests had fun trying to guess the baby pictures of the ladies present, and the opening of the many lovely gifts by the guest of honor was a time of pleasure for all.

Guests present were Mdms. Arthur Young, Helen Davis, Perry Mulholland, Percy Keith, Helen Mellini, John Dotta, Robert Randall, Bruce Garoutte, Connie Kaselou, Romeo Tognazzini, Don Pittman, R. L. Johnson, Homer Wintz, David Fulwider, and Russel McElvain.

Forgiveness: The perfume which the trampled flower gives out to bless the foot that crushes it.