

SAVE FOR A PURPOSE

Make the Post Office Your Bank

"It does not need argument," said Postmaster Alfred Gourdier, "to convince any sensible person that saving is a good thing for the individual, for the community and for the nation. Saving does not mean that you shall forego the comforts of life or even the luxuries. But do not make the mistake by thinking the trifling things you do not really need or want are either comforts or luxuries. Do not spend your money for little inconsequential things. Save it for something worth while. You cannot save money by carrying it around in your pocket—hoarded money is inexcusable. Idle capital is the thief of income. Money slips away unless it is placed in a safe place. The best place is in a secure investment—an interest-bearing investment, where your money works for you. When the time comes you can get something worth while—the home, the automobile, the vacation trip, or anything else that will bring joy into the lives of yourself and family. If you have only a small sum to save, invest it in postal savings. You can open a banking account with your government with ten cents. That will buy a ten cent savings stamp and ten stamps can be exchanged for a \$1 interest-bearing postal savings certificate. Postal savings have proved to be very popular with the people, many buying the limit, which is \$2500. "The government is also offering a very attractive investment in the form of treasury savings certificates. For \$20 you can buy one of the lowest denomination, and in five years the government will redeem it for \$25, your \$20 earning \$5. If you have \$890 to invest it will earn \$20, and for your \$800 investment you will get \$200 interest. All the time this money which is working for you will be safe and secure. You can get your principle at any time in case of an emergency, with interest at 3 1/2 per cent while it has been in the keeping of the government. What is more, these certificates are registered in the Treasury Department, and you are safe from loss or theft. They are exempt from the normal Federal income tax and from estate and local taxation (except estate and inheritance taxes). They pay 4 1/2 per cent interest compounded semi-annually if held until maturity; that means 25

TORRANCE NEWS

Mrs. J. Welte, of Brethern street, is suffering with lumbago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Garton, of Gramercy avenue, have moved to Los Angeles.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Myrick, of Llewellyn street, a son, on Tuesday, June 6.

Mrs. Mary E. Perkins, of Gramercy avenue, was a guest Sunday of relatives in Los Angeles.

Mrs. J. Pedersen, of Cota avenue, has gone to Placencia to care for her daughter who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Soddy, were guests of friends in Long Beach Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wayne recently of New York City, are located in Kern Court.

Mrs. H. Gaulick, of Gramercy avenue, attended the funeral of her sister in Pomona Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Houghton, of East Acacia, have moved upon the Palos Verdes Hills, where Mr. Houghton is a fire warden.

Mrs. Forrest Young, and Forrest, Junior, has returned from a five weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. Sexton, of Anaheim.

Mrs. Charles Stock, of Vista Highlands, has gone to Newark, Calif., near Oakland to care for her sister who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Young and son, John Jr., left Friday for Yosemite National Park, to camp for an indefinite time. The trip is being made for Mrs. Young's health.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Tonkin, Mrs. E. L. Tonkin, Jack Tonkin, of Beacon street, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kemp and Mrs. Engle in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Clark, of Andrea avenue, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Thompson of Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, attended the evening session Wednesday of the Rotary Club in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Gorum, of Cota avenue, have gone east to visit Mrs. Gorum's parents in Nebraska. They will also spend some time with relatives in Kansas, and on their return trip will stop at the Yellowstone National Park.

Herbert Black, contractor, is building a home on Amapola street for Mr. and Mrs. Chambers, which will soon be ready for occupancy. The plasterers are finishing this week. He also has the contract for a stucco house to be erected on South Arlington for Mr. and Mrs. Martin Russel of Kern Court.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Van Buren and little daughter, recently from San Francisco, and Mrs. Van Buren's mother and brother, Mrs. E. Wood and son, James, of Los Angeles, were entertained Sunday by Mr. Van Buren's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Van Buren, of Cota avenue.

C. A. Benzel of 1908 Andero avenue, has purchased the home of Clem W. Lyons on Redondo Boulevard and Andero avenue. He expects to occupy it in two weeks, when his present home will be occupied by Samuel Webb and family.

WEST VIRGINIA PICNIC

All who ever lived in the "Little Mountain State" are invited to the annual picnic Saturday, June 17, 1922, in Sycamore Grove Park, Los Angeles. Bring your basket well filled. Coffee will be served free to all who buy the souvenir badges.

Torrance Fiesta, August 15-19

OWN YOUR OWN HOME

All over the country home building activity is very pronounced. This is about the best sign there is. Various forms of community houses are doubtless a necessity and are being provided, but the independent family home is the ideal. Homes are built not for profit, but for comfort. Should you ever wish to sell you may make or lose money. It depends largely on the size of the lot. The land is fairly sure to appreciate in value. Depreciation of the house is inevitable. But it does not greatly matter. We do not wish to commercialize our homes. They promote comfort. They create self respect. They stabilize character, says the San Francisco Chronicle.

Especially is it desirable that manual workers own their homes. The personal results and social effects are the same as to others. There is the added advantage that when work is scarce they are invariably preferred by employers, because the possession of a home is evidence of character and probably permanence, and employers do hate continual turnover of workers.

Every western state should encourage the home building movement as it means development of our great payroll industries such as lumbering, mining and transportation.

HUSBANDS ARE NOT "MINIMUM WAGES."

Working girls who demand money possibly only by increased compensation over present wages need husbands, not jobs. This is the attitude of Kansas employers expressed before Industrial Court in Topeka, Kansas.

The establishment of a minimum wage is a question which can never be satisfactorily settled. The tastes of individuals make it impossible to establish by law a figure satisfactory to all.

No minimum wage that could be adopted would ever be high enough to meet "necessary standards of living." Demand for luxuries is always one jump ahead of the wages received by too many employees who depend on a minimum wage law rather than ability as a basis for establishing their compensation.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

DOCTUH SAY FOLKS OUGHTER HAB A SLEEPIN'-POACH, BUT AH IS GOT ONE-- LEAS'-WAYS, HITS A SLEEPIN'-POACH FUH ME WEN DE OLE 'OMAN RUN ME OUT O' DOAHS AT NIGHT!



California Water And Power Act

Elsewhere in this issue the full text of the California Water and Power Act that will come up at the next election for your approval or disapproval is published for your information. The act provides for bonding the State for five hundred millions which is to be used in developing and conserving the State's water and develop the vast resources of sections heretofore arid and depopulated.

Fat profiteers who are raking in big gains, are convinced that the present economic system does not need many changes.

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P. E. REDUCES FARES

Announcement of a sweeping reduction in week-end excursion fares to beach resorts from the 41 principal interior points on its lines where agencies are maintained, exclusive of Los Angeles, was made today by the Pacific Electric Railway through O. A. Smith, Passenger Traffic Manager.

The new excursion fares are the lowest ever published and are to be effective Saturdays and Sundays, with return limit the Monday following date of sale. The new round trip rates will be effective from June 17 and continue until Sept. 17, inclusive. The reductions average slightly more than 33% and are effective to all beach resorts served by the Pacific Electric.

AUTO CROSSING ACCIDENTS

An intensive effort to bring about a substantial reduction in automobile crossing accidents through a nation-wide campaign, waged by all steam and electric lines in the United States has just begun under the direction of the American Railroad Association. The Pacific Electric railway, in announcing the campaign locally, has taken active steps to participate in the "Careful Crossing Campaign."

The movement primarily is an intensive effort to bring about a substantial decrease in the number of automobile accidents at railway crossings through a direct appeal to the great mass of citizens who make use of the highways and fail to realize fully the danger of accidents lurking at railway crossings.

On the other hand, the railroads have proceeded to put their "own house in order" as regards conditions of crossings, signs, speed restrictions, whistle signals and other crossing accident preventatives.

"This campaign will actually be waged from June 1, to Sept. 30, 1922, and during this period, at every crossing, at every station, in every village, town and city in the country, autoists will continually have their attention called to the necessity of careful driving at crossings," said D. W. Pontius, vice-president and general manager of the Pacific Electric Railway in discussing the movement. "Speaking for the Pacific Electric, we will take an active part in this campaign and enter it with the sincere belief that great and lasting good will reward our efforts."

GOING AWAY

THIS SUMMER?

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