

SPRINGMAN ROBS CALPACO OF HARD GAME

Last Saturday Torrance enjoyed one of the hardest fought ball games played on the local diamond. Springman was not over until the bitter end of the last inning when Sid Springman's brilliant catch of what seemed a sure Texas leaguer, crushed the Calpaco hopes to earth and led them from first place in the industrial league.

It was a grand ending and the record breaking crowd arose as one person in a mighty cheer. It came about like this:

Sweet whiffed the first man up in the ninth; Sam Leake crashed a nice two bagger to left field and Davidson, batting for Hevle, was issued a free pass. That made two

Covey of Eight Bathtubs Flies Over Washington

WASHINGTON, July 14.—A flock of eight bathtubs flew over the White house last week.

The tubs, eight of them, had been used by President Harding and his party at the marine maneuvers at Gettysburg and was being transmitted by airplane back to the marine camp at Quantico, Va.

Seventy years ago there was not a bath tub in the white house at Washington.

This is interesting news—from a plumber's point of view.

Doris May Is Star In "Gay and Devilish"

"Gay and Devilish", Doris May's most recent R-C farce-comedy moves at a rattling pace and contains an ample amount of laughs, chuckles, and several additional snickers thrown in for good measure. full of the spirit of unrestrained youth and the wholesomeness of the big out-doors. "Gay and Devilish" will be shown for the first time at the Torrance theatre on Sunday and Monday, July 23 and 24.

Briefly the story is as follows: Martin Nethercote finds himself in financial difficulties. In a landslide in Wall street he lost a lot of money most of it belonging to his young ward, Fanchon Brown, played by Doris May. Moreover, his business rival, Peter Armitage, is out to "get him." There is one way out. It is Fanchon. This gives the reader an idea of what is to follow. The other details of the story are best withheld. The plots unfolds a rollicking succession of adventures that come to a surprising and happy conclusion. Miss May dominates the action in her own inimitable and capricious manner. Her talent in the field of farce-comedy is becoming increasingly apparent with each new production of which she is the star.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY IN BIG DEAL

To Erect New Refinery Between Here and San Pedro

The Standard Oil Company's \$50,000,000.00 refinery plant at El Segundo may be moved to the McDonald Ranch, between Lomita and San Pedro, it was learned Monday. Announcement of the possible transfer was made by Standard officials, it is stated, following negotiations for the purchase of several hundred acres of the McDonald Rancho, just west of Wilmington.

Contradictory reports received from unofficial sources declare that the Standard Company contemplates the erection of a huge tank farm for storing crude oil on the newly-acquired land.

That the Standard Oil Company has been considering removal of the El Segundo plant for some time due to heavy evaporation and leakage of gasoline was learned from authoritative sources at Wilmington last night. Crude oil is at present piped to the El Segundo refinery from Signal Hill, Santa Fe Springs, Huntington Beach and other nearby fields.

Coincident with the announcement of the Standard company's plans, it was learned that the Union Oil company proposes to enlarge its refinery on the Wilmington-San Pedro boulevard. Additional storage tanks and refinery units will be installed, it is stated.—L.B. Telegram.



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SILENT YEARS

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CENTRAL CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
Morning worship and sermon 10:45.
The pastor will speak on the subject, "What Is Man?"
The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be celebrated. All Christians are invited to participate.
The evening service will begin with a song service at 7:30.
There will be good special music at each service.
Do you need the help and inspiration of any or all of these meetings? If you do, we bid you welcome.

The exchange of pulpits between Rev. Clarke of Lomita, and Rev. Zeller of Central Church, last Sunday evening had to be recalled owing to unavoidable circumstances. It is hoped to arrange for an exchange in the near future.
FRANCIS A. ZELLER.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

G. A. Riegler, Minister.
Bible School 9:45 a. m.
D. C. Turner, superintendent.
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.
Pastor's theme, "This is a Church."
Good music.
Epworth League, 6:45 p. m.
John Richhart, president.
7:30 P. M. Evensong. Good music.
"A Parable and its Application to Life," will be the sermon topic.
8:30 P.M. Interchange of greetings.
The pastor will preach at both services.
Wednesday evening, 7:45 prayer meeting. Friday evening 8:00, choir rehearsal.
Tuesday afternoon, Ladies' Aid Society meets with Mrs. Bishop at 1735 Andreo street.

CATHOLIC SERVICES

Catholic services will be held every Sunday morning at 9:00 o'clock at the Torrance Catholic hall, on North Cota.

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CHRISTS EPISCOPAL MISSION

Torrance Auditorium, 9:00 a. m.
Rev. Thos. P. Swift, Rector.
Morning Prayer and Sermon.
Sermon Topic, "Prayer."
Come and help us give Torrance an Episcopal church. All welcome.

After you have read this paper—pass it along.

Torrance Fiesta, August 15-19.

Automobile, Is Gift To Humanity, Says G. Peckham

"Time and labor savers, convenience and comfort creators, have helped to make America the world's greatest nation. Nowadays a man doesn't have the whole day so as to whether he will adopt a time and labor saver in his work—he is forced to do so in order to meet competition. Progress sets the pace, and those who refuse to be converted suffer the penalty of seeing the ground cut from under their feet," says George Peckham, of Schultz, Peckham and Schultz, local Ford and Lincoln dealers.

"Chief among the time savors of the day," continued Mr. Peckham, "is the automobile. It has transformed old two and three hour journeys into one of a few minutes. Communities that were formerly a day apart from each other are now practically at each other's outskirts—a mere hour's jump; and the average farmer comes to town oftener each week than he used to come in a whole year. City folks have built their dwellings out in the suburbs, away from the city's smoke and turmoil—out where there's sunshine, flowers, birds, fresh air and where each day is like a vacation.

"The automobile by reducing distances, has made groups of communities more like one big, happy family. It has developed a get-together spirit among the people. It has made the world two or three times bigger for the average person—made his circle of friends larger—contributed to his education and culture by bringing him in more frequent contact with the other fellow—and has put a spark of progressiveness in his entire attitude.

"Beyond that the automobile has solved problems of transportation and traffic which it would otherwise have taken the municipalities and rural districts of the nation fifty years to overcome. The future of America, as well as of the rest of the world, is, without doubt, contemporaneous with the growth of the automobile industry."

Money Coming In Rapidly

That the thirty-five millions of dollars is nearly all subscribed for the Palos Verdes Estates project, was the information given out Wednesday about town. Subscriptions are coming in in large amounts and it is thought that the hills will be literally alive with humanity before many weeks going ahead with development work.

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