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LOMITA NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Goeckel of North Narbonne are spending the week with the former's mother at Hollywood and the latter's sisters in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Brown and daughter, Maxine, of Whittier, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Trunnell of Oak street Sunday.

Mr. Jack Walker of Palm street is recuperating rapidly after his very severe illness of erysipelas.

Mrs. W. C. Bauman, Mrs. William Lingg and the latter's brother-in-law, Mr. John Lingg, of Westwood, Cal., motored to Escondido Wednesday, where Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lingg own a ranch.

Mr. Verne Whistler of East Pine street is confined to his home with mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stinton will dine Saturday evening with Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Gumm of Los Angeles.

Mrs. D. A. Lane of Moneta, lunched with Mrs. A. J. Stinton Monday.

Mr. O. S. Anderson arrived this week from Cooley, Ariz., and will stop for a time with the O. E. Erikson family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike McCabe were Sunday visitors of the latter's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hurts, of Huntington Park.

Mrs. A. J. Stinton attended the luncheon given by the Alumni of the College of Music, U. S. C., at the Palais, Los Angeles, Wednesday.

Mrs. Arthur Miller of Palm street entertained her mother from Los Angeles over the week-end.

Word has been received from the C. L. Jones family that they have had a fine vacation in the Yosemite, and at the time of writing were leaving by auto for Sacramento.

Mrs. J. L. Luck and Mrs. Frank Jordan spent Friday with Mrs. Joseph Flint of Los Angeles.

Mrs. C. E. Wells and son "Billie," Mrs. R. W. Eddy and Mrs. O. E. Erikson formed a swimming party to Redondo Tuesday.

Miss Laura Thomas and Miss Irene Mills were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ross Saturday evening.

Mrs. E. Geppert of 257th street has moved to Ludlow, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Groves and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dickerson took a ride Sunday to Venice and several of the West Coast beaches, returning through Topanga Canyon and Los Angeles.

Miss Irene Mills and Mrs. Thos. Willson motored to Anaheim Monday and brought back the former's mother to stay a couple of weeks in Lomita.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hanagan of Superior, Wisconsin, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Holms of Redondo Boulevard. They expect to locate here.

Mr. and Mrs. Moat of Miller street have leased their property to a party from Los Angeles, and expect to leave with their family in two weeks for Oregon.

Mrs. Anna Brown of 257th street entertained at Sunday dinner Mr. and Mrs. J. Tucker and daughters, Pearl and Carrie, of Gardena.

Mrs. A. F. Welton of South Cypress street will entertain the officers of the P. T. A. at a luncheon June 29, when plans for the work for the coming year will be discussed. Those included are Mrs. Gordon Groves, Mrs. S. J. Irwin, Mrs. M. P. Richey, Mrs. L. E. Collins and Mrs. Charles Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Marsh and children, Lenore, Faye and Clifford, and Ruth Tarbort spent Sunday at Rocky Point, where bathing and fishing were enjoyed. They reported a good time except for the badly sunburned faces.

Miss Alice Pollock and Miss Mercedes Groover will be entertained on Saturday by Miss Frances Igo with a group of Miss Igo's girl friends. Miss Igo will leave her home in Long Beach June 27 for a trip East, to be absent about three months.

Mrs. Alfred Gustavson of Flower street is in Los Angeles nursing her friend, Mrs. John Gerring.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Whistler of Elgin street, June 14, 1921, a girl, Pearl Lois.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramsey of Palm street is very sick with acute indigestion.

Mrs. G. L. Groves and son, Norman, left Tuesday for Saugus to visit for several days with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Misner.

Mrs. Anna Brown has moved from San Pedro to her home on 257th street, Lomita. Her son, Donald, came back from San Bernardino to live with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. George Keller, who lived for several years in Lomita, are camping at Selma, California. They write that they are all well and enjoying the summer. It was 110 degrees in the shade the day the letter was written.

Mr. L. V. Marsh and daughter, Lenore, attended class day exercises Saturday at Occidental College. Mr. Marsh's brother received Bachelor's Degree of Art.

Mr. and Mrs. Haythorn and Miss Haythorn, Mr. and Mrs. Igo and Miss Igo of Long Beach were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Pollock of South Narbonne.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Stevens visited the Pollock family on South Narbonne Thursday. They have just gotten nicely settled in their fine new home at Belmont Heights, Long Beach.

Clifford Marsh went to Los Angeles Saturday to see his grandpa.

EFFIE AUTRY SURPRISED

Ruth Collins gave a surprise party to Effie Autry Thursday evening at the Autry home. After playing games, refreshments of cake and lemonade were served. Those present were Ruth Collins, Doris and Clara Woodard, Ralph Parson, Clarence Dean, Harold Cook, Robert and Lambert Marks, Rula Jones, Stella Collins, Erbin Jones, Clifford Autry, Leffa, Verna, Sylvia, June and Audrey Martin; Mrs. Alice Martin, Sarah Shelhart, and Louis and Effie Autry.

SUCCESSFUL BEE

Last Tuesday evening twelve men of the Lomita church met at the church and under the direction of Mr. J. G. Wilson made fifteen new benches for the children of the primary department of the Sunday school. Each bench will seat four pupils comfortably, thus increasing the seating capacity of the school by sixty.

The ladies of the church prepared a bountiful supper, which was much enjoyed.

Besides Mr. Wilson, the following men contributed their labor: Messrs. Bauman, Bunge, Guertzen, Hunter, Johnston, Ling, McPhail, O'Quinn, Richey, Schriver and Trotman.

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LOMITA CHURCH NOTES

The Children's Day service in the morning at 10:30 o'clock drew a large congregation of pupils, parents and friends which crowded the church to its fullest capacity. It demonstrated the great need of a church building which will take care of the growing population. The program of songs, hymns, recitations and class exercises was thoroughly enjoyed by every one.quets of beautiful flowers made church room very attractive. Twenty-eight members of the Cradle were present. Two little ones Helen Grace Lungran and Mary Anita Lungran, children of Mr. and Mrs. Blair W. Lungran—were

baptized. An offering of \$12 for Sunday school missions was received. In the evening the pastor gave a closing sermon on the Apostles' Creed, based on the Articles: The resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. It is clear that these articles of the Creed are taught by the Lord and by His Apostles. We may not be able to understand all about them, but we are told enough to warrant our faith, if not enough to satisfy our curiosity. Now we know in part; then shall we know as we are known. The sermon subjects for Sunday, June 26, are as follows: Morning, Americanization. Evening: Was Jesus a Social Reformer?

MYSELF

I have to live with myself, and so I want to be fit for myself to know.
I want to be able as days go by Always to look myself straight in the eye;
I don't want to stand, with the setting sun
And hate myself for the things I've done.
I don't want to keep on a closet shelf

A lot of secrets about myself, And fool myself, as I come and go, Into thinking that nobody else will know
The kind of a man I really am; I don't want to dress up myself in sham.
I want to go out with my head erect,
I want to deserve all men's respect;
But here in the struggle for fame and pelf

I want to be able to like myself. I don't want to look at myself and know
That I'm bluster and bluff and empty show.
I never can hide myself from me; I see what others may never see; I know what others may never know;
I never can fool myself, and so, Whatever happens, I want to be Self-respecting and conscience free.
—Selected.