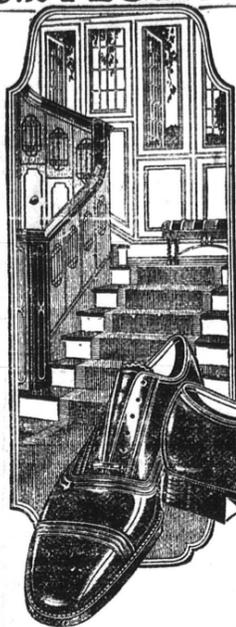


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**OBSERVATIONS**

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people, sets forth his views on the successful attempts, made under the Harding administration, to peddle oil reserves to private corporations. Gov. Pinchot is an honest man and a progressive thinker. Everyone who intends to vote next November should read his article, which ends with the declaration that the deport ment of officials should be, but is not always, predicated upon the commandment that "Thou shalt not steal."

STEP this way, ladies and gentlemen. In this cage we have the world's champion political flipflop. This strange animal, folks, was captured in the wilds of western Idaho. When taken into custody by hunters of the old guard he was the wildest, wooliest, conserndest critter that ever ranged the Senatorial jungles. But, ladies and gentlemen, he was stung very recently by the vice-presidential bee, an insect whose bite will cure most any animal in the wilds of Congress. For your entertainment, ladies and gentlemen, he will now eat out of the old guard's hand. His name is Borah, folks. Do your stuff, William!

CALIFORNIA is proud of her public schools. But her schools are inadequate. Teachers are overburdened. There are not enough schools. Class rooms are overcrowded. All of the proposed bond issue of \$35,000,000 will be utilized in the Los Angeles district for new buildings, extensions and improvements. The election is on June 3. Vote "Yes."

**"IN THE GREASE"**

Notes Gleaned While the Oil Editor Bumps Around Proven Territory

The Chanslor-Canfield Midway Oil company has three wells near production. They are Torrance No. 51, being washed; Torrance No. 44, running oil string; and Torrance No. 56, being washed.

The Standard Oil company is rigging up Dominguez No. 7 and building corners for Dominguez No. 8.

The Standard Oil company is still making 15-inch hole at Weston No. 1 on West Weston street, Lomita. This indicates that the company is preparing to drill deep, if necessary. The hole is down 3520 feet.

Shell is coring its wildcat, Dolores No. 1, east of Harbor boulevard, at 3275 feet.

The best well in the whole field is Torrance No. 4 of the Chanslor-Canfield Midway Oil company. On production for almost a year and a half, this well is still making about 550 barrels a day. It is just south of Carson street on the Torrance lease.

The cement job at Dominguez No. 2 of the Chanslor-Canfield company was unsuccessful, the well having tested wet.

Ten-inch casing has been cemented at Shell's Bleumie No. 1 at 3609 feet.

Chanslor-Canfield's Francis No. 1, on Western avenue, is being drilled ahead at 3300 feet. Fifteen-inch hole is still being made.

**CELEBRATE 51ST WEDDING DAY WITH PICNIC AT OCEAN SIDE**

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bartlett of Gramercy avenue celebrated their fifty-first wedding anniversary last Sunday, when members of the family had a picnic at Anahem Landing.

Those who enjoyed the affair were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barnes and family, of Lomita; Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bartlett and daughter, Miss Grace Bartlett, and Robert and Albert Bartlett, and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bartlett.

**F. L. Parks, Local Pioneer Plumber**

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tion it has given to sanitation and correct plumbing. The great home-belt of this Southland, in keeping with its splendid uniformity of convenience and comfort, shows to what an admirable extent the business of plumbing has been carried. And there are, of course, plumbers and plumbers—some are excellent workers, others not always expert and still others, indifferent.

But Torrance has a plumbing concern that represents the highest and best of efficient plumbing—the worthy Torrance Plumbing Co. Since the beginning over six years ago this house has been of high character. Indeed, half of the built-up Torrance has been "plumbed" by this company. It is the largest plumbing shop in this territory; they employ between eight and twelve men; handling any kind of a job in their line and carry a complete assortment of plumber's supplies. F. L. Parks, the genial proprietor, is the oldest plumber in Torrance in the number of years serving the city. He has been in this profession for the past fifteen years and before coming here spent seven years in the employ of others of this trade at Los Angeles. He is a native of Wisconsin, and a man of fine qualities, righteous, upstanding and well thought of by his friends and clients alike.

**Shell Company's Kettler No. 10 May Be Flowing Well**

Not yet designated as a producer, Kettler No. 10 of the Shell Oil company, located on the south line of the Kettler lease near Standard's Kettler No. 1, is flowing by heads. When the well cleans out it is expected that it may be a flowing well, with a yield of between 200 and 300 barrels. It was brought in on the pump, but lived up considerably and was allowed to flow. At present it is yielding about 100 barrels, flowing by heads.

**Ellinwood No. 1 of Standard Is Wet**

Though not officially on production, the Standard Oil company's Ellinwood No. 1, offsetting Chanslor-Canfield's Del Amo No. 12, southwestern outpost in the field, is pumping some oil and water. The company expects that the well will clean out shortly, unless it may have been drilled too deep. The hole was drilled to 3625, deeper than Chanslor-Canfield's Del Amo No. 12 by 25 feet.

Mrs. R. N. Odell of Taft is the guest for two weeks of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McDonald of Narbonne avenue.

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**Petroleum Securities Company, Near End of Drilling Operations Here, Has Made Enviably Record**

With the completion of Marble No. 13 some time next week the Petroleum Securities corporation will finish its drilling operations in the local field.

The company has made an enviable record on the Marble property, which is owned in fee by members of the E. L. Doheny family.

The first well on the property, Marble No. 1, was spudded in August 15, about nine months ago. When No. 13 is in the company will have drilled 28 wells on the Marble property and one on an adjoining lease, Lomita No. 1.

minimum of trouble. On the Marble property, in all 28 wells not one failure to shut off water was recorded. Every cement job was successful the first time.

Production from the company's property is now 10,000 barrels a day, and two wells are temporarily off production. The average per producing well on the property is therefore 400 barrels a day, as against an average for the entire field of about 250 barrels.

When drilling operations are concluded the company will retain a force of twelve or fifteen men on the property.

**REBEKAHS PLAN FOR FAIR**

At a Trio Rebekah meeting held Wednesday the following committee was appointed to attend to the details of the Rebekah booth at the carnival next week: Mrs. E. W. Brumpton, Mrs. J. L. Luck, Mrs. J. H. Beckham, Mrs. John Waite, Mrs. Emil Hepe, and Mrs. R. S. Frownfelter. Home-made cake, ice cream and soft drinks will be served at the Trio booth.

**SIX YEARS OLD—HAS PARTY**

Little Mary Mildred, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Meinzer of 2118 Carson street, entertained a number of little friends recently in honor of her sixth birthday. A wonderful birthday cake was a feature of the refreshments. The kiddies enjoyed playing games, and Miss Mildred Mary received some beautiful gifts.

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