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### Highway News

Notes on California Roads Furnished by National Auto Club

While the bridge spanning the San Dieguito River immediately north of Del Mar has not been fully repaired, it is entirely safe for automobile use at this time. About 150 feet of the bridge was swept away by high waters during the heavy rains of last February.

The road from Tia Juana to Ensenada is in good condition as far as Rosarita Beach, but not advisable south of that point. Numerous rough, cross-washed sections will be encountered on the remaining 56 miles to Ensenada. However, the road is scheduled to be put in good condition at an early date. A trip to Rosarita Beach is an enjoyable one, for bathing is good at this point, meals are served, and dancing may be enjoyed.

Motorists who desire to see the yuccas and cacti at their best would enjoy a trip to Morongo Valley and Warren's Well at this time. The route lies over the Valley boulevard through Riverside, Beaumont, Banning, then to a point three miles beyond the White River bridge, where a left turn is made. From this point 20 miles of desert road in fair condition is followed. The desert at this time is a riot of color, and motorists will feel repaid for any road discomforts they may encounter. The yucca is also in bloom at the present time between Victorville and Palmdale, close to the mountains.

"Casa Grande," one of the best known and best preserved prehistoric structures in the United States, is located in the Gila River Valley some 12 miles southwest of Florence, Ariz. It is reached by splendid improved automobile roads from Pacific coast points. The name is Spanish and implies "large house," but it is known among Indians and Spaniards as the "House of Montezuma." There seems to be very little doubt that the first European to see Casa Grande was a Jesuit priest, Eusebio Francisco Kino, who in 1687 led a band of friars into northern Sonora and began the work of establishing a chain of 29 Jesuit missions. In 1694 Kino started on a trip of discovery and was led by Indians to Casa Grande, which was even then in a ruined, dilapidated condition. He gave the ruins their present name. A Spanish army officer, Lieut. Mance, visited the ruins with Kino some time after 1760, and in 1838 Paul Weaver, an American trapper, inscribed his name on one of the walls of the venerable pile. He was undoubtedly the first American to examine the structure. The Casa Grande National Monument incorporates 160 acres of ground, and located in the center of the monument is the "Big House" itself. The walls are still standing in an excellent state of preservation, of caliche or limestone earth, five or six feet in thickness and rising four stories in height. It is the main structure in a compound that embraces three other groups of ruins that must once have formed a part of this extensive village or town. For many miles up and down the Gila River in this locality are found other villages, less pretentious in size but of similar construction and style. Many metates, mortars and large storage jars indicate the

early occupants of these villages stored and ground corn, beans, and various seeds. Numerous bits of pottery have been found, both whole and in fragments, which show a high degree of skill in the ceramic art. The colors most used are red, chalk white, and mesquite black. Remains of great irrigation systems, rivaling those of the present day, are found in the Florence-Casa Grande and Salt River Valleys, which indicate that at one time hundreds of acres were under cultivation in these districts. Very little evidence has been discovered that would indicate that the former residents were warlike people, but rather that they lived in peace and developed permanent homes and community life. The Pima Indians now living in the valley state that their tribal records, which can be traced back 800 years, carry no information relative to the first inhabitants of Casa Grande. It is fairly safe to presume that the minimum date of the construction of its walls would be about nine hundred or a thousand years ago, and that Arizona was inhabited and attained a degree of civilization during the lifetime of Socrates.

The road from Bishop to June, Gulch, Silver and Grant Lakes is now open via the McPherson grade. From Mono Lake to Bridgeport is open via the county road and in fair condition.

The road from Maricopa to Santa Maria has been thoroughly worked since the last storm and is now in excellent condition. The average driving time from Maricopa to Pismo Beach is three hours.

The following report of road conditions from Bakerfield to Kernville via Glenville is supplied by the touring department of the National Automobile Club: The distance is 67 miles, and the first three and one-half miles are paved, thence a lightly oiled gravel to Poso, good graded dirt and gravel to Glenville. From this point the road over the Greenhorn Mountains is now open in fair condition. It had been closed for some time due to snow conditions.

Spring flowers in all their glory may be witnessed in various districts surrounding Bakerfield. Following is an outline of the most popular trips from Bakerfield to the scenes of wild bloom and color: Follow the Indian route north to Delano, thence back into the foothills over good dirt roads. Lupines, poppies, owl's clover and native asters predominate in this district. Or follow the Edison highway to first road beyond the orange packing houses and turn right at this point to a good dirt road to Hermosa drive, turn left at this point and drive direct to the low hills, thence left again on the road skirting the foothills to Edison highway. Here will be found fields of poppies, lupines, thistle in bloom, and a countless variety of smaller flowers. Or follow Union avenue south to the foot of the Grapevine. Here are acres of primroses and lupines, and by turning west on the Maricopa County road great fields may be found containing all varieties of flowers. Tehachapi Pass still contains many banks of poppies and lupines, as well as hundreds of smaller blossoms.

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