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As the states of ancient Greece rallied unanimously to the support of their great Olympic festivals, making of them an enduring monument to Hellenic achievement and culture, so the people of all parts of California are pledging support of the world Olympic games to be held in this state in 1932. The Greek Olympiads, in the 1000 years of their existence, were made possible by financial aid provided by the city-states that made up the Hellenic of antiquity. Despite that in those times no such financial returns were possible as now, when visitors spend money by the millions in countries where the games are held, the ancient lawmakers deemed it a privilege to vote funds wherewith to carry on the great physical and cultural contests that came each four years. The same condition exists today in California. The state legislature has voted \$1,000,000 as the state's aid to the games that will be held here through several months of 1932, and people everywhere are pledging endorsement of Proposition No. 2 on the November 6 ballot that will make the appropriation available.

TORRANCE NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hutchins attended the National air races Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Finster made a tour of the beaches Sunday, stopping at the Surf and Sand Club at Hermosa for dinner.

News of the South Bay and Harbor Districts

Tex Guinan at Beverly Hills Gives Interview to Reporter

BEVERLY HILLS CITIZEN (By Wanda Phillips) What in the world a representative from a conservative paper such as the Beverly Hills Citizen could glean from an interview with Texas Guinan that would make good "copy" was the poser faced Friday. It was found, however, when the visit was made at Miss Guinan's temporary home, 527 North Camden Drive, recently occupied by Marie Prevost, that she not only was entertaining, she was thoroughly human and so completely Texas Guinan and nobody else, that "copy" was easy.

Meets Sister Here Perhaps the fact that fate had taken a little hand in the matter and allowed the interview to interrupt a visit from a sister and her family had something to do with it. Miss Guinan and her sister had not met in eleven years and it was a wonderful drama of life, proving that Texas Guinan, with her notorious flair for sensation, has kept her two large diamonds, was after all like either the Colonel's lady or Judy O'Grady, or perhaps both—just a warm, loving human being.

She had seen her nephew for the first time. He is a handsome, husky lad of ten and his name is Pat Smith. With his arms around this striking person he had heard about all his life, Pat gazed upward entranced. "What shall I call you?" he asked. "Auntie Tex?" "Just call me 'Tex,' was the answer; then, curiously, "What have you been calling me?" "I've just called you 'Lady,'" said the lad. "Heavens, child," chuckled Texas, "you are the only one in America who would call me that. But the boy maintained his stand and he gained to be her guide, and escort when Miss Guinan returned the visit. The reunion was a jumble of family gossip and much laughter as many things of other days were recalled.

Later, Miss Guinan made this comment: "My sister thinks I am lucky. With her home here in the West and that daddy boy (I'm the wonderful), she needn't envy me. She doesn't know how lucky she is."

That Dinner Party Miss Guinan gave another angle to the small cyclone her dinner party here, roused. She said she had planned to meet much of the expense herself; it was to be her party and the reason the mayor of Los Angeles and others frowned upon the affair was that she had asked the mayor of San Francisco to be toastmaster. "Mayor Rolph is an old friend of mine and there was no reason I should not ask him," she said. "This section interested in big politics, came out here to make some money and have some fun and they can't fool me. I've been fooled by experts." However, she always manages to stir things up, she admitted.

When asked why they had been getting out warrants and things and closing her New York clubs, Miss Guinan said the authorities like publicity as well as anyone else and they could get more of it by closing her cafes. "My cafes are not closed, they are open," she said; "and as for the warrants—

Gardena Slander Case Is Settled

GARDENA VALLEY NEWS According to Frank Carrell, attorney for the plaintiff, in the Watts-Hatford slander suit case, a cash settlement has been made. The attorney declined to disclose the exact amount involved in the settlement but stated that it ran well into five figures. The settlement was made last Tuesday.

This case attracted much attention because of the fact that the jury awarded the plaintiff a larger amount than was asked for. According to lawyers this is perfectly legal. On the motion for new trial, however, by the defendants Judge Roy Shaner reduced the amount of the judgment from \$35,000 to \$17,500, on the theory the amount awarded by the jury was excessive. This was with the consent of Attorney Carrell. The judge then asked the defendants a new trial and the settlement was made accordingly.

Mother Leaps in Path of Train to Save Son's Life

COMPTON TRIBUNE Seeing her son in danger as he stood in the path of an oncoming train at the Wilmington and Main street station yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Maud Taylor, 945 Pacific boulevard, Long Beach, threw herself in the path of the train and saved her son from what appeared sure death, but at the cost of painful but not fatal injuries to herself.

It was an act of deliberate heroism, go onlookers state. The little fellow was standing with his mother between the tracks waiting for a train and did not realize that he had stepped on another track. A train drew in and as the woman saw what was happening she threw herself bodily across the tracks and shoved her son out of danger.

Taken to Health Center For a while it was thought that Mrs. Taylor was seriously injured. She was rushed in the Merced ambulance to the Health Center where she was given treatment by Dr. James Rosoff. She suffered a dislocated left arm and was covered from head to foot with contusions and cuts. The child also was badly bruised and bumped but was not badly hurt. Both were later taken to their home.

Paper Opposes Voting Into L.A.

HAWTHORNE-LENNOX ADVERTISER

\$317,157 in additional bonded indebtedness (our share of Los Angeles) issued and authorized bonds of \$153,590,000. Forfeiture of all interest in the new half-million dollar Rosecrans avenue high school plant for which bonds are issued and sold. (Remember "Hawthorne's share of the cost of this school at \$150,000 based upon present assessed valuations. Inglewood city will itself pay more than \$200,000 of the cost.)

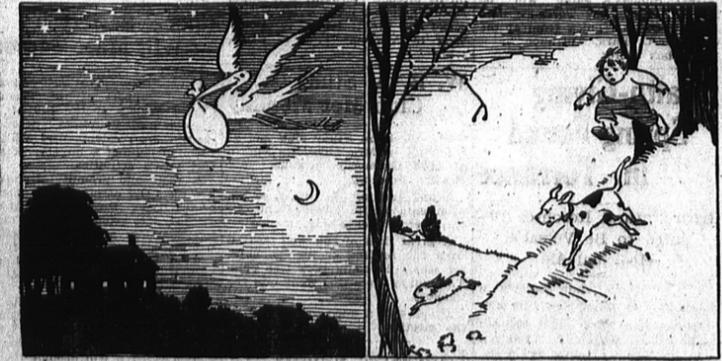
The necessity that 800 high school students and hundreds more soon to be in high school attend some high school in Los Angeles, students or parents to pay transportation. (State law forbids cities to pay it within their corporate limits.) Or the alternative that students attend at Inglewood or Rosecrans and pay tuition. Immediate diversion of more than \$19,700 (average for past 4 years) net revenue from the municipal water plant, to the Los Angeles city treasury. Vastly higher assessed valuations some cases from 300 to 400 percent, with corresponding tax increases (witness Hyde Park). Avoid these handicaps and burdens to your children and pocket-books—by Voting No—on Annexation.

Citizen in Favor 3 Cities Joining REDONDO REFLEX

The following letter has been received from Fred A. Mounts, a pioneer resident of Redondo Beach, and actively engaged in the cafe business at 123 South Bonita Avenue. Mr. Mounts has, with great foresight, looked into the future possibilities of the unification of Manhattan, Hermosa and Redondo, and it appears to him to be very bright, as it does to a great many more residents of these three cities. "I have been reading with a great deal of interest the articles that have been appearing in your papers in regard to the consolidation of the three beach cities, viz: Manhattan, Hermosa and Redondo. This unification should have taken place many years ago for the betterment of conditions for all concerned, as it would put all of us in a position to reach out after bigger and better things, thereby materially benefitting all three communities. Besides, the handling of the municipality could be done in a much more economical manner than at the present time. The city should be redistricted so that each part could be represented in the city government. In other words, divide the new city into wards, elect a mayor to serve full time and to devote all his energies to controlling the city in an efficient manner.

"This has been my feeling for a good many years in regard to this important question—in fact I would like to see all the south bay section consolidated, giving us a resort city, an industrial city and a business city in one! "I sincerely hope that your papers will continue to push this important step, and I, for one, am heartily with you, and from my contact with residents of both the other cities concerned, I know that a great many other people are in support of the plan. "Yours truly, "FRED A. MOUNTS."

PICTORIAL LIFE OF HERBERT HOOVER No. 3 By Satterfield



1.—On Aug. 10, 1874, Herbert Clarke Hoover was born in West Branch, Iowa. He had one brother and a sister. 2. As a boy, Herbert loved all sports and outdoor pastimes. In winter he delighted in snow sports.



3. Herbert's father died when he was six, and Aunt Agnes took him on a visit to Oklahoma. 4. The boy's playmates during this visit were little Osage Indian boys, who taught him many Indian sports.

Pro-Smith Group Seeking Debate With Hooverites

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John J. Caplis of the Hawthorne Al Smith League, has announced this week that the first meeting of the presidential campaign, under the auspices of the league will be held next Thursday evening, September 13, at the Ballona avenue school auditorium, starting at 8 o'clock. While the meetings are to be fostered by the democratic organization, Mr. Caplis makes it plain that republicans, prohibitionists and socialists are urged to attend in order to give the speakers an opportunity to present the record of Governor Smith to as large and diversified audience as possible.

Coincident with the announcement of the meetings, Mr. Caplis makes an offer to local republicans, or to any member of the republican county central committee to appear on the stage and debate the merits of the candidacy of Al Smith and Herbert Hoover. If local republicans accept the challenge, fifteen minutes will be allotted to the debater on either side. Mr. Caplis states that a weekly debate between the Smith and Hoover adherents should be a desirable feature of the meetings to republicans and democrats alike, and will afford the voters of Hawthorne and vicinity an opportunity to compare the merits of the two candidates.

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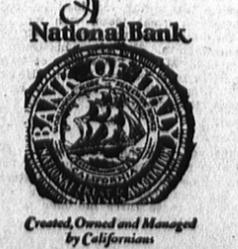
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