

The Lutheran church will celebrate their third anniversary this Sunday.

Torrance District Garden Club will meet Monday, October 1 at Legion Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Acree and two children, and Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Tomkins made a tour of Pasadena, San Fernando Valley and vicinity last Sunday, returning via Los Angeles, where they had dinner at the Rosslyn Hotel.

Royal Neighbors Banquet Guests

Members of Delora Camp, Lomita Royal Neighbors of America, will be the guests of Torrancia Camp No. 998 at a banquet on October 26, as a result of the membership contest which closed September 15. The affair will be held at K. C. Hall, Portola avenue and Redondo boulevard, Torrance.

On September 28 a general get-together meeting is to be held at the above address. Redondo Camp and Lomita Camp members are expected to be present in full force. Lomita Camp will assist. Cards will be played and prizes will be awarded in the various games. Refreshments will be served and no charge will be made. The public is invited. At this time the Lomita Camp drill team will appear in some clever floor work.

B. J. Scott and his father S. B. Scott, left Saturday night for Independence, where they will spend several days deer hunting.

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GARDENA VALLEY NEWS
The entire community was shocked last Friday evening when news of the sudden death of Mrs. Rose Nelson, 1117 West Palm avenue and resident for the past eighteen years, was received here. Mrs. Nelson was struck down by an automobile while crossing Melrose and Alexandria streets in Los Angeles about 7:30 that evening

and died in the emergency hospital shortly afterwards. Stanley Mountain, age 21, 552 1/2 North Kingsley Drive, who was operating the car, was not held.

L. L. Nelson is spending a few days in Los Angeles on a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gourdier drove to the Western Air Express field Sunday and took a 60 mile air ride in one of the big 12 passenger sedans.

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WALTERIA NEWS

Miss Frances Hagen attended a birthday party given in honor of Miss Kathleen Fowler of Wilmington Thursday evening.

Mrs. W. T. Thurman is entertaining her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Isham and daughter Esther of Fresno, this week.

Miss Birdie Crowthers is quite ill at her home on Park street, and has been unable to attend school.

Mrs. L. R. Burton of Madison street visited her mother, Mrs. James Allen of North Long Beach, Thursday.

Mrs. R. B. Sage and daughter Mrs. George Coates of Redondo boulevard, were visitors in Long Beach recently.

Mrs. Ralph Leslie and Mrs. H. S. Lawrence were visitors in San Pedro and Wilmington Friday.

Mrs. A. Baker, a former resident of Walteria, has returned here to make her home on Redondo boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Adolph of Hawthorne boulevard gave a farewell dinner in honor of her mother Mrs. Edward Codona of Long Beach who left Tuesday for Detroit to visit her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Codona Jr. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. Codona, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ferrante, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kruckow and children Maxine and Max, and Misses Peggy Hopwood and Mary Woods of Long Beach and Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Adolph and sons Billie and Pussums.

The Stitch and Chatter Club will hold its next monthly social meeting at the home of Mrs. R. Sullivan of Ward street on Wednesday.

Mrs. Oliver Bryan and little daughter Bessie who have been quite ill, are much better.

Fred McLain of Madison street attended the Union Pacific safety meeting held at East San Pedro Thursday.

The Torrance city street department is completing the unfinished section at the intersection of Hawthorne and Walnut boulevards.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Westenhagen of Walnut boulevard had as guests recently Mr. Westenhagen's nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Weston of Los Angeles, formerly of Gary, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shirley of San Pedro, were guests of A. C. McLain of Madison street Sunday.

Mrs. P. Bennett of Neece avenue entertained Mrs. L. Rutherford, Mrs. Naomi McKinney and Misses Merle Ritchie and Florence Webber of Lomita on Wednesday.

The program committee of the Walteria Parent-Teachers' association met at the school Thursday, and drew up the outline of activities for the year. Decision was made to hold a membership drive with the school children aiding, the room securing the greatest number of new members to be winner of a prize to be presented by the association.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett and son Melvin and Mrs. J. B. Brock, attended the Fair at Pomona, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tittit have had a new electric radio installed in their home on Los Codona street recently.

George Bickel who is employed at Santa Fe Springs, was home Sunday, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Venable of Walnut boulevard left last Monday on a motor trip to Canada. They will visit their son Shelby, who is attending the Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis, Oregon, on their way.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Westenhagen of Walnut boulevard, had as guests the past week Mr. and Mrs. Harold Weston of Los Angeles formerly of Gary, Ind. Mr. Weston is Mr. Westenhagen's nephew. The Westenhagens also enjoyed a visit from old friends from Pittsburgh, their old home. They were J. A. Pflzeiner and W. Pfendler, of Los Angeles.

The grading is finished and they are beginning to pour the concrete on the section of the Hawthorne boulevard that passes through the oil field in western Torrance.

STATE PICNICS

Kentucky and Tennessee

The Kentucky Blue Grass club, Edward Lawless, president and the Tennessee state society, Monroe W. Wilson, president, will hold their annual fall picnic all day, Saturday, October 6th, in Sycamore Grove Park. Each state will have a separate place and will open county registers, supply coffee and silk badges. The program will follow the basket dinner hour. All the former residents of these states cordially invited. Ask questions of C. H. Parsons, Faber 3300, Hotel Rosslyn, where all the state registers may be found.

Pennsylvania

All who ever lived in the Keystone state are invited to a great picnic all day Saturday, October 6th, 1928, in Sycamore Grove Park. There will be a brief program, starting about three o'clock, but the main purpose will be to have a good time and to meet friends from all over Southern California. Coffee will be served free to all who buy the souvenir badges. Information may be had of C. H. Parsons, secretary of Federation of State Societies, Hotel Rosslyn, Fifth and Main streets, Los Angeles, phone FABER 3300, or of President T. V. Barron, phone Granite 2574, who is in charge of all plans.

Arizona, Nevada, New Mexico

The last picnics for three states will be held in Sycamore Grove Park, all day, Saturday, October 6, 1928. Nevada, Arizona and New Mexico folks will rally and will open county registers and headquarters for each county in each state where friends may meet again.

Hot coffee and badges will be supplied for all picnickers. The program will follow the basket dinner hour. Tourists from all these states are urged to take this chance to meet the old time neighbors. The call includes all who ever lived in either state. Ask questions of Judge M. C. Spicer or of C. H. Parsons, Hotel Rosslyn, Faber 3300.

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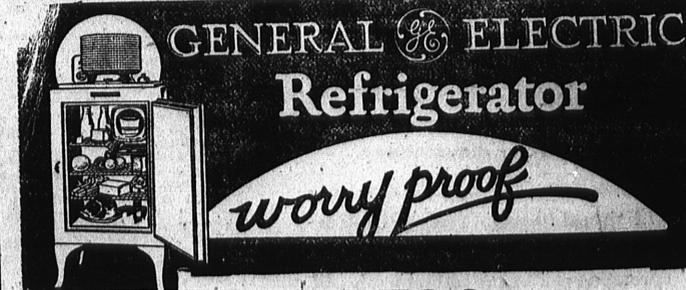
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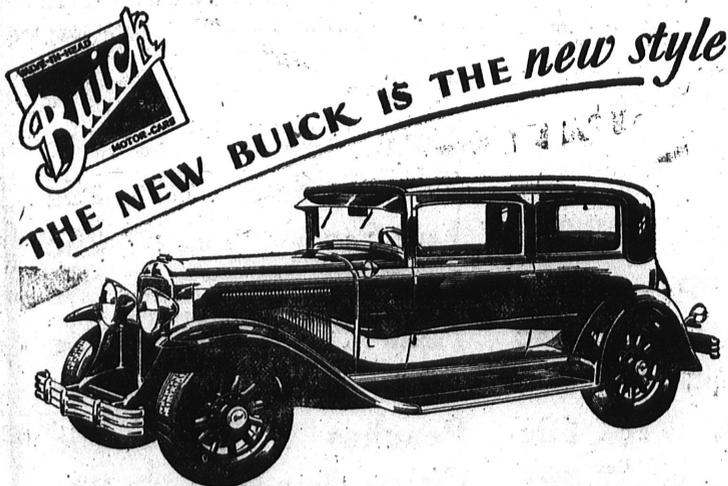
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