

My Neighbors



"What's a good stock for making a fast buck?"

Garden Checklist

1. Plant annual bedding plants for late summer and fall color.
2. Lawns watered deeply and less frequently are happiest. If compaction prevents water penetration, use a corer.
3. Use containers of yellow Marguerite for a quick show of color in your garden.
4. Figure on feeding Chrysanthemums with liquid fish about every third week. Include Fuchsias and Begonias in this schedule, too.
5. Snails are year-round visitors in our gardens and should be greeted with bait or pellets. You can simply scatter the latter.



WHY DON'T YOU THROW IN THE TROWEL?

Battle to Maintain Clean Beaches Told

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Beach and harbor pollution is a continuing problem. When I was first elected to the Assembly in 1950, citizens of the district urged me to exert my utmost efforts to eliminate shoreline pollution. The principal complaint came from Manhattan Beach, because untreated sewage was floating on the surface of the water and was washed up on the beach by the ocean.

I consulted experts on beach and harbor pollution and found that in addition to untreated and partially treated sewage

from the Hyperion Plant at El Segundo and the White's Point Plant at San Pedro, industrial wastes, including detergents from factories, were adversely affecting the plant and animal life of the ocean along the coast.

ALTHOUGH THE City of Los Angeles owns and operates the two sewage treatment plants, thousands of residents of Los Angeles, including swimmers, fishermen, and boat owners, wrote to me and promised their support in anything we could do to stop pollution. Control at that time was en-

tirely in the hands of the Regional and State Water Pollution Boards, hence city officials, lawyers, doctors, nurses, engineers, and many organizations of people using the harbors and beaches in Los Angeles County worked with me in preparing the formal presentations of our case to the Regional and State Water Pollution Boards.

BOTH THE Regional Board and the State Board admitted that they had the legal authority to control water pollution but they took no action. The Regional Board would turn us

down, then when we went to the State Board we were told to go back to the Regional Board. We were bounced back and forth between the two Boards until 1957.

In that year, I introduced my Assembly Bill No. 1066 which was enacted into law as Section 13005 of the Water Code; and my Assembly Bill No. 1087, which was enacted into law as Sections 24155 to 24159, inclusive, of the Health and Safety Code.

THESE TWO laws took much of the authority away from the State and Regional Water Control Boards and gave it to the State Department of Public Health. Since 1957, our beaches and harbors have been comparatively free from pollution but eternal vigilance is the price of liberty.

With the help of the thousands of public-spirited citizens, I shall continue to keep our beaches and harbors clean.

A LESS sensational threat to our coastline came in 1961 when certain individuals asked the State Lands Commission to grant permission to dredge for minerals along the bottom of the ocean along the coast of the 46th Assembly District. Fishermen, boat owners, and property owners along the coast objected on the grounds that such deep-sea dredging would destroy plant and animal life in the ocean, create noise, interfere with the recreational use of the ocean and lower property values.

At their request, I led the delegation which appeared at the hearing of the State Lands Commission and presented the principal formal argument. At the beginning of the hearing the Commission indicated that they would continue the matter but at the close of my presentation they voted to deny the dredging application, thus closing the matter until it comes up again in the future.

AGAIN I emphasize that the success of our presentation was due to the support of thousands of citizens and my role was merely that of their elected representative and champion.

In 1951, I obtained an appropriation of \$750,000 to be spent at Manhattan Beach to stop salt water from coming from the ocean into underground streams which were being pumped to supply drinking water. This \$750,000 of state money was spent successfully and laid the foundation for the present state-wide program of injecting fresh water into wells to drive back the sea water.

Girl Scout Troop 1557

Girl Scout Troop 1557 held its first Court of Awards May 28 at the new Torrance Scout Center. The Court was opened with the pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and the singing of "America the Beautiful." Sherry Pulley said a greeting followed by songs and instrument solos by members of the troop.

Parents of the troop were given special mention for their help in the many activities of the troop such as transportation, refreshments, and donation of equipment. Mmes. Ralph Wareing and Clifford Bergen, leader and co-leader, were presented with a new American Flag for the girls.

Guest speaker for the evening was Mrs. Richard Sullivant who has been prominent in Girl Scout activities for many years.

THOSE completing Second Class Rank were Christine Barcik, Christina Bergon, Valerie Bradshaw, Janis Croskrey, Darlyn Deushie, Janet Dossey, Chaundel Johnson, Marjorie Kendzierski, Sherry Pulley, Kathlyn Rodela, Diana Schultz, Nancy Wareing, and Suzanne Wood.

Proficiency badges were awarded for Backyard Camp to Christine Barcik, Christina Bergon, Valerie Bradshaw, Darlyn Deushie, Janet Dossey, Chaundel Johnson, Sherry Pulley, Kathlyn Rodela, Diana Schultz, Nancy Wareing, Sherry Wareing, and Suzanne Wood.

Child care badge was presented to Kathlyn Rodela and the drawing and painting badge to Christine Barcik.

The Court was closed with the singing of Taps and the retirement of the Colors, which refreshments were served.

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NAPKINS

C&H
SUGAR 49¢
 5-lb. Bag

BANANAS 2 lbs. 29¢
 NO. 1 CENTRAL AMERICAN

CANTALOUPE 10¢ lb
 LARGE RIPE

CELLO PKG.
CARROTS 10¢

SOLID RIPE
TOMATOES 2 lbs. 25¢

HILLS BROS.
INSTANT COFFEE 59¢
 6-oz. Jar

LYNDEN'S
Chicken Noodle DINNER 49¢
 26 1/2-oz. Jar

SPAM 49¢
 HORMEL'S 12-OZ. TIN

VIENNA SAUSAGE 49¢
 12-OZ. 2 Hormel's

CORNED BEEF 59¢
 LIBBY'S 12-OZ. CAN

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TOMATO SAUCE 14¢
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