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#### SAMPLES FROM SUNNY SQUIBS

More red blooded Americans needed and fewer red minded socialists.

Anyway, the politicians are attending carefully to the duty of getting re-elected.

A bald man should try some of this hooch on his vacant scalp and see if it would not grow some hair.

The men are not supposed to criticize women's clothes. Their sole function is to pay for them.

Wireless telephone is popular, but wireless politics have not yet arrived.

The hand that used to rock the cradle is now reaching across the bridge table to play partner's cards.

Internal revenue officers can sing on their raids. "Off in the stilly night."

Anyway, the government garden seeds will come in handy to feed the canary.

#### LOMITA CHURCH

The corner stone of the new Community Presbyterian Church will be laid Sunday afternoon, June 4, at 3:00 o'clock. Neighboring ministers, including the brother of the pastor, Rev. Charles A. Clark, will take part in the service. The choir will sing special music. A detailed program will be published next week. This is an important and impressive event in the history of the church, and it is expected that there will be a large congregation present.

#### HONORS PAID TO HEROES

What a rush of memories Memorial Day brings to those who have fought and to those who have honored those who fought and bled and died!

What hopes for the future it brings around each year—prayers that the fearful Mars is dead at last, that an end has been put to war!

Already, it seems, the public has forgotten the horror of the last war—the war which was fought to end wars. But never will it forget those who laid down their lives in defense of their country.

For, as Kate Brownlee Sherwood wrote:

"When the May has culled her flowers for the summer waiting long,  
And the breath of early roses woos the hedges into song,  
Comes the throb of martial music and the banners in the street,  
And the marching of the millions bearing garlands fair and sweet—  
'Tis the Sabbath of the Nation, 'tis the floral feast of May!  
In remembrance of our heroes  
We keep Memorial Day."

The Greeks had a beautiful custom, history records, of twining flowers on the monuments of those who had fallen in battle.

The Roman ceremony over the graves of the departed was called "Parentalia," or the day of the fathers. During the period of "Parentalia" the temples were closed; the tombs were profusely decorated. Memorial arches were built and covered with flowers to honor the heroic dead.

Adapting an earlier heathen custom, Christians later set aside "All Soul's Day" as a time for honoring the dead. It was a time to propitiate the souls of those thought to be in purgatory. As part of the ceremony of this day the graves of those who had died within the year were decorated and libations were poured upon them.

Memorial Day in America followed the Civil War. Any hatred which may have survived that period of stress has been sent to the limbo of forgetfulness, however. The national capital, Cheesman H. Herrick says in his book on "Outstanding Days," witnessed a joint reunion of Confederate Veterans and the Grand Army of the Republic fraternizing as brothers.

Acting on a suggestion that instead of decorating the graves of dead soldiers at irregular intervals a uniform time should be fixed. John A. Logan, commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, in 1868 issued an order setting May 30 "for," as he says, "strewn with flowers or otherwise decorated in the graves of comrades who died in defense of their country."

May 30 became a legal holiday by congressional action in the District of Columbia and in the territories in 1874. For about twenty years the day commonly was called "Decoration Day," but during later years the term has been

#### PATRIOTIC SCENE AT LOMITA COMMUNITY CHURCH

A special patriotic service will be held at the Lomita Church on Sunday, May 28, at 11:00 a. m. The choir is arranging for special music. The pastor will speak on "The New Patriotism."

Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic, of the Spanish-American War and of the World War are cordially invited to attend.

The Boy Scout Troops will be present by invitation, and the ceremony of presenting the colors to them will be held at that time.

#### RESOLUTIONS OF SYMPATHY

At the funeral service of Mrs. L. C. Walker of Los Angeles on Monday afternoon Rev. E. E. Clark read the following resolutions of sympathy which the Sunday School of the Lomita Church had adopted:

Dear Friend—The Sunday School of the Lomita Community Church, in which your son, Clark, and your baby, Walter James, are enrolled, has heard with much sorrow of the death of your dear wife and their loving mother.

We tender to you and to Mr. and Mrs. Irons the assurance of our heartfelt sympathy in this hour of your great trial. May the God of all Comfort comfort your hearts with that comfort wherewith He comforteth all His sorrowing children.

After we have celebrated all kinds of weeks and days, it might be well to have a Work Week.

Jazz is called the national anthem, but it is not necessary to rise and remove one's hat when it is played.

While the bridegroom will not be much of a factor in the June weddings, it will be a mistake to try to have one without him.

"Memorial Day," a title, as Mr. Herrick says, which signifies the meaning of the act rather than the act itself.

It was in 1918 that May 30 became more blessed than ever in the hearts and the minds of Americans. American blood had been shed in France and the graves of the fallen heroes across the sea were on that day decorated by their companions in arms. A tribute of respect to the dead!

#### NOTICE

Wish to notify the public that the property on Redondo Boulevard, 56 foot front, is withdrawn from the market.

WILLIAM ARMSTRONG.  
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#### COMPLAINT

In the Justices' Court, Lomita Township, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

T. G. Anderson, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
G. E. Townsend, Defendant.  
Plaintiff complains of the defendant and for cause of action alleges: That the defendant is a resident of the township of Lomita, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

That within four years last passed, at the Township of Lomita, County of Los Angeles, State of California, G. E. Townsend, the defendant herein, became indebted to the plaintiff herein for an amount of merchandise delivered defendant at his special instance and request in the sum of fifteen and 50 100th dollars.

That said defendant promised and agreed to pay the said sum of \$15.50 to this plaintiff and the same is now due and wholly unpaid.

That plaintiff has demanded the payment of the said sum of \$15.50 since the same became due, and said defendant has failed and refused and still fails and refuses to pay the same.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays judgment against the Defendant for the sum of fifteen and 50 100th dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from date and costs of suit.

I. G. ANDERSON,  
Plaintiff.  
M-24-9t

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MONDAY, MAY 29

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TUESDAY, MAY 30

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 31

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SUNDAY, JUNE 4

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