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### LOMITA NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. R. W. Reed of San Louis Obispo is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. W. Towne.

Floyd Satchell of Downey, formerly of Lomita was here on Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Smith of Long Beach, formerly of Lomita, were visitors here on Monday.

A. Clegg and H. A. Estep were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clark of Elgin avenue on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gustavson received delivery on Christmas eve, a new Ford car.

Mrs. John Smith of North Narbonne avenue is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bowers of Walnut, for two weeks.

G. Isaacson of the Rainbow Shoe Shop was a Los Angeles visitor Monday. The "Rainbow" has added a fine line of boys' and men's dress and work shoes.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. DeWitt and Mrs. S. Jacobs of North Pennsylvania street, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. T. Jordan of Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Miller, of Oak street were guests on Christmas day of Mrs. Miller's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Talkington of Wilmington.

Chas. Gerner, of North Narbonne avenue is back once more in Lomita. He has been in the East, in the interest of the Union Tool Company for several months.

Mrs. A. J. Stinton and infant daughter, Mary Agnes will be home Saturday, tomorrow. Hearty congratulations on the arrival of the new daughter.

On Monday, Clarence and Millard Fix of Pepper street, Lomita, motored out on the state highway east to meet their relatives who are driving through from Kansas to make their home here.

J. C. Coffey has returned to Ratoon, New Mexico, after visiting for several weeks with his wife and daughter, who are spending the winter with Mrs. Coffey's father, L. E. Dawson, of Pennsylvania street.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. King of East Pine street were guests of Mr. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton King of Compton Christmas day. About twenty relatives congregated there for dinner and a family reunion.

G. Gustavson has given possession of his home in Chestnut street for the second time, and has moved again to his property on Flower street. A party by the name of Bell from Long Beach, a painter and decorator, is the new owner.

Mr. and Mrs. Royland Jones and family and Miss Nellie Gleason, were dinner guests of Mr. Jones' father and mother of Hollywood on Christmas day. They motored to San Fernando Valley where Miss Gleason will visit her father this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leed of Watrous Canada, were here last Saturday, having come from Long Beach to spend the day with B. J. Bjorn-dahl, and two sisters, Carrie and Annie, of Cherry street. After dinner was served the party motored to Venice, Santa Monica and Ocean Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Logan spent Christmas with Mrs. Logan's mother, Mrs. May Corretto of Los Angeles. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wilson, sister and brother-in-law of Mrs. Logan and Bert and John Corretto of Bixbee, Arizona, were also present to enjoy the re-union and dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peighatt, Miss Edyth Smith, Lydia Smith and Jan Smith, attended the Long Beach Aerial races last Sunday, and viewed many sensational flights from the many aviation field. Number 17 won first prize, a beautiful silver cup; Number 18, won second place and number nineteen the third. The races lasted three days from the 25th and on Monday the argest plane ever seen in this section, a 5-ton naval resign, flew and carried a bevy of pretty young adies, over Lomita and Torrance.

A real "Hoosier" celebration lasting over a period of three days was enjoyed by former Indiana residents, when the party congregated in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bond of Pepper street, Lomita, for Christmas dinner. Those present follow: Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Stitts and family of Torrance; Miss Alice Slaughter, Mrs. Harriet Stitts, Miss Bessie Lee of Redondo Beach. Sunday Mrs. Jessie Stitts and family of Torrance were the hosts at dinner, and on Tuesday the Redondo Beach members combined in entertaining the society.

The quickest way to win the confidence of most men is to start cussing some fellow they don't like

It used to be talked of the high cost of living, but since gasoline has started to soar we talk about the high cost of flivvering.

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### CHRISTMAS DAY RE-UNION

On Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Roberts of Cypress and Miller streets, Lomita, entertained at a family re-union dinner, relatives from Valparaiso, Indiana, Los Angeles and Pasadena. Decorations were of holly, red carnations and fern, and a tiny Christmas tree cut from the shrubbery of the home yard was the center of much merriment. Covers were laid for fourteen, as follows: Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Loud of 2219 W. Pico; Mrs. Anna Roberts of 3103 Altura street Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Cole and daughters Virginia and Frances of 584 Stevenson avenue, Pasadena; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hippensteel and son Lawrence of Valparaiso, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Roberts, Claudia and Preston.

### HOUSEHOLD HONINESS

(By Aunt Polly)

"Our todays and yesterdays are the blocks with which we build."

### HAPPY NEW YEAR

The time has come for us to close the books that tell the story of one more year of our lives, and to open a new set for the next twelve months. I tell your uncle Mark that there are some pages I wouldn't want to show, with the record they make of faults and follies, and I guess there are others who feel the same way. If we are to be happy ourselves and make others happy, those failures must only be remembered as they serve to act as stepping stones to success. You know we are never too old to learn.

Here is a recipe that I've tried and tested, and you'll never find it to fall if you try it.

### HOME MADE HAPPINESS

Prepare a real or imaginary "Book of Blessings" with one page for happy happenings, and another for unhappy ones. And "doubting Thomas" who needs to see it put down in black and white to be convinced that the good overbalances the bad, would do well to have a real "sure-enough" book with this recipe of mine pasted on the title-page.

At the close of each day "count your blessings," not forgetting the very simplest. Next, take account of stock of the opposite page, weighing carefully and sifting thoroughly each sorrow and misfortune. If sorrows have been caused by death, think of those more to be pitied who are suffering from disgrace.

If criticisms seem to be unkind, consider whether they are merited, and make it your business to overcome the failing that called them forth. If many of the troubles are imaginary, forget them, and finally, "Rest in the Lord and He shall give thee thy heart's desire."

### MACARON KISSES

Beat the whites of three eggs till stiff, add a pinch of salt, and 2 cups of sugar by degrees, then stir in 1 cup of cocoanut slowly. Drop by teaspoonful on a buttered plate.—Mrs. Mikelson.

### PICKLED ONIONS

Peel tiny white onions and let them stand in salt water for a short time, then put them into a kettle with 1 cup water, 2 cups of vinegar and 2 tablespoonfuls of powdered sugar and let them steam till tender, and can while hot. If spices are added, put them in a sack to avoid discoloring the onions.—Mrs. Mikelson.

### APPLE SAUCE CAKE

1 cup unsweetened apple sauce, 1/2 cup melted shortening, 1 cup sugar, 1 teaspoonful soda, 2 cups flour, 1/4 teaspoonful salt, 1/2 each cinnamon and cloves, and 1/2 of nutmeg. 1 cup of raisins seeded and chopped. Mix in order given, sifting dry ingredients together, beat well and pour into a dripping pan and bake about 1 hour in a slow oven.—Mrs. Malone.

### NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Narbonne Ranch Water Company, Number Five, will be held on Monday, January 10, 1921, at 1:00 o'clock p. m. at the office of the company near the town of Lomita, Los Angeles County, California, for the purpose of electing a new board of directors and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

R. GEIST, Secretary

D-24-31 Jan-7

### NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Narbonne Ranch Water Company, Number Three, will be held on Tuesday, January 11, 1921, at 1:00 o'clock p. m. at the office of the company near the town of Lomita, Los Angeles County, California, for the purpose of electing a new board of directors and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

O. W. THISTLE, Secretary

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