

FRIDAY MORNING

KEYSTONE NOTES

Mrs. H. C. Roque is now driving a new Chevrolet touring car.

Paul C. Morse built a good, big garage for his new sedan last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cline were guests at the Berry home over the week-end.

Miss Ruth Hutchins, sister of Mrs. Paul C. Morse, is visiting in Keystone this week.

Chas. Vogel and Emory Stevens each have a new Chevrolet touring car.

Mrs. N. W. Jennings entertained the Crochet Club Wednesday of last week. A good time was reported.

Geo. Sapp is getting along quite rapidly on his new house in Torrance. The roof is on and the plastering started.

Tom Watson returned Tuesday evening from Truckee, where he has been driving a dog team and training new dogs for a large movie concern.

The Keystone Chamber of Commerce was well represented at the Fourth District meeting last Thursday night. Twelve members took advantage of the invitation.

Mrs. Vogel spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. M. Benson, in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Titus, a former resident, and Mrs. McDowell of Santa Maria were visitors in Keystone Saturday.

Paul C. Morse has sold his new house in Torrance. This was a most beautiful little house on Redondo boulevard. Mrs. Morse was sorely disappointed when the sale was made.

Albert Morris and family were visitors at the Jennings home Sunday.

It looks as if Keystone residents had a good bank roll or good credit, 12 new cars having been purchased in the past three months.

Ben Trasburg and Clarence Slepny took a bath Thursday night at the Redondo plunge.

Miss Bertha Everard of Pasadena visited her sister, Mrs. H. Roque, last week. She was a visitor at the Crochet Club.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Schuder of Sumner, Illinois, are guests of Z. W. Jennings and wife Monday.

The regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce directors was held at the Jennings home Tuesday night. It was decided to move the booster sign at the slough to higher ground, as the present location is too low.

The next regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was cancelled. Now the next meeting will be held on the first Saturday in May in the new hall. The building of the hall now adds another business center to Main street. This will be the best looking spot between Wilmington and Slauson avenue in a very short time.

The hall is taking more time than was expected. The right amount of time is not being given this movement. Is it because you do not understand the building of it? It is your hall to build and pay for; the holding company is only guaranteeing the payment in case the Chamber of Commerce fails to make it. This hall is for the people of Keystone through the Chamber of Commerce. Four hours of your time Sunday or during the week will be a big help to the hall and no injury to you. Sunday the women will serve a good lunch at 12:30 for the men working on the hall. Come and help us eat this lunch.

Recall of McClellan Is Demanded

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and portrayed the avenue, leading from the mountains to the sea. A sign suspended across the miniature avenue had the words: "Vermont, longest street in the world. Another sign, the words: "From Slauson South and Manchester West; Of all Los Angeles the Best."

Address by Mrs. Dorsey

President Finkle introduced Mrs. Dorsey, Superintendent of Schools of Los Angeles, who spoke upon school matters: "I congratulate you upon your wonderful school building, a matter of direct public interest, because it offers opportunities for civic improvement. Our city is growing at a marvelous rate. Last spring we asked the people for funds to be raised by bond sales. The people heartily approved. For four successive years our school population has increased each year to the number of 20,000 per annum. Everybody wants to come to Los Angeles. Another year is coming with a tremendous influx of population. It is out of place if one feels peeved because someone asks an accounting of the expenditure of public funds. In these millions that are disbursed there might be a penny here and there going astray. The people have a right to make inquiries of their public servants. At the present time the supply of three text books is exhausted; they are out of date and out of print. Governor Richardson, like the rest of us, cannot do all the work. We should insist upon maintaining a high efficiency in our schools. Why should we bear the burden of educating the Mexicans and all of the foreigners? We ought to have efficient leaders from the state office to help us. We should teach English first, then home life and then civic life. We should have ample funds for all text books because the law says we must teach certain specified subjects."

Solo by Jimmie Osborn

One of the most remarkable singers the world has ever produced came upon the stage—little 12-year-old Jimmie Osborn; pink cheeks, blue eyes, a mop of flaxen hair, bobbed like a girl's; dressed in white and sailor fashion. The song: "Sunshine of Your Smiles"; something astounding in that magnificent voice; golden, mellow, clear; an ecstasy. A hurricane of applause and then: "Irish Eyes Are Smiling." A tornado again. And later in the evening a touching love song. The roof of the auditorium remains, but it is a wonder. And the speech from the footlights: "It gives me great pleasure to meet you as my singing gives to you." A pause; and a hearty throb: "God gave me my voice and I shall use it for a good purpose." Every effort has been made to get Jimmie on the stage; several from New York and one from Canada offered fabulous sums. To all the mother says: "Jimmie can only be a boy once. I want him to live his life as a boy; I cannot consent to rob him of his life. Wait until he has passed through the life of a boy. There is plenty of time. It will be hard enough for me to part with him then. Fame nor money cannot repay."

The Improvement Club

President Finkle called for a report from committees. "How about that application from the Republican Improvement Club of San Pedro?" A voice responded: "I do not believe in mixing politics. I refer the matter to Captain Hanson." The old sea king arose, saying: "If it is all the same I will amend the application and say merely 'Improvement Club.'" The motion carried.

J. E. Davis of Long Beach arose with a prefatory address about the advantages of living in California, and ending with a report on the matter of supervisorial re-districting, reference being made to the fact that Long Beach has been severed by this action of the supervisors. Mr. Davis stated that Los Angeles had five supervisors 72 years ago and now, with an enormous population, it has the same number, who are supposed to equally represent the people. "You are spending \$70,000,000 annually in Los Angeles county at the hands of five supervisors."

President Finkle, speaking upon the report, said: "I was a member of that committee. Since the last meeting we came before the supervisors. The county counsel said 'It would cost \$30,000 to \$40,000 to hold an election.' Hence they are opposed to any election. I investigated financial conditions and found that on June 30, 1922, there was \$6,000,000 of unappropriated money in the banks drawing two per cent interest, while the people are suffering for means of transportation over the county roads. The roads south of Manchester are a disgrace to civilization. Supervisors say you must secure every foot of right of way before work can be commenced. You know that is impossible. At present two of our supervisors are in Mexico and the other three took the county auto for a joy ride to San Francisco. The remedy for this state of affairs is that we must have a new charter. It will require but 15 per cent of the voters, by signature, to call an election for the framing of a new charter. After the requisite number of signatures have been secured, a board of freeholders are nominated by the people. If you select freeholders whom you can trust, and who have fought your battles for years, then you will have solved the problem." The president called for C. O. Price, who responded, and introduced Mr. Harry Kingman, lawyer, to speak for him. Mr. Kingman arraigned the city and county authorities in regard to Exposition Park, formerly known as Agricultural Park, a tract of 133 acres which he said was donated for

"Kick In" Great Crook Picture

Stories of crook life as well as pictures that depict society life are always interesting. When these two phases of city life are blended in a picture by such an expert director as George Fitzmaurice, aided by Betty Compson, Bert Lytell, May McAvoy, Gareth Hughes and several other screen players of prominence, a startling, thrilling, entertaining picture is sure to result. In "Kick In," a new Paramount picture, which is to be shown at the Torrance theatre on Sunday and Monday, March 18 and 19, Mr. Fitzmaurice has made a picture of extraordinary force.

agricultural, mechanical and similar purposes to be used solely as a fair grounds. Mr. Kingman intimated that a company or organization had secured a portion of the grounds for the erection of a stadium from which they would receive profit, all of which was contrary to provision of the law touching the title and use of this property. The city and county contribute \$500,000 from which private parties will secure dividends. Mr. Kingman charged that there is a representative from every newspaper in Los Angeles in this company or combination, and by that means silence of the press has been made possible.

The Long Beach representatives came to the front and brought up the supervisory question, and Davis of Long Beach offered a motion for recall of the supervisor from the Fourth district. Pottenger of Redondo arose, saying: "Pridham is with us. We should postpone for definite action. This recall would affect the whole county. Let us wait." President Finkle interposed to say that it would affect only the Fourth district so far as election machinery is concerned. Secretary Gadeky of Torrance grew furious and shouted: "That is all we have heard—'Wait, wait, wait.' We shall wait no longer; we demand action." The words were greeted with a storm of cheers. Walton of Compton, was called: "We have been misrepresented long enough." Ballard of Long Beach: "That's what I say; we have been misrepresented long enough. A charter 72 years old is out of date. We want a member who will see us at least once a year."

The resolution calling for a new charter and for recall of the supervisor from the Fourth district passed unanimously. Captain Hanson of San Pedro spoke for the entrance of the Santa Fe into San Pedro and surprised many by the statement that San Pedro is now the second port of entry in the United States. Mr. Reed representing the Santa Fe, came to the stage and made a plea for his company. Frequent reference was made to the city of Torrance as a great manufacturing center through which the Santa Fe would pass to the harbor nearby.

Committee on Journalism Representatives of a committee on journalism appeared on the floor urging reformation of the press; that only the most meagre reference be made to crime and criminals in the daily press—referring to those of Los Angeles; that all coarse, suggestive and necessarily immoral references and hinting, virtually, of transgressors of the law, be eliminated and forbidden by the owners of these papers in their columns in order that the reputation of the profession of journalism itself should be saved and conserved; as well as the morals of the growing generation be not contaminated by alleged journalism.

Mr. Pottenger of Redondo Beach spoke of a conversation at Hollywood with a representative of the metropolitan press, who volunteered that the ideal to be followed in journalism was that of the Christian Science Monitor, of Boston. President Finkle: "The evils following the publication of every act of criminals and giving the most exhaustive details of the private life of the Obenchains, the Clara Phillips' kind of people, is beyond computation." The resolution offered by the committee on journalism, an independent body, was endorsed, with a reference to the constituent chambers of commerce for their action, from which it will be referred back to the central body for final approval.

President Finkle then called for nominations for a meeting place for the convocation of the Fourth District Chambers of Commerce, at present, having no hall large enough for the numbers who now attend. Torrance offered its hospitable attentions and will swing the gates of the Magic City open on April 12, with welcome and the right hand of fellowship.

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema can be quickly overcome by applying a little Mentho-Sulphur, declares a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation begins at once to soothe irritated skin and heal eruptions such as rash, pimples and ring worm. It seldom fails to remove the torment and disfigurement, and you do not have to wait for relief from embarrassment. Improvement quickly shows. Sufferers from skin trouble should obtain a small jar of Rowles Mentho-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.

WANTED Our patrons and prospective patrons to know that there has been no change in the management. Respectfully, Torrance Laundry Co.

ANNOUNCEMENT The Lomita Millinery will open an office in Teagarden's Building on Wednesday, March 21, with a full line of Spring Hats. Come in and select yours for Easter. Lomita Millinery Teagarden Building 1164 Narbonne Ave. Lomita

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The advent of the real estate and brokerage firm of GRIMM & NOLAND into the business life of Torrance less than a week ago, is already being felt in realty circles where big deals are put through.

L. E. Grimm, senior partner of the firm, has a large following of Oakland and Los Angeles investors, former clients, many of them, and only last week closed three large realty deals with the assistance of Mr. Noland.

S. K. Noland is well and favorably known in every Southern California city and town, where he has come in contact with thousands of people as real estate auctioneer. He enjoys a large acquaintance among Iowa people in the Southland, who rely implicitly upon his judgment of real estate values.

Their object here is to take active interest in new subdivisions, oil leases, and listings of acreage, business property, etc. Mr. Grimm is especially experienced in oil lands and leases, and would appreciate calls from prospective clients interested in the oil development in this district.

S. K. Noland was formerly from Iowa, where he was well known as a real estate auctioneer. Since locating in Los Angeles two years ago Mr. Noland has conducted auction sales throughout Southern California as well as conducting a general real estate business at 1148 South Western Ave.

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