

MOVES TO TUSTIN
 Frank Sharpe, proprietor of Frank's Lunch stand on Sartori avenue, has moved to Tustin, Calif., where he plans to engage in the restaurant business.

CEILING AS BILLBOARD
 By the United Press
 ST. PAUL, Minn.—An inspired press agent has come to the rescue of barber shop patrons who are tired of listening to loquacious razor wielders. Advertisements for a St. Paul theater have been posted on the ceiling where patrons can read them while being shaved.

State Fourth in Federal Road Aid

By the United Press
 California stands fourth in the amount of money spent on the highways under federal aid, according to a statement made in Washington, D. C., this week.

This state is led by Texas, Pennsylvania and New York. California the last fiscal year. California spent \$11,396,353 on federal aid roads, of which \$5,087,671 was contributed by the United States.

ELECTREX GIFTS at Dolley's

At Money Saving Prices

Curling Irons, 98c
 Waving and Curling Sets, \$1.98
 Electric Irons, Boudoir and Household Sizes, \$2.98
 Waffle Irons, \$7.98
 Toasters, \$2.98
 Heating Pads, \$6.75

You Can Depend Upon Electrex Gifts for Long and Satisfactory Service.

Dolley Drug Co.
The Retail Star
 El Prado at Sartori, Torrance Phone 10

BABY, 99 PER CENT PERFECT, IS FOUND HERE

Clinton Thaxter is Best New Arrival Yet at Mothers' Center

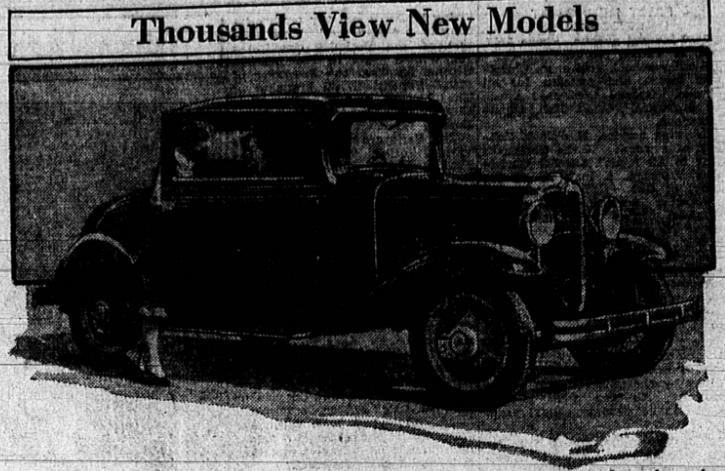
Clinton Thaxter, six weeks old, on his first visit to the Mothers' Educational Center here last week scored heavily with the baby examiners. In fact, when they got through with testing Clinton he was found to be 99 per cent perfect.

Of course his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton E. Thaxter, of 2372 Redondo boulevard, credit him with 100 per cent perfection, but even at the loss of but one per cent, Clinton is, to date, the most perfect baby yet welcomed to the Center.

Would Compel Married Women To Give Up Jobs

By the United Press
 SACRAMENTO.—Every married woman employed in state offices at Sacramento, San Francisco and Los Angeles, would be compelled to give up her position unless she can prove herself to be the head of a family, under a bill to be introduced in the 1931 legislature by Assemblyman Dan Emmett of Santa Paula.

A married woman's place is in the home, unless she is required to support a family. Emmett contends, declaring that her present employment, especially in public service departments, is one of the causes of unemployment among both men and women who must earn a livelihood. It is his belief that enactment of such a law and its subsequent enforcement would greatly alleviate the suffering now resulting from unemployment in California.



Thousands View New Models

The announcement of the 1931 Chevrolet models created no end of interest throughout the nation. Here is one of the new models, the new coupe. All are six-cylinder cars, with 107 improvements and refinements throughout bodies and chassis. Dealers everywhere report revived interest in the automobile industry as a result of Chevrolet's announcement coming nearly two months ahead of the usual time.

KEYSTONE NOTES

Indications of the renewed buying interest in automobiles from coast to coast were manifest here today in hundreds of telegrams that are pouring in on the Chevrolet Motor Company, according to E. W. Fuhr, Pacific Regional Manager of Chevrolet, who has just completed a tour of the West. The telegrams fall of the sensational reception accorded the new Chevrolet since its introduction November 15th.

Telegrams coming from Chevrolet officials and dealers in all parts of the country offer an excellent cross-section of the buying attitude of the automobile public, and presage an even bigger automobile year than had been anticipated, according to Chevrolet officials.

Prior to the introduction of the new Chevrolet, six at its lower prices, Chevrolet officials were preparing for a banner year in 1931. And now, as a result of the enthusiastic reception accorded the new car, it may become necessary to make further re-handling of manufacturing plans to handle the increasing business, it was pointed out.

A particularly gratifying feature of the report is that the buying urge is not confined to any one section, but seems general across the country. Not only in the larger centers but in the smaller towns Chevrolet showrooms have been crowded for several days and marked buying enthusiasm shown.

A tabulation of sales figures for the announcement period is now under way. According to officials, sales during the announcement period of the last few days will probably break the record set by Chevrolet during the corresponding period of a year ago.

Excerpts from some of the wires tell an interesting story of the attitude of the buying public across the country.

300 YEAR OLD BREWERY TO CLOSE
 By the United Press
 NEWBERRY, (Berksire) Eng.—A brewery established here in 1690 is closing its doors.

MONEY TO LOAN
 THOSE who seek construction loans . . . or loans to buy, improve or re-finance . . . will find "GUARANTY'S" easy Monthly Re-payment Plan conveniently adaptable to their needs.

This plan charts a systematic course for repayment of the loan, which thousands have found to be practicable. The interest decreases with each monthly installment and the loan diminishes . . . until paid out, and canceled.

The borrower has no troublesome and costly renewals to meet every few years . . . as in the case of the ordinary loan.

Come in and . . . without any obligation . . . talk over your financing problems with . . .

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 69 South First St. SAN JOSE
 RESOURCES OVER 10 MILLIONS

Mrs. John Hilpert, child welfare chairman of the Canyon street Parent Teachers Association, was allowed \$10 at the meeting of the Association Tuesday afternoon for use in promoting Christmas cheer to the needy children in the community. Christmas baskets will be filled with provisions to be provided by the children and others in the community who wish to assist. These may be left at the school during this week together with any clothing and will be placed by Mrs. Hilpert and her committee before Christmas.

Other matters pertaining to the Parent Teachers program were discussed at length. Mrs. Blanche P. Ritter announced that the annual play to be presented by the children as a benefit for the school would be held on the evenings of December 10 and 12. Hostesses during the social half hour following the meeting were Mesdames Blanche P. Ritter, Talitha Carleton, Thomas A. Cowan and Fern Chambers.

The Croquet club was entertained Thursday by Mrs. S. S. Tannehill. A roast goose dinner was served at noon by the hostess followed by sewing during the afternoon. Plans were made for the annual Christmas party to be held by the club. Guests and members present were Mrs. Pernia Piper, Mrs. Harry C. Roogue, Mrs. George H. Koehler, Mrs. Z. W. Jennings, Mrs. George Nahmens, Mrs. Barbara Berry of Keystone, Mrs. Louis Bordeaux, Mrs. Oscar Anderson, and Mrs. H. T. Hoxworth of Long Beach, Mrs. Sam Glover of Midway City.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis McNeilly and family of Grace and 21st streets, have moved to Hawthorne.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Tannehill were guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McCombs in Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nahmens and daughter, Ruth, motored to Long Beach Thursday night, where with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Nahmens and daughter, Dorothy, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nahmens of Long Beach, they assisted Mrs. G. C. Nahmens, mother of Mr. Nahmens, in celebrating her 79th birthday.

G. H. Sapp was numbered among the members of the Torrance Woodmen who motored to the Long Beach Woodmen lodge meeting Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Roogue and daughters, Audrey and Blossom, and Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. Jennings and daughter, Barbara

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 is a Doctor's Prescription for COLDS AND HEADACHES
 It is the Most Speedy Remedy Known
 666 also in Tablets

Bladder Weakness
 If Getting Up Nights, Backache, frequent day calls, Leg Pains, Nervousness, or Burning, due to functional Bladder Irritation, in cold conditions, makes you feel tired, depressed and discouraged, try the Cystex Test and discouraged, try the Cystex Test and discouraged, try the Cystex Test.

BAKED HEDDHOG SERVED
 By the United Press
 MANSFIELD, Ind.—Baked heddhog was served at the annual dinner of the Swainmote society which was formed to keep alive old customs and traditions.

Jan. were guests at a roast goose dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Koehler on Wilmington street Saturday night.

Mrs. Charles M. Forrest and daughter, Carol, and son, Charles, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Donnwitz in Long Beach.

Mrs. Pernia Piper and Mrs. S. S. Tannehill and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bordeaux and three children of Long Beach, motored to Midway City Monday evening, where they were guests of Mrs. Sam Glover, mother of Mrs. Bordeaux.

Mrs. Charles Heston of 216th street, who was taken to the General Hospital in Los Angeles more than a week ago, is reported to be progressing. However, Mrs. Heston will remain in the hospital until after Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Barnard and daughter, Barbara, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Othmer in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vesley and son, Bobbie, of Hollywood, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hilpert and family.

Mrs. Mae Nahmens of Long Beach and Mrs. John Beltz of Point Richmond were guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. George Nahmens and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Jeter of Harbor City were hosts at a chicken dinner with Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Tannehill as guests Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Charles M. Forrest and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cunningham motored to Harbor City Thursday evening, where they attended the annual bazaar and turkey dinner at the Harbor City Community church.

Mrs. Margaret Baird and Miss Irene Fryer of Los Angeles were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tipton and family.

Yuletide Safety Outline Written By W. J. French

By the United Press
 With the Christmas season at hand, a plea for safety in the home was made this week by Will J. French, director of industrial relations.

No person who believes in safety will have the following in his home this Christmas, he says:

Lighted candles on the tree.
 A tree that is not firmly anchored.
 Inflammable decorations.
 Flimsy clothes for Santa Claus.
 Lighted candles in the windows.

And here are things no careful parent will do this Christmas:
 Use a rickety ladder in decorating a tree.
 Give dangerous toys to the children.
 Leave the tree lighted when he goes out.
 Keep the tree in the house after it has dried out.

CLARK JEWEL GAS RANGE
 Beautiful, modern gas range in ivory or green with oven heat control. Give a Christmas present for the entire family to enjoy all year long.

Do you know the "wait-a-minute" man?

SOMEBODY wants to talk with him by telephone. It may be his best friend, his best customer. But the delay in answering runs into seconds . . . and now the person who called has hung up. Two people disappointed! Fortunately, the wait-a-minute man is becoming quite rare.

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And you ought to see their little eyes pop with glee as they press their pink cheeks against our big show window full of dolls.

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Every type, every character, every race and color.

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Now is the time to prepare for the big Christmas feast . . . So that you may have time to attend to the million other little details at the last minute.

Challenge Butter 1 lb. 37c
 Fresh Churned—High Score—You Never Go Wrong on Challenge

Nucoa 2 lbs. 25c
 A New Low Price—the Favorite

Hills Red Can Coffee 1 lb. 39c
 Our Regular Every-Day Price

Tomatoes 3 large cans 25c
 Fine Quality in Puree

Camel Cigarettes cart. \$1.15
 Luxury in Smokes

Ben Hur Coffee 39c
 One Trial Will Win You

Coco Malt 1 lb. Can 48c
Jell-Well pkg. 8c

Peaches YELLOW CLING large can 16c
Vitamont can 10c

VANITY ANN DOLLS \$2.39
 Walks—Talks Worth \$5.00 for
 Sleeps—Winks

Dump Carts ONLY \$2.99
 Strong—Has Rubber Tires—Sides and Back are Removable

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