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County Section Made Fire Dist.

County supervisors late last week annexed into fire protection districts, over the protests of oil companies, 33 square miles including all the county territory between the harbor district and the city of Los Angeles. The section includes North Wilmington and Keystone but excludes the Richfield and Shell Oil refineries at Watson station.

A fire protection tax rate estimated at about 37 cents per hundred dollar valuation, will be levied starting July 1, the supervisors said. Assessed valuation of the area annexed was put at about 41 million dollars, which would mean annual collection of \$15,700 for fire protection purposes. There was no announcement of plans to build additional fire stations.

The section was ordered annexed to the present Willowbrook fire protection district by a 4 to 1 vote. Supervisor Roger Jessup voting no on Supervisor Oscar Haug's motion.

Spokesmen for the oil companies and the California Oil and Gas association said the refineries have their own fire systems covering 80 per cent of the property in the area and the tax would be for a service they do not need. Hague said fire protection is needed for homes and stores in the district.

Here's How Ordinary Cream May be Whipped

Housewives who have missed the extra touch that whipped cream gives to salads, desserts and other dishes since that creamery product is no longer obtainable should file away these directions for whipping light coffee cream into fluffy delectable whiteness:

- 1 1/2 teaspoons plain gelatin.
- 2 tablespoons milk
- 1 cup light cream, thoroughly chilled (icy cold)
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1/2 teaspoon pure vanilla extract

Soften gelatin in cold milk. Dissolve thoroughly over hot water. Pour cream into deep bowl, making certain it is sufficiently deep so cream will cover beaters. Add sugar and vanilla and stir until sugar is dissolved. Add gelatin and beat until stiff with rotary beater.

CHURCH NEWS

CATHOLIC CHURCH OF THE NATIVITY

Engracia and Manuel avenues. Rev. Fr. Joseph Leo Bauer, pastor. Masses Sundays: 6, 8 and 10 a. m.

Rosary, sermon-instruction and Benediction, Sundays at 5 p. m. Masses Holy Days: 6, 8 a. m. Week day Mass: 8 a. m. Wednesdays at 7:30 p. m. Novena devotions, sermon and Benediction. Instruction in Catholic Doctrine after service. Confessions: 4 until 6 p. m.; 7:30 until 9 p. m. Confessions eves of Holy Days and eve of First Friday.

Catechism classes for all children, Wednesdays at 3 p. m. and Saturdays at 9:30 a. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Services at Torrance Men's Bible Class building on Cravens. Bible class, Sunday at 10:50 a. m. Morning service, 11:50 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Bible drill, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

NAZARENE CHURCH

W. A. Penner, pastor, 26507 North Royal, Hammetton Tract. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Young people's meeting, 6:30 p. m. Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m.

ST. ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. Paul M. Wheeler, vicar, 1432 Engracia ave. Church school at 9:30 a. m. Holy Communion, 8 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon by Rev. Benj. Miller of Downey, 11 a. m.

Thursday, 11 a. m. Holy Communion and prayers for members in the archdiocese at this site. Young people's meeting, 6 p. m. First Sunday of the month, Holy Communion, 11 a. m.

Monthly meetings: First Mondays, 7:30 p. m. Vestry. Second Wednesdays, 1:30 p. m. St. Cecilia Guild, First Thursdays, 1:30 p. m. Women's Auxiliary, First Tuesdays, 2:30 p. m. Gardena Guild, Last Fridays, 7 p. m. Club Pack No. 241.

Weekly meetings: "Girl Scouts," 7:30 p. m. Mondays, 7 p. m.; junior patrol, Thursdays, 5:30 p. m. Boy Scout patrol Saturdays, 9 a. m.; troop, Thursdays, 7 p. m.

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

Meets at 9:30 a. m. Sundays in their hall opposite public library on Cravens avenue. All welcome.

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Frank D. Meckling, pastor. Acacia and Sonoma avenues. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning service, 10:45 a. m. Topic: "In the Valley of Decision." Tuesday, Jan. 19, luncheon and bake sale, beginning at 11:30 a. m.

FOUR SQUARE GOSPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Griffith, pastors, 1307 El Prado. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Creators service, 6:30 p. m. Prayer meet, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

LATTER DAY SAINTS

Woman's clubhouse, Wilford Newland, bishop. Sunday school, 10:30 a. m. Evening service, 7:00 p. m. Tuesday, 2 p. m. Relief Society, 3:15 p. m. Primary association and 7:30 p. m. Mutual Improvement association.

FIRST BAPTIST

Rev. C. Miles Northrup, pastor, Carson and Martin. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning service, 10:50 a. m. Dr. Paul H. Conrad, director of Stewardship in the Western Baptist Convention, will speak. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Topic: "Believing for Ourselves." Special praise service.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting, praise and testimony. Thursday, 7:30 p. m., Sunday school teachers and officers' meeting.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. W. W. Jewell, pastor, 1415 Engracia ave. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning service, 10:40 a. m. Topic: "The Christ of the Bible." Young people's meeting, 6:30 p. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Topic: "The Coming Great Day."

Wednesday evening, youth prayer service and Bible study, 7 p. m. Choir rehearsal, 8 p. m. W. C. T. U. meets at the Christian church, Tuesday, Jan. 19, at 10 p. m.

Berean class party at church, Friday, Jan. 15. Circle No. 3 meets Jan. 21 at the home of Mrs. Bess Marker.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

2123 218th st. and Manuel ave. Sunday morning services, at 11. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting, 8 p. m. Reading room at 1750 Manuel ave. 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. each week day.

"The gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord." The foregoing passage from Romans will be the Golden Text of the Sunday Lesson-Sermon on "Life" in all Churches of Christ, Scientist.

A Lesson-Sermon citation from Luke relates that when Jesus came near to the gates of the city of Nain "there was a dead man carried out, the only son of his mother, and she was a widow; and much people of the city were with her. And when the Lord saw her, he had compassion on her, and said unto her, Weep not. And he came and touched the bier; and they that bare him stood still. And he said, Young man, I say unto thee, Arise. And he that was dead sat up, and began to speak. And he delivered him to his mother."

Mary Baker Eddy, the author of "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," writes: "Man's privilege at this supreme moment is to prove the words of our Master: 'If a man keep my saying, he shall never see death.'" "That statement is not confined to spiritual life, but includes all the phenomena of existence." "It is a sin to believe that aught can overpower omnipotent and eternal Life, and this Life must be brought to light by the understanding that there is no death, as well as by other graces of Spirit. We must begin, however, with the more simple demonstrations of control, and the sooner we begin the better."

Tough Going in New Guinea Mud



American Army trucks carrying supplies to the front lines have to battle the mud in New Guinea, but, sooner or later, they arrive. The rainy season is over now, but the mud remains.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Paul H. Perry, pastor, 1741 Border ave. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning worship, 11 a. m. Christ's Ambassadors service, 6:30 p. m. Evening Evangelistic service, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Harry Branton, pastor, El Prado at Carson. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening, prayer and Bible study in church parlors at 7:30 o'clock.

Wednesday, prayer groups meet in the different homes at 10 a. m. Thursday, study class on Latin America at the parsonage at 9:30 a. m.

MONETA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

David F. Barnett, Jr., pastor, Gardena blvd. and Manhattan pl. Gardena (1 block west of Western) at 16th st. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Topic: "As Long As There Are Homes." Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Topic: "Victory Gardens."

Deininger and Hutton Elected Vice-Presidents Of Torrance Nat'l Bank

Robert J. Deininger was elected first vice president and cashier of the Torrance National bank at a meeting of the directors Tuesday, it was announced by James W. Post, president. Howard E. Hutton, who recently joined the bank's executive staff, was elected vice president.

CENTRAL EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Marcelina and Arlington avenues. Rev. H. W. Roloff, pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Topic: "The Kingdom First." Vesper League, 5 p. m. in charge of Dudley Houghton. Topic: "Can We Believe in God?" Nursery facilities for children.

Choir rehearsal, Friday at 7 p. m. Sixth monthly fellowship dinner, Wednesday, Jan. 20, 6 p. m., pot-luck style.

A comparative condensed statement, published elsewhere in this issue, reflects a substantial growth during the past three years. Resources as of Dec. 31, 1942, reached an all-time high of \$1,582,734.49 as compared with \$809,629.18 in 1940, and \$1,004,206.58 in 1941.

During the past year, an additional \$10,000 of preferred stock has been retired, making a total of \$30,000 which has been paid off out of the original \$50,000 issue subscribed by the Reconstruction Finance corporation.

NEW SCOUTMASTER

Following reorganization of the Walteria Boy Scout troop, Joel Hagberg took over as scoutmaster last Friday night at the Walteria recreation center.

ENJOYING REST

Harry Abramson is enjoying a few days' rest at Loma Linda.

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