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Chatsworth PTA

The Chatsworth Elementary School PTA will honor the Fathers at their evening meeting March 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium.

The topic will be "Courage and Action 1956 Games". Dr. Wayne Butterbaugh will speak and show films of the 1956 Olympic Games.

Youth participation will be the Cub Scouts leading the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag, and at this meeting officers for the coming year will be elected.

Our local PTA is in need of people to enter articles in the District Arts and Crafts Show to be held March 22 and 23 at Fulton Jr. High School, Kester and Satiscoy, Van Nuys. Anyone having his own or a PTA member's art work such as painting, copperwork, ceramics, jewelry, leather work, clothing, knitting, crocheting, or fancywork, please call Mrs. Formanek at DI 8-7654.

Everyone should enjoy attending this show - tickets are 25¢ and available at the school office or at the next PTA meeting March 18.

some of you we have overlooked - if you have a neighbor or friend not receiving The Grapevine, please let us know - it is mailed free of charge to all Chatsworth residents!

PIONEER JUBILEE

The Chatsworth First Methodist Church was filled to capacity for the Pioneer celebration of the 70th anniversary of the organization last Sunday, and sound projection carried the messages to overflow meetings, when Bishop Gerald Kennedy of the Southern California-Arizona Conference spoke at the 11:00 a.m. morning worship service and Dale Evans and Rogers spoke at the 5:30 vesper service in the evening.

At the afternoon meeting Dr. Hildebrand, superintendent of the Pasadena District of the Methodist Conference, made the official change in the name of the church to The First Methodist Church. Dr. Hildebrand also presented the visiting former pastors, Rev. O.W.E. Cook (1905-06), the oldest living pastor to serve this church; Rev. and Mrs. Fred Beckes (1923); Rev. and Mrs. Harold Preston (1933); Rev. and Mrs. Charles Bacon (1934-38); and Rev. and Mrs. M.K. Stone (1942-46). Mrs. Winkler, mother of the late Kemp Winkler, who served in 1927 and 1928, was a special guest. Regrets were read from the Rev. Tom Walkers, the Rev. Millard Wolfes, and the Rev. Raynor Smiths. Lloyd Fellows Jr., the only one to go into (please turn to page 2)

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in costume, and in which Dr. and Mrs. Hayward were honored, was most entertaining, and the noon barbecue dinner and evening coffee hour were a time for renewal of old acquaintances for the old-time friends, many of whom came from great distances to attend, as well as for the newer members and friends.

Fine music was provided by the choir and youth choir at the morning services and by the Valley Male

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Christian service from the church, was also honored by Dr. H.L. Brand.

The Women's Society of Christian Service was in charge of the afternoon reminiscent period when the pastors were presented, and they also presented their own past presidents: Mdms. Charles Bacon, Ernest Johnson, Leslie Johnson, Sadie Harrison, Durk Haskell, Gordon Watts, Ray Cook, Gerald Jack, Frances Mahieu, and the present president, Mrs. Blanche Palmer.

Past presidents of the Epworth League and MYF were also introduced: Teddy Olsen, Mrs. William Schepler, Elaine Swartz, Mrs. Ray Cook, Charles Johnson, Eddie Johnson, Jim Roesch, and Gene Bernhard.

Mrs. Everett Cleveland, master of ceremonies, was assisted by Mrs. R.L. Johnson in the presentations.

The pageant in which the history of the church was briefly pictured

Chorus, directed by Stuart Crossong, at the the vesper service.

When the final song "God Be With You 'Til We Meet Again" was sung and the benediction was pronounced, there was joy in the hearts of all and tears in the eyes of many for the enriching experience of the day.

Mrs. RALPH ROATCAP entertained a group of friends of her daughter TERRY for a party in honor of her 6th birthday on Sunday afternoon. It was fun for all, especially Terry, who loved all the nice presents she received.

Mrs. FRANK SPENCE R had a party Saturday afternoon, honoring her daughter LESLIE on her 8th birthday. All enjoyed the games and refreshments and Leslie was happy over the nice remembrances of the day.

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Among those giving demonstrations were Linda Harris, Dale Runyan, Roger Howard, Johnny Cota, and Hans Seyerle.

Karen Fortune, junior leader for poultry, reported that her project members are now all ready for a profitable year, having just received shipments of baby chicks. Karen and Crawford Bixby have added 25 pullets for their egg laying project; Mark Harris has 25 fryers and Georgia Polich has 25 straight run chickens.

Bobby Jack and Robert Newman are new poultry members but did not participate in the baby chick program.

A SPECIAL NOTE TO CHATSWORTH NEWCOMERS: We're trying to keep our mailing list up to date but there may be some of you we have overlooked - if you have a neighbor or friend not receiving The Grapevine, please let us know - it is mailed free of charge to all Chatsworth residents!

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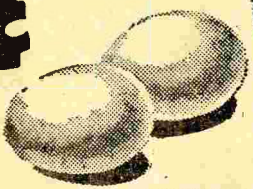
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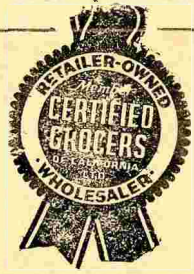
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Mr. and Mrs. Truman BARLOW (KAREN LAURITZEN) with their daughter Karileann and their new infant son, arrived from Arizona and are staying at the home of Karen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonreed Lauritzen for a week's visit. This is the first time the proud grandparents have seen their first grandson, who is only a few weeks old.

GIRL SCOUT WEEK is March 8 to 15...time to pay special honor to the Girl Scouts for their high standards, earnest efforts and fine accomplishments. This week and every week, remember that they're counting on you to do your part, through your support and encouragement of Girl Scout work. We might add that we have some mighty fine girl scout leaders here in Chatsworth!!

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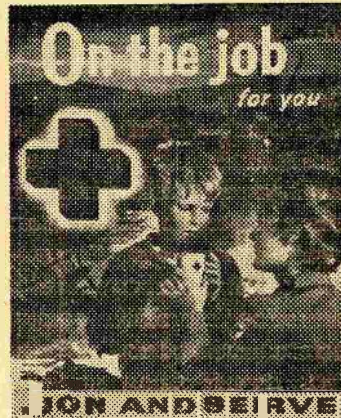
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The 1958 Expanded RED CROSS fund drive moves into its second week with volunteer chairman Dave Latham urging door-to-door canvassers to "step up the tempo".

The local goal in the month-long drive is \$1,185.00. During the past month Mrs. Harold Sunde and Mrs. Florence B. Shaw, Chatsworth district heads, have been busily recruiting more than 30 residential workers who are needed to guarantee the success of the campaign.

Any resident who can donate two hours to making calls in his or her neighborhood should call DI 0-8884, according to the chairman.