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## Chatsworth PTA

Dale Evans Rogers, guest speaker at the meeting of the Chatsworth PTA Tuesday afternoon at the school auditorium, used as her subject "Spiritual Education of Children". She stated that our children are not ours, but are "a heritage from the Lord" and are loaned to us to raise for Him. She believes that the spiritual education of the child is even more important than scholastic education, for "as the twig is bent, so grows the tree", and unless a child is given a spiritual background he is handicapped to meet life.

Mrs. Rogers stressed the fact that schools throughout the ages have been an outgrowth of the church and of religious leaders, and deplored the fact that today no spiritual education is allowed in the schools. She urged, as a substitute, that parents enroll their children in the released time education classes of their choice, which are available for most schools.

Mrs. Rogers was presented by the program chairman, Mrs. Frank Schepler, and was heartily received by the large number of mothers present.

**WHAT-DO-YOU-KNOW!!** Devonshire between Vassar and Jordan will soon boast sidewalks and paving! Our little town is growing up.

## 3rd Annual Fiesta

Plans have begun to percolate for our third annual FIESTA, which will be held this year on July 5. Hank Watson is heading up the Fiesta Committee, with the following workers assisting him: Dr. E. M. Miner, "Chuck" Janess, Bob Pierce, Paul Thomas, Dr. Robert Bleier, and Betty Straka. Our Chatsworth merchants are financially sponsoring the entire affair this year, with the thought of making for a better Chatsworth. The booths will be run by non-profit organizations only, with the profit from each booth going to the organization which sponsors it. The Queen will not sell tickets, but will be sponsored by an organization, and will be chosen by your votes when you make a purchase at a local store. Plan now to enjoy this day of fun in our own community -- there will be a parade, entertainment, refreshments, and dancing -- watch The Grapevine for developments as the date draws near!

Mrs. Charles Hills, leader of the Camp Fire Girls, presented five of the girls, prettily dressed in Easter dresses and bonnets, in a song, "The Easter Parade", accompanied by Mrs. Brewster.

Second grade room mothers were hostesses for refreshments served during the social hour.

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The new Chapel for the FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH is finally started, after several anxious months while the City Hall cleared all the plans, etc. And none too soon, either, for already double services have been scheduled to take care of the increased attendance. Beginning this Sunday, two morning services will be held, the first at 8:30 a.m., the second at 11:00 a.m. The choir will sing only at the 11:00 a.m. service. Sunday School will be as usual at 9:45.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference of the FIRST METHODIST CHURCH was held Thursday night in the church sanctuary, with the District Superintendent, Dr. William Hildebrand, presiding.

The annual election of all the church officers was held and annual reports of all officers and organizations received, showing a year of remarkable growth and activity. With the present two services, church attendance has increased 30% over last year, with similar substantial increases in the various church organizations.

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Mr. and Mrs. SCOTT BRADLEY have returned from a short vacation trip to Arizona.

The GLENN SMITH'S of Vassar Street left Tuesday on a long-planned trip to Hawaii with Glenn's parents. While mama and papa are winging their way over the ocean, the rest of the family will hold down the fort and the swimming pool here at home. We know that we aren't supposed to envy anyone, but....

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ter and Bill Downes, Judy Watson and Veronica Polich, Elizabeth Hayes, Linda Struckenbruck and Pinky Garman, who won blue ribbons at the same contest.

Pat Maybin and Pinky Garman, who were blue ribbon winners at the Valley Dress Revue at Northridge Jr. High on April 2, will now compete in the County Dress Revue. Surprise acts are also planned for the May 17 demonstr.

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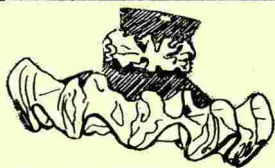
POSTMASTER JENNINGS announces three dispatches daily now -- one at 7:00 a.m., one at 2:20 p.m., and the third at 6:00 p.m.

SENIOR HIGH YOUTH are invited to FUN NIGHT at the First Baptist Church this Saturday night at about 7:00 p.m. Volley ball and games are scheduled.

In connection with Public Schools Week, Canoga Park High School will hold an OPEN HOUSE tomorrow, Friday, April 25. Parents of all students are invited to visit the school campus at 6850 Topanga, from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.

Following a brief assembly in G. Walter Monroe Auditorium, parents will visit two representative periods from their son or daughter's school day. After this an extended conference period will be held during which they are free to see any classes or teachers they may wish. Refreshments will be served in the cafeteria at the conclusion of the evening.

Principal Henry O. Dyck urges attendance and states the purpose of the affair is for answering questions and interpreting Canoga. This has been outlined in a general letter sent to all parents.



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The officers will be installed at the next meeting on May 21.

Mrs. Lorbeer presented the program "The March of Missions With Youth" and Mrs. Kearns brought the devotional message.

The meeting concluded with luncheon served by members of the Love Circle.

Men of the community are cordially invited to attend the Tuesday morning Christian Fellowship Meetings at the First Baptist Church at -- get this -- 6:00 a.m. Plan to have your coffee and doughnuts at the church this Tuesday morning as your soul is spiritually fed! A good attendance has been reported at the first few meetings and this early morning hour seems to be best for busy men who have a full-scheduled day.

This shouldn't remind us of this corny joke, and no offence meant, but one fellow said to the other, "Did you hear about that crazy guy who got up at 2 o'clock in the morning to ride a horse!" "No kidding! Who'd get up that early just to go horse-back riding??"

"Paul Revere."

Mr. and Mrs. RICHARD WILLIAMS are enjoying a visit from Mrs. Williams' niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Nicholson of Kansas City. The Nicholsons are looking around with the idea of locating in this area permanently.

That's all for today --  
see you in church!!!

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