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'And the King shall answer and say unto them 'Verily I say unto you, inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these, my brethren, ye have done it unto Me.' Matt. 25:40

An Appeal
 from Dr. Joseph Schurter

This is the time of year we call "Community Chest Time". The 164 agencies of the Chest combine their appeals into one and approach you once each year through a program we call "Community Chest".

It requires some 38 people to solicit Chatsworth and it is to the credit of everyone that each year these kind people come forward and give of their time to provide the organization for our drive. Every year some of the ladies, who for several years past have helped so generously, fall from the ranks, some move to a new location, others illness, others new family obligations.

We need your help, and the reward is great for those who serve. It is theirs to know they have done a little extra to help the people who depend on Chest services. It is theirs to feel they have helped a little more to make our city a nicer, more wholesome, place to live. Theirs is the pleasure of calling on their neighbors, at least once a year, and passing a pleasant moment or two. 'Tis happy and joyful to meet with one's neighbors and still do a good service, so join this year and call on a few of your neighbors. You can do as much or as little as you wish. If you have a few hours to spare the first two weeks of November, you

can put it to a good cause. Just call me at Diamond 8-7754 or drop me a postcard to 20550 Chatsworth Street. Your help will be greatly appreciated.

(Side-line: The Grapevine is soliciting Chatsworth Street from Santa Susanna to Mason and eagerly looking forward to once again having communion with friends and neighbors and to meet the many new people who have built on that street. So friends on Chatsworth Street: be ye forewarned and fore-armed with your ready contributions, either as a pledge or ready cash. I will be a-coming around the corner sometime during the first week, and we will take enough time to enjoy a cup of coffee!!)

HALLOWEEN PARTIES

Tues. Oct. 25th Orcutt Park:
 4:00 P.M. - Costume affair -
 entertainment - prizes, etc.
 For all school-age children.

 Friday, Oct. 28th - School
 CARNIVAL - hot dogs, egg sand-
 wiches, punch, coffee, cupcakes,
 cookies; bake-sale, game booths,
 aprons and dress dolls for sale,
 nursery plants, etc.; Indian ex-
 hibit and COLORED CARTOON FILMS
 in the auditorium.

 Friday, Oct. 28th - Squaredancers
 COSTUME BALL 7:30-10:00 p.m. White
 Oak Hall: prizes, refreshments.

 Saturday, Oct. 29th ADULTS ONLY
 no teen-agers. "Cobweb Ball" cos-
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CHATSWORTH WOMEN'S CLUB

A beautiful day welcomed the first fall meeting of the Women's Club held in their clubrooms at the Center. Lovely ladies, fashionably attired, graced the noon-hour and were greeted by a corp of charming hostesses. The luncheon tables were beautifully adorned with garlands and roses on sparkling white tablecloths, and strategically spaced as to permit a full, unrestricted view of all the proceedings. The delectable repast consisted of chicken and mushroom casserole, molded fresh vegetable salad, hot rolls, coffee, pineapple sherbet and home-made cookies.

The charming Mrs. Kate Sheridan presided over the speaker's table in her capacity as President and led in the Pledge of Allegiance to Our Flag, followed by the singing of "America, the Beautiful" and God's Grace upon the gathering by Dr. Harold Hayward before partaking of the luncheon.

At its conclusion, Mrs. Sheridan then presented Mrs. Cleo Sunde, Press Chairman and former president, who introduced the society editors seated at the speaker's table, representing the Los Angeles Times, Valley Times, Valley News, Canoga Park Herald and Chatsworth's very own paper, The Grapevine.

Mrs. Sheridan then presented Mrs. Katharine Johnson, co-Press Chairman, who interviewed the honored guest, Mrs. Emma Graves of 22000 Chatsworth Street, born 82 years ago in Chatsworth and no other place has ever held any other attraction for her. She recounted the appearance of Chatsworth in

those early days, abounding in cactus and sagebrush, when her parents arrived via covered wagon and settled in Brown's Canyon and how her mother was instrumental in establishing the first school here, also the Community Church, and later receiving recognition of being one of three women in the valley who had done the most for the early settlers. This was not brought out in the meeting, but she and her husband, Fred Graves, built their home 60 years ago wherein their children were born and raised, and if those old walls could talk, what a story they would tell. Mrs. Graves was presented with a lovely corsage.

Mrs. Caroline Cooley, Program Chairman, then introduced the speaker of the day, Mr. Carl Dentzle of the South West Museum Association, who spoke on "The Heritage and Challenge of the Great Southwest", giving forth a most excellent portrayal of the vast heritage that is ours, and we, by acclaiming this section as our home, have become not only natives of California, but a unique people of the Great South West. He took the group back into the 16th century depicting the lives of the Indians on this very ground whereon we tread, their pueblos, their self-sufficiency in the knowledge of agriculture as compared to the starving nations abroad, at that time. Relics of Indians may still be found in the canyons about us. (When Emma Johnson Graves was little, the Indian family living on Walter Lohman's property were helpful to the Johnson family in a great

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RAY and ROSEMARY JOHNSTON of 22044 Lassen have just returned from a vacation of 18 days, appending their trailer to the Packard for a tour of the Grand Canyon, Oak-creek Canyon, where they explored the cliff dwellings of the Indians, on to Mesa Verde, Colorado, and then down to Santa Fe, N.M. and Carlsbad Caverns. They couldn't resist bringing back two turtles, Texas and Pecos Bill, which they gave to a favorite niece. And may I at this point add a few words: if I had been their guest and they had insisted upon bringing back those two turtles, I would have been compelled to ride on top the remainder of the trip, and if assured that they wouldn't climb up, would also have taken my meals on top deck.

THE RESIDENTS OF VARIEL AVENUE would like to make an appeal. They love their children and they love their new paved street, but unless one's speed is diminished we may have a fatality and that we don't want. SO PLEASE, dear drivers, watch out for the children darting out from the driveways, who are also enjoying the grade for their wagons.

THE BOY SCOUTS have cancelled their dinner scheduled for Saturday, October 29th at White Oak Hall on the assumption (and no doubt correct) that the people would not turn out for it and the turkey dinner scheduled for November 4th. The scouts are taking this means, when they decide on a date, to build up their treasury so that they can go to camp next summer. BE SURE & SUPPORT.

MR. & MRS. LESLIE HADLEY and MR. and MRS. RUSSELL McELVAIN spent last weekend at the Hadley's mountain cabin at Mammoth Lakes. The trip was made to close the cabin for the winter but proved a delightful weekend outing for the McElvains who have been so closely tied down with their work at Chatsworth Market.

MR. & MRS. BERT WENDT, 10811½ Santa Susanna, celebrated their 41st wedding anniversary last week; and on Sunday poppa Bert celebrated his birthday with a special dinner when daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Slane, Jr. and three children of Canoga Park came to pay homage to dear old dad. They have also had as guests Bert's nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Engel and five children from Oak Park, Illinois, who were fortunate enough to find a suitable dwelling within a few days and are living near the San Fernando Mission.

LLOYD FELLOWS, JR. is home after a three-month's European trip, six weeks of this time in a work-camp in Lebanon. Much of the trip was taken on bicycle, with stops at Youth Hostels. Lloyd is being assigned to an assistant pastorate where he will work with youth. After he has assembled all of his pictures, it will be a pleasure to have him relate his experiences and view the scenes of his trip, as, no doubt, not many of us will ever get to Lebanon. Lloyd will let us know when he is ready to show them - and then you all come.

BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFTS AT THE COMMUNITY CHURCH BAZAAR NOV. 4th.

MORE ABOUT INDIANS

EARL and MIRIAM MUEHLENBACH, 22231 Devonshire, with their sons TERRY and DENNY, enjoyed a most unusual and interesting vacation this summer when they visited the Supai Indian tribe on the floor of the Grand Canyon. They have made many trips to various Indian centers in their hobby of studying this race, both prehistoric and modern, but this is the first time they have taken the boys with them.

On arriving at the Grand Canyon an Indian guide took their gear down on a pack horse, while the Muehlenbachs trudged down the eight mile trail, taking their time and getting many pictures of the scenery. The Supai Indians live in the Havasu Canyon, a part of Grand Canyon, all year and during the time the Ms. were there, they were celebrating the harvest with their annual Peach Festival, rodeo barbecue and all-night dancing and chanting. They attended the chief's wedding and danced in the circle for the children's "going away to school" dance.

A helicopter made a mercy trip into the valley for an old Indian woman who was injured coming down the trail, and took her out where she could receive proper care. This is only the second time that such a trip has been made into the valley and the Ms. were thrilled that they were there to see it and get pictures of the occasion.

They explored all the spectacular waterfalls, caves and canyons and experienced some terrific flash floods which did much damage to the valley and to all of Arizona. At the end of a week they regret-

fully left Supai and all the friends they had made there; they filled their water containers and went into the back country exploring ancient ruins and hunting for relics and were lucky to find some old pottery shards and a large grinding stone.

They revisited Monumental Valley to add some new pictures to their collection and saw the beautiful Batatikin Ruins, Sunset Crater and the Wapatki Cliff Dwellings, and studied the Indian culture of a thousand years ago.

They drove across hundreds of miles of rocky, dusty roads to the Hopi Mesas and talked with Chief Tawa Quep-tawa in the oldest continually occupied city in the U.S. with unbroken history since 1150. They ended their travels with a trek into Canyon de Chelly and the historic territory of Kit Carson's final clash with the Navajos.

Since their return, they have shown their pictures at various places, even going in to Los Angeles. The next showing will be at the school children's Carnival, Friday, October 28th. Miriam will also give a talk and show their pictures at the General Meeting of the W.S.C.S. third Wednesday, Nov. 16th, when the theme of the program will be "Indian Americans" - 10 a.m. - followed by a luncheon by the Esther Circle. Everyone is invited to hear Miriam give her experiences living with the Indians and of which we know so little today.

IF YOU HAVE ANY MESSAGE FOR YOUR FRIENDS WHICH A CHRISTMAS CARD CAN'T SAY, COME IN AND LET US HELP YOU.

DAY AND NIGHT ANSWERING
SERVICE RECENTLY INSTALLED
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Diamond 8-7659
DR. F. J. BRAINARD
21806 Devonshire, Chatsworth

HALLOWEEN PARTIES

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Leighton Noble and his orchestra. Twenty stars will be present, among them Lana Turner, Susan Hayward, etc. Prizes, refreshments. Several restaurants are furnishing bus transportation: Sportsmen's Lodge, Wild Goose, etc. 9 P.M. For reservations call St. 6-1462 or St. 0-0652 - - - \$2.00 per person. Proceeds above expenses to go to the San Fernando Valley Youth Foundation.

Saturday, Oct. 29th - not a costume. Our Rotary Club is sponsoring a dinner-dance for VISA students at Chatsworth Center. 6:30pm

HALLOWEEN-MONDAY NIGHT: 6:30 p.m. Orcutt Park: bonfire, costume parade, prizes, game booths, entertainment, food for sale.

THEN, FOLKS, TRICK OR TREAT: BE prepared with your goodies.

THE CHATSWORTH PTA announces that its membership has reached 466 as of this date, which represents 111%. Sometime in November the children will be accorded the showing of three Disney cartoons and "Beaver Valley" for their enthusiastic support of this drive.

At next Tuesday's meeting of the CHATSWORTH PTA, the school nurse, Mrs. Virginia Tiffany, will be the speaker, and the film "Healthy Family Relations for our children" will be shown. Music will be offered by the Mrs. Glass choral group (formerly Northridge Mothersingers) and the Campfire Girls will give the flag salute. Three new chairmen were ratified at the Board meeting: Mrs. Allen Pettebone, safety and coordinating council; Mrs. John Kenny, radio and T.V.; Mrs. Wilbur Todd, civilian defense.

THE BILL FISH family of 10219 Jordan, have sold their home to the Harris' of Burbank, through Winifred Curtis Realty, and will depart for Fullerton-Anaheim way as soon as it is out of escrow. Currently Bill's sister, Lanette and her husband, Duane Long of Omaha, Nebraska are visiting them, looking around for a place to settle. Great-grandma Mrs. Pierce will be striking out for herself again next Monday when she leaves for Oregon on the way home.

THE EUGENE WERTTI's of 21424 Mayan Drive, Twin Lakes, have sold their home and will be moving closer to their upholstery shop in Van Nuys as soon as it is out of escrow.

FOR SALE: 1948 Packard 4-door sedan \$200.00. Also used furniture BUT NO BUSINESS TRANSACTED ON SUNDAY. Di.8-6223

THE TREMBLEYS on Topanga have just returned from a two-week vacation trip to Mexico.

CHATSWORTH LAKE HIGHLIGHTS

On Sunday, Sept. 25th the EVERETT MINER family visited Frances' sister's family in Whittier and enjoyed a barbecued dinner of spaghetti, chicken and porkchops, with all the trimmings.

That same day, HERMAN FELLAR went surf fishing at Zuma Beach and a big wave came along and swept the sand out from under him, causing him to fall and sprain his ankle so badly that he was laid up for two and a half weeks - however, he did catch some fish before the accident! And that's consoling!!

Just to set the records straight, the doctors changed their minds again about BUELL GRIFFITH'S eye; he did lose the sight of it but they decided not to remove it after all and he is home again and back in school. Wonderful!!

BILL MARS slipped and fell through a showcase window in one of the super markets on Saturday, October 1st and cut his arm so badly that it required 18 stitches. Yipe!!

Newcomers in our neighborhood are ED and BONNIE WILLIAMS and sons, DALE, 2, and GREGORY, 3, who are renting the Warren Lewis residence on Applegate Terrace, hailing from Lexington, Ky. where Ed has just graduated from college. He is now employed by North American as aeronautical engineer.

ARVIE and MADELINE MASON took a trip to San Diego to visit friends last weekend but on the way they had an accident on the Harbor Free-

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--Ephesians 2:4-6

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10051 Topanga Canyon Boulevard
Phones: Diamond 8-1231/8-7643
Dr. Harold Hayward, Pastor
Home Phone: EMpire 3-1326

SUNDAY SERVICES

Church School: 9:30-10:45 a.m.
Worship Service: 11:00-12:15 a.m.
(includes Junior Church & Nursery)
Youth Group: 7:00 p.m.

SET MEETINGS

All Commissions: 7:30 2nd Wed.
Official Board: 8:30 2nd Wed.
Prayer Group: 9:30 a.m. Tues.
Bible Study: 7:30 p.m. Thurs.
Choir Rehearsal: 7:30 p.m. Thurs.
W.S.C.S.Board: 10:00 a.m.2nd Wed.
W.S.C.S.General: 10:00 a.m.3rd Wed.
Men's Club: Last Tuesday

FOUR SQUARE CHURCH

American Legion Building
21340 Devonshire Boulevard
Rev. Carl Burns - - Pastor
9644 DeSoto Avenue - - DI. 8-2049

SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunday School: 9:45-11:00 a.m.
Worship Service: 11:00-12:00 a.m.
Youth Group: 6:30 -7:30 p.m.
Evening Service: 7:30 -9:00 p.m.

SET MEETINGS

Prayer Group: 9:45 a.m. Thurs.
Mid-Week Service: 7:30 p.m. Thurs.

'Labour to keep alive in your breast that little spark of celestial fire - conscience.'

George Washington.

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Diamond 8-4996

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Church School: 10:00-11:00 a.m.
Worship Service: 11:00-12:00 a.m.
Junior Church: 11:00-12:00 a.m.
Youth Fellowship: 6:30 -7:30 p.m.
Evening Worship: 7:30 -9:00 p.m.

SET MEETINGS

Choir Rehearsal: 6:30-7:30pm.Wed.
Bible Study: 7:30-8:30pm.Wed.
Missionary Fel'ship: 2nd Thurs.
(Nursery provided during all service)

OFFER A PRAYER

If we would give someone a gift...
To show how much we care...The finest present from the heart...Is just to say a prayer...A prayer that God will bless that soul...
And help it on its way...With health success and happiness...To reach its goal some day...No gift of any worldly goods...Can be of equal worth...Not all the gold and silver and...The diamonds on earth...Such riches have no value in...The kingdom that is God's...Against our chance of being saved...They may increase the odds...But every little prayer we say...For someone else's soul...Will help that kindred spirit gain...Its great, eternal goal.

THE TOWN CRIER

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Chatsworth Center Bldg.
10332 Santa Susanna Blvd.

Board: 4th Tuesday - 8:00 pm
General: 2nd Tuesday - 8:00 pm

CHATSWORTH WOMEN'S CLUB

Chatsworth Center Bldg.
10332 Santa Susanna Blvd.

Luncheon-Program: 2nd Tues. 12:30 pm
Business-Tea: 4th Tues. 12:30 pm

ROTARY CLUB

White Sands Restaurant

Luncheon Meeting: Wednesdays 12:10

CHATSWORTH PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOLPARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION

Board: 1st Tuesday 10:00 a.m.
General: 3rd Tuesday 1:30 p.m.

CHILDREN'S GROUPS SPONSORED BY PTA

Cub Scouts: Den Mothers: 3rd Wed.
Committee: 3rd Thurs.
Pack Meet: 4th Thurs.

Bluebirds: Mondays 1:30 p.m.
Brownies: Thursdays 1:30 p.m.
Campfire: every Tuesday 2:30 p.m.

GIRL SCOUTS: Sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary and Civic Assn.
Troop 81: Wed. 2:45-5:00 p.m. Civic
Sr.Scouts: Mon.7:30-9:00 p.m. Janess W
Leader: Mrs. Eileen Janess Di. 8-1163

BOY SCOUTS: Sponsored by the Men's Club of the Comm.Meth.Church:
Charles Croman, Scout Master -
Mondays 7:00-9:00 p.m.White Oak Hall

FOOTSWINGERS: 1st and 3rd Fridays
8:00-11:30 p.m. American Legion Bldg.

SQUARE DANCERS: TENS TO TEEN'S: 7:30-10
2nd & 4th Fridays-White Oak Hall

AMERICAN LEGION POST #622

American Legion Building
21340 Devonshire Blvd.

Phone: DIAMOND 8-3725
Business: 1st Wednesday 8 p.m.
Social: 3rd Wednesday 8 p.m.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

American Legion Building
21340 Devonshire Blvd.

Business: 2nd Wednesday 8 p.m.
Social: 4th Wednesday 8 p.m.

CIVIC ASSOCIATION

21640 Devonshire Blvd.

Business-Dinner: 1st Monday 6:30 pm.
Social: Card Party every Saturday
(Open to the Public)

CHATSWORTH GRANGE

21054 Parthenia-Canoga Park

Business: 2nd Monday 8 p.m.
Social: 4th Friday 8 p.m.

DAUGHTERS OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Santa Susana Chapter - Mrs. Minnie
Lanahan, Regent. DI. 8-3274
Meeting: 2nd Monday

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB

American Legion Bldg-Canoga

Dinner-Business: 1st Tues. 7:00 p.m.

TWIN LAKES PROPERTY OWNERS CLUB

Club House - Twin Lakes

Dinner-Business: 4th Saturday

CHATS.LAKE IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION

Community Church - Chatsworth Lake
Second Tuesday - 8:00 p.m.

NORTHRIDGE-CHATSWORTH 4H CLUB

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way, smashing in to the rear of a pick-up truck; however, it did not sway them from completing their trip.

DOC and POLI SILCOX just returned from spending a week at Balboa where they tried to sell their Cruiser. Anybody want to buy a cruiser??

BUCK and LAVERNIA WASHBURN can tell you ALL about Disneyland. Her son-in-law works in the Securities department there and on Saturday, Oct. 1st, they met her daughter and grand-daughter there and spent the day seeing the sights, with a PRESS CARD NO LESS that entitled them to go on all the rides FOR NOTHING!!!! Boy,you've got to have contacts today!!

Last Wednesday the CHATSWORTH LAKE HOBBY CLUB met at the home of Mrs. FRANK BENNETT, enjoying a scrumptious potluck luncheon and gabfest. Come and join us if you want to get acquainted with your neighbors; we meet the second Wednesday of each month at the homes of various members. Watch the next issue for the meeting place next month.

FOR SALE: Round table, 53" in diameter, walnut. \$38.50 (don't forget the fifty cents).

WANTED: Used Automatic Washing Machine.

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Come in and order your supply of **CHRISTMAS LETTERHEADS** now while stocks are fresh.

THE NORMAN FOLKES of 10516 Independence are the happy parents of their first child, TIMOTHY STEVEN born September 26th.

Last Sunday morning, October 9th, little DONALD came into the world, son of MANUEL and NACIA REYNOSA on Lassen Street, weighing in at an even 10#. (a few more pounds and he'll be ready for school) Nacia was in the new Northridge Hospital. The middle name will be given when he is christened.

Another birth, so recent that we don't have the information: a girl, born to JESS and RUTH MENDEZ of Independence, last Thursday, in a hospital in San Fernando.

CLARENCE KOPF, 21119 Chatsworth, was taken to St. Joseph's again a week ago Wednesday in extreme pain caused by his malignancy which started about five years ago. No one knows the agony that is suffered constantly, hour after hour, from this dread disease.

MRS. ANITA ERWIN of 10414 Variel is back in the hospital again, the Good Samaritan this time, due to injuries received in an automobile accident last May. This is the end of her third week there.

DICK SWARTZ, born and raised in the Swartz domain at 20905 Devonshire, was about his work as a dutiful carpenter is, when a beam of timber appeared out of nowhere and caught him in the eye, blinding his sight which later affected his other eye. Dick submitted to a brain operation on September 23rd at the Queen of Angels Hospital

and was released last Saturday but final results are not fully determined as of this date. Wife Jean assisted in his daily care from 7 a.m. till midnight each day, while Lila Schepler, Dick's sister, assisted in caring for the children. Poppa Lester spent a harrowing 3-weeks by his son's bedside. Sure glad you're home, Dick.

TYPING DONE AT HOME; addressing, letters, etc. Chatsworth DI.8-5452

CALLING ALL BOYS AND GIRLS, ages 12-13-14 (Junior High). The Community Church is again re-instating their Junior M.Y.F. group which has not been functioning for a couple of years. Therefore, if you do not belong to any other youth group in this city, you are cordially invited to come out tomorrow night: Devotions in the chapel of the Community Church from 6:00-7:00 p.m. with Mrs. Rosemary Johnston as devotional leader, with Mrs. Betty Straka, as pianist; Fellowship Hour from 7:00-8:00 p.m. in White Oak Hall with Mrs. Alberta Ruff in charge. Parents: children will not be permitted to walk home at 8 p.m. so be sure and call for them.

On October 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. BRAIN of Chatsworth Dept. Store and our 5 & 10, attended a wedding reception on Sunday at the Huntington-Sheraton Hotel in Pasadena, and home-sweet-home looked mighty good to them at 4 a.m. after driving through a dense fog. Mr. Brain was not in evidence around town on Monday and Mrs. Brain, in her inimitable way, operated both stores.

RIM ROCK RANCH

Horrors! We are at loose-ends we are rudder-less! Chatsworth is functioning without a Mayor!! The Mayor, B.N. Hutchinson, has done left us and gone to Seattle.

When the time was right, Walter Lohman was instrumental in disposing of Rim Rock Ranch, all 43 acres of it and everything on it, including the Dick Burlesons (managers) to the present owners: Jack Kessler and Paul Haberfeld, owner and general manager, respectively, of Rose Marie Reed Swim Suits. After the home is remodelled, the Haberfelds will take occupancy, which will be in the near future.

They will feature registered Aberdeen Angus, purchasing the best of breed for raising, show purposes and to sell. Their latest purchase of ten cows was made from Dr. Fifield of Northridge Estates, and are in the market for more. They are also equipped to board horses, and if you have any questions to ask, just call on Dick Burleson.

We must have a Mayor - we cannot go on much longer - the other valley cities are pointing their fingers at us - for shame - no mayor. Now that R.R. and D.E. are in our midst (not going to mention any names) is it not a foregone conclusion that R.R. would be the logical person to ask? Do you not think so?

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

If you weren't at the meeting last Tuesday night, you missed something; truly a Town-Hall affair with the good of Chatsworth as the central theme. Everybody had at least one word to say and everyone was stimulated to go forth and do the very best for Chatsworth. Much was said but little can be printed, but if you, too, are interested in your community, you are urged to come out of your diggins and participate. Second Tuesday night of each month - 8 P.M. - be there!

THE ROTARIANS of this city are squiring their women about next Wednesday night at the Center, when the men join forces with the Tarzana Rotarians in honoring the women's organization of Rotary-Anns. Fellowship Hour from 6:30 to 7:30; Smorgasbord Dinner at 7:30; meeting thereafter.

FRANK, LILLIAN, BILL, and LILA SCHEPLER honored their parents, MR. & MRS. FRANK SCHEPLER, SR. on their 40th wedding anniversary by all going to the Moulin-Rouge on Sunset Blvd. (formerly Earl Carrolls) for dinner and the truly fabulous show. Bill and Lila were married on the folk's 25th anniversary, and so the date of October 11th, last Tuesday, commemorated their 15th wedding anniversary. Congratulations to you all. They had their pictures taken at the night club and did it up brown, or rather ruby, which is the precious stone for 40 years of happy wedded life.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

On Sunday, October 2nd, little miss BETSY CROMAN of 10434 Independence celebrated her 11th birthday with a huge gathering of her friends, who brought their tokens of love and enjoyed the games and refreshments supplied for their pleasure. Those out in their prettiest dresses were: Nancy and Linda Todd, Sharen Tasin, Jeanne Woodman, Alana Altomari, Myra Clark, Karin Cruse, Judy Christenson, Bonnie Etkins, Toni Konkell, Margaret Riley, Kathy Hannel, Donna Campbell, Letty Bernhardt. (And mama says girls can make just as much noise as boys!)

The CUB SCOUTS are planning a trip to Disneyland next Tuesday provided there is enough transportation, and chaperons.

The home and doctor's office of the DR. J. DEAN PARK up on the hill on Topanga will be the scene of Columbia Pictures for a 2-day shooting.

A few from the Community Church motored to the North Glendale Methodist Church Wednesday evening October 5th for instructions on how to operate various commissions more effectively. Those attending the dinner were Mssrs. Hayward, Erickson, Wertti and Fellows. Those attending the meeting after dinner were: Mdms. Mahieu, Fasken and Janess.

SURPRISE BRIDAL SHOWER

The Senior Girl Scouts and their mothers really surprised MRS. CLARENCE MALLORY, nee Pat Peterson, at her home in Canoga last Monday night, when they brought themselves, their gifts and all the refreshments for an evening of gaiety and fellowship. Pat, 16, has been out of the girl scouts for awhile but is returning.

THE ANN JOHNSON CIRCLE are going to post a notice on the Johnson Warehouse that the accumulation of rags and papers on their drive have been disposed of which brought a net return of \$34.77, AND THEY DON'T WANT ANY MORE UNTIL THEY SAY SO - so keep your rags and papers at home for awhile. However, all joking aside, the members are most grateful for the wonderful response they have had and they want you to know that they appreciate it. Many thanks.

THE JOHN PAULYS have had as house guests Mr. and Mrs. Homer and son from Allentown, Penna, who stayed with them a week while looking for a house and which they fortunately obtained within a few days. Mr. Homer was employed by Lockheed back east and they transported their possessions for his employment here in Burbank.

THE TED FULLERS on Devonshire are under a strain in that their little son has had a peculiar swelling of his legs and tests upon tests have not determined the cause. We know what you're going through because how much would we rather bear the anguish than for a wee one who is not able to talk.

CHATSWORTH WOMEN'S CLUB

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many ways). Then the history of the decades prior to our war with Mexico in 1846, when the great southwest (Kansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Nevada, Utah, Calif., New Mexico, Arizona) was a plum before the nations of Russia, France, Spain, England and eastern United States, and the price paid to Mexico for this area was far less than the price of Alaska to Russia and the Louisiana Purchase to Napoleon. Then, ironically for Mexico, gold was discovered shortly thereafter. The acquisition of this land brought up the question "slave or free" and was a prelude to the Civil War.

We have, in the Great South West, the highest mountain peak in the United States-Mt. Whitney-and the lowest valley-Death Valley-the Painted Desert-the Grand Canyon-Hollywood, of course;the oldest inhabited section of Europeans in the New World-Santa Fe,N.M.-and can claim the habitation of Indians up to 2500 years ago.

Mr. Dentzle concluded his informative talk by inspiring us to be individuals proud of this great heritage and for us to exploit and propagandize the riches we have in being the peoples of the Great South West instead of permitting foreign nations, such as France, to intimidate us with the superiority of their influence upon us.

(Incidentally, the Chamber of Commerce has a brochure, available in this office, giving the early history of Chatsworth).

Mrs. Sheridan had the members present their guests, among whom

were Mrs. Powers of Tarzana, Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Wherle, both newcomers to Chatsworth, Mrs. Blass of Beverly Hills, Mrs. Bill Henry and her daughter, Mrs. Stichweh, both of Chatsworth, Mrs. Bailey of Reseda, Mrs. Neel of Woodland Hills. Mrs. C.E. Avey,Sr. was introduced as a new member. Recognition was made of the past presidents and the founder president, Mrs. Grace Hageman of Chatsworth Lake, and Mrs. Frances Wilkins, the first secretary of the club, back in the old days.

On behalf of the entire assemblage, Mrs. Sheridan extended the appreciation of everyone for the lovely luncheon to Mrs. Oliver, chairman, and her excellent committee of Mdms. Garoutte, Couper, Cruse, Schepler,Sr., Pittman,Hall, Marcoux, Boileau, Mitchell, Saal and Miss Christine MacKay; and to Mrs. Troi Wolf and her corp of hostesses. Mrs. McCulloch was introduced as the new Philanthropic Chairman. Mrs. Arthur Young, as Art Chairman, presented an inviting tour of Forest Lawn and set the date of Friday, October 21st, with a possible second tour in November.

Announcements of various degrees of interest were made, which concluded a most charming and delightful meeting.

Members of the Santa Susana Chapter of the D.A.R. met at the home of Mrs. Lew Wallace on DeSoto for a dessert luncheon last Monday, and their regular meeting.

FEATURE SECTION

MAN

There is nothing more interesting under the sun than when we can talk about ourselves. Isn't that true!! Now, what is man?

An average man, 5'10" tall, weighing 160# contains (dehydrated) enough fat to make 7 bars of soap; enough iron to make 1-8 penny nail; enough sugar to fill a sugar shaker; enough lime to whitewash a small chicken coop; enough phosphorus to make 2200 match heads; enough magnesium for a good dose of magnesia; enough potassium to explode a toy cannon; together with a little sulphur; which, all added together, had a monetary value of 98¢ back in 1926.

And yet - what is man? According to the Psalmist of old:

'O Lord, when I look at thy heavens, the work of thy fingers, the moon and the stars which thou has established; what is man that thou art mindful of him, and the son of man that thou dost care for him? Yet thou hast made him a little lower than the angels and dost crown him with glory and honor. Thou hast given him dominion over the works of thy hands; thou hast put all things under his feet, all sheep and oxen, and also the beasts of the fields, the birds of the air, and the fish of the sea, and whatever passes along the paths of the sea. O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is thy name in all the earth!'

There you have it. That's what we are! Dust mixed with Deity - and that's what makes you important. Are you exercising your rightful

position here on earth? Are you acclaiming all that is yours - even the salvation that Christ offers for eternal life? Are you all that your Father would want you to be?

The devil called his imps together one day and said: "What can we do to confound the people, particularly those in Chatsworth?" One little imp enthusiastically said: "I'll go and tell them there is no God." And the devil said, "Oh, no, that won't do-they won't believe you." Another enthusiastic little imp said: "I'll tell them there is no Christ and no salvation message." But the devil said "No, that won't do it." And then another brightly said: "Oh, I know. I'll tell them there is a God, and there is Christ and there is a salvation message BUT YOU'VE GOT PLENTY OF TIME!!" And the devil said: "Good boy - - that's it!"

Are you falling for that line? We hope not. Every moment that passes shortens our span of life here on earth; therefore, every moment counts, and how are your moments being spent?

What do you do on Sunday mornings? Chatsworth is blessed with three churches whose personnel arise early on Sunday mornings, and have prepared themselves to give the true message of eternal life to the youngest member of your family as well as the oldest. There are mid-week services, Bible studies, prayer groups and any one of our churches has a place for you in its activities. And if you need help, brother, whether you go to church or not, God's men are right here to help you-just phone them.

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