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## IF... "DUFFY HAS IT"

(Redondo's Busy Store)

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## LOMITA NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. James McDougall and family arrived in Lomita Saturday from New York to join Mr. McDougall, who has been here for some time. They have rented the Trelice property on South Narbonne.

H. L. Wilson of the Lomita Drug Store attended the Druggists' Convention for two days this week in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Joseph White of North Narbonne avenue returned home Wednesday after a five weeks' visit with her two sisters, one in Fresno, another in Sanger, Cal. She also visited Mary Loomis in Modesto, Mary formerly lived in Lomita.

Mrs. Phillip Hanson of Moneta, formerly of Lomita, was taken to the Memorial Hospital in Los Angeles last Tuesday for an operation.

Robert F. Lyness, contractor and builder, of San Diego, is spending a few weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Ivan H. Cox, of Beacon street.

C. L. Hatfield, contractor, of Poppy street, has added a cement pagoda to his home, and gave it a coat of paint, which adds very much to its appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Johnson of San Pedro, formerly of Eshleman street, Lomita, have adopted an orphan boy from Illinois. His name now is Bert Johnson.

W. B. Guess and family of Weston street have moved to Redondo Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Beckham, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Beckham and children motored to Orange County Park Sunday with the Odd Fellows and picnicked. They motored to Capistrano in the afternoon.

Mrs. M. Kerber and daughter of Los Angeles were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mat Kerber of West Weston street.

Walter Goslin of Douglas, Arizona, owner of the San Pedro-Redondo Stage lines, was a visitor here this week looking after business interests.

Miss Lydia Smith has accepted a position at the Lowden Art Shop San Pedro, as crochet and knitting instructor every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Thompson of Long Beach have moved into their new home on Redondo Blvd., recently purchased from M. Martinson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Martinson and family have moved to their Moon street home, recently purchased of Mr. and Mrs. Ivey.

Ed. Herman, photographer, from Bremerton, Wash., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Aber on Monday. He is stopping in San Pedro, but is looking for a location here. He and his mother formerly lived on Arizona street, Lomita.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith and daughters, Edyth and Lydia, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peightal were visitors in Long Beach Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook of Hollywood were Sunday guests of Mrs. Cook's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Goslin, of South Narbonne avenue.

Thos. Willson and family moved Friday into their new home on the corner of Eshleman street and Redondo Blvd.

Wm. Ross of Arizona street and Narbonne avenue has gone to Nebraska for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Freidenback of Neligh, Neb., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Donnigan Wednesday.

Miss Laura Donnigan of Narbonne avenue, accompanied by her Sunday school pupils and also her mother's class, hiked to the Palos Verdes Hills Saturday afternoon and lunched and played games.

Misses Irene Mills and Laura Thomas of Miller street entertained at their home last Friday their Sunday school of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church of San Pedro. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Johanna Peatnizky is expected to return to Lomita next week to her home on Narbonne avenue. Mrs. Peatnizky has lived here before, and expects to make her home here again. She is returning from government service in New York.

Rev. E. E. Clark was a Los Angeles visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Call and Mr. Duncan of Long Beach were guests of Mrs. J. S. Irwin on Friday last.

Mrs. Johnson of Arizona street has left her daughter at the home of J. A. Smith while she is present at harvest time at her ranch on the Palos Verdes Hills.

Miss Elizabeth Carlisle of Pasadena was a visitor at the home of Mrs. Thomas Willacy Friday.

Geo. M. Trips is building a modern five-room home on his acreage on Redondo Blvd. He will build another as soon as this one is completed for rent or sale.

A party of high school girls and teachers were to have gone to Los Angeles Friday afternoon after school, but the party had to be put off to a future date. This affair had been planned some time ago and the object of the trip was to attend Grauman's theatre and have supper at some cafe.

## DEAD IN SWITZERLAND

Bert Guess received a cablegram Sunday from his brother in Rumania stating that his wife had suddenly passed away at Lusenne, Switzerland, where she had gone to visit her son and daughter, who were in a private American school there. Mrs. Guess died from hemorrhage of the brain, and was only thirty-two years of age. She was a Lomita visitor three months ago before leaving for Europe.

## THE JUNIOR PARADE

One of the special attractions of the Chautauqua that has not heretofore been publicly mentioned was that of the Junior Chautauqua parade, conducted on Tuesday evening last week by Mrs. Fultz, who organized the children for the junior Chautauqua work. By way of tribute to their leader, the announcement is made that Mrs. Fultz is the highest paid organizer of this kind in the Chautauqua circuit, and deservedly earns the honor. The officers of the body were: Carl Burmaster, mayor; Geo. Watson, Jr., chief of police; Mary Alice Davis, clerk; Catherine Wheaton, Matsuo Taksuma and Geraldine Miller, patrolmen; Francis Aderson and Robert Lessing, civil service commissioners. These appointments proved to be responsible for the excellent behavior of the children at the Chautauqua entertainment, the final verdict of the management being that Torrance has the best behaved children of any city visited so far on their circuit.

These officers were also in charge of the parade, which occurred the last day of the Chautauqua. First were the decorated bicycles, followed by the band, drums, tin can brigade, sirens, black-face comedians, flower girls, etc. Prizes were awarded for the funniest girl, Edyth Watkins; Boo Peep, Margaret Marsh; the prettiest dressed girl, Hazel Clark; funniest boy, Robert Lessing; prize dog, cheese hound, from the interior of Africa, Verna Propero; cowboy, Paul Lessing. Other characters represented were "The Spirit of '76" and Boob McNut. After the parade Roy Flood, photographer, lined up the bunch and snapped a picture of the entrants.

## THE HOME PAPER FIRST

The man who subscribes and pays for a newspaper—and everybody who pretends to be anybody does so these days—spends more money each year on that newspaper than he does on any other printed item. He spends more for a paper than a magazine, because it's worth more to him. If it cost him ten times as much he would still buy it, and if the price was placed beyond his means he would find some excuse for borrowing it from his neighbor. He would have it, because without it he is at a disadvantage with his neighbor and competitor. He wouldn't know what was going on if he didn't have it, and he would be left standing still while his neighbor and every one around him kept moving on. When a medium like the home-town paper is so close to the hearts of the people, when it is so vital to them, is it any wonder that the columns of that paper are such an important place in which to advertise? Is it any wonder that newspaper advertising brings big returns in good season or bad?

## HOW DO YOU SAY IT?

By C. N. LURIE

Common Errors in English and How to Avoid Them

## "THESE SORT," "THOSE KIND."

A COMMON error, and one that grates with especial harshness on the ear of a person who has been trained in the correct use of English, is the use of such phrases as "those kind" and "these sort." How often we hear, "I cannot bear those kind of people."

"The words 'these' and 'those' are plural in number—that is, they denote more than one; the words 'sort,' 'kind,' etc., are singular in number, indicating one group, one class of persons or objects. According to a simple rule of grammar, the adjective and the noun, when used together, must agree in number—that is, when the noun is singular or plural the adjective must be singular or plural. Therefore do not say, 'I do not like those kind of people,' but say 'I do not like that kind of people,' or, better, 'I do not like people of that kind.' (Copyright.)

## A LINE O' CHEER

By John Kendrick BANGS.

## FAITH

BECAUSE a thing's a Mystery Does not destroy the FAITH of me, There's lots of things on sea and land I don't pretend to understand, And yet I see them plain and flat In spite of that. 'Tis so with LIFE and You and Me, We don't know how we came to be, But I've a sort of faith supreme That we're not all an idle dream, And that some time long, long ago, Just when, or how, I do not know, Some Mind with purpose true and clear, Created Earth and put us here, And gave us life, as love and wit, To make a fairer place of it, To call it CHANCE some folks delight; I call it GOD—and know I'm right. (Copyright.)



## A PEDESTRIAN ONCE.

"I see Bradley riding on the street cars. I thought he owned an auto." "He does, but he made the mistake of teaching his wife to drive it."

There Are Exceptions. "A woman is more graceful than a man," observed the Sage. "Not when she's getting off a street car," commented the Fool—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## MICKIE SAYS

QUITTING ADVERTISING IN THIS WEEK'S POPULAR FAMILY VISITOR IS LIKE THROWING YOUR CAR INTO REVERSE—NA ARE STILL ON THE ROAD TO SUCCESS BUT GOING THE WRONG WAY!



## TO MAKE REPORT

A. J. Stinton, president of the Lomita Business Men's Association, requests that all reports of the fire collection committee be in at the next meeting of the association, May 9.

## NOTICE TO LOMITA ATHLETIC CLUB

At the business men's meeting Monday night it was recommended that the secretary be instructed to notify the Lomita Athletic Club that their dues had been reduced to \$1.25 per night. This was done to help defray expense of cleaning the hall and to pay for the lights used.

## LAUGH WITH US

A new kind of alcohol has been discovered, but what a great number of fellows want is more of the old kind.

Maybe the reason some women never appear to be contented is because they've heard contentment makes people fat.

You've also probably noticed it takes longer to descend from the peak of high prices than it did to climb up to it.

So far the nations that have paid dues in the League of Nations have not received much to show for their money.

If you think people are not full of suggestions, just start down the street and tell them you've got a bad cold.

Germany is enthusiastic over a plan to float bonds in the United States, but so far we haven't heard very much cheering over here.

The reason most editors don't print exactly what they think is because they don't want to spend a lot of time in a hospital.

Henry Ford is still fighting the Jews, and when he gets that out of his system we suppose he'll turn his attention to home brew.

The Allies have discovered that you can hold a German down, but you can't make him cough up.

## WANTED—A DENTIST

The great demand for dental work in Lomita would more than support a reputable dentist if an office were opened here. Every week there are dozens who are compelled to leave here for appointments, and in most instances it is difficult to get the work done. Patrons complain that it is exceedingly difficult to obtain appointments with dentists in either Torrance or San Pedro.

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