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COLLISION ON BUSY CORNER

A school supply truck collided with a truck belonging to the Globe Packing Company at the corner of Weston and Narbonne avenues last Friday. It was caused by one machine cutting the corner too closely and tore off a fender and broke the lights of the Globe truck. Fortunately both drivers escaped without injury.

NEW STAGE LINE CONNECTS

The Dillingham Transportation Company started stages running this week from Long Beach to Santa Monica. They will have a joint schedule with the San Pedro-Redondo stages, making connections at Gaffey street, Anaheim road and Redondo.

MISS MILLS WILL SPEAK NEXT SUNDAY

Miss Irene Mills, who was with the Harry Rimmer Evangelistic party in Humboldt County last summer, has kindly consented to give an account of her experiences in the Lomita church next Sunday evening, October 2, at 7:30 p. m. Come and hear some interesting stories of one of the lumber counties of California.

AUTOMOBILE CONTEST IN LOMITA SUNDAY SCHOOL

Beginning Sunday, October 2, an automobile contest from Los Angeles to New York will start in the local Sunday school. New scholars, a full attendance and a good offering will advance each class so many miles ahead, while a falling off in attendance and offering will count as a reverse, and the auto will go back instead of forward. Each of the twelve classes in the junior, intermediate and senior grades will choose its auto by lot and keep the auto throughout the race. Come next Sunday and learn all about the contest.

LOMITA CHURCH NOTES

Rally Day in the Sunday school was observed with an interesting program. The junior choir was heard with pleasure in two songs, "Hark to the Sound of Voices" and "Thy Word is Like a Garden." While the school sang "O, Lovely California" and "There's a Royal Banner." The pupils of Mrs. Tulp's class were heard in well recited Scripture verses.

Mrs. Platinsky interested every one in her account of what the church is doing for the foreign people of our American cities, making the plea that they be treated with Christian kindness.

When the Cradle Roll report was given by Mrs. E. E. Clark, the Cradle Roll Superintendent, Mary Alice McDonald, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McDonald, was wheeled in her buggy to the platform by her sisters, Margaret and Clarissa, as a representative of the Cradle Roll babies. The Cradle Roll report showed seven new names added to the roll and twenty-three promoted to the beginners' department, leaving a membership of 94 at the present time.

A fence and gates had been placed on the platform to symbolize the passing of the Cradle Roll children from the years of babyhood to those of childhood. As an appropriate verse was recited by Gloria Sorensen the gates were opened by Eleanor Mills and Lillie May Lungren and the little graduates passed through. Those promoted at this time were Ethel Beckham, Clarence Bay, Ardell Bauer, Betty Carter, Emma Erikson, Lyman Eddy, Vera Etta Gibson, Evelyn Jones, Donald Kettler, Helen Lungren, Audrey Martin, James Murphy, Elizabeth McMullen, Alexander McDougall, Esther Smith, Gertrude Scanlon, Virginia Scott, Mildred Smith, James Willacy, Allen Wait, Mar Whisler, Glen Woodard and Dixie Whitson.

Sixteen pupils of the primary grade were promoted to the junior department. They recited the following memory work: The Lord's Prayer, John 3:16; the 23rd Psalm, Ten Commandments and Alphabet Bible verses. The names of these graduates are Gladys Akridge, William Barnes, Leona Clark, Wayne Cox, Ruth Fryer, William Pink, Helen Grant, Dorothy Maisey, Carolyn Morse, Norman Mickelson, Roscoe Mills, Louise Mills, Francis Robertson, Anna Sprout, Gladys Washburn and Eva May Wilcox.

An attendance of 283 packed the church and demonstrated again the need of a new edifice. An offering of \$19.60 for work among the foreign population of our country was received.

At the church service the pastor took for his theme, "Your Work and Mine," using the text, "Whatsoever ye do, work heartily as unto the Lord."

Mrs. Miller, Miss Crittenden and Miss Gallup were heard in the song "When Love Shines In," accompanied by Mrs. Crittenden on the piano. This special music was much appreciated by those present.

FRIENDS CALL WITH SURPRISE BREAKFAST

Mrs. Charles Wentz, who has been in the east for some time, arrived home Wednesday. On Thursday morning at eight o'clock a number of her friends called at her home with a surprise breakfast. Those who joined in the merriment were Mrs. L. J. Hunter, Mrs. A. Gustavson, Mrs. J. Tonkins, Mrs. S. Springman, Mrs. E. B. Schriver, Mrs. M. P. Richey and Mrs. J. Sholtz.

LOMITA NEWS LETTER

May Archer had her tonsils removed Tuesday in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Effie Hayden was a Los Angeles business visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook of Hollywood visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Goslin Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Hooper visited her father A. C. Doane, who has been ill, last week.

Mrs. F. Cavalier, from the Dominguez tract, visited Mrs. J. A. Smith Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Aber and children dined at Long Beach Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Erkel of Paso Robles were in Lomita Tuesday visiting friends.

Mayor Combs, wife and sons, Ronald and Charles, of Culver City, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Irwin Sunday.

Richard Archer returned Tuesday from Los Angeles, where he had been in the hospital three days after having his tonsils removed.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Turney of San Pedro were week-end guests of Mrs. Isadore Burke of Arizona street.

Mrs. Walter Tappin, Sr., went to San Bernardino Sunday to visit her old friend, Mrs. Emma Harton, for several days.

Mrs. L. C. Caldwell and Mrs. Curry, from the east, spent Saturday at the William Boyes home on Cypress avenue.

Mrs. Frank Cook of Oakland is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Duscharme of the Redondo Blvd.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Boss had as dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jackson and family of Huntington Park.

Mrs. William Boyes attended her daughter's (Mrs. W. A. Cole) birthday celebration in Los Angeles on Tuesday. It was a family reunion of all the relatives in California.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cole and Mr. and Mrs. Otto F. Kuschel of Los Angeles visited Mr. and Mrs. William Boyes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Towne went to Brea Saturday to visit their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Towne, who returned with them to Lomita to stay over Sunday.

A. B. Rozell's transfer truck was hit by a Pacific electric car one day last week. He escaped without injury, but his truck was demolished.

J. H. Beckham and Chas. Hatfield have the new Beckham home on Poppy street well under construction. It is to be a seven-room modern house.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Leed and daughter, Veronica, and Clarence Locke of Harbor City picnicked on Sunday at Redondo Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Trunnell of Oak street spent Saturday and Sunday in Santa Ana as guests of Mr. Trunnell's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Tumbler.

George Johnson, who is recuperating at the John Archer home, is selling oil burners of his own invention. He recently installed one in the Lomita restaurant, which gives very satisfactory service.

Mr. Beaudette of Pine street collided with a Japanese truck Sunday night at the corner of Rose and Narbonne. Both machines were somewhat damaged.

Mrs. I. G. Butterfield and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Butterfield of Glendale were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Butterfield of Cypress street Sunday.

Mrs. H. Lynn went to Manhattan Sunday to see her mother, Mrs. Gordon. Mrs. Gordon had the misfortune of falling from a street car recently and was badly bruised.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Collins were guests Sunday of Mr. Collins' mother, Mrs. Mae L. Collins, of Athens-on-the-Hill.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. George Keller, former Lomita residents, that they are residing in Huron and Mr. Keller is following the trucking business there.

Mrs. Julia Hyde of Anaheim and Mr. and Mrs. George Woodside of Palm street were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. O'Quinn of Brethren street Sunday.

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