

Settled Feather Argument

BARNESVILLE, O. (U.P.)—To settle an argument over the number of feathers on the average chicken, Vernon Thornburg, dairy employe, killed and plucked a Plymouth Rock chicken. He reported 8,325 feathers. No one disputed the figure.

Herbert Hoover to Run Again

AKRON, O. (U.P.)—Herbert Hoover will run again this year. The ex-president's namesake, an Akron realtor, will be a Republican candidate for Congressman-at-Large in the Ohio primary. Hoover was an unsuccessful candidate for State Treasurer in 1928.

San Fernando Plan In Effect Here On July 1

Method of Treating Indigent Sick Extended to This Community

The San Fernando plan of treating indigent sick will be inaugurated in Torrance on July 1, with preparations being made this week by the Los Angeles county general hospital, according to Arthur J. Will, deputy superintendent of charities.

Coincident with the inauguration, the territory served by the Inglewood and Compton welfare districts will be redistricted, to distribute the load equally upon the three districts. Will explained.

While the San Fernando plan of treatment has been available to Torrance indigents, they have had to go either to Inglewood or Compton doctors' offices to avail themselves of the service, it was explained. A number of indigents in the Torrance Welfare district have been treated at both Inglewood and Compton, and physicians in those cities were receiving 50 cents a call for each patient.

The San Fernando plan of treating indigent sick provides that treatment is given by the various doctors in their own offices, instead of requiring the doctors to go to the health center and having the patients come there. At 50 cents a call, these patients, otherwise unable to afford medical treatment, can be treated by the county about as cheaply in this manner as in health centers. Under the San Fernando plan the doctors furnish all minor materials such as gauze and common medicines, such as antiseptics, while under the health center plan the county furnished these supplies.

The San Fernando plan also is being extended to the San Pedro and Hollywood welfare districts. Will announced, and with the addition of Torrance it now is in effect throughout the county and in many sections of Los Angeles.

Prizes Awarded In Fourth Annual Flower Show Held At Narbonne

Lovely flowers and plants were exhibited in the Narbonne gymnasium at the fourth annual flower show which was held May 31 and June 1. Not only were the flowers, plants and vegetables raised in the community shown, but the work of various departments was also on display. The flower show was under the direction of the agriculture department and the Future Farmers of America. Mr. Fuller was the teacher in charge.

So. Pacific Inaugurates Fast Service

Golden State Limited Time Cut Two Hours and 25 Minutes

Improved and faster schedules for a number of Southern Pacific trains became effective Sunday, May 27, following closely the cut of two hours and 25 minutes in the time of the Golden State Limited from Los Angeles to Chicago, it was announced by Lawson Overman, district passenger agent, Southern Pacific Lines.

Under the new schedule, the amous Sunset Limited leaves Los Angeles at 7 p. m., instead of 6:20 p. m., and arrives in New Orleans at 7:35 a. m., a reduction of 40 minutes in running time and providing a more convenient departure hour for Southern California.

At the same time the new summer schedule of the Cascade Limited, with running time of less than 20 hours in each direction between San Francisco and Portland, became effective. The time of the Overland Limited from San Francisco to Chicago was cut two hours and ten minutes.

Departure time of the Tehachapi was advanced 15 minutes to 8:35 p. m. from Los Angeles for San Joaquin valley cities and an advance of half an hour to 2:45 p. m. was made for departure of the Santa Barbara motor from Los Angeles.

Pasadena Doctor Files Petition For State Office

Any citizen who voted at either the last presidential primary or general election in 1932 is eligible to vote at the coming general election without re-registering, providing they have not changed their place of residence. It was explained today by W. M. Kerr, registrar of voters.

It is not necessary to have voted at both the elections, Kerr said. The Registrar of voters now is accepting nominating petitions of candidates for all offices at the coming August primary election. The honor of filing the first papers goes to Dr. Zachery Malaby of Pasadena, who will seek the Democratic gubernatorial nomination. The papers were filed late Thursday afternoon.

Deputies in the registrar's office today were checking the papers and will forward them to the secretary of state as soon as a preliminary check is made.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Jack Belcher, 310 South Francisco, Redondo Beach, was operated May 31 for the removal of a ruptured appendix.

Mrs. Grace Carscallen, 1107 West Palm, Gardena, entered June 4 for medical treatment.

Mrs. Dimple Harris, 2448 Ward street, Watts, underwent an operation for appendicitis June 1.

James K. Johnson, 2546 Oak street, Lomita, janitor at the Torrance high school, underwent an operation June 4.

Ralph J. Strause, 2355 Torrance boulevard, was released from the hospital Tuesday. He was brought in early in the morning following an automobile accident in which his car skidded and struck a tree. Strause suffered a fractured scapula and numerous cuts and bruises.

Births
Mr. and Mrs. Van Bergen, 909 Annapolis, a girl, June 2.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cope, 1535 Redondo boulevard, Gardena, a girl, June 5.
Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Grazier, 730 Eighth Place, Hermosa Beach, a girl, June 2.

County Fire Hazard Great This Season

Dry Weather of Past Months Increases Normal Peril in Mountains

Warning that Los Angeles county is entering the worst period of fire hazard since 1924-25 when damages amounting to millions of dollars was done, was given today by Spence Turner, county fire warden. Grass and brush is as dry today as in August, Turner declared.

To get prompt action on fires that may break out in the mountainous regions north of the San Gabriel and San Fernando valleys, Turner is depending on the SERRA and the Civilian Conservation Corps and other fire road construction camps for extra labor, he said today. No outside fire fighters will be hired, Turner stated.

"Those men have all been trained in mountain fire fighting and are under experienced fire suppression foremen," Turner declared. "They have been given instruction in proper fire fighting methods and organized into small crews in charge of experienced foremen. All of them have been given instructions in how to take care of themselves under hazardous conditions."

Turner also expressed the opinion that since no men are to be hired to fight fires this will aid in eliminating incendiary fires set to get a job fighting them, and will eliminate the hazard of inexperienced men on the fire line.

Los Angeles county in 1924-25 had more than 500 fires, big and little, and it cost more than \$200,000 to extinguish them.

CHURCH BOARD MEETING

Members of the Christian church board met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Smith, 1407 Cota avenue, Tuesday evening. Following the business meeting, a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served by the hostess.

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In an effort to determine the strength of local service groups should disaster come to our community, Bert S. Crossland, Postmaster, American Legion and their auxiliary will join in the National American Legion Mobilization test sometime in June. The Union Tool whistle is the signal for mobilization in Torrance. All Legionnaires, auxiliary members and Boy Scouts are asked to respond to the call promptly.

Blind, but Sees
Although M. D. Clark, 55, has been blind all his life, he has the reputation of being the best newspaper carrier in Stockton, California. He has delivered papers for 25 years and has never made a mistake in deliveries. Clark, who was educated at the University of California and is an accomplished musician, goes about his task without any aid.

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