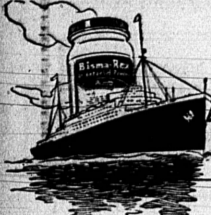


### Basich Brothers Are Low Bidders

Basich Brothers of Torrance submitted the low bid of \$27,532 for shoulder surfacing and seal-coat treating a section of state highway between Mojave and Lancaster, according to an announcement by the California division of highways.

### CAN YOU IMAGINE!



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### Enforcement of California Egg Law Transferred

Legislature Appropriates \$10,000 For Compelling Compliance With Terms

Poultrymen of this section will be interested to know that Governor Frank P. Merriam signed Assembly Bill No. 546 and also the act appropriating \$10,000 to enforce the terms of the bill which transfers enforcement of the California egg law from the department of health to the department of agriculture, and to the county agricultural commission.

Under the former arrangement eggs were inspected only from the health standpoint, with the result that an inferior product, shipped from outside states, penalized the superior grades of eggs produced in California.

### RECREATION Department Notes

Friday, August 16, will be Circus Day on Torrance playgrounds. There will be a parade, and freaks and acrobats, and wild animals, and everything—even a Wild West show with Indians.

The children of all playgrounds will unite in one big event, each playground to conduct one department of the circus. General arrangements are in charge of a committee composed of John Sedelmeier, Ernest Dandoy, and Cora Bohrer.

N. Dakota Plants 350,000 Trees FARGO, N. D. (U.P.)—More than 350,000 young trees have been planted on North Dakota farms for establishment and enlargement of windbreaks.



### News From Washington

By Your Congressman CHARLES J. GOLDEN

The war conducted by the holding companies against the Administration and the New Deal is still on. It has reached the 'liar' and the wiled collar stage before the House investigating committee and this is but the first stages of the investigations to be held by both the House and the Senate.

Because of the ugly charges and bad feelings engendered in the battle over the holding company regulation bill, the House authorized the rules committee to make an investigation of lobbying, both for and against the bill, and made an appropriation of \$50,000 in order to secure legal assistance, employ reporters, subpoena witnesses, and other necessities that are incurred in such procedure.

The Senate also has authorized an appropriation of \$50,000, and a committee of that side of the Capitol is diving into the same subject. The attorneys who represented President Roosevelt and the Administration in preparing the bill have been accused of being lobbyists; and the government itself will be investigated. On the other side, the committee will seek to determine who paid for the thousands of telegrams that poured in on the members of Congress, and also inspired the hundreds of thousands of letters, that filled the mails to overflowing. It is remarked about the cloak room that the committee will endeavor to find out to what extent the big newspapers were subsidized by the holding companies and the power trust, and many members of Congress may be questioned as to how much stock they own, and if attorneys what paper companies they represent.

The investigations promise to open up a lot of closets and some unheeded skeletons are expected to be produced. Anyhow, since the holding company bill and the T. V. A. battles are over with—for the time being, there has been a grand exodus of the representatives of the holding companies and Washington has become normal again. But if the committee lives up to expectations, it will dig out some skeletons before the investigation is ended.

After the President's holding company program received such an upset in the House, and it looked like the New Deal was wrecked for the time being, it showed unexpected life in the fight with the rival utility companies.

An instance is given of Athens, Alabama, where the previous domestic rate averaged five and one-half cents per kilowatt hour because of the competition of the government plant. These rates were cut 45 percent by the operating company recently purchased by the city. The report states that immediately the number of consumers increased 40 percent. Many electrical appliances were purchased and installed, and today Athens uses three times the amount of electricity that was used at the higher rate.

Cheaper electricity induced the wiring of many houses, increased the use of all kinds of appliances and was of considerable benefit to local business. At the old rate the average residents in Athens consumed 51 kilowatt hours per month. Under the lower rate it increased to 114 kilowatt hours per month. The sale of refrigerators, ranges, water heaters, etc., average \$112 per customer. It is also noted that the local operating company increased its revenues by 20 percent by the reduction in rates, and after paying taxes, providing for depreciation, and other overhead charges, has a surplus of over 19 percent of its gross revenue.

In the last Congress, a bill was passed to permit the organization of credit unions under federal law. The purpose of these credit unions is to enable the employees of the same factory, or store, or lodge, or society, or teachers in the same school system, or policemen, or firemen, or any other group, to organize a credit union, in order that the members may borrow money at a reasonable rate of

interest and protect themselves from the exorbitant interest of the loan shark. The rate of interest charged may not exceed one percent a month with no extra charges for this service. There are about 3,000 of these credit unions throughout the United States and one of the interesting features is that 300 of these credit unions have been organized since last June. The credit unions are growing rapidly and are extending to all parts of the country and include all classes and groups of employees. Among those chartered are a number of veteran organizations, postal employees, ship workers, and so on without number.

A recent report from the department of commerce discloses that according to the last farm census, which began January 2nd of this year, that there are 6,273,123 farms in 2,522 counties, out of a total of 3,071 counties in the United States as compared with 5,737,538 farms in the same counties in 1930. This indicates an increase of over half a million farms, or to be exact 545,585. These figures would indicate that more than 2,000,000 people have turned back to the farms in the past five years. If the states and the counties would follow the substance of the federal program of the federal government, this movement could be largely augmented and the economic condition of a great many people might be relieved. One of the great needs of the rural sections is a small farm with a modern home, financed on a long term of years, at a low rate of interest, to enable the farmer to acquire a home of his own and at the same time live in comfort. One of the important factors that drove our population from the farms to the cities was the lack of proper housing and conveniences on the farm, but with government assistance, rural electrification, the automobile, the radio, the telephone, the farm is far more attractive than the old days when life was drudgery from 4 o'clock in the morning until long after the sun had gone down.

One of the most serious problems of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration has been subject to a study by the producers of milk. The farmers and the dairymen have been getting a very low price for their product as compared with the retail prices paid by the consumer. In the early days of the A. A. A. an attempt was made to regulate the milk industry. In many places it resulted in a humiliating failure. It remains to be seen if the terms to be solved by the report of the United States department of agriculture reviews the milk prices on 44 metropolitan markets for April. The farmers at Indianapolis received the lowest price for their milk, or 2.81 cents per quart delivered to the distributors in the city. The farmers in the vicinity of Miami, Florida, received the highest price of 4.21 cents per quart. The consumers in Indianapolis paid 10 cents per quart for their milk, while in Miami, Florida, they paid 16 cents per quart. The dealer in Indianapolis obtained 6.39 cents per quart for handling and delivery and at Miami 7.75 cents per quart. According to this report, the cost of handling and delivery of the milk after it reaches the city is the largest part of the cost of milk. This is another question for economists to ponder over.

Congress has not only been suffering from the withering political heat, the holding company heat, the T. V. A. heat, but the weathering heat also been turning on heat until the members are lazing, perspiring and wilting. About 30 members of the House are now in the hospital and if this grinding continues along with the hot weather, the fatalities will probably greatly increase. Some of the members are so worn out and tired that they are slipping off their feet, or taking short vacations, in order to be able to continue their work. Not only are the members suffering ill effects from the heat and the hard grind, but dispositions are badly frayed, tempers are irritated, neither of which contribute to the smooth grinding of the legislative machinery.

Hen Lays Egg Within Egg HOPKINS, Mich. (U.P.)—One of Allen Simpson's white Leghorn hens recently astonished the family by laying an egg within an egg. The inner egg also had a shell.

### Last Parcel of Right of Way Is Cleared Up

Way Opened For Immediate Extension of Western Avenue

Action of the county board of supervisors to appropriate approximately \$5,000 to move pipelines of the Standard Oil Company will clear up the last parcel of right of way for the extension of Western avenue southward through the Palms Verde Hills. Road Commissioner George Jones said yesterday.

Jones anticipated that the supervisors would agree sometime this week to make the appropriation, and he then would order the work done.

Federal aid will be requested to grade and pave the Western avenue extension under the new WPA set-up, according to Jones. Supervisor Roger W. Jessup of the board's road committee is agreeable to making the appropriation and the WPA request, it was learned. The improvement will extend between the Los Angeles city limits and San Pedro, according to Jones, and the WPA policy is to pay 80 percent of the cost, leaving but 20 percent for the county to stand.

Will Contain Just Ten Words SALEM, Mass. (U.P.)—John Sullivan's will, believed to be the shortest ever filed in probate court here, contained only 10 words. It read: "Twenty-five shares of United Shoe stock to my wife."

Idaho Wool Crop Large BOISE, Ida. (U.P.)—Agricultural leaders estimate the 1935 Idaho wool crop at 18,500,000 pounds. It was sheared from 2,000,000 sheep, averaging nine pounds each. The state will market 1,650,000 head of lambs. Prices are better than for several years past.

Buzaaw Stops Just in Time TIFFIN, O. (U.P.)—If Allen E. Seele hadn't happened to have shut off the power a moment before he would have suffered a horrible death from a circular saw, as it is. Seele fell against the saw but it came to a stop after cutting through his clothing.

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<b>SPINACH</b> No. 2 can 8c	<b>CHOCOLATE</b> 1/2-lb. cake 10c
<b>TOMATO JUICE</b> 3 No. 1 cans 17c	<b>EXTRACT</b> 1-oz. bottle 12c
<b>SWEET PEAS</b> No. 2 can 10c	<b>SARDINES</b> can 10c
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<b>RIPE OLIVES</b> 9-oz. can 14c	<b>SUGAR</b> 10-pound cloth bag 51c
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