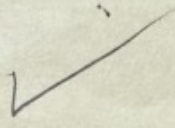


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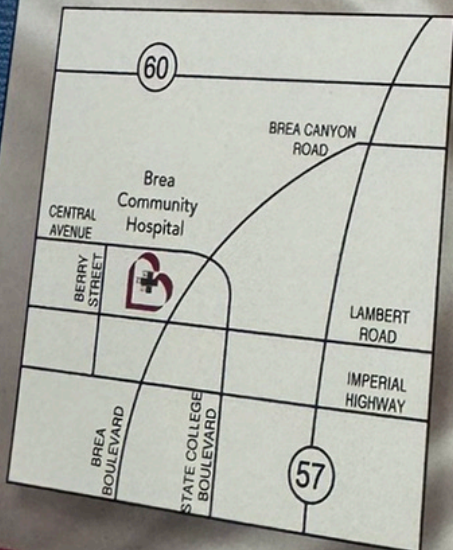


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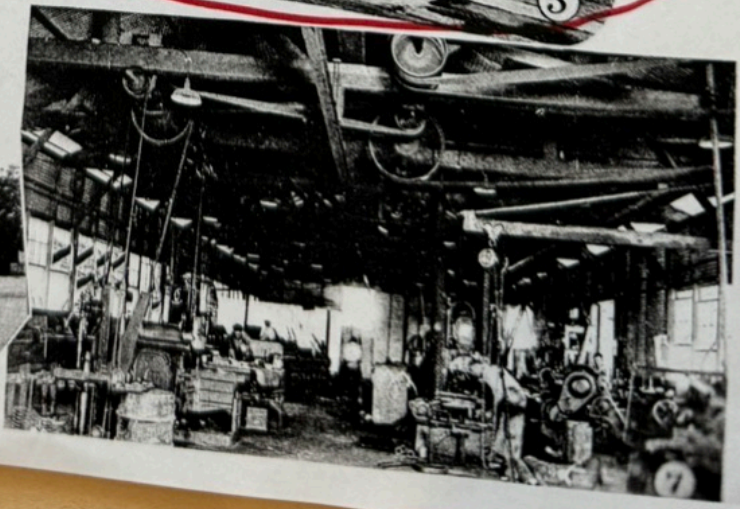
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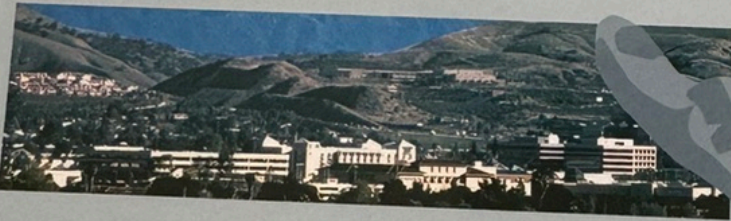
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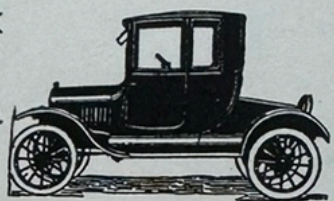


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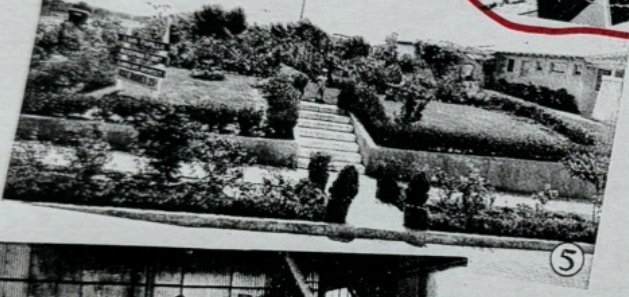
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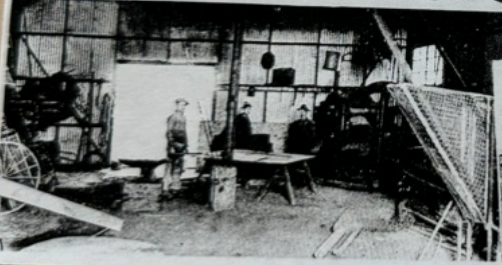
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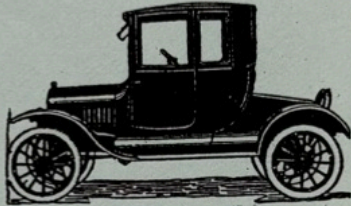
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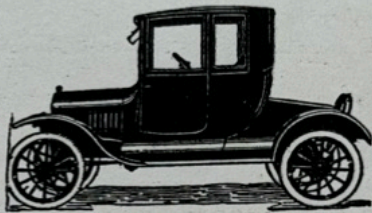


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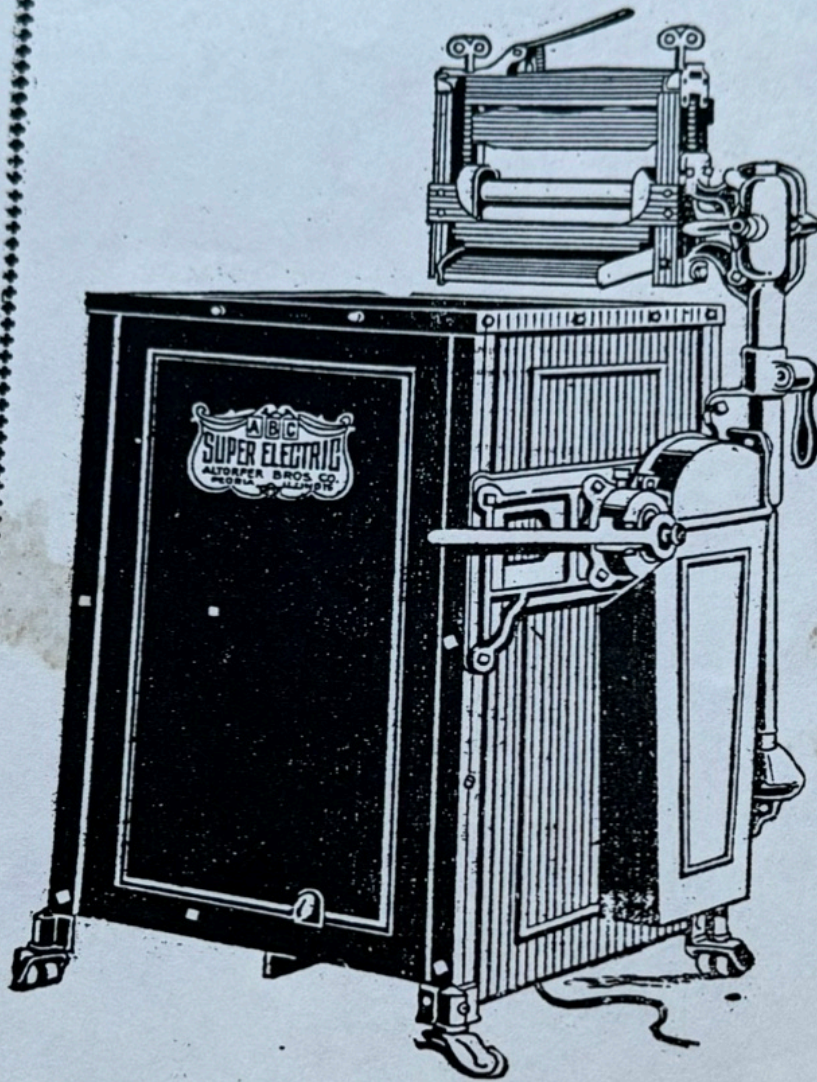
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The Brea Progress: Friday, October 5, 1945

CENTRAL MARKET IN MOVE ON POMONA

Another outstanding bit of alteration work in Brea during the past week has been the change in the former Purves building on Pomona Avenue, near the corner of Birch Street. Dayton Alexander, who has been moving the Central Market to the new location, has arranged for installation of a new impressive store front in the building as well as considerably expanded goods, meat, and vegetable facilities.

Alexander did not care to express himself in definite terms Thursday morning concerning his possible formal opening date, but he expected that it might be next week. Meanwhile most of the moving has been completed.

The Brea Progress: Friday, October 19, 1945

OPEN NEW ALEXANDER SUPER MARKET HERE; MANY FLORAL GIFTS

With its change in location, the former Central Market has become Alexander's Super Market. This was revealed last week-end when Dayton Alexander completed the moving of his Pomona Avenue store-market site closer to the corner of Birch Street.

Large crowds featured the somewhat informal grand opening of the new Super Market and ten impressive floral bouquet gifts were received from the market's many well-wishers.

Alexander has desired to express his thanks to all those who helped in the opening, and especially to those sending the flowers. Among the latter are: the Elan Candle Company, J. Witten and R. Barnes, Dr. C. Glenn Curtis, the Sweet Shop, W. D. Shaffer, G. Folckemer, Brea Hardware, Chiksan Company, Mrs. Lois Muzzall, and the Brea Chamber of Commerce.

the Brea Progress: Friday, November 30, 1945

CLEAR STATION FROM POMONA AVENUE SITE

Clearing of the northwest corner of Pomona Avenue and Birch Street was begun last Wednesday, November 28, as the firm of Star House Movers set about the task of removing the former Sunset gas station building from the premises.

According to J. W. Caulfield, foreman in charge of the four-man crew attending to the job, the station building is to be carted to a location in Puente, Myer Brothers of Los Angeles, he said, are the contractors in charge.

Dayton Alexander states that he and his market colleagues plan to use the lot for sale of Christmas trees early next month. Some 500 of the trees he indicates are to be set up on the lot. After the first of the year further changes may be expected.

The Brea Progress: Friday, May 11, 1945

DAYTON ALEXANDER ACQUIRES BUILDING

Dayton B. Alexander, proprietor of the Central Market informed the Progress Monday that he had purchased the J. H. Purves store on south Pomona avenue near the corner of Birch street, from C. I. O'Neal of O'Neal and Haskins, a Pomona firm. Alexander, who purchased the former Gheen's market last February, said he anticipates converting the former department store location into enlarged quarters for his market. However, he stated, the change will probably not take place until next fall.

The building is now being occupied as a residence by Mr. & Mrs. George Shadforth, who have lived with Mrs. Laura Carey since the spring of 1944. Mrs. Shadforth is a teacher at Brea-Olinda Union high school.

Alexander, who is married and has two children is an old-timer in the Brea area for he first visited the city some twenty-one years ago. He formerly worked for a flour company, then served as a coffee salesman taking up residence here 13 years ago on Birch street. He had lived out of the city for some time, however when he purchased Gheen's market last February and gave it its new name. Recently he also moved into the Lloyd D. Jones home at 217 north Pomona avenue.

Purchase revives curiosity about Purves Building Purchase by Dayton B. Alexander of the J. H. Purves store next to the old gas station at the corner of Pomona avenue and Birch street has revived interest in the history of the building.

According to Mrs. Grace L. May, city clerk the lot on which the building stands was originally purchased in 1927 from the city of Brea for \$5,200, and a building permit issued to a Harold C. Dewey of Pomona to construct a building on the premises. The permit record places the 1927 value of the building at \$8,500.

C. H. Woodruff, who has recently been operating the California Hotel in Fullerton, was the first party to do business at the new location. He states he had been operating the Stearns-Goodman store at the present Brea Hardware location from 1919 to the middle 1920's, when he moved to the Purves store. He operated the Woodruff Department Store there until 1931 when L. H. Hawkins of the Hawkins chain of stores bought the stock and merchandise.

Ray Roberts, who is now with the Chiksan company, worked as Hawkins' assistant manager at the Brea store for a number of years. Later, J. H. Purves who had managed one of Hawkins other stores purchased the business and gave the structure the name which is still visible on the store front.

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The Brea Progress: Friday, February 9, 1945

**DAYTON B. ALEXANDER, FORMER RESIDENT OF BREA, NEW GHEEN MARKET OWNER**

Gheen's market a landmark in Brea grocery history in the past 22 years, changed hands February 5, when it was purchased by Dayton B. Alexander, Santa Ana coffee salesman who formerly lived in Brea and who has won many friends here. G. H. Gheen and Mrs. Gheen, the former owners, have built up a tremendous amount of good will and friendship in the city of Brea at the present market location. They have three children, Lyndle, Eleanor and Paul, and have been dwelling at 420 south Pomona avenue.

Alexander is also a married man. He has two children, Franklin D. Alexander, aged eleven and Sharon Lynne, who will be six in July. Alexander first visited Brea 22 years ago last September and thirteen years ago took up residence here on Birch street later moving to another address in the city. It was while he lived in Brea that he married Mrs. Alexander, the former Viva M. Shoff and that his son Franklin D. Alexander was born.

The new owner says that he worked for A-1 Flower company people for sixteen years and for the MJB Coffee people for the past six. He contemplates changing the market's name to "Central Market" and expects to operate it on a supermarket basis. Mrs. Alexander formerly was employed by Dr. Glenn Curtis.

Lyndle Gheen is an ensign in the navy and at present oversea. Eleanor Gheen is a Wave, serving now in Washington, D. C. Paul the youngest, has just enlisted in the merchant marine and is on twenty four hour call.

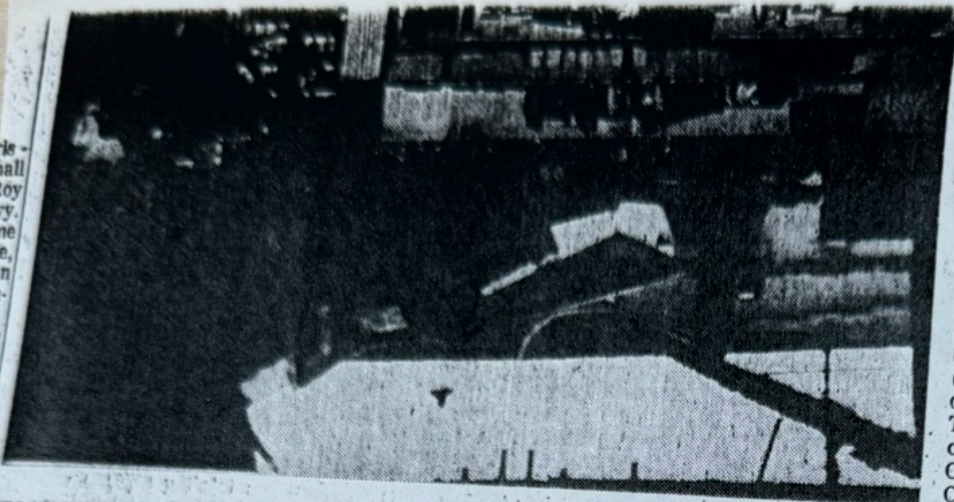
Mr. & Mrs. Gheen have made the following statement for publication: "Thank you--we take this opportunity after 22 years in business to thank our many friends and customers for their loyal patronage. We have sold our complete market to Mr. & Mrs. Dayton B. Alexander who will operate the business. I am sure they will be worthy and appreciate your support as we have. They will move thier family here and establish a home and be one of you. Thanking you again. Mr. & Mrs. G. H. Gheen and family. P. S. We will still be at home at 420 south Pomona avenue, but on the other side of the counter.

The Brea Progress: Friday, April 26, 1946

**SHOFF HOME MOVE AMONG BUILDING PERMITS**

Mr. & Mrs. William Shoff are moving their house from its present location at 108 West Imperial to the Dayton Alexander property at 211 North Pomona. A permit was issued this week to Alexander covering the move of his wife's parents' home at a cost of \$3,000.





MARKET FIRE — Loss is estimated at \$75,000 in the blaze that swept through the Brea Market at Brea

Blvd. and Birch St. early Sunday morning.

STAR-PROGRESS PHOTO

and gave the alarm. When the firemen reached the scene less than a minute later they found that the fire had a good start and a call was put in for Brea's second fire unit. They were joined by units from La Habra and Fullerton.

**Two Hour Battle**

For two hours the firemen under the command of Chief Kenneth Staggs fought the stubborn blaze but they were able to contain it with only slight damage (estimated at about \$50) being done the adjoining variety store. The Brea units under Staggs command were directed by Capt. Volney Seibenthal and Capt. William Kirkland and although the firemen were endangered by collapsing racks of blazing merchandise, none were hurt.

During the fire Lt. Richison and Officers Watson and Ziemer detoured traffic.

**Once Colima Market**

The market, which was then known as the Colima Market, was acquired by Wayne Pittman about a year ago. The building was owned by Dayton Alexander.

**INVITED TO BALL**

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Curtis, 323 N. Pomona, Brea, announced this Dr. D. K. Shields of the Medical Evangelists, associated with him in practice. This is recovering from illness and is bringing to Brea to assist him patients. He served three years in World War II as a navigator and bombardier. He was a first lieutenant and his duty was to lead the bomber. He was General Curtis LeMay's Asiatic-Pacific theater.

Mrs. Shields are buying in Brea and will soon be home here. They have five years old.

### Men Talents as School Entertains

Regular school assembly at Junior High school Friday, 10, offered a little different type of program than recent Jaster offered the staff and as masquerades he presented varied and interesting

Glee club started the singing "Bells of St. Eddad, and "The Lord's Prayer" on the trumpet. Connie, presented accordion numbers. Mrs. Jaster rendered the "Old Wheel" on the trumpet. Three vocal selections. Miss Evelyn Miller at piano and Connie Jaster at violin numbers. A piano solo was offered.

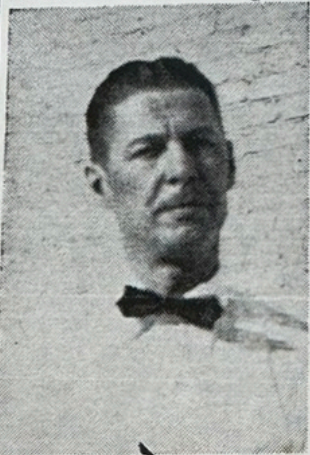
The music of "Silent Night" and "White Christmas," were shown on screen by Harold Johnson. The program concluded with a skit. The auditorium darkened and Miss Jaster twirling her lighted

### Car in Wreck

Automobile and truck collided Sunday night at 5:55 at intersection of Central and Pomona. The accident caused head and neck injuries to Mrs. L. G. Merritt.



**BEN MARTIN,**  
owner of F & W Markets



**BILL BELLMORE** manager of F & W Market



**DILLARD WILKERSON,**  
manager of the meat department at Brea's F & W Market

involved in opening his new store at Pomona Ave. and Birch St. while he was interviewed last week.

This Thursday, Friday and Saturday Martin will see the grand opening of his fourth market. It will be a gala occasion with clowns, musicians, a pet show, a hobby show, free gifts for kids and adults, and headlined by a visit of Santa Claus from 2 to 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

This Hollywood-like extravaganza is a far cry from the day when Martin used to unpack eggs from cartons, barrels and other handy containers filled with wheat to keep the eggs from breaking. The farmers used to bring the eggs to his father's store to sell or trade, Martin recalls. He remembers getting paid 25c a day for his labor.

**31 Years In Business**  
Those days in Kansas were the start of 31 years in the highly competitive grocery business. Between Kansas and Brea, Martin spent 15 years in Los Angeles operating a grocery store, then got into business at Long Beach some 14 years ago. He now has two stores in Long Beach and one in Artesia, in addition to his newest acquisition in Brea.

Since Martin first purchased the Brea store from Dayton Alexander a little over a month ago, the place has been a bee hive of activity. Not only have new fixtures been installed in the store, but the entire stock was removed from the old shelves so that the aisles in the store could be run the width of the store instead of the length. This will al-

section. The produce department has also been relocated to give easier access for restocking by market personnel.

To announce his grand opening sale at the flag bedecked store Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Martin has four full pages of advertising in the new Brea Shopper printed by The Progress.

"Dusty" Walker, well-known cowboy entertainer, will be one of the star performers at the opening, Martin said. The entertainment plus a machine to make free cotton candy should be more than enough to entertain the kids while the adults scan the many bargains on hand in F & W Market.

**"Name Brands"**  
"We intend to feature only national advertised brand names that customers know and can depend on," Martin declared. "We also will keep our shelf prices competitive with the largest markets," he assured.

The F & W will be operated by a staff of seven employees. Two of them will be stationed in the meat department. The store will be managed by Bill Bellmore while Willard Wilkerson will head the meat department.

For the most part, the employees will be drawn from the neighboring communities, Martin said.

Martin is a family man, so he can appreciate the savings possible when today's housewife shops in an F & W store. His own family consists of his wife, an adopted son, Larry, 11 years old; an adopted daughter, Nanette, two years old; and Lynette, two and one-half years old.



The three-day grand opening of Brea's new F & W Market will be staged this Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Owner Ben Martin has many entertainers and free gifts lined up for the event. The staff of the market has spent the last month modernizing its interior.

Trying out the new Councilmen Leo cost \$9218 and \$1240 was received.

### Holiday F Women c

Members and Brea Junior Women at the Women's night for their meeting and party. VeDel, president, called to order.

Mrs. Bill Allen, chairman, welcomed Mrs. Doro Crow, Mrs. Delores Williams, Mrs. Delores Williams, Mrs. Delores Williams. These girls members this year Junior pins.

A Fullerton fashion show of Mrs. Melvin Campbell, chairman, was the and models were Don Lacy, M. E. Campbell, Charles Russell, Bill Allen, etc.

The Juniors visited the Casa Colina children's home and tuberculosis hospital. Mrs. Charles Russell, the recent federal held in Brea. Carlson and Mr. their recent visit where the South conference was held. Following the

### Outboard

Brea police are out for an outboard from a Brea garage. The motor is a 5 H.P. outboard motor and serial 1-25-7973B. It is with blue trim. Atkins will apply for a license regarding the motor.

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# Activities

family of six children. Mrs. Jack Russell and Mrs. Leonard MacKain were hostesses for the morning.

## • Junior High PTA

The Junior High PTA Board met at the home of Evelyn Sullivan, December 11.

The Ways and Means Committee is scheduling a dinner to be held sometime the latter part of February for fund raising purposes. A discussion was held on the possibility of group entertainment by the participation of the people who will attend the dinner. A suggestion was made to set the date of the dinner after the PTA Founders' Day meeting and have tickets printed by then. Further planning will be taken up at the next board meeting. The Ways and Means Chairman also reported that 141 "rooting-hats" were bought by the Junior High students.

The Christmas Program was given at the PTA meeting December 18. Over 120 students participated in the program. The same program was presented to students of the school the following day.

The Nominating Committee was appointed at this meeting following the program.

Mrs. James Miller has accepted the Historian Chairmanship.

A report on the dance class was made. The attendance is holding up very well and two classes are still in operation.

The next board meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Roland.

## • Boy Scouts

The Flaming Arrow Patrol spent a very profitable evening last Thursday at patrol meet-



NEW SIGNS ALONG POMONA AVENUE. — The Fiesta Market, Pomona and Birch, displays new signs, both illuminated and painted, to mark its name change, formerly F. & W. Market. Proprietor of the Fiesta is Jack Martin.—(Romar photo)

## Easy to Decorate and Do Planting with Hollies

Throughout America the Holly is traditionally a Christmastime decoration. Indeed, the waxy green leaves and bright red berries have become almost as common in American homes as the evergreen tree.

The popularity of Holly as a decoration in California, at least, can partially be attributed to its growing habits—Christmas Hollies can be planted and grown successfully in most areas of this State.

But the use of Holly doesn't stop there, says the California Association of Nurserymen, for the various kinds of this versatile shrub also make attractive background and landscape plantings.

The English Holly (*Ilex aquifolium*) has been used for Yuletide decorations for centuries; in fact, Holly is mentioned in old English carols and poems. It will grow well in all areas of Califor-

## School Closed Here After Discovery of Leak in Gas Line

Students at Brea Junior High School received a pre-Christmas vacation bonus when—as a precautionary measure—they remained out of school last Friday (December 14) while Southern Counties Gas Co. personnel pinpointed location of an elusive leak reported at the school.

According to gas company Orange County Division Manager, Justin M. Kennedy, there was never any danger, but the gas company representatives and school officials decided it was best to dismiss pupils on Thursday afternoon.

With three gas company field crews on the scene, the leak was finally spotted Friday morning, in a main about 100 feet north of the entrance of the school. The gas was entering an abandoned sixteen-inch concrete drainage line to the school grounds.

The leak was repaired at 2 p.m. Friday, with clean-up work completed by 4:15.

Another crew was sent back to the scene Saturday to double check conditions.

"We are grateful," Kennedy said, "to L. H. MacKain, principal of the school, for his complete cooperation which enabled us to fix the damage in short order."

At last report no one had sampled opinions of the younger generation attending Brea Junior High but undoubtedly the youngsters—in turn—were grateful to the gas company for the unscheduled added vacation.

## Safety Note: Take Care with Lights

It'll be a merrier Christmas if the tree gets burned in an incinerator after the holidays, rather than in the living room before Santa Claus even shows up. Although manufacturers of tree lighting devices constantly improve their products, the danger of fire, nevertheless, remains. A few tips on Christmas tree safety are well worth review every Christmas season. They are:

Never leave tree lights burning overnight. Any electric bulb, regardless of how small it is, will heat up if left on for a period of time to a point where it can ignite such things as paper tree decorations.

Never leave tree lights burning when the home is empty. If you plan taking the whole family out for an evening, disconnect the lights. That way there can be no danger from electrical accidents such as short circuits which could blow the lights and start a fire when there is no one home to put it out.

## Tissue Wrappings

See that presents wrapped in flimsy papers—which look pretty but also burn fast—are well out of range of lights should they fall, as lights perched precariously on the end of a branch often do. If a bulb and its wires fell onto a package so that the hot bulb was in constant direct contact with the paper, it would not take long for enough heat to be created to set the package on fire.

Although the plaster walls and ceiling of modern homes give maximum protection and are accorded a one-hour fire-resistant

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rious stores.

According to the plans made by the merchants' committee, two names will be drawn for each turkey and the name first drawn will be allowed to claim the turkey until Saturday noon, after that time the second name will be eligible.

It is not necessary to make a purchase to obtain a ticket, officials said. Tickets will be given to any adult requesting them.

Brea merchants hope that shoppers will appreciate the shopping bonus they are offering to their customers and that they will come down town and ask for turkey tickets.

### Start Count, Hope Survey by Tuesday

in they should make sure they are included in the census count by leaving the necessary information in a sealed envelope with neighbors or by dropping it off at the city hall, headquarters for the census team," Mrs. Gaston emphasized.

"First name, last name, middle initial and race, sex, age last birthday, and relationship to the head of the household is the information needed concerning each person. It is vital that every address be accounted for," Mrs. Gaston said.

The census in Brea was requested by the city in order that it obtain its share of the state gas tax fund. This fund is distributed to municipalities according to their population.

### ALL DOSES AIDS MAINTENANCE

More than 80 per cent of potential telephone trouble is thus prevented before subscribers are aware it exists.

### Sale of Turkey Day Gridiron Tickets

the past 14 years. The deceased is the mother of Mrs. Reta Blystone, 434 S. Sievers Ave.

Reverend Victor Hayman conducted the services. Interment was made at Loma Vista Cemetery.

Those surviving are her husband, John W. Taylor; daughters, Mrs. Madie Rodgers of Lynwood, and Mrs. Reta Blystone of 434 S. Sievers Avenue, Brea; a son, Lillard Taylor at 723 S. Pomona Avenue, Brea; and grandchildren, Pvt. Don Rodgers at Ft. Ord and Lynn and Lee Ann Blystone of Brea.

Buying or selling—do it quickly through Progress want ads.

### Alexander's Sold, New Personnel Starts Restocking Market Shelves

Alexander's grocery market in Brea has been sold effective the first of this week, it has been announced.

Ben Martin, owner of the F & W Markets, announced that he has purchased the Brea store from Dayton Alexander and that he has established a completely new personnel with Roger Brantley as manager. Other employees will be Dave Wadell, Lillard Wilkison, Ross Hayden and Pearl Ramage.

Martin said he has three other stores in this area and the Brea store will be the fourth in his chain, giving him the advantage

submitted by large and small city systems throughout the country.

Besides her English duties, Miss Lyman teaches speech and drama at Brea-Olinda and is a permanent member of the editorial committee of "Let's Write," an annual North Orange County student publication.

Miss Lyman is a graduate of the University of Minnesota. She has done graduate work at the University of Colorado and UCLA. In the course of her teaching career, she has taken time out to do secretarial work and radio writing. She is also a member of the Fullerton Toastmistress Club.

### Select Brea Women To Conduct Survey

Appointment of Mrs. Alexander of Brea as enumerator in the 1954 Census Agriculture was announced last week by Crew Leader Mrs. Alexander in charge of farms in part of Orange County.

The enumerator is a "census fantry man" of the organization. It is her duty to locate every farm within the area assigned her, interview the operator and obtain a

### CUB SCOUT NEWS

All of you fellows who wish to play football are invited to come out to the Brea-Olinda High School playground Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon.

The Cub project for the month of November is the making of toys for children at the Orange County General Hospital.

The Cub Scout organization is designed to combat juvenile delinquency and to guide boys toward good citizenship, according to the Cub leaders.

### GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Girl Scout Troop 91 has come into the news as reported by Sandra Kumbera, newly-elected scribe. The first meeting of the troop was held Monday, November 1, at the Christian Church with Mrs. Ida Taylor and Mrs. Desmond Hornbuckle as leaders.

The main item of business was dividing into two patrols and electing officers.

The patrol, with Gail Hornbuckle as patrol leader, and her assistant, Jane Ward, has as members Susan Hornbuckle, Betty



# Groundbreaking Marks Start of Construction for California Bank

California Bank held groundbreaking ceremonies Thursday, February 11, for its new Brea office at the construction site on the northwest corner of Pomona Avenue and Fir Street. The new building will replace the existing Brea office when completed in August, announced Frank L. King, chairman of the board.

According to C. J. Schwartz, manager of the bank's Brea Of-

fice, the new structure will contain more than 7200 square feet of usable floor space. Schwartz stated the new building, being constructed at a cost of \$160,000 including fixtures, is scheduled for completion in August. Designed by Charles Luckman and Associates, the modern facility is planned for easy expansion when additional space is needed.

The new office will feature a drive up teller window on

the south side of the building which will permit convenient banking from the customer's car. Ample parking is provided by parking areas at the south side and rear entrance of the bank.

Complete banking services will be provided at the new office. In addition, a night depository is planned for the convenience of merchants and businessmen and will be located near the front entrance of the bank.

said, "I can't thank them enough for the way they've acted and the things they've said."

Newton was appointed to the council originally in 1955 after the death of Councilman Charles McCart and was successful in the 1956 election.

### Others File

Other contenders for the two council seats (and their professions as listed on nomination papers) are George W. Houston, businessman, 320 Juniper St.; Thomas Mascaro, plumbing contractor, 810 Cedar; Lloyd A. Reese, planning commissioner, 543 Palm; Thomas O. Speer, civil engineer/associate, 516 Peach; Ralph C. Baker, construction

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attend a meeting Council chambers Tuesday, Feb. 25, according to Mrs. staff.

time again when friends of Pony Pony Grads, formerly as Colt League get things organ- coming season— hand. (Tryouts the second, third weeks of March) of the growing program, it is there will be six boys 13 and 14 in- as in the past years, and three and 16 year-olds two. As a result need for more managers, umpires, secretaries, etc. Williamson, commit- will preside at g. He wants it anyone interest- in summer base- given a "royal All ideas and sup- welcome, he said.

## BREA LENDAR

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**BREAKING GROUND . . .** for the new California Bank of Brea are from left, C. J. Schwartz, manager; William Fannings, Ralph E. Barnes and John B. Reilly, advisor board members; William Reichenbach, vice president; and Joseph E. Witten, retired vice president and advisory board member. Ceremonies were observed by these and others affiliated with the bank, plus special guests and

city officials at the new site Thursday, Feb. 11. The bank now under construction at the corner of Pomona and Fir will be completed by September 1 by the Metcalf Construction Company. A total budget of \$215,000 (including land, building and furnishings) assures a plant modern in every detail, including a drive-up window for the convenience of customers.

# World Savings opens new branch in Brea

World Savings has purchased six Southern California branch offices from Beverly Hills Savings and Loan. The facilities, with deposits totaling over \$70 million, are in Brea, La Costa, Laguna Hills, Torrance, Tustin and Woodland Hills.

“World will be celebrating its new ac-

quisitions with an Open House at all six branches from November 1 through 13,” declared Marion O. Sandler, president. “We’ll be offering a special high interest rate on our popular Secured Money Plan, and free gifts and free refreshments. Customers at these branches are now World

Savings customers, and we welcome them heartily.”

The new branches bring World’s total for Southern California to 48, and for the entire state to 114.

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## Brea Receives Help In Cultural Exchange

BREA — After more than 30 years of working to promote better understanding of Latin Americans, Sandy Savala of Brea feels he is now getting a big assist from the State of California.

State legislators passed a bill requiring that a foreign language be taught in all public schools starting at the sixth grade level next year. Brea school leaders are preparing a program now for the fall term to carry out the law by teaching conversational Spanish to all sixth, seventh and eighth graders.

Savala, who owns Sandy's Casita Restaurant at 1921 N.

Brea Blvd., feels that understanding of the language will promote better understanding of the people.

He has had the same program, in reverse, for more than 30 years by conducting informal classes teaching Mexican workers in the area to speak English.

His tiny restaurant has been the center of Mexican cultural education over the years with his observance of Latin holidays and cultural exchange of information between the races on an informal basis.

His three children, now

grown, have all worked with the program and many Brea young persons have benefited over the years from their information gained from their association with the Savalas.

While Savala was born in Arizona, his family dates back to Los Angeles when it was a tiny pueblo more than 100 years ago. He feels that misunderstanding between historic Californians and newer residents of the state is a sad thing and cannot be justified on the basis of race.

"When people know and understand each other," he said, "traditional and cultural differences are no barrier to friendship."

"I am very happy to learn that the schools will require the teaching of the Spanish language. Nowhere in the world is this more needed than in Southern California where there is such a mixture of the two cultures," he declared.

Savala met recently with Reed Peterson, principal of Brea Junior High School, where the language program will begin in September. He offered his assistance in the program which he hopes will include information on Mexico as well as the language.

He hopes to make his program on Cinco de Mayo and other Mexican holidays available to students. His huge patio is often the scene of dances and celebrations with participants wearing the traditional native costumes. The colorful demonstrations draw persons from throughout the county.

Included as part of his program is art work in the small restaurant, and oddly enough some of his best "Mexican" art was done by a Brea resident of English descent.

Several huge paintings now hanging in the cafe were done by Dema Smith, a native son of Brea. Smith, a commercial artist and public relations man, is now working in New York.

"Problems that used to exist between the races in California are rapidly disappearing," Savala said, "and I hope renewed interest in learning the language will help end such problems forever."



**MEXICAN CULTURE** — Sandy Savala, Brea's unofficial Mexican cultural expert for more than 30 years, talks over Brea Junior High School's plan to teach Spanish starting at the sixth grade level, with Principal Reed

Peterson. Savala offered his assistance with the program demanded by the state. Painting in the background was done by a Brea native son, Dema Smith, who became interested in Mexican culture as a youth.

*Painting done by Demzil Smith*

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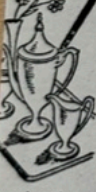
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BREA, ORANGE COUNTY

# Music Section Is Hostess Group To Brea Club Women

## INSTRUMENTAL AND VOCAL NUMBERS ENTERTAIN; EBELL CLUB FULLERTON ASSISTS

With the music section of the club as the hostess group and with the music section of Fullerton Ebells presenting the program, the meeting of the Brea Woman's club this week was one of the most enjoyable of the year.

Mrs. Helen Wishard Edwards, chairman of the section, announced the numbers which were given in groups, the first of which was a vocal group, the numbers being "Prayer Perfect," "In The Heart of The Hills," and "Out of The Dust To You."

The second group consisted of violin numbers with Mrs. Edwards and her sister playing "An Old Refrain," by Kreisler and "The Rosary." A quartet comprising Mrs. Olson, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Lille and Miss Elsie Moore sang "The Love Song," and "Cupid Made Love to the Moon," Mrs. Edwards accompanying at the piano. Mrs. Edwards later favored with violin and vocal numbers and the entire section present sang "Somewhere, Sometime, Somehow," "Green Cathedrals" and "Roses."

All the numbers were well given and received with real enjoyment and at the close of the program Mrs. J. J. Holland, in behalf of the Brea music section, presented Mrs. Edwards with a handsome basket of flowers.

Verne A. Baker, chairman of the unemployment committee in Fullerton, spoke briefly on the Sharkey Oil Stabilization Act which is to appear as Proposition No. 1 on the ballot for the special state election of May 3rd. This bill is similar in almost all details to that which has received the endorsement in Oklahoma of Governor "Alfalfa" Bill Murray. Baker explained it at once as a stabilizing measure and a conserving of the state's oil supply.

Mrs. Frances Davis, presiding at the short business meeting, announced the meeting of the state executive board at the Anaheim Elks club building on March 23, an invitation being given to all club women to attend the luncheon and the afternoon session. Announcement was also made of the fourth annual flower show to be held at Hotel Laguna on Friday and Saturday, April 8 and 9, both afternoons and evenings. The admission to the show is but 25 cents and covers both the afternoon and evening session of either day. Children will be admitted free if accompanied by an adult.

Upon a suggestion made by Mrs. G. C. Folckemer, invitations will be sent to the women's clubs of La Habra, Buena Park and Yorba Linda to attend the country store card party which is being given in the Masonic hall here on the evening of March 29 under the auspices of the ways and means committee of the club.

Mrs. Davis announced that the committee on the revision of the clubs constitution and by-laws would be ready to submit their work at the meeting of May 10, which meeting is to be a garden party at the home of Mrs. W. D. Shaffer.

Tea and cakes were served in the dining room with the music section in charge and with Mrs. L. A. Sayles and Mrs. O. S. Close pouring. Mrs. F. J. Schweitzer, chairman of the section, directed arrangements. Spring flowers and harmonizing tapers, cunning little yellow chickens and pink and white bunnies were reminders of the approaching Easter

# Pomona Ave. Paragraphs

Signs of spring are in the air. The Brea Ignition Works caught the housecleaning fever and Tuesday had a grand house cleaning time and are all "red up" for the summer's rush of business. Mike Hogue is itching for golf courses and finds it hard to stay behind the counter these days; measuring sugar and such like sport has lost its charm for him. Mrs. Gnagy's pattern book is in constant demand now, forerunner of spring sewing.

Speaking of housecleaning, the Brea Hotel has been undergoing that ordeal for several weeks. Mrs. Sharp, the new proprietress, just like all women, couldn't be satisfied it was clean until she had gone over it inch by inch herself, and that is what she has been doing.

By the way, you may not have known that the proprietor has opened up a new and second hand furniture store downstairs under the hotel. He is occupying two of the store buildings already and thinks he may take a third when some additional furniture he has ordered comes in. Prices seemed very reasonable and it would be a neighborly deed to step in there and look over his stock before going out of town to buy. He will trade furniture with you, too.

Mrs. Gnagy has been getting a good deal of delight out of the comments of the children over the little yellow chickens that grace one of her windows. They stop and talk to them entirely unconscious that they may have an audience, pouring out their affectionate regards in words of tender endearment. It is amusing, too, when they come along with their parents and have almost to be chastized before they will consent to leave such a delightful scene. One little two-year old returned again and again one morning until her father became almost irate. Then she deemed it advisable to agree with his request that she "Come on!"

Harlan LeGro is a bachelor this week, his wife and daughter having gone on a short vacation to Fresno.

Brea's "Main Street" will present a much more attractive appearance when the beautification committee gets its plans for tree planting and lot decoration carried.

The first view that one gets of Brea, coming in from La Habra is prepossessing. Just a little this side of Stewart Station the Brea grammar school is visible, sitting up on its rise of ground, a building beautiful enough to have had its picture in a California pictorial magazine several years ago as one of the really lovely architectural pieces in this part of the country. Pomona Ave. at its north end is lined with large old shade trees that shut out the glare of sunlight with their graceful foliage. But in the town proper there is a dearth of trees along the main thoroughfare. It is planned to plant cocon palmosas palms for several blocks and to make the vacant lots gay with flowers for 20 feet back from the sidewalk with a background of hedge.

If you have shoots or cuttings of anything that will grow without too much care or water, or plants that you are thinning out, if you will call the Chamber of Commerce or the city hall someone will come and get them and start them in the lath house in the park so they will be ready to set out when the lots are plowed.

## SPEND VACATION AT CABIN NEAR LAKE ARROWHEAD

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The San Martens Oil Company has the big well Booth No. 1 completed at 3500, and Fradman No. 1 at 3135. Booth No. 1 is good for 1500 barrels and Fradman will make 400.

The United Oil Company has two wells on the Denni property looking like big producers. Denni No. 1 at 2800 is showing oil, and Denni No. 2 at 3000 feet is showing lots of oil and gas and looks like a big well.

### SEAL BEACH WELL TO START SOON

Seal Beach is determined to get into the oil line light. The Seal Beach Oil Company has completed a rig for the first test well and drilling is scheduled to commence in about 10 days. The location of the well is considered with some favor. Operators are beginning to think that the chances for a field at Seal Beach is as good as Huntington Beach has turned out to be.

### STARTS SECOND WELL ON RESERVOIR HILL

The Dolke-Thomas Syndicate has moved its rig and is ready to start drilling a second well on reservoir hill at Fullerton. The Dolke-Thomas syndicate expects to extend the south limit of the Fullerton field and their success will spring a distinct surprise.

### FILE SEVEN CHARGES INVOLVING SPEED LAW

Charges of speeding were filed with the district attorney by Motorcycle Officer Vernon Myers against George Watson, George Lemunaro, and C. S. Miller. All of the alleged offenses were committed on the state highway near La Habra.

Motorcycle Officer H. S. Warner filed a complaint against H. E. Plumridge, E. C. Dean, M. J. Cormis and W. E. Conger, all of whom are accused of violating the speed laws on the Anaheim boulevard.

### PAYS BIG FINE IN LIQUOR CASE

In Justice French's court at Fullerton Everett Nava was fined \$150 for being concerned in an illegal liquor transaction. A 90-day county jail sentence was added suspended during good behavior.

Nava was one of three men arrested by the police last summer on a charge of illegally transporting

one of the nicest wells in the field. At 3752 this well is flowing 650 barrels. No. 1 has increased its production from 500 to 625. No. 3 set the 3-inch at 2933 and looks like another 600 barrel well.

Jim O'Donnell has a thousand barrel well at Huntington Beach. O'Donnell No. 1 completed at 3741 started to flow before all the oil string could be installed. The well is making such a strong flow that there is doubt if any more work can be done on it. This big well adds another laurel to the phenomenal success of the Federal Drilling Company.

The Petroleum Midway washed out Elliott No. 1 at 2936 and the well started flowing at about 50 barrels.

The Rhoads Oil Company recovered its No. 2 and put it back on production a 400 barrel well. The well was redrilled and cleaned out to 2378.

The Standard Oil Company brought in a 100 barrel well at Huntington No. E-3. Drilled to 2695 the well started off flowing by heads. It will be remembered that E-3 was formerly the Bolsa Chica Oil Company's Augur No. 1.

The Sun Oil Company has resumed work on No. 1 and will deepen No. 4. No. 1 has stood idle for months at 2436, and No. 3 produced at the rate of 175 barrels at 2300 feet.

### FUNERAL OF WORLD WAR VETERAN SATURDAY

The funeral of Howard A. Thornton, veteran of the world war, whose death occurred from wounds received in the Argonne battle at the American hospital at Froydos, France, Oct. 2, 1918, will be held at Fullerton Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Seale parlors. Brea post and Fullerton post American Legion will be represented.

Howard Thornton was the son of Lincoln and Alice Thornton, of Artesia. He was born Aug. 4, 1889. He became a member of the 364th machine gun company, a unit of the 91st division which arrived in France in the summer of 1918. He participated in one other battle prior to the Argonne drive in which he was fatally wounded. In addition to the parents there are two brothers and four sisters: Oliver N., of Brea; Joseph, Beale; Gladys, Ruth and Clara, who live at Artesia.

### LITTLE ENCOURAGEMENT AT GARDEN GROVE

Garden Grove people are watching the progress of the Standard

The remodeled Yorktown would have a capacity of 600 passengers and the other ship under consideration would have a capacity of 100.

The Newport harbor-San Diego trip by sea might prove extremely popular among tourists visiting the Southland; it was pointed out.

### City Council Buys Fire Apparatus

The Brea City Council Wednesday night bought a chemical fire apparatus of eighty gallon capacity, at a cost of \$1500, the purchase being made of the W. R. Hirsch Co. of Los Angeles. This is the machine which was used in a demonstration in Brea recently.

The council let a contract for the digging of a well on the recently acquired tract in the southeastern part of town. The contract price was \$585. The depth of the well will be approximately 100 feet.

### Installs New Machine

George Schuppert of the Brea Union Bakery has purchased a Champion panning machine which has a capacity of weighing and cutting 3600 loaves of bread per hour. The machine has arrived and will be installed immediately.

### BUYS WHITE WAY BARBER SHOP

Robert Shanks, well known barber, has bought the White Way barber shop of Dewey Reed and Hugh Badgley. "Smiling Bob" has conducted the Brea Pool room shop for more than two years and is a well-known business man in Brea. The new shop is one of the finest in Southern California. Reed and Badgley will remain with the shop for the time being.

### NO CHANGE MADE IN HUNTINGTON CENTRAL

Although a number of Orange county shareholders of the Huntington Central Oil Company journeyed to Los Angeles Tuesday prepared to wage a lively fight in connection with the annual election of the board of directors of this company, no change was made in the directorate.

One group of stockholders had been working industriously for the past few weeks in a determined effort to retain in power their favorite directors, Grant M. Lorraine, Charles O. Garrison, W. P. Battelle and A. Bourdo. Equally determined efforts were made by other shareholders to place in the

### EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO MEET PRESIDENT

The executive committee of the Farm Bureau and most of the other Farm Bureau directors will meet with the state president, W. H. Walker on Friday afternoon, Jan. 6, 1923. Methods of financing and handling the state public utilities department and other Farm Bureau problems in which Orange county is especially interested will be acted on at this meeting. This will be the first opportunity of holding such a local conference that has been afforded the directors for almost a year and it may be several months before another opportunity will present itself. It is expected that every farm bureau director will be present at this meeting.

### BLAZE AT ELKS HOME CAUSES EXCITEMENT

A blaze in the kitchen of the beautiful new Elks' building at Anaheim Wednesday evening caused quite an excitement. It was quickly extinguished with but small loss.

### TWO INITIATIVE MEASURES QUALIFY

The initiative measures known as the water power act and the state budget act have qualified for places on the ballot for the November, 1923, election, it was announced by Secretary of State Frank C. Jordan. Approximately 60,000 names on behalf of each measure were filed, Jordan stated.

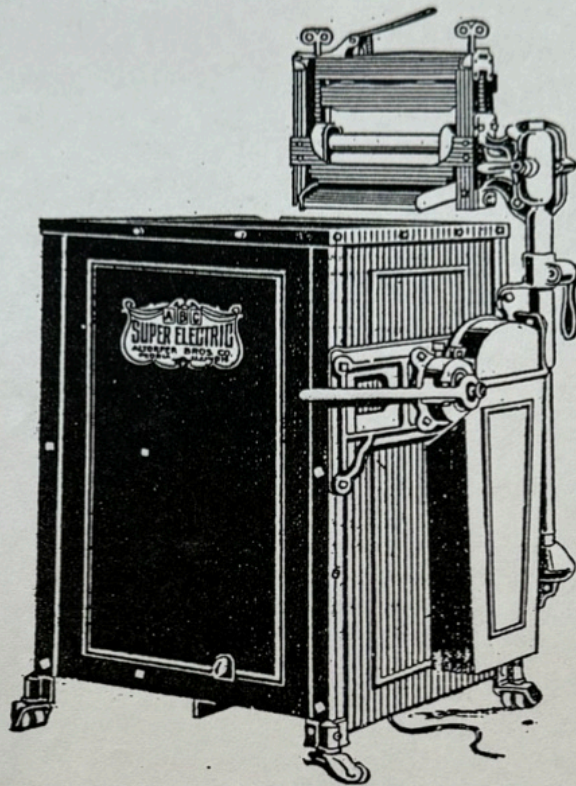
The water power act provides for the creation of a board to develop and distribute hydroelectric energy to the state and to cities and counties. It provides for a chairman of the board at a salary of \$15,000 a year and authorizes the issuance of bonds to carry out the proposed development.

The state budget measure, sponsored by the Commonwealth Club of San Francisco, is designed to give the legislature at each biennial session detailed information concerning proposed expenditures.

### GREAT INCREASE IN UNDERGROUND WATER

Farmers dependant upon pump water for irrigation have been greatly relieved by the rain storms of the past two and a half weeks, according to reports coming from various sections of the county.

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## McConnell's New Chevron Station Starts Operation

Bert McConnell, Brea's oldest service station operator in length of business operation, is preparing for the grand opening of his new Chevron station on the northwest corner of the intersection of Imperial Highway and Pomona Ave.

McConnell has been operating a station in Brea for 15 years, eight at his present location.

Although all of the finishing touches are yet to be completed, the station is open for business, offering the latest in modern service station conveniences for his customers.

McConnell and his family live at 340 N. Orange. His son Don is an outstanding athlete at Brea-Covina High School and was a member of the 1955-56 All-CIF basketball squad.

Brea Progress  
Fri., Dec. 11, 1936

## Houge Buys The Progress Building

DEAL GOES THROUGH FOR  
AVENUE STRUCTURE

The business block on South Pomona avenue, in which now the Brea Progress is located, has been purchased by former Mayor L. A. Hogue. The deal was closed finally on Monday, although the transfer had been in escrow for the past several weeks. It was bought from the Pacific building and loan.

The business building is seventy-five by one hundred feet in size, two stories. The upstairs offices and apartments are now all occupied, including the suite used by Dr. J. J. Holland. The property includes also a 50x60 fireproof warehouse structure in the rear.

"It is my opinion that Brea property presents a good investment at the present time," says Mr. Hogue, "and it is for that reason that I made the deal, strictly an investment proposition. I believe that Brea will grow and expand very materially within the next few years and that property bought now will yield a nice profit."

# Honesty, integrity...

(Continued from Page 1)  
paper megaphone.

Eventually, the family built a two-story log house from wood chopped at Owl Creek. Food was supplied by J.W., his brother and a hired hand who went elk hunting. Meanwhile, his father established a method of profit: buy in big quantities and warehouse the stock all over town.

"Grandpa was a marshall and Dad was later a deputy sheriff," said Bill. "But in 1926, Dad thought there must be a better way to make a living. He had heard of all the people 'doin' pretty well' in California."

With his wife Leota and son Bill, J.W. piled into a 1921 Chandler Phaeton and headed West. When the family stopped in Brea Canyon, J.W. decided he and his brother John could get a job with the Birch Oil Co.

A few weeks later, J.W. started selling Model T Fords as a side job for Henry Baldwin, an early Brea car dealer. In 1929, the family moved to Long Beach where J.W. sold used Willys Knights and Whippets at the intersection of American and Anaheim avenues.

"In 1934, Baldwin sold out in Brea and Dad bought the business," Bill recalled. "He kept the agency until 1937 when McCoy Mills Ford of Fullerton bought him out."

With a group of investors, J.W. opened the LaVida Beverage research lab at the corner of Birch Street and Brea Boulevard and a distribution operation. "We actually made the formula for Hawaiian Punch, and had a better lemon-lime drink than 7-Up," Bill said.

The Depression, however, forced the dissolution of the business. At the end of January 1939, J.W. bought out Bob Robinson Ford of La Habra. And by 1954, J.W. had built the present facility on a 7-acre parcel on Harbor and La Habra boulevards.

Sifting through the past, Bill recalled several anecdotes, which he believes illustrated his father's character. "He lived his teachings; he did everything to set a good example. Dad never told me no and never spanked me. Instad of telling me 'no,' to a question, he would simply say, 'I

wouldn't do it if I were you."

Bill recollected a story told time and again of the second used car J.W. sold. "A Brea man brought in a trade-in with a dead battery. The next morning, the man returned and said he barely had enough money to feed his wife and children, and the car Dad had sold him had a broken block.

"Dad lifted the hood, and sure enough the block was broken. He told the man to come to the office where he would refund the entire amount of money. Dad was a man of his word."

Bill's wife, the former Margaret Kingston, recalled how she used to have Burch Ford handle her auto repairs during World War II. "J.W. always told me, 'Wait until my son Bill comes home from the war, you've got to meet him.'"

In 1948, Margaret and Bill were married, and later welcomed son Martin and daughter Catherine to the Burch family.

"Nobody realizes how much J.W. helped the disadvantaged, of how he would give money for bills and groceries," said Margaret. "And there was another side to him — he loved to dance and ride horseback."

Through the years, J.W. joined automobile organizations and law enforcement groups. He carried a card recognizing him as a volunteer sheriff.

In 1987, the J.W. Burch home in La Habra and a nearby residence suffered the most local damage in the Whittier earthquake. Forced to find new housing, J.W. moved to Brea, coincidentally the site of his first Orange County home.

In the past month, he suffered two strokes. On his third day as a resident of a Fullerton convalescent hospital, he died. The family has planned a Wednesday funeral at 1 p.m. at La Habra Hills Presbyterian Church.

"Dad was the last of the old horseback sheriffs of Wyoming," Bill reiterated, fighting back the tears.

With his Dad's old gun in a back room and lunchtime stories stored for future generations, Bill will have no trouble continuing the Burch legacy in the spirit of the West.

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## ZONING

# Lack of parking dooms sit-down restaurant

## Complaints lead Council to deny variance request

By Brian Hall  
North County News

Too little parking doomed a sit-down restaurant at 514 S. Brea Blvd.

John and Velma Rodriguez requested a zoning variance last week that would have allowed them to operate the eatery. But following complaints, the Brea City

Council unanimously rejected any slackening of the rules.

The property has six parking places, 10 less than is required by city code. Brea planning officials had mistakenly granted a zoning variance to the previous owner to run a sit-down Taqueria restaurant at the same address.

The decision culminated in parking problems in late 1990-91.

Development Services Director Jim Cutts said he didn't want to compound the error by granting a variance as well to the new owners.

The city has received complaints about cars from the Taqueria trespassing on their property.

Darwin Manuel wrote to the city expressing his frustration in April 1991. Manuel owns all but one of the lots in the strip center to the south of the site, where restaurant patrons often parked.

The Rodriguezes suggested using an Alder Street public parking lot to meet their parking obligations. But surveys show that would lead to a shortfall of 72 spaces in the area.

The restaurant has been vacant since February, and seats have been removed.

The Rodriguezes claimed they would only operate a take-out restaurant, Mama's Sandwiches. The

Rodriguezes have come to leasing terms with the tenants.

And in October, an occupancy permit was approved with the limitation that there be absolutely no seats for diners. Building permits were applied for as of Dec. 10.

The council action upheld a planning commission decision. Allow-

ing the exception to Brea's zoning codes would bring back problems experienced when the Taqueria was in business and would set a precedent "weakening" parking standards.

The Rodriguezes were disappointed that a sit-down restaurant was turned down in favor of the smaller, less-profitable take-out.





(Star-Progress photo by Jack Hancock)

**FINE DINING** — La Vie En Rose, a Brea restaurant, was awarded the Epicurean Rendezvous Guide to the Best Restaurant's Award, being named as one of the top 400 restaurants in the nation and one of the 100 best places to dine in Southern California. Owners Louis Laulhere and Pascal Gode are pictured with Brea mayor pro tem Bernie Dunlap, honoring them with the award.

## is of Elm, Laurel May be Included New Street Improvement District

another attempt to form a street improvement assessment district is being made by a small group of residents in southeast Brea. It was learned at city council meeting last night. A petition containing 53 signatures was turned over to the city council. The petition requested that the city form an assessment district to improve the following streets: Laurel Avenue, blocks 400 and 500; Poplar Avenue, 400 and 500; Pine Avenue, block; Maple Avenue, 400 and Elm Street from to its easterly end.

These streets were all included in a recent large assessment district backed by the city. However, the proposal to form the special tax area to improve the streets and install gutters and curbing was killed when over 50 percent of the property owners involved filed protests.

Because persons living in the blocks included in the new district were not so strongly against the city's defeated program, the persons circulating the petition feel that they will be successful in attempting to put across the new improvement district.

The city accepted the petition. During the next few days it will be studied to determine the validity of the signatures.

Presiding Councilman Frank Schweitzer Jr. expressed the council's feelings when he said the city looked favorably upon the desires for street improvement. However, he said the city hoped to avoid another controversy such as the one stirred up by the recent program suggested for southeast Brea.

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Little League nine was formed from each team's uniforms and other equipment. There would also be expense to other cities. mission spokesman said. Any person interested connected with the League operation this invited to contact a the Park and Recreation mission.

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## Harry Ray's Men's Shop

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deadline. A one-room schoolhouse of the early 1900's, complete with maps, slates, dunce cap and coal stove, is coming to life as a setting for this rollicking comedy of scholars at work and play, being presented in the high school auditorium.

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**COOKER**

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## Y-Indian Guides

Thirty-one members from va-  
rious father and son YMCA In-  
dian Guide tribes gathered for  
their regular meeting at Knott's  
Berry farm last week.

Attending from Brea were Des  
Hornbuckle, Harold Holmberg  
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## Mrs. Bartholomae's Service F Dad Passes Away Employee

George Glover of Long Beach,  
father of Mrs. Bill Bartholomae  
of the Diamond Bar ranch, is re-  
ported to have passed away in  
Long Beach Tuesday evening.

Details regarding funeral ar-  
rangements were not available at  
press time. It is believed burial  
services will be held Friday or  
Saturday.

Glover was well known in Brea.  
He lived on Poplar Avenue for  
several years before moving to  
Long Beach in 1951.

Immediate survivors include  
three daughters and a son.

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## Grand Opening at Texaco Station Slated for Friday and Saturday

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Actually the station building,  
equipment and pumps are all  
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gifts for his guests on that day.

The new Texaco installation  
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To Crestline Village	2.65	1-way	4.55	Rd. Trip
To Pinecrest Resort	2.85	1-way	4.85	Rd. Trip
To Camp Seeley	2.80	1-way	4.75	Rd. Trip
To Seven Oaks	3.85	1-way	6.55	Rd. Trip
To Long Beach	.65	1-way	1.20	Rd. Trip
To Los Angeles	.55	1-way	.95	Rd. Trip
To Catalina Island	2.35	1-way	3.60	Rd. Trip
To Balboa Beach	.75	1-way	1.30	Rd. Trip
To Laguna Beach	.90	1-way	1.55	Rd. Trip
To Newport Beach	.70	1-way	1.20	Rd. Trip

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**Daily 1-Day Tour**  
 To Lake Arrowhead  
 To Pinecrest Resort  
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 To Big Bear Lake  
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## Brea Electric Company

FRANK M. HOLLY, Owner

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### TIRE CHAINS

Snow season will soon be in full swing again so don't drive into our mountain areas without the proper tire chains, advises the National Automobile Club.

### SALMON

Sports fishermen caught nearly one-half million salmon in Washington State last year.

### BIRTHDAY FOR RICKY

Balloons, gay party favors and happy children's voices filled the air when Ricky Steffgen of 416 S. Magnolia celebrated his fourth birthday, Saturday, December 15. Among the children helping him celebrate were Denise and Nina Hills, Mike Herron, Chris and Mike Xenos and Ricky's little sister, Kristin.

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and \$75,000 Camino Real 'Cap on Turf Course

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result of a complaint by a Brea

Ana chain store last Thursday.

Arrested were Mrs. Gertrude Harriet Mattly, 30, and Mrs. Patricia Gae Westfall, 26, both of 810 Chestnut St., Brea.

They were detained on charges of alleged petty theft when a

woman security officer for the store said she saw them shop-

lifting in the place. Mrs. Mattly's 7-year-old son was with the pair when they were arrested, according to officers.

## New Building for Pomona Avenue to Be Ready by May 1

Brea's Pomona Avenue shopping center will have a spanking new commercial building before the first of May. Construction of a modern flagstone-front building at 333 South Pomona will begin January 15. It is scheduled to house a new shoe store for Brea, as well as two other store units.

Demolition of an old, frame apartment house now on the site will get under way Wednesday of next week. Work on the foundation of the new building will follow immediately.

### Shoe Store Going In

The new building will have a 75-foot frontage and a depth of 75 feet, affording more than 3,000 square feet of floor space. The front will be equipped with a marquee and flush lighting.

Builders are F. J. Nipp, manager of the Brea office of Real Estate Oasis, and Phil Barber of Brea. Nipp stated that construction costs would be in excess of \$25,000. Cement block will be used.

Part of the building space has already been leased for the operation of a shoe store by Elmer Waterman of Fullerton and William Shelton of Brea. The former is also co-owner of the Waterman-Bolger Shoe Store in Fullerton.

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July 8, <sup>Brea Star</sup> 1921

New Shoe Shop. The new building built by N. A. Wall on E. Ash street is being wired for the new electrical equipment and lighting for W. P. <sup>(?)</sup> Lester who is opening a shoe & repair shop. Mr. Lester is a former business m from Ontario.

Brea Progress

Dec. 4, 1936

**MOVED THE BUILDING**

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The Brown-Dauser Lumber company moved an immense sheet iron building, approximately 50 x 25 feet in size, this week. It was taken from its original location on the old lumber company site, on the Pacific Electric tracks, to the present location of the yards at the corner of Ash and Orange. It will continue to be used for warehouse purposes.



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**NORTH ORANGE COUNTY -  
BREA**



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TOCT, May 29, 1912

Dr. H. Fuller will soon begin the erection of a ten-room hospital building at Free on the lots south of the Randolph school. Dr. H. L. Venezuela will be associated with Dr. Fuller

### ing of Bids on St. Jude Action to Start May 1

United States Public Health Service. The State Board has asked for a minor mechanical revision in the air conditioning system. The plans then are expected to receive approval of the Public Health Service, and contracts will be called for.

The architects' drawings and plans are awaiting approval by the government agencies. About three weeks will be permitted for contractors to bid on construction of the hospital. These contracts are subject to review by the government agencies.

**Start Work May 1**  
The sheets of St. Joseph's have set the first week in May as the date of start of construction, although about three months to the site have been under construction for several weeks and are nearly completed.

The plans call for an initial hospital structure of 125 beds on the 15-acre site. It may be expanded by 100 or more beds by construction of wings, the architect points out. Extensive parking facilities for automobiles have been provided.

### Wide Sales Force Three Day Confab

controls. In addition to these products, other recently designed and developed Chiksan swivel joints were introduced.

During the three day session, each of Chiksan's departments made presentations designed to provide the sales force with new appreciation for the complex workings of a growing organization. Part of the session was de-

### Don't Forget— Set Clocks Up Saturday Night

Residents of Brea are reminded that next Sunday will see the beginning of daylight saving time once again. It is suggested that you set your clock forward one hour when you go to bed Saturday night. This will be in time with the rest of the state when you awaken Sunday morning.

California established daylight saving time each summer to give working people more daylight hours and to conserve electrical power. It starts on the last Sunday of April each year.

### Chiksan Toured by 45 La Habra Kiwanians

A group of 45 La Habra Kiwanians and wives were guests of Chiksan Company at a plant tour Wednesday evening, April 13. The visitors were shown Chiksan production facilities in operation and were introduced to the mechanized dock hose, a recent Chiksan development.

Coffee and doughnuts were served following the tour, which was arranged by Frank Burrill, who is vice president and assistant to the president, and a former La Habra Kiwanian who was a charter member of the Brea Kiwanis Club.

### Crash Injures Two

A two-car collision at 9:30 Monday morning injured the driver of one vehicle slightly and inflicted serious injuries on a passenger in the other car. The wreck was at the corner of Imperial Hwy. and Valencia Ave., east of Brea.

Orrin J. Wangness, 38, of Whittier was travelling west on Imperial Hwy. when his sedan collided with a club coupe driven

### Hardware Partnership Dissolved By Co-Owners C. Brandis, Mel Rude

Dissolution of the partnership existing between Carl Brandis and Mel Rude, co-owners of the Brea Hardware store, was announced this week. Brandis will continue to operate the business at the corner of Pomona Ave. and Ash St. as the sole owner.

Rude and Brandis, who are brother-in-laws, purchased the store nearly three years ago from Francis Nipp. Since that time Brandis has been in charge of the hardware department and Rude has taken care of the appliance line.

Rude will become supervisor for a wholesale coffee company in the Los Angeles area. He intends to maintain his home in Brea at 323 Fir St.

For the past few weeks the hardware store has been in the midst of remodeling. Many new shelves have been constructed and the merchandise has been arranged in more appealing and convenient manner.

Brandis reports that the work within the store is nearing its completion. He hopes to have the interior completely modernized within a few more weeks.

### Dinner Dance Slated At Pacific Coast Club

Highlight of the social year at Brea-Olinda High School will be this Saturday night when the junior-senior dinner dance is held at the Pacific Coast Club in Long Beach. The music will be supplied by a group from Orange Coast College.

Linda Ogden is chairman for the junior class, which hosts the dinner dance.

### Ten Brea Boys Take Death Valley Trip

Ten Jr. Hi-Y Club members from Brea returned Saturday after camping for a week in Death Valley. Twenty-four Orange County club members made the trip and toured the sights of the area.

Making the trip from Brea were Gerald Abbott, Ron Allen, Tom Doggett, Eddy Dugan, Tom Hutchison, Eddy Dugan, Tom Hutchison, Larry Russell, Terry Senn and Ray Shaffer.

### Walnut Sewer Tax Hearing Set May 16

Public hearing on the South Walnut St. sewer assessment district was set for May 16 by the city council Monday night. Assistant City Engineer Ed Meador said that the cost of the sewer installation is now being apportioned.

Thirty-eight lots will be involved in the proposed tax district. The sewer will serve the west side of Pomona Ave. south of Fir, portions of Acacia St., and the 800 block of St. Walnut Ave.

### Last Concert

The fifth and last concert in the 1954-55 Orange County Philharmonic Society series will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Frieda Bellinfante. The concert will be held at the Fullerton High School Auditorium. There is no admission charge for the program.

### Try New Trailer

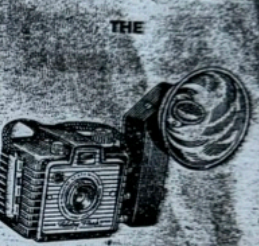
Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Lashley

### Judge Shea Speaker At 20-30 Club Meet

Regular meeting of the Brea 20-30 Club was held Thursday at the Legion Hall. The group ate dinner and conducted a business meeting.

A six-city meeting in Santa Ana was attended by local 20-30 members Monday night. Judge John Shea was the guest speaker. His topic was "Court Room Procedure."

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Special Dispatch to The Daily Tribune  
ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 5.  
Governor Al Smith has made up  
his mind to grant the applica-  
tion of Governor Rich-

# Smith Approves Hutch Removal

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## Pioneer Firm at Brea Sold

On the first day of the new year, the MacClatchie Hardware and Furniture company of Brea was purchased by W. N. Hubbard of Los Angeles. It is the plan of H. A. MacClatchie, who has been in business in Brea for the past 14 years to retire from the business world and devote himself to his ranch in Yorba Linda. His two daughters, Misses Unie and Ina MacClatchie were with him in the store.

Mr. Hubbard is from Flint, Mich., where he was associated with his father in the hardware business. Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard have located in Brea.

July 6. The estate is valued at \$4000. The widow, Mary Hulsey, the petitioner and another daughter, Ida Suderland of Hardiner, Kans., are the heirs.

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The port at present bears the name, "Brea Airport" in letters 20 feet high on the roof of the hangar, but so much interest in aviation has been aroused in the entire district that a more appropriate name is being sought. Official recognition of the field by officers of the air service followed a successful air meet last October, when the port was dedicated.

Leading aviators and flying enthusiasts will speak at the dinner meeting of the Brea Air Club at McFarland's tomorrow night, election of officers will be held, plans made to strengthen the organization, and a name decided on for the airport.

his ten acre ranch on East Elm street. The land is to be subdivided into half-acre tracts. Mrs. Chas. Rist and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reed, left Tuesday morning for Redlands to visit relatives. When they reached Fontana, they encountered such a wind storm that it was necessary for them to return to their homes in Brea.

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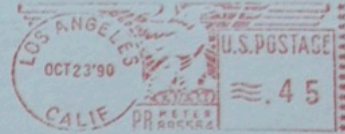
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THE NEWLY COMPLETED EMBASSY SUITES HOTEL IN BREA, CALIFORNIA!  
VERY SOON... THE MEMBERS OF HIS ROYAL FAMILY WILL SUMMON  
YOUR PRESENCE TO THE ROYAL OPENING!



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NOVEMBER 17

EMBASSY SUITES HOTEL, BREA  
900 EAST BIRCH STREET  
BREA, CA 92621



Mr. Brian Saul  
Brea Historical Committee  
505 E. Date St.  
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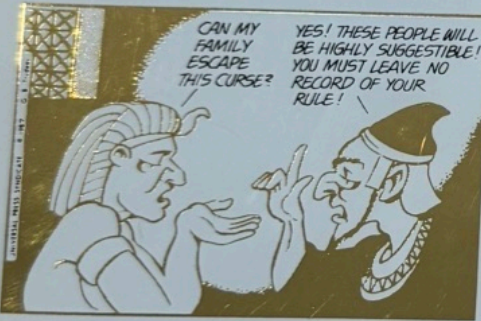
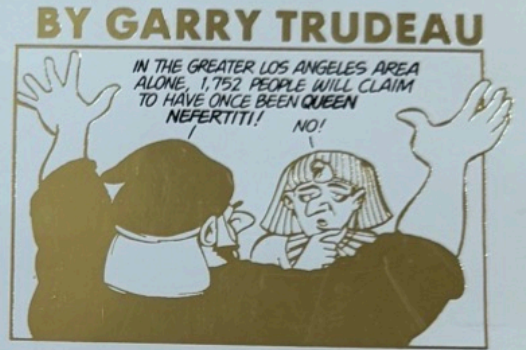
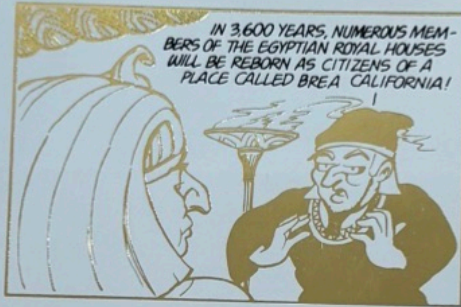
June 27, 1925

## BREA BUSINESS DISTRICT EXPANDS

*News — June 27*  
Yesterday marked a climax in the business circles of Brea. Mrs. J. H. Gnagy, owner and manager of the new Gnagy department store, holding one of the most successful openings of a new establishment ever held in the neighboring city. Aside from the opening of this new business concern, two other establishments have been acquired by the Brea business district during the past week.

F. L. Nuss, formerly a Hollywood shoe merchant throwing open his doors to the public for the first time and Rollins & Hilgenfeld, morticians, holding their official opening. Brea's business and mercantile establishments are fast coming to the front in their endeavor to keep pace with the rapid industrial development.

# DOONESBURY



WITH APOLOGIES TO GARRY TRUDEAU.

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**Auto Parts Store  
Opens Doors In Brea**

Jackson Bros. Auto Supply an-  
nounce this week that they will  
have a grand opening of their  
new store in Brea on Saturday,  
May 21.

The Jacksons purchased the  
Kirkpatrick Ceramics property  
across the street from the Brea  
Safeway store and razed the old  
building. A modern two-room  
store building has been erected  
with red brick front. The auto  
parts store has been arranged  
with several long bins for parts.  
A walk-way has been left at the  
side of the bins for customers  
using the rear entrance, which  
will be a big help in solving the  
parking problem.

Fred Jackson will be manager  
of the Brea store. His two bro-  
thers, Joe and Otis, are partners  
with Fred in the Brea store and

their two other locations in South  
Whittier and at Long Beach. The  
Long Beach store was established  
in 1947 and the Whittier loca-  
tion opened in 1951.

Mr. Jackson said he plans to  
rent the store building space in  
the south side of the building.

According to their announce-  
ment in *The Progress* this week  
the auto supply store will handle  
all the major auto parts lines and  
accessories along with a com-  
plete stock of rebuilt parts. The  
Jackson Auto Supply store in  
Brea should be the answer to  
many problems for local me-  
chanics and car owners.

They will have free gifts for all  
adults who visit their store on  
opening day, Saturday, May 21.

Welcome to Brea, Fred, Joe  
and Otis!

**BREA  
ELEMENTARY  
P.T.A.**  
By Mrs. Wm. Allen

The closing meeting of the  
Brea Elementary PTA for the  
current school year was held  
Tuesday evening at the Brea  
Junior High School Auditorium.

secretary, Mrs. Otis Pittman;  
historian, Mrs. William Messick;  
parliamentarian, Mrs. H. J. Ro-  
land, and auditor, Mrs. Herbert  
Barlow. Mrs. Sprague gave each  
an inspiring message.

The president, Mrs. Grant  
Hendricks, then presented her  
chairmen, and they were ap-  
proved as follows: for publicity  
chairman, Mrs. William Allen;  
welfare, Mrs. Robert Cromwell;  
hospitality, Mrs. Melvin Carlson;  
spiritual education, Mrs. Ken-  
neth Roundy; sunshine, Mrs.  
John Buck; health, Mrs. James

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**Leonard MacKain  
Appointed New  
Vice-Principal**

Leonard MacKain was en-  
gaged as vice-principal of the  
Brea Junior high school at a  
meeting of the school board Mon-  
day night. MacKain will replace  
Marvin Johnson who was re-  
leased from his contract a few  
weeks ago.

MacKain has a master of sci-  
ence degree in administration  
from the University of Illinois.  
He has been teacher and princi-  
pal of a 14-teachers school for  
the past five years and has a  
major in mathematics and a  
minor in psychology.

Superintendent Vince Jaster  
said the new vice-principal also  
plays the piano, writes his own  
music and sings. He is married  
and has two daughters. Mr. and  
Mrs. MacKain have been visiting  
in Brea and expect to purchase  
a house here.

In other business Monday night  
the school board completed a deal  
to purchase 3.79 acres of land  
from Union Oil Company adja-  
cent to the present school ground.  
The area will be used for foot-  
ball and play ground.

The matter of increasing the  
pay of the teachers was delayed  
until the next meeting of the  
board next week, Mr. Jaster said.

**59 Houses on New  
Tract Map Up For  
Approval By City**

Final tract maps for a 59-  
house subdivision between Wil-  
low, Poplar, Randolph, and Birch  
Streets were approved by council-  
men Monday night. This prop-  
erty is known as Subdivision 2132,  
the Culp property.

Approval was given contingent  
on acceptance by City Engineer  
Sid Lowrey who was absent from  
the meeting.

In other business, the council  
voted to put garbage and trash  
collections up for bid. Also up for  
bid is the purchase of a new  
police car to replace a three-  
year-old vehicle.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Abbott,  
205 S. Poplar, enjoyed Saturday  
at Hollywood Park.

**Franklin Wilcox**

Brea residents in the 8  
on South Walnut will re-  
notice this week instructi-  
that this is their second  
nal notice that their cit-  
supply definitely will be  
on June 7 unless they  
with a previous order.

City Administrator  
Studebaker told the city  
Monday night that only t-  
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**Always Willing To Coo**

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**Cub Scout V  
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Those who sat it out  
Boy Scout Variety Show  
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ing the array of talent sc-  
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Master of Ceremonies,  
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**CLOSED SATURDAYS**  
GEORGE BRUMLEY, Mgr.

**WARD & HARRINGTON**  
**LUMBER CO.**  
120 E. ASH PHONE JA 93150 BREA

### THANK YOU

We want to take this opportunity to thank our friends and neighbors for their patronage these past three and one-half years.

We have sold our business to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mestre. We know that they will continue to operate the store in the same friendly manner. We want to extend to them our wishes for future success.

**THE HOBBS FAMILY**  
**HOBBS' W. IMPERIAL MARKET**  
221 W. Imperial Hwy.

**GRANT**  
Corner Pomona Ave. & Locust — JA 9-3541  
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**OPEN SUNDAYS**

**NEIGHBORS** on their **JOB**  
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**SAM STOCKBRIDGE**  
of the  
**S & G MARKET**  
200 E. Birch St.

Brea's neighborhood grocery man, Sam Stockbridge, entered the business when he was eight years old. It was while he was attending school in Kansas City, Mo., his birthplace, that he obtained his first employment in a grocery store, working after school. It was in Kansas City that Sam spent his early life. He met his wife, Gladys, through his grocery work. They were working in different stores, but pretty soon Sam went into partnership with the man for whom Gladys was working. They were married in 1920 and have spent over 35 years in the grocery business together.

During World War I Sam spent two years in the Navy. He was based in Seattle. In 1949 Sam and Gladys came to Brea. After being here a short while, they acquired the S & G Market. Now Sam devotes most of his time preparing those fine cuts of meats for which he is famous. Gladys keeps things under control in the grocery department. For the finest in food at competitive prices, next time try your handy, neighborhood S & G Market, corner of Birch St. and Orange Ave.

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## New Kind Of Personalized Money Order

### California Bank Personal MONEY ORDER

DATE June 3 '54 AMOUNT \$ 76.50  
PAYABLE TO John Doe  
PERSONAL MONEY ORDER  
No. 78463  
THIS IS YOUR RECEIPT  
KEEP IT AS YOUR RECORD OF PAYMENT  
Be sure to write in name of the person  
or company you want to pay and  
SIGN YOUR PERSONAL MONEY ORDER  
BEFORE LEAVING THE BANK.  
CALIFORNIA BANK, Los Angeles

DATE June 3 '54 No. 78463  
PAY TO THE ORDER OF John Doe  
GOOD FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS  
CALIFORNIA BANK 76 dol's 50 cts  
HEAD OFFICE CALIFORNIA BANK  
625 SOUTH SPRING STREET  
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA  
Your Signature  
SIGNATURE OF REMITTER



1932

Lorraine Beauty Shoppe <small>Prop., Lois G. Walker Keller</small>	212 E. Birch
Shoff's Market	Birch + Orange
Greens' Mkt	122 S. Pomona
Old King Calas Rainbow Station <small>Old R. Cole</small>	Company Date + Pomona
Hubbard Hardware	111 So. Pomona
Brea Electric Co. Frank Holly	114 So. Pomona moved here in Feb 1932 from <del>back</del> rear of Delfield Nat Bank Bldg
Russell's Watch Shop	118 S. Pomona
Shell Service Station	Pomona + Cedar

~~NOV '32~~

<del>Wareman's Grocery</del>	<del>203 So. Pomona</del>
NOV '32	
Red + White Stores	
Cox Grocery	116 So. Pomona
Wareman's Grocery	203 So. Pomona

Dec 8, 1932 Grand Opening of	
5c, 10c + 25c	
Variety Store	110 S. Pomona
J. W. Hodge, Prop.	
Harry Rays Men's Shop	130 So. Pomona



(1932)

Brea Market ————— 115 So. Pomona  
John Nagy - meats  
Fred Boling - groceries

Dr. David W. Goodwin 212 S. Pomona  
Dentist

John's Service Station 257 No. Pomona  
John Daugherty

V. W. Russell 133 S. Pomona  
Insurance

J. J. Holland, Oilfields Nat. Bank Bldg  
Dentist

Dr. L. F. Crenshaw 316 S. Pomona Ave  
Chiropractor

~~Dr. D. W. Goodwin 212 So. P~~  
~~Dentist~~

Watkins Battery + Ignition Shop 106-8-10 E. Cedar

Tom Claydon + Sons 311 S. Pomona  
Wallpaper, Paint  
Decorating  
Paper Hanging

Le Gro's Drug Store 105 S. Pomona

Stumbo's Meat Market in Safeway Mt

So. Calif Telephone Co Business Office  
113 E. Birch St  
corner of Pomona + Date

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See R. Cole  
Blue + White Stores

Cox Grocery ————— 207 So. Pomona

J. D. Wakeman 337 So. Pomona

Theodore Talstrom,  
Brea,  
Calif.

## EVERY WORD IS TRUE



When we, as a Banking Institution state that a Saving Account is the first step toward success we are simply emphasizing a fact that has been proved by thousands of men thousands of times.

With such overwhelming evidence to influence you, why not start an account today for yourself and your family?

COME IN AND TALK IT OVER

## First National Bank OF BREA, CALIF.

### City Transfer & Ice Company

Our ice is cold, try it.

**DRINK PURITAS  
DISTILLED WATER**

and protect your health.

*WE DELIVER THE GOODS*

C. M. Shride, Prop.

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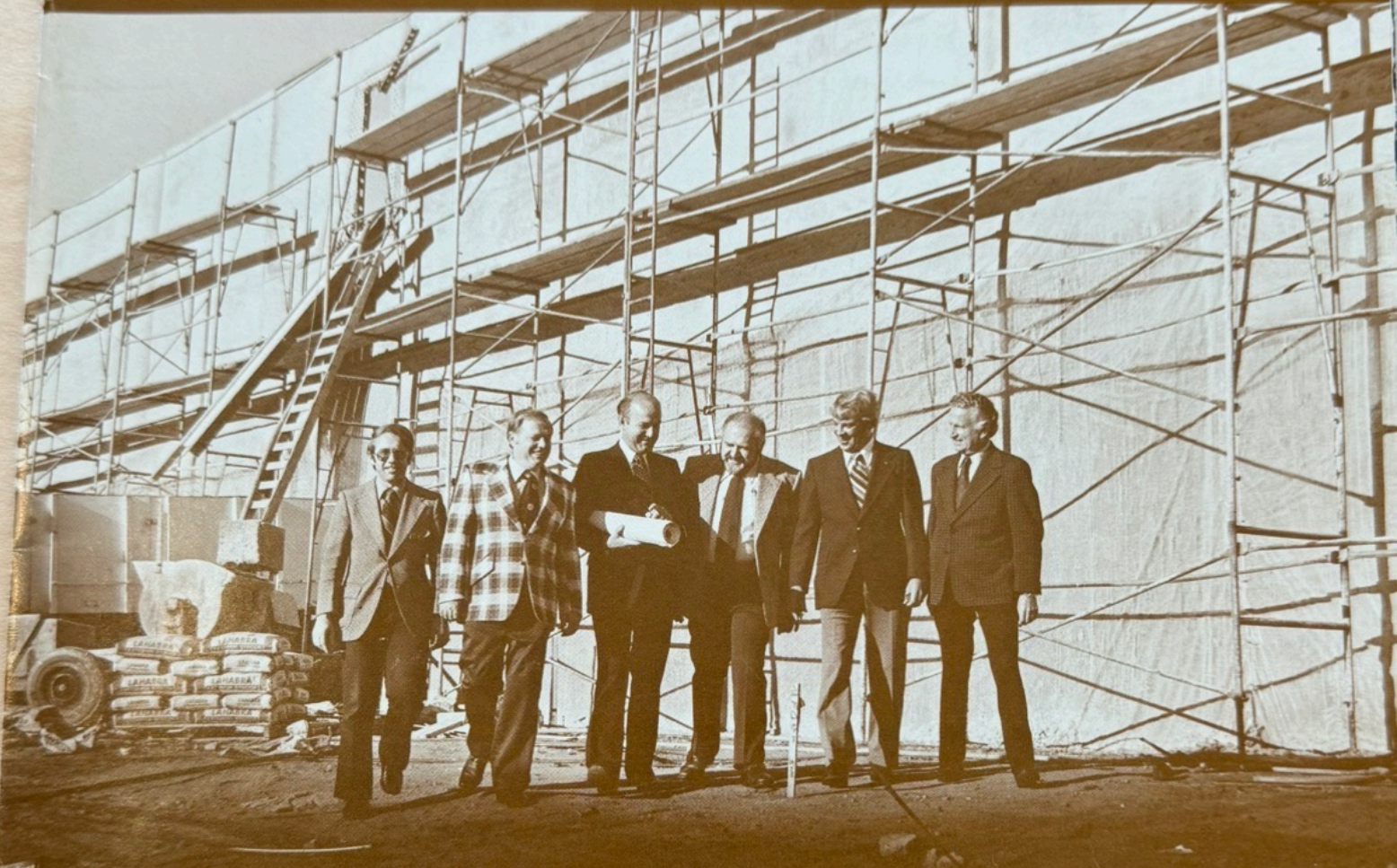
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WHERE CASH BEATS CREDIT

GROCERIES - MEATS  
VEGETABLES

# ORANGE COUNTY BUSINESS

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## BREA GETS READY FOR POPULATION EXPLOSION

- Good And Bad News: A State Of The County Report
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- Business Close-up
- Executive Profile

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- move to  
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1935

Home Cleaners +  
Dryers  
J. P. Terry, Prop.

114 So. Pomona

Snagip Mkt  
Safeware Store

115 So. Pomona

137 So. Pomona

Plumbing + Repairing  
N. S. Johnson

106 So. Pomona

W. A. Culp Insurance  
notary Public

Theatre Bldg  
Brea

Art's Pharmacy

105 So. Pomona

Brea Electric Co.

129 So. Pomona

Brea Hardware Co

113 S Pomona  
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~~N. S. Johnson~~

Burch Ford

206 S. Pomona

J. W. Burch

Orange County Transfer  
E. H. Peterkin Prop

217 So. Pomona

Harry Raip Men's Shop

130 So. Pomona

Brea Electric + Paint Store

129 So. Pomona  
ave

Brown + Dausen Co.

210 E. Ash St

John's Service Station

257 No. Pomona

Ray Taylor's Service Station

Pomona at Date  
ave

Pomona Ave Gas Station  
next week listed as 5th

Pomona at Date

Tom Claydon + Sons  
Home Painters

311 S. Pomona

Texting + Paper Hangers

Brea Department Store

141 So Pomona

Capital Ice Refrigeration Co.

325 So. Pomona

B + B. Cafe

121 So. Pomona

oomates last night as 188 school seniors received diplomas. The ceremonies began at 6:30 p.m. and were followed by a class night excursion to Catalina Island. The Pledge of Allegiance was by Bruce Pipkin, followed by the invocation by Rev. C. McFadden. Addresses on the subject, "It is the Earth and Everything In It," were given by Harold McGough, Salutator Robert Cutting and Valerian Alana McGuire. The choir sang "Let us Now Praise our Lord" and "The Lord is with You."



**COMMENCEMENT SPEAKERS** — Three members of the graduating class at Brea Junior High School look over the speeches they will give during the graduation program Friday. Left to right they are Mike Herron, Susan Ellis, and Jenni Marple. Susan Ellis will be president of the Freshman Class at Brea-Olinda Union High School next year. (STAR-PROGRESS PHOTO)

In Retrospect" was the subject of the address by Bruce McFadden followed by presentation of honors and awards by Principal Victor Hassing. Mr. Paul E. Bolle, district superintendent presided and Mr. Hendricks, Lee O'Malley, Mrs. Bonnie Brucks, members of the High School Board Trustees, presented the diplomas. Benediction was led by Rev. Charles Harlow, followed by a musical played by the high school band. A full-night excursion trip to Catalina Island by the Senior Class followed immediately after graduation. Chaperons were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lund, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cruce, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGuire.

## Planners Clear The Way For Birch And Brea Blvd. Drive-In

After more than an hour of questioning and discussion of building set-backs, location of exits and traffic hazards at the Brea Planning Commission at its meeting last night cleared the way for a drive-in food establishment at the site of the old Brea Market, Brea Boulevard at Birch Street. The commission passed a resolution directing the City Planner Robert Britzman to prepare granting variances requested for a Der Wienerschitzel operation including a large sign and okaying of plans presented is a precise development review subject to submission of revised drawings for approval of the planning commission and city planner. The applicants submitted photos of the types of building they are erecting in the Southland and said they have no 45 such establishments in California and Arizona. **Would Build Soon** Indications were that construction of the drive-in on the

property, which was cleared when after the Brea Market was destroyed by fire, would start as quickly as necessary approvals and clearances could be obtained. Much of the early part of the meeting was devoted to a continued hearing on a directional sign requested by La Vida Mineral Springs at the southwest corner of Imperial and Valencia. The applicant was granted permission to erect a temporary sign at the corner, but not until after a lengthy discussion about the possibility of many requests for signs at this corner and the desirability of a community directional sign for resorts, recreational areas and businesses in Carbon Canyon. **Agreed on Sign** A committee comprised of Ray Madsen and Edward Jackson reported that they were convinced of the need of a temporary sign at the corner until such time as the State Division of Highways agreed on a directional sign being

placed there, perhaps in addition to a community sign. "Carbon Canyon is as much a part of Brea as any other area and the residents and businesses of this area are entitled to a directional sign for the benefit of visitors, customers and service organizations," Chairman Thomas Kowalski reminded the commission. La Vida Springs was granted a sign for six months and at the end of that period determination will be made on a future directional sign or signs. After a precise development review the commission granted James Hensley permission to erect a commercial shop and office at 111 South Flower Streets. **Fence Gets Okay** An application of William J. Davis to erect a six foot fence within 21 feet of his front property line at 449 Gum Pl. was granted. The board after some discussion also approved an application to reduce the set backs on lots in the tracts at Imperial and Valencia in order to permit architectural design which will permit bay windows in some homes to be erected there. There are 157 lots, but the setback variance will apply only to homes of specific architectural design.

Bids for the resurfacing of Brea Boulevard will be open by State Division of Highways on June 30 and it is expected that initial work will be started before the end of summer. Much of the improvement of Brea Boulevard in Fuller between Harbor Boulevard and the Brea line at Acacia Street has been completed. **Brea Boulevard** The entire Brea Boulevard project is 13.5 miles, and according to highway department plans Brea Boulevard (or Brea Canyon Road) will be "connecting with freeway wherever possible." The widening of Imperial Highway for a distance of 1.5 miles is expected during the next fiscal year. The highway engineers say "contract plans are progressing to widen this highway to four lanes in two sections." The State College Boulevard has been given the OK for soon engineering specifications are completed and rights of way pinned down soon, advertising for bids is under way. Award of contract will be next year. I will be done under direction of the Brea Department of Public Works. **Orange Freeway** Highway officials in a recent report last month said "we are planning on a continuing program on Route 57 (Orange Freeway) between the Los Angeles County Line and the Santa Ana Freeway." Ed Telford, chief engineer of Division 7 of the State Department of Highways told The Brea Progress. The La Habra Star at the time that a section between Orangehorpe and River Freeway will probably go to bid in September and a contract awarded and broken before the end of the year. An allocation of \$500,000 for this project has been made in the 1966-67 budget.

The Brea Junior High School graduating class will hold its ceremonies tomorrow at 6:30 p.m. at the high school stadium. Senior High graduation will begin with a processional, the "chorale" from "Die Meistersinger" by Wagner, played by the Brea Junior High School band. An invocation will be given.

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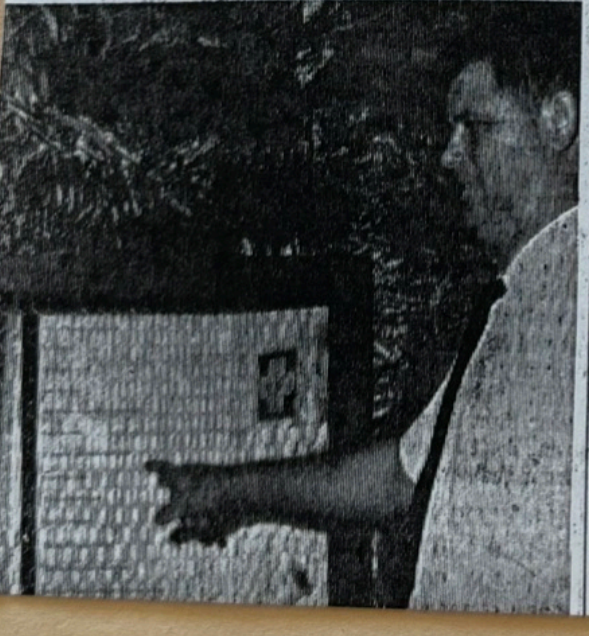
## Macco To Make Associated Rd. 4 Lanes Wide

Associated Road will be closed sometime within the next 30 days between Imperial Highway and Brea-Olinda Road, in order to permit construction of a modern four-lane street by Macco Development Corp. Traffic on Associated Road between the two intersections will be re-routed to Carolina or Randolph Streets while reconstruction takes place. Public Works Superintendent Robert Warnick estimated that it would

STOLEN CLOCK FOUND A wall clock was stolen Thursday from Free Dry, but was found Friday morning on a nearby street apparently undamaged.

## Life's Little Drama

Life's little dramas began their summer run today. A Brea family planned to go on vacation tonight with the end of the school year, but they will have to wait until their daughter recovers from measles. Another family with kids in school tentatively set a week in early August for their vacation. "I am not interested in a dog unless he has papers," neighbor told them. "Gosh," said one of the "if you are afraid he's make your floor dirty we'll in papers to put down every day." **Cows** A little girl was taken large dairy farm near Foothill Valley and while her





Clay Miller/The Orange County Register  
**Don and Roseanne Holly own Brea Electric, the city's oldest family-owned business. Says Roseanne Holly: "We're Old Brea."**

## Doing business in Brea



**City Hall:** Number One Civic Center Circle, 990-7689

**Location:** 10.7 square miles, on the Los Angeles County line in north Orange County, straddles the Orange (57) Freeway.

**Population:** 32,873; daytime work population is 110,000

**Demographics:** Median age 33; median household income \$47,316; 35 percent in professional, managerial or technical jobs; median education, 13 years; 3.8 percent unemployment.

**Taxable sales:** \$677.5 million in 1990

**Number of business licenses:** 3,612

**Number of local businesses:** 2,562

**Chamber of Commerce:** Number One Civic Center Circle, 529-4938.

**Largest employer:** Security Pacific check processing center, 2,500 employees

**Oldest business:** Union Oil; Brea Electric founded in the early '20s.

**Business fees:** License fee is based on gross receipts.

**Special business areas:** Brea Mall, Brea Marketplace and Brea Plaza; office parks along Imperial Highway; industrial area south of Central Avenue.

**Types of business especially plentiful:** Retail or service; small distributors.

**City wants to attract:** More retail

**Strengths:** Location at the crossroads of three counties; attractive community; strong chamber of commerce; large amount of commercial space available; good city and social services.

**Cautions:** Controversial city redevelopment along Brea Boulevard and near Brea Mall; Imperial Highway under construction; rapid changes in development; strict enforcement of licensing, building codes; much competition for most retail.

**Other items of interest:** Brea was originally named Randolph. In 1894 Union Oil bought the land on which the city was founded.

Sources: City of Brea, Brea Chamber of Commerce, Board of Equalization, Employment Development Department, business owners.

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# Brea is not the pits

## Despite some confusion over name, city's small businesses do well

**A** motorist recently stopped Brea real estate economist Al Gobar and asked where La Brea Avenue was. Oh, about 30 miles west, Gobar said with a laugh.

The Brea Chamber of Commerce notes in its business directory that Brea is not the home of the La Brea Tar Pits.

Mistaken identity is an occasional fact of life for Brea, located on Orange County's northern border. That, despite the city's claim to one of the county's four regional shopping malls and major offices for Allstate Insurance, Beckman Instruments, American Suzuki Motor Corp., the Security Pacific check processing center and Unocal.

The town, in fact, was born as a tent camp for Union Oil's workers in 1894. The residents



**JAN NORMAN**

### It's Your Business

apparently didn't like the original name, Randolph. They renamed it Brea in 1911 and incorporated in 1917.

Frank Holly moved with his mother to the tent camp in the '20s and worked at Union Oil for school money, says his son, Don, who owns Brea Electric.

Frank Holly worked for Brea Electric and bought it from Barney Leuzinger in 1932, making it the oldest family-owned business in the city.

"The reason I like being in Brea is to carry on the same name in the same place as my father," says Don Holly, who owns his company's building and two adjacent parcels on the south side of Imperial Highway.

"It's a heritage for us," his wife, Roseanne, agrees. "Most of our business is outside Brea now, but my husband was born here, our five children were born here. We're Old Brea."

Old Brea was a burg until the Orange (57) Freeway bisected it in 1972. Now "change" is the word business owners use most often to describe the city.

Some say it as a compliment;

others as a curse.

Don't move your business to town, they advise, without checking to see if your location will be torn down or the street in front torn up.

Not much will be left of Old Brea when the city finishes its redevelopment plans. And that's a sore subject with many business owners. Especially the city's decision to take property from unwilling owners by using eminent domain, if necessary.

In fact, redevelopment is the key issue in an attempt to recall three city councilmen, and in county and state investigations of alleged conflict of interest by two of those councilmen.

Please see **BREA/2**

Another in a series about being a small business in an Orange County city.

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Going up fast in Carbon Canyon is the \$255,000 Olinda School which currently has nine students. It should be ready for occupancy next year, possibly before the end of the 1963-64 term.

The new school is the result of an allotment of \$290,000 from the federal government for replacement of the school for the kids now attend in the El Rodeo Riding Club on Valencia, which is in the way of the Carbon Canyon Dam.

The difference between \$255,000 and \$290,000 allotment will go for landscaping and other facilities.

The local school districts are ready and willing to merge with the Olinda district, but the Olindans, with their new school coming up, are reluctant to merge at this time.

**Big New School**  
The new school will be large enough to accommodate some of the new growth in school population that is coming to Carbon Canyon.

Many years ago during the oil boom days there were as many as 300 kids in the district.

There are youngsters "enrolled" in every elementary grade but the fourth in the Olinda School. They don't each have a teacher but all

meet together in one room under the direction of Mrs. Gladys E. Keeler, principal-teacher.

The six girls and three boys play together as well as study together. Older children are anxious to assist the ones in lower grades.

**Like One Big Family**  
"We're just like one big happy family," Mrs. Keeler said. However, most families certainly never get along as well as this class. There's no jealousy or envy."

Heather MacKenzie, the 6-year-old first grader, is often the center of attention. The rest of the class feel she is learning much more than the average first grader.

President of the board of trustees of the school district is Homer Farren, 2502, S. Rose Dr., Placentia. A third of the (Continued on Page A-2) See: "SCHOOL"

## Former Mayor Russell Sent To Texas Job

Charles Russell, superintendent at the plant of the Chiksan Division of FMC here, is being transferred next month to the Well Equipment Division of FMC at Houston, Tex.

Russell, who came to Brea with his parents from Colorado in 1922 has had a long, distinguished career in Brea civic activities. He was on the city council from the time of the death of Mayor Charles McCarty in 1954 until 1958 and served as mayor pro tem and mayor during that period. He has been a director of the Brea Chamber of Commerce and the Lions Club and a member of the chamber's industrial development committee. He has also been secretary and a member of the executive committee of the Republican Central Committee.

He has been with Chiksan for 25 years.

Russell went to school here up to his senior year in high school, when his parents moved to Fullerton for a time. He graduated from Fullerton High School and went to USC, where his son Charles Richard Russell is now a junior. His daughter, Christie Lee is now in the eighth grade.

Like her husband, Mrs. Charles Russell, has taken a keen interest in civic affairs. They have acquired a home in Houston and expect to be moving about the middle of next month.

Brea residents are expected to turn out in force at the meeting of ABC — All Brea Citizens — in the junior high school auditorium tonight when zoning issues on the Jan. 7 election ballot will be discussed.

Attorney John Smith will explain the initiative and referendum issues and representatives of the northwest area and Robert Weidner, owner of the controversial property at Central Ave. and Puente St., will present their arguments. Robert Stone, president of the Brea Southridge Home Property Owners Association, and Robert Kaplan, president of the Pleasant Hills Home Owners Association, which is planning a similar meeting Jan. 3, will be the northwest area speakers.

In a statement prepared for the northwest area residents William Hamilton today called upon the city council to provide a trained staff of planners and enact necessary legislation to set up a planning department.

aim with a weapon and using profanity to the minister of the Congregational church in close proximity to women — only the first two came up last night.

The appellant was first to (Please Turn to Page A-2) See: "HEARING"

## Winds Forecast For Local Area

Mostly sunny weather with some cloudiness in the southern valleys is forecast through Thursday. Local gusty northeast winds below the canyons are predicted tonight and Thursday.

Days will be slightly warmer but continued cold weather is seen at night.

Highs between 57 and 67 are forecast with the temperature dropping to a bone-chilling 30 to 40 degrees tonight.

No rain is predicted in the five-day outlook for the area but temperatures are expected to remain slightly below normal.

# Brea Plant Making Area Fire Hydrants

All of the fire hydrants and most of the water works and gas main products produced by the Mueller Co. for use in the western area of the United States are being built in the century-old company's new Brea plant.

Now entering in its second month of operations, the Brea plant has more than 200 workers many of whom came here from the Los Angeles plant when the manufacturing facilities were transferred some of the employees are relocating here and all new workers are being hired from the Brea area, Earl Bright, general manager of the plant said here today.

"Open house" was held at the plant a week ago following an earlier press tour for trade publication editors who declared the manufacturing facilities were among the most modern in America.

### Big Line of Products

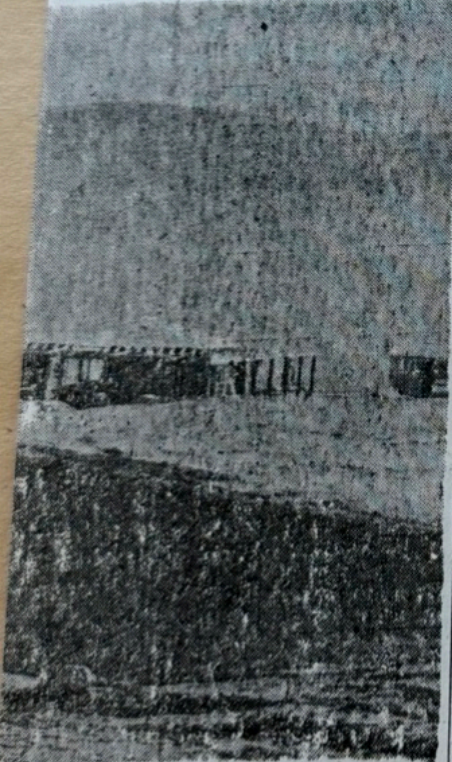
Besides fire hydrants, the Mueller Co. line includes small drilling machines to make service connections to mains by drilling through tees or stops and large drilling machines to make lateral connections to the main by drilling through valves and makes stopping machines to isolate a section of main un-

der pressure so that the isolated section may be repaired or relocated.

In addition, there are meter bars to protect meters from piping stresses; meter stops to provide easily accessible shut off of gas service; gate valves and valve box for fire hydrants; curb boxes to provide easy access to curb stop by use of shut off valve and curb stops to permit gas company to control individual service. Other products are flanged tees, service tees, service clamps, valve tees, dead end stopper fittings, valve boxes, relief valves, regulators, lawn faucets, meter setting equipment, slit repair sleeves, topping sleeves and valves and drilling, tapping, and inserting machines.

### Steel, Concrete Buildings

The new Mueller plant on Deodara St., is of steel masonry and concrete construction and is on two levels with about 13,700 feet of office floor space on one level and 148,000 feet of manufacturing space on the other level. There are rail loading dock facilities on the east and truck dock facilities on the west side of the plant. There is visitor parking on the east and employee parking west of the plant.



ear for the nine pupils now attending school in El Rancho Riding school.

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I think the Society has one of these hydrants.



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Green's MRE

122 So. Pomona

June '35

Brea Hardware

111 So. Pomona

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Jahn's Service Station

207 No. Pomona

The Maxwell Mfg. Co.  
c-made water softeners

265 So. Laurel Ave.

Aug 16, 1935

Brea Market

Fred J. Baling  
John H. Gnapp

moved to  
new  
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116 So. Pomona

Ozark Hotel

(Brea Hotel)

advertised

room + board  
\$8 per week

106 No. Pomona

Syl's Shoe Shop

127 So. Pomona

Brownie's Service  
(on cars)

343 So. Pomona

C. S. Brubaker  
Household Furnishings

134 1/2 So. Pomona

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109-13 So. Brea  
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129 1/2 So. Pomona

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Brea Hardware

107-11 Pomona Ave.

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who is vice president and assist-  
ant to the president, and a for-  
mer La Habra Kiwanian who was  
a charter member of the Brea  
Kiwanis Club.

### Crash Injures Two

A two-car collision at 9:30  
Monday morning injured the  
driver of one vehicle slightly and  
inflicted serious injuries on a  
passenger in the other car. The  
wreck was at the corner of Im-  
perial Hwy. and Valencia Ave.,  
east of Brea.

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Whittier was travelling west on

### Hardware Partnership Dissolved By Co-Owners C. Brandis, Mel Rude

Dissolution of the partnership  
existing between Carl Brandis  
and Mel Rude, co-owners of the  
Brea Hardware store, was an-  
nounced this week. Brandis will  
continue to operate the business  
at the corner of Pomona Ave.  
and Ash St. as the sole owner.

Rude and Brandis, who are  
brother-in-laws, purchased the  
store nearly three years ago from  
Francis Nipp. Since that time  
Brandis has been in charge of  
the hardware department, and  
Rude has taken care of the ap-  
pliance line.

Rude will become supervisor  
for a wholesale coffee company  
in the Los Angeles area. He in-  
tends to maintain his home in  
Brea at 322 Fir St.

For the past few weeks the  
hardware store has been in the  
midst of remodeling. Many new  
shelves have been constructed  
and the merchandise has been  
arranged in more appealing and  
convenient manner.

Brandis reports that the work  
within the store is nearing its  
completion. He hopes to have the  
interior completely modernized  
within a few more weeks.

### Dinner Dance Slated At Pacific Coast Club

Highlight of the social year at  
Brea-Olinda High School will be  
this Saturday night when the  
junior-senior dinner dance is  
held at the Pacific Coast Club in  
Long Beach. The music will be  
supplied by a group from Orange  
Coast College.

Linda Ogden is chairman for  
the junior class, which hosts the  
dinner dance.

### Ten Brea Boys Take Death Valley Trip

Ten Jr. Hi-Y Club members  
from Brea returned Saturday af-  
ter camping for a week in Death  
Valley. Twenty-four Orange  
County club members made the  
trip and toured the sights of the  
area.

Making the trip from Brea  
were Gerald Abbott, Ron Allen,  
Tom Doggett, Eddy Dugan, Tom  
Hutchison, Tim Miller, Walton  
Richison, Larry Russell, Terry

### Walnut Sewer Tax Hearing Set May 16

Public hearing on the South  
Walnut St. sewer assessment  
district was set for May 16 by the  
city council Monday night. As-  
sistant City Engineer Ed Meador  
said that the cost of the sewer  
installation is now being apportioned.

Thirty-eight lots will be in-  
volved in the proposed tax dis-  
trict. The sewer will serve the  
west side of Pomona Ave. south  
of Fir, portions of Acacia St., and  
the 800 block of St. Walnut Ave.

### Last Concert

The fifth and last concert in  
the 1954-55 Orange County Phil-  
harmonic Society series will be  
conducted Sunday afternoon at  
3 o'clock by Frieda Belinfante.  
The concert will be held at the  
Fullerton High School Auditor-  
ium. There is no admission  
charge for the program.

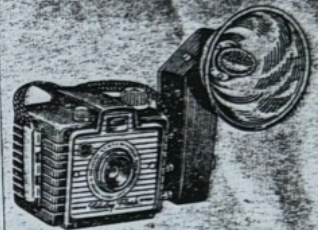
### Judge Shea Speaks At 20-30 Club Meet

Regular meeting of the Brea  
20-30 Club was held Thursday at  
the Legion Hall. The group ate  
dinner and conducted a business  
meeting.

A six-city meeting in Santa  
Ana was attended by local 20-30  
members Monday night. Judge  
John Shea was the guest speaker.  
His topic was "Court Room Pro-  
cedure."

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ducts, other recently designed  
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During the three day session,  
each of Chiksan's departments  
made presentations designed to  
provide the sales force with new  
appreciation for the complex  
workings of a growing organiza-

## T PROJECT BANQUET

Farmers representatives from local branches of the Bank attended the dinner banquet at Tustin.

More than 650 boys in the FFA program throughout Orange County participated in the original competition, which was judged by Kenneth Cutler, regional supervisor of the California bureau of agriculture, education and Donald Kruse of the bank's dairy loan department.

The winners represented FFA chapters from 11 Orange County schools.

## Brea Man Injured In Auto Accident

Southland News Service

A Brea man was slightly injured early Sunday when his car ran off Carbon Canyon Rd. near the intersection with Rose Drive.

William C. Stephens, 44, of 270 S. Laurel, was picked up by a passing motorist following the crash. The motorist started to take Stephens to the doctor, but returned to the scene of the accident when he saw a highway patrol car going in that direction.

## Planners Allow Cafe Enlargement And Dance Floor

Southland News Service

The Orange County Planning Commission has granted a use variance to Florentino Savala to enlarge his restaurant and build an open dance floor adjoining the building.

Proposed site for the construction is at the current restaurant site on Brea Canyon Road near the intersection with Central Avenue.

The commission granted the variance on conditions that there be no outdoor dancing or amplified music after 9 p. m. and that any outdoor lights be directed so as not to shine off the premises.

## Almost Three Inches More Rain This Year

Brea is experiencing almost three inches more rain to date this year than last, according to an Orange County weather report.

There has been 9.39 inches of rain so far compared to 6.66 inches last year.

Tuesday's storm dropped 1.03 inches in Brea.

Blake at 833 Larchwood, single-family residence \$20,975 and to Jean H. Cacan at 1301 Denise Ct., pool, \$2,500.

1. "Do not give a dog to a child under the age of six years. This precaution could Please Turn to Page 6

## Brea Merchants Awaken

Merchants of Downtown Brea awaken to your plight!

You are all slowly losing the fight to survive in a highly competitive society. You are losing that fight—the fight to sustain a downtown business district—for several reasons, all of which you are probably aware.

To begin with, you have a parking problem, but it is not an insurmountable problem. Other cities have had to cope with the same problem and even though they may not have completely solved it they have established a direction by which they can contend with it.

Another problem is that of the antiquity of the buildings on Pomona Avenue which house "Loop" businesses. Most of the buildings are owned by out-of-town investors. This too makes the possibility of modernization difficult—but again not insurmountable.

Pomona Avenue is a state highway making certain promotional aids to increase business activity, again, difficult—but not impossible.

Oil companies circle Brea in a tight fist, making expansion difficult. East and West Brea is presently zoned primarily for industry, making it impossible, for now, to provide residences in these areas. These, too, are obstacles, but obstacles are barriers over which to climb.

The greatest problem which besets the merchant of Brea roots itself internally.

A change is needed and needed immediately. The reference is to a change in the all-but defunct Chamber of Commerce. A Chamber of Commerce is an organization which should provide for the welfare of the citizens of the community. The merchants division of the chamber should provide for the welfare of the merchants.

Neither body has done this in so long that the merchants have become insensitive to the value of such an organization.

It is thought of today as an agency which because of poor administration didn't work and won't work. This is not true. A strong Chamber of Commerce under intelligent and dynamic leadership can do a great deal toward reviving "the corpse of Brea." Now is the time, merchants, to act before the municipal rigor mortis set in further.

Further, this is a time for cooperation. The famous squabbles of Pomona Avenue should be abandoned and the spirit of progress cooperation should replace them.

A step forward would be a meeting of Downtown merchants at which a resolution could be drawn up charging the Brea City Council with setting up a committee to study and make recommendations for the vivification of Downtown Brea.

Shake off the doldrums, merchants. There is much at stake. Make the complete exodus of business enterprise from Downtown a remote possibility, not a probability.

residential subdivision construction company. They were recently given the green light to build six model homes on their tract between Central and Whittier boulevard extension. This 50-acre plot is the future site of 190 homes to be built by them.

The request applies to 1320 feet of the thoroughfare in Brea and was made to expedite the installation of sewers, water, storm drains and necessary street improvements.

Puente street would not be interfered with, according to the Council study Traffic would continue at a normal rate.

Ledon's original request asked for Whittier to be closed for two months from May 1 to July 1. They explained that they needed that much time because the 48 inch storm drainage line will be sunk to a depth of 16 feet. They made the request also because they intend to change the grade and widen the street.

A request by a private vending machine company which purvey postage stamps to decrease the cost of licensing each machine from \$15 to \$5 was approved by the Council.

In a letter to the Council, the company said it felt \$15 was an "exorbitant price."

Chief of Police W. E. Atkins said that the machines wouldn't present the department with much extra work and they would do a great deal for the public good without expense.

City Attorney, Harold McCabe told the Council that the \$5 fee would be the business license for that particular business.

A resolution was finally passed which would charge \$5 for each machine not to exceed five and \$1 for each additional machine.

Police Chief Atkins presented the Council with a request to receive bids for two new police cars. He explained that the money was already set up in the police department budget for 1961.

Councilman Richard Basse questioned the wisdom of purchasing a new police cars every year. "I can't believe maximum efficiency is achieved merely by changing new cars," he said, "and since we overhaul them all year around, we are not getting the most out of them."

Atkins contended that the cruisers were not overhauled as often as that and cited his belief that to keep a car for two years would prove to be more expensive in the long run than buying new cars.

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## Dayton Alexander Acquires Building

D — B — A —, proprietor of the Central Market, informed the Progress Monday that he had purchased the J. H. Purves store on South Pomona avenue near the corner of Birch street, from C. I. O'Neal of O'Neal and Haskins, a Pomona firm. Alexander, who purchased the former Sheen's market last February, said he anticipates converting the former department store location into enlarged quarters for his market. However he stated the change will probably not take place until next fall.

The building is now being occupied as a residence by Mr + Mrs George Shadforth, who have lived with Mrs. Laura Carey since the spring of 1944. Mrs. Shadforth is a teacher at Brea-Clinda Union h — s —.

Alexander, who is married and has two children is an old-timer in the Brea area for he first visited the city some twenty-one years ago. He formerly worked for flour flour company, then served as a coffee salesman, taking up residence here 13 years ago on Birch street. He had lived and purchased Sheen's market last February and gave it its new name. Recently he also moved into the Lloyd D. Jones home at 217 north Pomona avenue.

# Pomona Ave. Paragraphs

Interest centers in the city park at the south end of Pomona avenue, this week, where C. M. Davis, swimming instructor, expects to open the plunge Saturday with a bang, and keep it open and lively all summer with water sports, free swimming lessons for the children, and exhibitions of swimming skill. The plunge will be open at ten a. m., and the program of water races will begin at two o'clock in the afternoon.

The curtain of mystery which has veiled the new Ford car will roll away in Brea Saturday when models will be on display at the Baldwin Motor Co. According to W. C. Baldwin, the New Ford is large, long, roomy, fast, powerful and alert. Its V-8 cylinder engine develops 85 horsepower and it is capable of 75 miles an hour speed. Fourteen body types of modern streamline design are offered. A four-cylinder engine developing 50 horse power also can be supplied with any of these body types at a lower price. Mechanical advances incorporated in the car are a synchronized silent gear shift and silent second gear, rubber engine mountings, down-draft carburetor and carburetor silencer, automatic spark control, fuel pump and rear fuel tank.

The riding comfort of the cars is due to many factors, particularly to the new flexible transverse cantilever springs, larger tires, rubber insulation, and the newly designed shock absorbers.

The Acme Cleaners of Anaheim will take over the Brea Cleaners on April 1.

Miss Clytelle Epson, student at Brea-Olinda union high school, was the winner in the choice of a name for Virgil Kiger's new eating place and soft drink fountain.

Miss Epson chose the name of "The Wildcat", and this emblem will shortly appear on the window of Mr. Kiger's place with a like emblem worked into a sign for the front. All this is being done at the high school and shortly the already popular little place will take on a collegiate air that will be most attractive.

John Blystone has begun the construction of a two-story stucco house and garage at Yorba Linda for Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Anderson.

Jack the Hatter has his traveling hat store parked on the lot north of Bergman's Garage again. He seems like an old established merchant here, he has been in and out so many times and always seems to glean a great deal of business in his line on each visit.

W. A. Culp is greatly pleased over the sale of the water bonds. It has created a good impression throughout the county of the credit which Brea has a right to enjoy, he thinks. If the town were not in good financial condition it would have been impossible to sell the bonds at par.

By the way, anyone who is attempting to grow tulips in California and has been told they do not do well here ought to step into the Culp office and look at the gorgeous large specimens grown at the Culp home. Fertilizer used to produce them was grass clippings soaked down until they rotted and worked into the soil.

W. O. Cox is still rejoicing over his move up into the first block on Pomona. Business is still increasing and many new faces are seen among his customers, he says. Muzzaill, who has the vegetable stand in the Blue and White store, had some early strawberries on hand this week.

Two other business men near by are rejoicing in increased business. Bob Shanks says they had the busiest week at the White Way Beauty Shop last week they have had in a long time, and Frank of the Brea Electric Co., says he is being kept busy night and day just now repairing radios. The Brea Electric has also taken on the agency for the Spartan radio and both Harry Massey and Frank are quite enthusiastic over it and the Spartan refrigerator which they expect to take on soon. They claim it is the best and latest pattern in refrigerators.

Bob Shanks and Vern Russell together have only cut 12 heads of hair for the children of the unemployed in the three Monday nights which they have kept open for that purpose. Does that augur that there are no longer any unemployed? Russell says for anyone wanting their children's hair cut on this Monday night's offer, to see either "Shorty" McDonald or W. E. Fanning for a ticket and come between the hours of seven and eight and he will be there to serve them.

The Home Cleaners down the line had a good Easter trade.

The Brea Hotel had some nice big signs up calling attention to its accommodations and the Brea Furniture Store also is advertising itself with signs that can be seen for a quarter of a mile. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sharp, the proprietors, have been having quite a number of visitors this week from Oakland, Los Angeles and Santa Ana.

Harlan Le Gro is a man of faith. He has such faith in the success of "Prof." Davis' efforts to make Brea the center of the swimming industry in these parts that he went to Los Angeles today for an extremely large stock of bathing caps for the prospective swimmers. You can probably find any style, color or kind you desire there all ready for the spring opening.

Virgil Kiger will have a six-hole cream cabinet installed in the "Wildcat" before the Progress goes press next week.

The Safeway store appreciates an increase in business in the past week. Manager Lee opines that times can't be so bad after all.

Acme positively is a Santa Claus! Tho for the past 36 months it has stretched one's credulity a bit to maintain a belief in jolly old Saint Nicholas. The Oilfields National Bank has purchased the entire issue of \$20,000 water improvement bonds of the City of Brea. The resources from whom quotations were obtained on pipe and supplies for the work have stood by their quotations and will deliver the materials upon the price quoted, although Walker Davis advises that the market price has increased \$1500 since the time the bids were tentatively accepted. Work will be started at the earliest possible moment and the ability of the Oilfields Bank to market this issue offers an optimistic note to the financial structure of the entire county. Much favorable comment in financial circles has already followed the action of the Oilfields directors in this connection. The work will be a prime factor in relieving distress for the next few months. There is a Santa Claus.

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## Pomona Ave. Paragraphs

That man Harlan H. LeGro is doing SOME business. Yesterday, a reporter, in search of hopeful signs that the depression had been depressed, suppressed, deflated or was at least going into a decline which would eventually end in its demise, hung around his store from two until four p. m., Pacific Standard time, vainly attempting to get an interview that would bring cheer to this waiting world, but so busy was he that the interview never became possible. At last, it penetrated the intelligence of the reporter (who are expressly forbidden to think by their employers) that no interview would be equal to the fact that one could not be had because of the rush of business. Exit reporter.

Another man who has a cheering word to say is E. H. Peterkin. While very conservative in his statements, attributing his increase in business only partly to better times and partly to the season, he said he was doing a very good business selling spraying materials to ranchers throughout Northern Orange county.

Right along with that comes a statement from a man who knows but does not wish to be named, that the packing houses on Bastanchury's Ranch and Withers Brothers on the Crookshank ranch will be running full force next year. The capacity of the first is 100 car-

loads and of the second, 150 carloads. Right now lemons are bringing an excellent price and a good crop is promised for next year.

The Majestic Electric Shop is still kept very busy repairing radios. They have purchased and sold four lots of radio tubes in their few weeks of existence.

J. D. Wakeman and Ward's Bakery both have a conservatively optimistic point of view. Mr. Wakeman says that the general outlook is getting better all the time. Mrs. Ward stated that last summer their business fell away below normal trade but that this summer it had held up with scarcely any decrease and that many new faces are appearing among their customers. Mr. and Mrs. Ward had a vacation at Yosemite, returning a week ago and say they had a wonderful time with some successful trout fishing.

G. C. Folckemer has a very pretty window display of Elgin watches just now with an attractive advertising feature sent him by the Elgin Company.

As usual, Ray Roberts has found something to make his windows attractive. The Hawks, a junior model aircraft club under the leadership of Dr. McClelland of Fullerton is having an air meet at Brea-Clinda high school Sunday afternoon. Mr. Roberts has been asked to display models of the planes in his windows. Some of them, he says, will fly several blocks and part of the exhibition will be the dropping of bombs and smoke screens. While the club is located at Fullerton many Brea boys belong to it.

Almost every employee in the pipe line and production departments of the Union Oil Company is making a monthly contribution to the Unemployed Workers Association. This month a check from for \$64.25 was turned over to the treasurer. They have pledged to make these contributions for three months at least.



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...regularly elected county of... to be filled next year, in... three... of the second (Huntington... district, the Fourth (Or... and the Fifth (Newport... and). Of course nobody knows... yet, but you can bet on... candidates. It would not be... to see ten or a dozen out... even if the supervisors... in cutting down the re... of the office. It is also... conceded that most of the... office holders in the court... will have to fight for their... have been under way... last November to line up... the same forces which... the supervisory appellat in... election. The idea is to... out of office everybody who... in. The cry will be "get... of the old gang." Only the... will see that doing so... will be trading one "gang"...

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### ARE THERE'S PARKING

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### FOR RUMMAGE SALE

...The Junior Guild of the Congregational church is arranging for a rummage sale, to be held in the Brea theatre building tomorrow, May 8. This is a benefit for the Sick Room Loan Chest, which the Guild ladies are sponsoring.

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The Brea creek dam will be only for checking the water during the rainy season, thus permitting it to sink into the soil instead of running off to the ocean and doing damage enroute in Fullerton, Buena Park and other points. The gravely bed of Brea creek is such that the water will penetrate downward. It is opined there will be water above the dam only about three months of each year.

## Brea's Clean-Up Campaign Is Soon

### IS IN FULL SWING DURING MAY 17 WEEK

"Spring house cleaning" time is here.

Monday, May 17, marks the start of Brea's Clean-up campaign, sponsored by the Brea Junior Chamber of Commerce with the co-operation of Brea city officials and merchants.

Chief aim of the drive will be to make Brea a more desirable place to live. Better surroundings, more pleasant sights and fewer fire hazards will be the results.

Every citizen of Brea, man, woman and child, can find a place in the drive to make Brea one of the cleanest and most pleasant cities in Southern California.

City officials, co-operating with the PWA, have started work of cleaning city streets and parking. Soon they will repaint the names of streets on curbing. Weeds are to be dealt with in the usual manner.

Merchants have agreed to "spruce up" their stores and to help decorate windows in vacant buildings. Alleys in the business district will be cleaned up, bringing more sanitary conditions and reducing the danger of fire.

Yards, houses and vacant lots in the residential district will be cleaned up, brightened up and put in order. Trash piles are scheduled to disappear. Eyesores will be removed.

Yes, Spring house cleaning time is here.

### NEW FLAG FLOATS AT POSTOFFICE

A new flag is floating daytimes in front of the Brea postoffice. Supplied recently by Postmaster Mike Hogue, it supplants a considerably smaller flag that during the past few years had become faded and somewhat tattered. Under the law the flag must fly over federal buildings during each daytime.

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our school system. Dr. David Goodwin, worshipful master of Citrol lodge, presided over the assembly and the ten minutes allotted to each school found music talking a predominate part with a rhythm band, a glee club, an orchestra, and Dutch song and dances being featured. The speaker of the evening was Thomas E. Williams, printing instructor and director of Fine Arts Press at Santa Ana Junior College. Mr. Williams spoke on "Industrial Education."

During the entire evening all classrooms, shop buildings, and offices were open to the public and most of the instructors had prepared interesting exhibits, which were enjoyed by the visitors. Guide books, which were the product of the combined efforts of the journalism, art and commercial departments, explained some architectural features and also gave some odd facts concerning the building.

The program was generally well-accepted and the evening considered to be a success by the school authorities.

### FISHING TRIP TO LAKE ARROWHEAD

The following made up a weekend fishing trip to the Blue Jay camp on Lake Arrowhead—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neuls, Dr. and Mrs. Glenn Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peterkin; Messrs. George Vaier and Perkins of Orange, W. W. Hdy of Los Angeles and Ralph Peterkin. They left Friday and remained over Sunday. They report a nice catch of fish.

### DEATH OCCURS OF EVERETT GRAVETT

The death occurred in his home in Carbon canyon Saturday of Everett Gravett, a longtime resident of this county. He was a member of the Baptist church and Azure Masonic lodge of Fullerton. Funeral services were held from the McAulay-Suters chapel Tuesday afternoon, with Rev. Francis E. Hawes officiating, together with Masonic ceremonies.

Mr. Gravett, who was 47 years old, is survived by his widow, Mrs. Myrtle L. Gravett; a sister, Mrs. Alta Cullum of Glen Elder Kansas; and a brother, Clarence Gravett of Southgate.

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### FOR RUMMAGE SALE

The Junior Guild of the Congregational church is arranging for a rummage sale, to be held in the Brea theatre building tomorrow, May 8. This is a benefit for the Sick Room Loan Chest, which the Guild ladies are sponsoring.

the eastern line of the Congregational church to Brea's east will be eighty feet in width. It is understood the additional highway will be obtained from southside of the highway, and that Mayor W. D. Shaffer donated the right-of-way from an avocado tract, just east of church.

Recently J. T. Gripper, assistant to Mr. Cortelyou, the highway engineer, has been to look over the Imperial Highway project. The state has refused to permit Brea to do any other highway work with state funds (oil tax) until the Imperial Highway stretch is completed. All money comes from the state oil tax funds.

## Fanning To Begin Twenty-third Year

### SCHOOL BOARD RE-ELECTS ITS GRADE TEACHERS

W. E. Fanning is to start twenty-third year as superintendent of elementary schools with the commencement of ensuing school year. He was elected by the school board, Wednesday night, in its annual session. Also he was given a year contract.

Resignations were received from three grade teachers, but otherwise the present corps, including Vincent Jaster as principal of Brea grammar school, was elected. Jaster has been eight years.

The three teachers resigning included Miss Lola Lewis, sixth grade and home economics, Miss Ruth Garner, second grade. The understanding is all will resign after the close of the present school term.

At the suggestion of the school authorities, the local board adjusted salaries to the progression scale, averaging an additional \$100 per year, and ranging from \$5 to \$10 advance monthly in salaries.

Arrangements were made to hold the school election on April 4 at the Laurel building as usual. The term of one board member, Mrs. O. S. Close, expires.

### SOIL CONSERVATION NECESSARY HERE

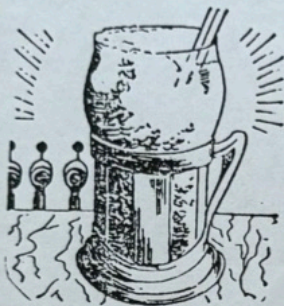
There is lots of work to be done in this vicinity and county in soil conservation way, according to R. A. Floyd, head of soil conservation service for this district. He made this statement at the session of the Lion club where he was a guest of Joe N. He spoke of the demonstration now in progress in the La Habra area, as beneficial to the district. There has been and such project in the El Toron of the county. Cultivation of the hillsides has caused the greatest erosion damages, whereas natural hillsides with vegetation covering are not depleted.

A. C. Barnett of 225 South Orange street spent the past weekend with his daughter, Miss V. Fred Barnett, in Oakland.

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BP Fri June 14, 1946

Brea will have Steel "Quonset" Hut on Main Street

Brea's Old Timers Club will have new quarters at 116 North Pomona Ave adjoining the Brea Hall, when their lease expires on their present ~~location~~ clubhouse at 129 South Pomona Avenue.

Preparations are under way this week for pouring of foundations for a 20x24-foot building of the Armo Hut type declared surplus by government agencies.

The building is being constructed by Harry Winchell, Sr., at an estimated cost of \$4,100. It will look familiar to many ex-Navy and Army men, who have seen the mound-topped huts erected from Greenland to Australia.

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## Postmasters Meet In Brea

DUQUE TO BE HOST ON  
THIS OCCASION

ter L. A. Hogue is to be  
 next Wednesday eve-  
 mber 9, to the members  
 ange county postmasters  
 n and their employes  
 ay have their regular  
 dinner. Indications are  
 ll be anywhere from  
 ve to one hundred of  
 attendance.  
 addition there will be  
 as guests of the associa-  
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inner is to be served by  
 es of the Woman's club.  
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 ted that some speaker will  
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 it has been arranged for  
 ea Community Players to  
 on the stage a one-act  
 r the entertainment of the

### END VENISON DINNER

Rosalie Williams was one  
 guests attending a venison  
 last evening on the Murphy  
 with Charles Bruster as  
 Sixteen persons attended the

### JOE NEULS ON TOUR

D. Neuls made the trip, Mon-  
 and Tuesday of this week,  
 the board of directors of the  
 Whittier Citrus association,  
 tour of the citrus packing  
 es of Ventura county.

### LECTURE RADIOCAST

ocal radio listeners may hear  
 authorized Christian Science  
 ure today at 8 p.m., when  
 n Randall Dunn, of Boston, lec-  
 s over KFAC for Ninth  
 urch of Christ of Los Angeles.

Hymn" by the  
 The secretary's report was read  
 by Mrs. R. M. Ross and the treas-  
 urer's by Mrs. A. A. Voorhees.  
 The latter reported also on the  
 district meeting and read a letter  
 from Mrs. Ruth Coles, missionary  
 in the Transvaal, Africa. "We too  
 in the Transvaal, Africa. "We too  
 are getting quite modern over  
 here," Mrs. Coles wrote, "as we  
 now have hot dogs and wrapped  
 bread."

Rev. Cecil Prior, pastor of the  
 church, read Van Dyke's "First  
 Christmas Tree" story.  
 Mrs. R. M. Ross was elected  
 president for the ensuing year,  
 with Mrs. Carl Harvey and Mrs.  
 J. H. Grest vice-presidents. Mrs.  
 R. W. Phelps secretary, Mrs. Voor-  
 hees treasurer, and Mrs. Phoebe  
 Spensley missionary treasurer. The  
 following circle chairmen were  
 chosen—Mrs. Corb Sarchet, Mrs.  
 L. A. Hogue and Mrs. George  
 Gesme.

The next Guild Meeting will be  
 held on January 6, when the new  
 officers will be installed.

### MOTORCYCLE ACCIDENT

Garland Elder, young man of  
 Fullerton, had his right ankle  
 crushed and received numerous  
 cuts and bruises otherwise, as the  
 result of a motorcycle accident,  
 Wednesday evening, at the corner  
 of Pomona avenue and Date street.  
 Elder was traveling seventy-five  
 miles an hour, according to police,  
 when the accident occurred and  
 was being followed by Police  
 Chief Williams because of speed-  
 ing. In swerving, near the scene  
 of the accident, to prevent a col-  
 lision with a car, driven by Mrs.  
 A. V. VanTuyle, his right ankle  
 struck the car. His course was  
 thus deflected, the motorcycle be-  
 gan weaving and eventually Elder  
 was thrown into the pavement. He  
 was taken to a Fullerton hospital.  
 Mrs. Van Tuyle was held in no  
 way to blame.

### MOVED THE BUILDING

The Brown-Dauser Lumber com-  
 pany moved an immense sheet  
 iron building, approximately 50  
 x 25 feet in size, this week. It  
 was taken from its original loca-  
 tion on the old lumber company  
 site, on the Pacific Electric  
 tracks, to the present location of  
 the yards at the corner of AAh  
 and Orange. It will continue to be  
 used for warehouse purposes.

### VETERANS GET MONEY

Orange county veterans have  
 purchased farms and homes valued  
 at \$648,385 with the aid of funds  
 made available under their state  
 purchase act, the division of vet-  
 erans' welfare reported.

### PEACE OFFICERS' DINNER

W. H. Williams, local police chief,  
 and Mrs. Williams represented  
 Brea at the monthly meeting-din-  
 ner of the Orange county peace  
 officers association in Seal Beach  
 on Wednesday evening. Lee How-  
 ard, the Seal Beach chief, was  
 host. The guest speaker was  
 Mason Yould, city editor of the  
 Santa Ana Register, talking on  
 co-operation of newspaper with  
 police authorities.

better".  
 Ed Curtis will be program chair-  
 man on December 10. The session  
 on December 17 will be for Lions'  
 wives also, and at the final session  
 of the year on December 31 Dr.  
 Curtis will be program chairman.  
 There will be no meeting Dec-  
 ember 24.

The Woman's club ladies, serv-  
 ing the luncheon included Mrs.  
 C. R. Negley, chairman; Mrs.  
 Rosalie Williams, Mrs. George  
 Wier, Mrs. H. W. Hardy and Mrs.  
 J. H. Pfeiffer.

Students participating in the  
 pow-wow included Beverly Wat-  
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 low, Bobby Bickel, Harriet Baker,  
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 Sharp, Hobart Turley, Wallace  
 Reed, Fred Smalley, Robert Kubin,  
 Bobby Burke and Jane Price.

### BREA GIRL SCOUTS IN REGULAR SESSION

Under the leadership of Mrs.  
 Russell Sage, the Girl Scouts of  
 Brea met in the Legion building  
 Wednesday afternoon.

A posture talk given by Miss  
 Ruth Garner, member of the gram-  
 mar school faculty, was greatly  
 enjoyed. She is a member of the  
 Girl Scouts and plans have been  
 made to have her take charge of  
 the club meetings the first Wed-  
 nesday in every month. She will  
 teach dancing to the girls and  
 give them pointers in habits for  
 good health and etiquette.

Preceding the sport activities,  
 which are in charge of Miss Ruth  
 Livingston, the group studied Girl  
 Scout laws.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH YOUNG FOLK'S SOCIAL

The young people's class of the  
 Christian church met in the social  
 hall of the church Friday evening  
 at seven-thirty for a fellowship  
 and social.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Sutfieff,  
 class teachers of the young peo-  
 ple, sponsored the social. Follow-  
 ing a short business meeting, pre-  
 sided over by the president, Miss  
 Mary Ruth Criger, games were  
 played.

Refreshments of fruit salad and  
 cookies were served to the mem-  
 bers of the class. Plans were made  
 to hold a class social every third  
 Monday of each month.

### HOWDY FOLKS

This week we extend our hand  
 to the following new subscribers  
 and those who have renewed the  
 past few days:

C. E. McGilliard, D. O. Epper-  
 ly, Harry Winchel, I. B. Miller, F.  
 E. Bowman, Elmer Weaver, J. F.  
 Beuter, J. W. Goudge, Ted Craig,

tended the govern-  
 the Yacht Club at noon. The high-  
 way opening ceremonies followed  
 immediately. Editor Sam Meyer of  
 Newport Beach presided at the  
 luncheon as president of that city's  
 Chamber of Commerce, Phillip A.  
 Stanton, an old warhorse of Or-  
 ange county, presided at the open-  
 ing ceremonies as a member of  
 the state highway commission.

Following the dedicatory talk  
 of the governor, an innovation was  
 introduced when he clipped the  
 wire which fastened the oldest  
 gate in the county to let five  
 bathing beauties pass through to  
 take a dip in the Pacific beyond.  
 The gate had swung in place on  
 the Irvine ranch for many years.  
 Mr. Stanton declared: "This is the  
 first time I have ever seen a horse  
 gate open a viaduct to automobile  
 traffic."

### THE OLINDA PARENT TEACHERS MEETING

The executive board of the  
 Olinda Parent-Teachers will meet  
 Wednesday, December 9, at a pot-  
 luck luncheon. The feature will be  
 luck on costumes for a Christ-  
 sewing on costumes for a Christ-  
 mas play. Everyone is urged to  
 mas play. Everyone is urged to  
 attend and help, arriving at 11  
 o'clock and remaining all day, if  
 possible. The recent cooked food  
 sale in Brea was quite a success,  
 making \$10 clear. A "thank-you"  
 is extended to all who made dona-  
 tions for the sale.



## ORANGE CO WEEKLY WATERBURY

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ons for the Weekly News

APPEARING IN THE FOLLOWING

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| Huntington Beach News | Newport Beach News  |
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| South Coast News      | Buena Park News     |
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| La Habra Star         | Tustin News         |

### Budgets

Governor Frank Merriam, who  
 took the leading part in the over-  
 the head crossing dedication at The  
 Arches last week, has been bal-  
 ancing the state's budget ever  
 since he took office, according to  
 Phil Stanton, Anaheim, and mem-  
 ber of the state highway commis-  
 sion.

Phil claims that the budget is  
 no higher than it was 20 years  
 ago and that its balancing or lack  
 of balance is not due to the gov-  
 ernor but to the taxes the people  
 vote; that the chief executive  
 should not be blamed for putting  
 California in the "red."

As Stanton is one of the old  
 war horses in the game he cer-  
 tainly ought to know what he is  
 talking about. Some of us have  
 pilloried Frank Merriam in no un-  
 certain terms but it is meet that  
 credit should be given where cred-  
 it is due.

### People

"I like to meet people," said  
 the governor, when asked if he  
 did not get tired going to various  
 celebrations all the time. "It's like  
 this," he continued, "people are  
 interesting; they give one much  
 valuable information; I like to get  
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### DR. CURTIS TO M

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## Pomona Ave. Paragraphs

Signs of spring are in the air. The Brea Ignition Works caught the housecleaning fever and Tuesday had a grand house cleaning time and are all "red up" for the summer's rush of business. Mike Hogue is itching for golf courses and finds it hard to stay behind the counter these days; measuring sugar and such like sport has lost its charm for him. Mrs. Gnagy's pattern book is in constant demand now, forerunner of spring sewing.

Speaking of housecleaning, the Brea Hotel has been undergoing that ordeal for several weeks. Mrs. Sharp, the new proprietress, just like all women, couldn't be satisfied it was clean until she had gone over it inch by inch herself, and that is what she has been doing.

By the way, you may not have known that the proprietor has opened up a new and second hand furniture store downstairs under the hotel. He is occupying two of the store buildings already and thinks he may take a third when some additional furniture he has ordered comes in. Prices seemed very reasonable and it would be a neighborly deed to step in there and look over his stock before going out of town to buy. He will trade furniture with you, too.

Mrs. Gnagy has been getting a good deal of delight out of the comments of the children over the little yellow chickens that grace one of her windows. They stop and talk to them entirely unconscious that they may have an audience, pouring out their affectionate regards in words of tender endearment. It is amusing, too, when they come along with their parents and have almost to be chastized before they will consent to leave such a delightful scene. One little two-year old returned again and again one morning until her father became almost irate. Then she deemed it advisable to agree with his request that she "Come on!"

Harlan LeGro is a bachelor this week, his wife and daughter having gone on a short vacation to Fresno.

Brea's "Main Street" will present a much more attractive appearance when the beautification committee gets its plans for tree planting and lot decoration carried.

The first view that one gets of Brea, coming in from La Habra is prepossessing. Just a little this side of Stewart Station the Brea grammar school is visible, sitting up on its rise of ground, a building beautiful enough to have had its picture in a California pictorial magazine several years ago as one of the really lovely architectural pieces in this part of the country. Pomona Ave. at its north end is lined with large old shade trees that shut out the glare of sunlight with their graceful foliage. But in the town proper there is a dearth of trees along the main thoroughfare. It is planned to plant cocos plumosas palms for several blocks and to make the vacant lots gay with flowers for 20 feet back from the sidewalk with a background of hedge.

If you have shoots or cuttings of anything that will grow without too much care or water, or plants that you are thinning out, if you will call the Chamber of Commerce or the city hall someone will come and get them and start them in the lath house in the park so they will be ready to set out when the lots are plowed.

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Thurs., Mar. 24, 1932

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## Brea Progress

Fri, Oct. 19, 1945

### Office Building Of Oxides Firm Fast Being Constructed

With construction of an office building now well underway on its manufacturing site, Oxides, Inc., has set its force to work in earnest this past week to hasten the day when the firm may begin active production in this city.

As of last Wednesday, October 17, when both Robert Sommers, of the firm's board, and Clyde Norvell, technical engineer, were present at the plant location near West Ash Street, the foundation work for the firm's office building had been laid, its carpentry work had been well begun, and grading of the factory ground itself was in process.

Carpenters who were working on the spot in behalf of Contractor Fred Wagoner, included Archie Bird of 112 West Ash Street, Marion Ourley of 214½ North Mardona Avenue, and J. C. McCarty of Anaheim. Fred Bastanchury of La Habra was handling the tractor in grading work for Contractor Virgil Kiger.

Sommers and Norvill stated that temporary lighting and water utilities were already available at the site, and that they were hoping for early installation of a phone.

Fri, Aug 16, 1946

### Brea Oxides Will Have New Buildings Of Unique Surplus

Brea Oxides has a new building under construction this week which some suggest ought to be called "Sleepy Hollow", or "Asleep on the Deep". The frame of the building will be made entirely of surplus steel bunks off Navy ships.

It's a unique idea—the only thing of its kind we know of. R. K. Landon, plant manager and partner, bought the surplus bunks for use in his manufacture of oxides. The frames make good trays. When he needed a building and found construction steel not available, he decided to frame it with the bunks.

Merle G. Packham, who's slept in many a bunk like them while in Navy uniform, is welding them together to make the building. Building Inspector Isaac Craig says they're good construction material, and fully comply with building code requirements.

Three buildings are actually to be constructed, two of them to cover the main present plant area, totalling 53 by 72 feet in size. A third, 24 by 72 feet, will be a warehouse. Sheet aluminum and corrugated iron will be used as walls and roof if they can be secured.



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Grace L. May, Clerk

Saw old Doc Holland starting out Wednesday morning with his case of instruments for his work in the free clinic at Brea-Olinda High School. At the time the three dentists of Brea—Drs. Holland, Goodwin and Jarvis offered their services on this free clinic work to the schools, we carried some favorable comments. And in the meantime they have been quietly going on with their fine work. Seems like it is time to again express the keen appreciation of the community of Brea for this unselfish service for the public health.

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To the annual dinner meeting of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of Orange County, held Tuesday at Kettner's Cafe in Santa Ana. New officers for the coming year are Ross A. Shafer, of Tustin, president; Ralph McFadden, Placentia, vice-president; and the always efficient and zealous county worker, Harry Mav, secretary and treasurer. O. T. Stephens, retiring president, has finished an active year of hard and faithful service. He has laid the ground work for an increased measure of usefulness for the Associated and has left a higher degree of prestige for this much-abused group who labor so unselfishly for the good of the county, than existed some year or so ago. Incidentally the delegates to the Associated are a fine bunch of upstanding men, and the County of Orange is fortunate in their consistent service in its behalf—thru kidding, criticism and sometimes slightly boresome proceedings. In Ross Shafer the Associated has an ideal leader. A diplomat of the first water—broad gauged—sympathetic in his appreciation of all sides of all questions—he is yet a stalwart fighter if it becomes necessary to fight for any issue of unqualified merit. And the opposition to any such measure which Ross may elect to battle for—are pretty dog-goned certain to get their ears knocked down.

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It is interesting to note that the published figures for gallonage of gasoline sales throughout California for the month of February show Standard and Union as the two leaders of the field. Both are extensive newspaper advertisers. The largest losses in the field are Richfield, Associated and General, in the order named. These three concerns depend upon radio advertising for their sales promotion. The PROGRESS presents this fact unselfishly, as practically all newspaper space in the gasoline field goes to the daily papers. We still maintain that any kind of newspaper advertising is far and away a better cash investment for any concern than the intangible and untraceable results to be secured by radio ballyhoo.

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If you want to see some pulchritudinous damsels flipping a bright fantastic fin—come to Brea Saturday and participate in our aquatic carnival. Lots of fun for all and this is our first annual Big Shot Festival. We are going to make it Bigger and Better each succeeding year.



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Los Angeles. Mrs. Gaylord  
was presented by Mrs. C. O.  
Harvey, program chairman, after  
the meeting had been opened by  
the Guild president, Mrs. R. M.  
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Citing Dr. Charles S. Johnson,  
negro and professor of social sci-  
ence in Flak University, Mrs. Gay-  
lord used data from his scienti-  
fic approach on the subject of  
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ing to attention many interesting  
facts about the negro in our  
country. "The problem of educat-  
ing, christianizing and socializing  
the race without the smirch of  
intermarriage is," Mrs. Gaylord  
believes, "one of the most gigantic  
that any country has been called  
upon to meet."

"In this work the Congregational  
church stands as a pioneer, hav-  
ing been the first of all christian  
organizations in America to under-  
take the education of the black  
race, first in grade school, then  
high schools and colleges in turn,  
as the government began to as-  
sume this responsibility.

"The importation of more than  
ten million black slaves into Amer-  
ica created the class of Americans  
known as the poor whites in the  
south. Following the civil war the  
whites superceded the negroes in  
the field of labor and have ever  
since maintained that lead, with  
the result that many of the black  
people of those states are still  
little better than slaves.

"Education christian leaders of  
their own race will in years to  
come prove of tremendous value  
to the negro, but until more of  
such leaders are in the field of  
such service the responsibility lies  
in the hands of the white christ-  
ians. Much of this is being made  
possible by missionary contribu-  
tions, a point which Mrs. Gaylord  
urged her hearers to remember."

The meeting opened with de-  
votions lead by Mrs. C. R. Negley,  
including the singing of a hymn  
by those present, scripture read-  
ing and prayer by Mrs. Negley.  
Mrs. R. W. Phelps was at the  
piano.

Announcement was made that  
a birthday dinner is to be served  
in the social hall on the evening  
of April 14, the proceeds to be  
used for the purchase of new  
drapes for the hall and commu-  
nication cup holders for the pews.

Luncheon was served by Mrs.  
L. A. Hogue and members of her  
circle, Mrs. Cecil Baker, Mrs.  
Harry Yarbrough, Mrs. A. H.  
Brown and Mrs. M. E. Easton.  
Red and white of the Valentine  
season appeared in the candles  
and holders, napkins and other  
appointments, with tiny Valen-  
tines for favors.

Accompanying Mrs. Gaylord was  
Miss Mae Eaton of L. Jolla, for  
many years a close friend of the  
family.

### JUNIOR CHAMBER TO MEET NEXT MONDAY

Brea Junior Chamber of Com-  
merce members will meet Monday  
night, February 8, at the New  
Sherman hotel dining room for a  
dinner meeting at 6:30 o'clock, ac-  
cording to announcement by R. E.  
Barnes, president of the organiza-  
tion.

A program, including an inter-  
esting speaker, has been arranged  
by the board of directors, accord-  
ing to J. B. Pate, secretary of the  
group. Barnes is expected to an-  
nounce committees to serve dur-  
ing the coming year at the meet-  
ing.

Mrs. W. E. Spicer received word  
her husband, who had been doing  
Y. M. C. A. work in France, had  
sailed for home and would arrive  
here in about a month.

The ladies Guild of the Congre-  
gational church gave a cooked  
food sale and had a complete sell-  
out, with \$20 as the result.

### Protest Telephone Rates

The farmers of Orange county  
forwarded a protest to Congress-  
man Kettner, asking him to halt  
the announced increase in tele-  
phone rates, amounting to a dol-  
lar per month for each of them.

The theatres were showing Nazi-  
movia in "Eye for Eye," Lila Lee  
in "Such a Little Pirate," Ger-  
aldine Farrar in "The turn of a  
wheel," Dorothy Gish in "The hope  
chest," and also "Wild women and  
tame lions" and "The greatest  
thing in life."

Roy brothers were offering vau-  
lencia hams at 40 cents a pound,  
men's khaki pants at \$3, light  
colored calicoes at 16 cents a yard  
and dark colored at 17 cents, over-  
alls at \$2.35, dress gingham at  
25 cents, and fancy outings at 28  
cents.

Rev. Mitchell was giving a ser-  
mon at the Congregational church  
on "Did God win the war?"

The Parent-Teachers association  
held a big get-together session at  
the grammar school, with Mrs.  
George Pickering presiding. The  
guests were Mrs. G. H. Goodale of  
Anaheim and Mrs. C. G. Noble of  
Los Angeles, who spoke on "Amer-  
icanization." Frank Berry gave a  
piano solo. There were numerous  
visitors present from other county  
associations.

At noon the P. T. E. served a  
"sumptuous repast of home cook-  
ed dainties." The program includ-  
(Continued on Page Five)

### CITY COUNCIL IN A QUIET SESSION

Routine business of allowing  
bills against the city for the month  
of January was carried on Wednes-  
day night at the regular meeting  
of the city council, according to  
Mrs. Grace May, city clerk.

Virgil Kiger, manager of the  
Brea niteball team, appeared be-  
fore the council and asked the city  
to furnish a uniform for a mem-  
ber of the team during the coming  
year. Members of the council voted  
to spend \$15 for this purpose.

Fred Boxall, city street and  
water superintendent, was author-  
ized by the council to represent  
the city at the annual stockhold-  
ers meeting of the La Habra  
Water company at Whittier on  
Saturday, February 13.

Councilmen present at the meet-  
ing were Mayor W. D. Shaffer, J.  
D. Wakeman and Ed Ward.

### TO ERECT ANOTHER FILLING STATION

F. P. Sweet, pioneer resident of  
Brea, has sold his property at the  
corner of Pomona avenue and Im-  
perial highway to J. W. Barton of  
Yorba Linda, who intends putting  
up the necessary buildings for a  
filling station. Mr. Barton also  
bought the lot, just north of the  
Sweet property, from Bacon and  
others. This will make the third  
filling station at that intersection.

Mr. Sweet and family will move  
to a home in the three hundred  
block on Madrona avenue and ex-  
pects to occupy it in the near fu-  
ture. The Sweet residence will be  
moved to another location.

by Mrs. Guy and her drive work-  
ers, Mrs. Ambeuhl, Mrs. H. R.  
Williams and Mrs. W. E. Crif-  
fith. The drive followed the break-  
fast at the Sherman Hotel on  
Thursday morning of last week  
and ended in a victory tea for  
the district given at the home  
of Mrs. Albert Launer in Full-  
erton on Friday. Subscriptions for  
the local drive came from both  
Brea and Olinda, with Mrs. L. P.  
Russell being in charge in the  
latter community.

The fund thus established is  
used for the school affairs of  
the Girl Reserves, of which there  
are more than 100 in Brea alone,  
and for their summer camp out-  
ings and conference meetings. The  
first such activity of the year was  
the conference of Southern Califor-  
nia held recently at Redlands  
University. Brea was represented  
there by Miss Ruth Carlson, pres-  
ident of the Brea-Olinda union  
high school Girls Reserves, Miss  
Shirley Beckman and Miss Irene  
Stives, adviser for the group.

Mrs. Guy and other members  
of the council wish to thank all  
who so generously assisted in the  
drive and in subscriptions.

### STUDENT INJURY FUND ANNOUNCEMENT MADE

The following rules, in connec-  
tion with the distribution of the  
injury fund are announced as fol-  
lows by the Junior Chamber:

The Student Injury Fund shall  
be administered by the committee  
on the following basis as long as  
funds are available. The cost of  
injuries sustained by students will  
be borne from the Injury Fund, as  
follows:

50% of cost up to \$25 shall be  
paid out of the emergency fund  
when billed by the attending physi-  
cian. The committee reserves the  
right to vary this rule, when very  
unusual circumstances may pre-  
sent themselves.

It was the hope of the Brea  
Junior Chamber of Commerce in  
developing this plan the response  
would be such that injuries for  
the entire year could be cared for  
in accordance with the above plan.  
The response to the sale of tickets  
was so slight in comparison to the  
goal that the benevolent gesture  
of the sponsors fell flat. The actual  
receipts from the sale of tickets  
amounted to \$152.

The transfer of an injury fund  
which the high school had started  
had been accumulating and the  
total fund available for this year  
was \$191.45. It is readily apparent  
this small fund could not go very  
far in as ambitious program as  
had been planned.

The committee has worked ear-  
nestly in an equitable and careful  
distribution of funds. To date the  
charges against these funds have  
been so heavy that it leaves but  
a small amount in reserve against  
emergency.

### HAVE BABY DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gordon,  
330 North Orange, are the parents  
of an eight and a half pound baby  
daughter born Wednesday morn-  
ing at the Fullerton General hos-  
pital. Both Mrs. Gordon and the  
baby are doing nicely. Mr. and  
Mrs. Gordon have chosen the name  
of Joy Lillian for the baby.

Mrs. Gordon is the former Miss  
Elsie Smith and is a graduate of  
Brea-Olinda high school. Mr. Gor-  
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# NEWSLETTER



401 South Brea Boulevard  
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Sharon Dean, President  
Inez C. Fanning, Editor



## THE SULLIVAN BROTHERS AND THEIR TRUCKING BUSINESS

The property on West Ash Street, now occupied by Phillips Trucking and Towing Company, has been used for a trucking station for more than 75 years. In the early days of Brea, the Sullivan Trucking Co. was a big company located at this site,

Arthur Sullivan arrived in Brea from Arkansas at the age of 16 years, in time to become an employee of Union Oil Company in May, 1913. He was hired at Stearns Lease and was assigned to drive A TRUCK.

Meantime, young Ruth Dutton was living with a relative at a Brea Canyon oil lease. She had worked as a cook's helper at an Olinda boarding house.

Later Ruth lived with an older sister, Mrs. Lee Calderwood, on Randolph Street, and was a next-door neighbor to the Moseley family.

Arthur Sullivan and Ruth were married in Los Angeles in 1916. They "set up housekeeping" in a little house on Stearns Lease, but soon moved into town. They were among the first candidates for membership at the Brea Christian Church, which was also located on West Ash.

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## GENERAL MEETING - MAY 18, 1992

MONDAY - - - 7:30 P.M.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH SOCIAL HALL

SPEAKER: ANDY DENEAU,  
ANAHEIM HISTORICAL SOCIETY

"RESTORING AN HISTORIC HOUSE"

He will also show slides.

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Seven winners of the HIGH SCHOOL ESSAY CONTEST and their teacher will be present to receive their awards. A promotional event for our book "Brea: Celebrating 75 Years". the essay topic was "Why should Historic Preservation Be Included in Brea's Vision for the Future?"

There were 98 entries. Judges were: Mary Alice Blaydes, Inez Fanning, Mae Burt, and Susan Gaede.

The grand winner will receive \$100 and have his/her essay printed in our book. Congratulations to all!

This promises to be an exceptional meeting! Be there!!

Awards will be given promptly at 7:30 P.M.

Host and Hostesses: Sally Rathmell,  
Louise Bleininger, Alice and Paul Whipp.

Kathleen Ralph's Girl Scout Troop have made a historical quilt which they will present at the meeting.

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## CALENDAR

May 16 - 10:00 A.M. - Jubilee Parade followed by Community Picnic, Old City Hall Park.

May 18 - GENERAL MEETING  
First Baptist Church - 7:30 P.M.  
Board Meeting follows.

June 8 - Board Meeting

July 4 - County Fair and Historical Exhibit

September 28 - Next General Meeting

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Arthur's brother, Charles, and his wife, Nani, purchased the property to the east of the church in 1919, and lived there in a large house moved in from an oil lease. The house had a hiped roof and a porch around the two sides and front. Trucks came in and out on this same property. An office was in the house.

The two brothers bought several trucks. The business specialized in hauling pipe for use in the oilfields. The pipe was produced by steel mills in Pennsylvania, but because of the weight, it was too expensive to ship it across the country. The pipe was loaded on ships in Eastern ports and sent down through the Panama Canal and then up to Los Angeles Harbor (San Pedro). The Brea truckers picked up the pipes at the docks, and at one time, delivered pipes to oilfields all over the State of California.

The most important pipes went down the well, one after the other, threaded together or with a coupling.

One big project for the Sullivans involved handling pipe for the first pipeline along the Ridge Route between Bakersfield and Los Angeles.

Arthur's wife, Ruth, took care of their two children, Marian and Kenny. She joined the Ladies Aid at the Brea Christian Church and sang in the church choir. Arthur not only ran the business, but pursued his two hobbies of baseball and fancy cars.

In those days, there was an Orange County Baseball League for which Arthur managed several teams at different times. He became an umpire of note. The different town teams played each other. Also, National League players came home in the winter, and played the local teams. Important hardball games were played on Sunday afternoons, and Art took his family to the games. If he was paid after the game, the family stopped at Curry's Mile High and all enjoyed a five-cent ice cream cone.

Harry Dunning, a catcher for the Giants, played here, as well as Jack Salvesson, a product of Brea, who became a National League player. The Babe Ruth-Walter Johnson game was memorable for Art.

Beginning with the depression, the trucking business went down. The office was moved to a branch at Signal Hill, Long Beach, and in 1930, the brothers' partnership was dissolved. Charles Sullivan was Mayor of Brea in the years of 1925 and 1926.

The Charles Sullivan family moved to Buena Park. In 1936, the Arthur Sullivans moved to Fullerton. Arthur died in 1972 and Ruth passed away in 1986. Daughter Marian is a retired school teacher, now living in Placentia.

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Many things are happening at the Brea Historical Society Museum. Our book, "Brea: Celebrating 75 Years" is progressing on schedule with new and exciting opportunities for participation. Our latest section, "Great Moments in Sports in Brea" is receiving positive comments from many interested sponsors. If you would like more information, call Irene Gresick at 961-0888 or Karen Vitkus at 524-9866. We are searching for photos. Any Brea photos could be used where appropriate. Please call Brian Saul at 990-4461 or the Museum Office 256-2283.

An important project that Dora Varner is working on is "family biographies". We are interested in having the history of your family in our special file. Please call Dora at the Museum on Mondays between 9:00 A.M. and 3:00 P.M.

The Museum will be open this Saturday, May 16, from 11:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. If you would like to help, please call me at 529-6186.

Hope to see you Saturday or Monday.

Sharon Dean

DUES! DUES! DUES!

Some of us have inadvertently forgotten to pay dues for 1992. Our year is the calendar year, January to January.

Please call the office - 256-2283 - if you do not know if you have paid.

DUES SCHEDULE

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Individual	\$ 15.00
Family	25.00
Supporting	50.00
Sustaining	100.00
Businesses	100.00

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