#### TEMECULA VALLEY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

#### 1917 Gossip Column & News Articles

#### January 5, 1917

After spending a few days in Los Angeles, Paul Clark of the Pauba Ranch returned home the first of the week.

Eila Kolb, who is attending the Riverside business college, spent the holidays at home.

After spending a very pleasant visit with his parents Frank Ramos returned to Riverside last Saturday to continue his studies.

Dr. L. L. Roripaugh of Auld was in town the other day treating his friends to cigars. The doctor being newly wed his many friends wish him and his bride a very happy future.

Curtis Stevenson and wife of Pechanga were first of the week visitors at the Ventura Arviso home.

Francis McCarrell drove over here after freight for the Aguanga store.

E. C. Tripp of Aguanga was in town the last of the week hauling lumber.

Mrs. John B. Kelly returned home Saturday from Los Angeles where she had a pleasant two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. John N. Carr.

Charles Swain and Juan Munoa have moved to the Harvey place, where they will plant barley this winter.

The dance given at the Bank hall Saturday night was attended by several from the surrounding country.

D. S. Woosley of Escondido was in town the first of the week doing some missionary work.

A large number of the young people from town attended the dance at the Murrieta Hot Springs.

George Studley has succeeded J. S. Felix as foreman of the cowboys at the Pauba Ranch. Mr. Studley has been a steady hand at the ranch for four years.

Paul Clark and Ruth Keyes, both prominent in the social circles of Temecula, were united in marriage last Sunday at the home of the bride, 1718 W. 38th St. Los Angeles, the Rev. Compton tying the knot. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion with pink carnations and lilies of the valley. The bride wore becoming gown of gray crepe de chine and the groom wore a black suit. The few relatives and friends present saw the happy couple leave after the ceremony nobody knows where.

Mrs. George Simon of Los Angeles who has been in charge of the Lizzie M. Hall's lunch rooms for the past two weeks, left Sunday noon for her home in Los Angeles, leaving Mrs. Carl Swanguen in charge.

Merrill Kolb and his bride returned from their honeymoon last week and are now living at their new home in town. Cupid surely did some work this last Christmas, there were three marriages around here.

Mr. and Mrs. Donisio Vejar and children spent the holidays at Los Angeles visiting relatives and friends.

# January 12, 1917

Albert Banks and wife motored to Escondido Saturday taking their daughter, Mrs. J. C. Rodriguez.

Miss Verna Rail, sister of Mrs. Alfred Knott, is staying at the Knott home helping take care of the twins.

George Hall and Philip Magee are employed as cowboys by the Vail Bros. at the Pauba Ranch.

James Tortuga left Monday morning for San Marcos with freight for (Mrs. Eliza) E. Alvarez.

The Vail Bros. of the Pauba Ranch sipped ten carloads of cattle the first of the week to their ranch near Santa Barbara. They were looked after by George Hall. This is the second shipment of cattle the Vails have made to this particular ranch.

Lewis J. Utt, attorney-at-law at Pala, was in town one day last week with all his family on a pleasure trip. Mr. Utt is proprietor of the Agua Tibia Ranch six miles east of Pala.

After a stay of two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Banks, Mrs. J. C. Rodriguez has returned to her home in Escondido.

Mrs. M. A. Welty is spending a much-needed vacation at Los Angeles with her sister and friends.

Last Saturday Mahlon Vail, George Studley and Cal Waggoner of the Pauba Ranch killed a large lion at the Santa Rosa Mountains. It was brought to town. The lion measured about seven feet from tip to tip and is a fine specimen.

Mrs. J. S. Felix and children, living at present at the Pauba Ranch, left Tuesday morning for Santa Barbara where she will join her husband who left some time ago. They will make their future home there. Mr. Felix is foreman on one of the Vail Bros. ranches.

Miss Ella Kolb returned last week to Riverside to continue her studies at the Riverside Business College.

Henry Gray of Pala, who has the contract for hauling freight for the store at Pala, was in town last week looking after business interests.

A. M. Lobaugh and wife of Happy Valley Ranch and Mrs. Andreas Tortuga of Pechanga returned the first of the week from Los Angeles where they had been spending the holidays.

Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall, who had been spending the past three weeks in Los Angeles, returned home last week.

Paul Clark of the Pauba Ranch left Wednesday for Los Angeles where he will join his wife.

Joseph M. Nichols, a very prosperous rancher from near Alamos, was in town one day this week looking after business interests.

James O. Freeman went to Riverside the first of the week to look over some sheep that the owner wants to sell.

B. J. Panton of Redondo Beach, who is building R. V. Brown's stone house near Murrieta, says that if business is good he will build a shop in Temecula.

Mrs. J. Sotilo and children of Murrieta were weekend visitors at the restaurant of Mrs. Frank Golsh.

# January 19, 1917

Mac Machado is the happy owner of a 1917 Buick, a 50-horse power machine. He traded in his old car.

After spending a two weeks' vacation in Los Angeles, Paul Fickelsworth, foreman at the Pauba Ranch, returned the first of the week looking much improved and is again working making up for lost time.

Frank L. Fernald has gone to Los Angeles to be with his mother and sister who are ill.

Elvetzi A. Cantarini motored to Riverside the last of the week returning the same day.

Mrs. John B. Kelly made a business trip to Los Angeles and Riverside Tuesday returning Thursday.

Mrs. William H. Haynes has been on the sick list for several days, consequently Conductor Haynes has been off duty attending to his wife of late. We learn that she is feeling better.

L. Carrillo, wife, and Mrs. J. Solito were weekend visitors of Frank Golsh at Temecula.

George Hall, who left for Santa Barbara a week or so ago with a trainload of cattle belonging to Vail Bros., has returned home.

Mary Cazas left for Riverside the fore part of the week to continue her work. Miss Cazas has been working in Riverside for the past two years. She was here spending a two weeks' vacation with her parents.

Wong Gee, "Potato Bug" is at Nuevo taking care of his onions. He says that he expects a large crop of onions this year.

Paul Clark, wife and daughter Marie, arrived from Los Angeles Thursday night and will make their future home at the Pauba Ranch. Mr. Clark is a large beet planter and this year expects to plant about 100 acres more.

Joseph M. Nichols, a very prosperous farmer from near Alamos, was appointed a director of the First National Bank of Temecula.

George Black was in town the first of the week looking after business interests.

Mark Robertson of Aguanga was here Tuesday for the purpose of buying lumber for a large barn he proposes to erect.

Donisio Vejar and wife motored to Elsinore Thursday afternoon on important business.

E. E. Kennett of Los Angeles, and a special government agent for the suppression of the liquor traffic among the Indians, was in town the last of the week. He had been to Pala reservation and was on his way to Riverside where he had some business to attend to before leaving for other parts.

Sunday evening a large party of town people gathered at the Hall's and from there proceeded to Merrill Kolb's residence to serenade Mr. Kolb and his bride. But when the crowd got there they found that the birds had flown and there was nobody home but the lamp and that was out, and the clock and that was going. They waited until about 12 o'clock but the newlyweds did not show up, so the would-be serenaders went home disappointed.

One day last week George Pettrie went out to ducks and killed a coyote, which he will have mounted as a souvenir.

F. Scott and wife were weekend visitors of Arviso family.

Pat Speziali, road master, has a force of men working on the road toward Pala. They are doing a good job as the ground works fine after the rains.

George A. Burnham, wife and daughter Ethel spent Sunday in Elsinore.

#### January 26, 1917

Albert F. Nienke, proprietor of the Temecula Valley lumberyard, has been on the sick list for the past week, and has been receiving medical treatment from Dr. Sturgess of Murrieta.

Pat J. Tortuga is visiting his grandfather out in the country this week.

Mrs. B. Baxter of Ethanac was a first of the week visitor of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kelly.

John F. Nichols of Alamos was in town one day this week calling on friends.

L. Carrillo, J. Olivera, R. Carrillo and A. Camaceo, all of Murrieta, were weekend callers at the restaurant of Frank Golsh.

Owing to the rainy weather, work on the county road toward Pala has been suspended until good weather, when work will be resumed again.

George A. Burnham, wife and daughter Miss Vardy, and Mrs. Carl Swanguen, motored to Elsinore Sunday to spend the afternoon.

Joseph M. Nichols, from near Alamos, was in town Tuesday looking after business interests.

Mrs. J. A. Felix (J. S.?) and children left for Santa Barbara Friday morning. The Felix family has lived on the Pauba Ranch for ten years. Prior to leaving here Mr. Felix was employed on the ranch as foreman of the cowboys and was a good rider himself.

Mr. H. Smith, who has been traveling through Imperial and other parts, arrived in town the last of the week and is stopping at Eli E. Barnett's residence.

Joe Winkels is spending a few days at the Murrieta Mineral Springs taking daily baths. Mr. Winkels says the mineral baths makes him feel ten years younger and we think he is about right the way he gets around without using a crutch.

The Cantarini ranch in Wolf Valley has been sold to a private concern. Charles Cantarini, who has been farming it under his father, will move to where his father, Angelo Cantarini farms, about the 15th of February.

James E. Crew has shipped a carload of seed potatoes to Los Angeles. Mr. Crew has been very successful in potato planting at the Pauba Ranch.

John Cantarini and wife of Alamos were visitors at the Friedemann home last Tuesday.

Clinton Tripp of Aguanga was in town the last of the week after a load of freight.

Owing to the stormy weather some of the boys and girls failed to attend the high school at Elsinore.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyn Smith were weekend guests of their parents at Hemet last week.

L. Flores, who has been away to Hemet for the past three weeks, returned home Tuesday night.

Grant Howard drove to Riverside Wednesday returning Saturday. He took a drove of horses there that he had sold.

James E. Crew, who has been in Los Angeles for a week looking after business interest returned home the last of the week.

### February 6, 1917

Juan Mutora (Munoa?) is improving his place on the south end of town. He is enlarging his tool house.

Mark Robertson and Otto of Aguanga were in town the first of the week buying lumber.

Ramon Manzaneda of Dry Creek has been hauling freight from Temecula to the Aguanga store.

Pauba Ranch Co. are graveling the road that leads through the ranch. They have six teams hauling and a force of Mexicans taking out gravel.

The large barn on the Pauba Ranch came near going up in smoke early Wednesday morning. Fortunately some of the farm hands were there when the fire started. The barn is filled to the top with hay belonging to the Vail Bros. and Paul E. Clark and the estimation of the loss would have been \$20,000.

George A. Burnham, wife and daughter and Miss Irene Vardy attended the annual entertainment of the Fallbrook high school. They also attended the dance held after the entertainment.

Harry (Henry) Gray of Pala for the past few days has been hauling A. M. Lobaugh's furniture from Happy Valley Ranch to Long Beach.

A. M. Lobaugh, for many years proprietor of Happy Valley Ranch and a well to do farmer last week sold his ranch to B. Higgins. For the present the Lobaugh family will reside in Long Beach, as they have not yet decided where they will make their future home.

Charles Cantarini, who recently sold his ranch south of town, has six teams moving his things to Moreno, he having to vacate the ranch by the 15th inst.

A. C. Gard, who for the past four months has been traveling through Oregon and Washington, returned home the first of the week.

Fred Kurtz and wife, who have been at Pauba Ranch helping Paul Clark with the beets, have left for High Grove.

Mrs. A. Carzea of Los Angeles arrived in Temecula the first of the week for a visit with her parents in Wolf Valley.

Albert F. Nienke, who for the past week has been on the sick list, is much better. His many friends wish him speedy recovery.

The work on the county road toward Pala is nearing completion under the supervision of Pat Speziali.

The Ladies' Samaritan Society had their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall.

Mr. Crooks was in town the first of the week with a load of cream for shipment to San Bernardino. He is doing fine with his dairy.

Father Burri of Elsinore was in town Monday looking after business interests.

### Temecula's New Church

Father Burri's Congregation to Build Edifice to Cost over Twelve Hundred

#### February 9, 1917

Rev. J. J. Burri announced last Sunday that work would begin Wednesday on the new Catholic Church in Temecula. It will be a frame building 26 X 36 feet. The addition will consist of a sanctuary 12 X 12 feet and a vestry 10 X 12 feet.

B. J. Smith of Elsinore will be superintendent of building and it is hoped the building will be finished in time to be dedicated on St. Patrick's Day.

Jean Laborde of Perris will furnish the granite for the altar seven feet wide.

The tabernacle will be seven feet wide and eight feet high and of 3 1/2 feet depth.

The door of the tabernacle will be solid bronze highly polished with the chalice and host engraved on it.

The church will have an open ceiling showing the framework of the roof constructed of finished lumber suitably stained and polished.

The building and furnishings will cost about \$12,000.

#### February 9, 1917

J. Welty of Upper Lake arrived in town the last of the week and is visiting his brothers and families.

Carl Swanguen was taken to the hospital at Riverside Sunday evening accompanied by his wife and mother. Carl had an attack of appendicitis. An operation was performed Sunday night. All his friends hope that he will get well.

Mrs. Fannie Brown of Victorville is spending a two weeks' vacation with her sisters the Misses Hattie and Tilly Welty of the Temecula Hotel.

Frank Magee left for Cahuilla the first of the week to do some work on his mining claims.

Albert F. Nienke, who for a number of days was confined in his house sick, is able to be around again.

Rev. E. H. Keifer and John McNeill of Murrieta were in town Saturday evening visiting Carl Swanguen.

Mr. and Mrs. Machado, proprietors of the Mission Store, spent Sunday at the beach at Oceanside.

Carl Swanguen and J. V. Freeman (Joseph D.?) bought a hundred head of sheep from the butcher of Riverside, J. Garner.

Mrs. Nieves Mouren, Mrs. Rosa Arviso, children, and James Banks motored to Perris the last of the week and were guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young.

Eli E. Barnett shipped a carload of fine hogs to Ocld's packinghouse at San Bernardino.

Verna Rail of Murrieta is again helping her sister Mrs. Alfred Knott. Miss Rail was spending a few days visiting friends at Los Angeles.

Frank H. Hall and James Freeman returned yesterday from San Diego where they went last week on very important business.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Annenger of Arlington were in town the last of the week looking after business interest.

Mrs. Merrill W. Kolb is in Riverside visiting with her daughter Eila, who is attending Business College.

Tom Arviso of Rincon arrived in Temecula Monday night and is stopping with his brother Ventura for a few days.

The ladies of the Samaritan society will give a Valentine box social at the Temecula church to which everybody is cordially invited. Ladies bring boxes with supper for two. Come one, come all. Don't forget the date February 14, 1917.

Jim Abel, Mrs. C. Wulst, Ms. William W. Allen and son Darrel motored to Los Angeles early Tuesday morning. They will be gone for about two weeks.

Frank Comacho received a telephone message from San Diego Saturday night announcing the death of his mother at 2 o-clock Sunday morning. Comacho and Pat Speziali left by auto and on arriving there found his mother a little better and not dead.

H. C. Hind of Murrieta was in town the fore part of the week looking after business interests.

George D. Petrie and Irene Vardy spent Sunday at Los Angeles. While there they met Ethel Hall and Lucien Snyder, two Temecula sports, and they had a swell time together.

# February 16, 1917

Ground has been broken on the north side of town for the erection of a Catholic church. Dell Clark and B. J. Smith of Elsinore are building the foundation and will also do the carpenter work. The building will be 36 X 26 feet.

Mrs. Frank Hall is taking care of Carl Swanguen's ranch, the owner having been taken to the hospital at Riverside two weeks ago.

O. Golsh and son Marcos of Rincon were in town the first of the week on a pleasure trip.

Mac Machado's store is receiving a new coat of paint.

A carload of lumber arrived for the building of the new church and is being hauled by Juan Munoa.

Francis McCarrell of Tripp Valley near Aguanga was in town Tuesday, after freight for the Aguanga store.

Hugo Guenther, manager of the Murrieta Mineral Springs was in town Tuesday looking after business interests at the bank.

Mrs. Merrill Kolb returned home the last of the week from Riverside where she spent a ten days' visit with her daughter Eila.

Mrs. T. Peters and daughter Florence of Murrieta were first of the week visitors of Mrs. J. Frank Camacho.

Mrs. Preston V. Swanguen has returned home from Riverside where she was looking after her son, who has been sick at the hospital.

Mrs. Alfred Knott and the twins went to Los Angeles the first of the week to spend a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends.

Dr. L. L. Roripaugh of near Auld was a business caller in town Tuesday.

At the Pechanga reservation Ostakia Rodriguez died at 6 o'clock Monday evening. The remains were taken to Pala Tuesday and the funeral was held at the Mission at 10 o'clock. She leaves her husband to mourn her death. She was about (85?) years of age.

Mahlon Vail spent a few days at San Diego this week looking after business interests.

Last Sunday the Temecula baseball team crossed bats with the Pala baseball team. Pala was coming with colors flying with their new pitcher, Albert Golsh under cover. At 2:30 o'clock the game started with Golsh in the box. He was hit go and hard and was knocked out in the sixth inning and his brother put in, but it was the same thing, a merry-go-round. Elvetzi A. Cantarini pitched the first half of the game and the last half was pitched by Cal Waggoner for Temecula. Both men were in fine trim and pitched fine ball and the Pala bunch could not even strike a foul. The game ended with the score of 9 to 5 in favor of Temecula.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cantarini, Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall and Mrs. William Friedemann spent Thursday at Riverside visiting Carl Swanguen at the hospital where he was taken a few days ago to be operated on for appendicitis. They said he was getting along as well as could be expected.

John B. Kelly made a business trip to Los Angeles, Friday returning Saturday afternoon by auto.

Mrs. F. Scott of Pala was in town the last of the week shopping.

Saturday afternoon at the Lizzie M. Hall's ice cream parlors the ladies of the Samaritan Society were entertained by Miss Irene Vardy, a very prominent young lady of Temecula, was assisted by Mrs. Merrill Kolb and Mrs. Hall. The refreshments served were salad, sandwiches, wafers, tea and coffee.

Frank Golsh left for Imperial Saturday on the morning train. He expects to remain there for a few months.

Albert Banks, wife and children spent Sunday at Escondido visiting relatives and friends.

A grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. R. Garbani of Winchester died last week and was brought to the Pechanga reservation cemetery for interment.

### March 2, 1917

The new Catholic Church is fast nearing completion. Owing to the rains just now work is standing still.

With the exception of \$1000 the Vail Company have bought Eli E. Barnett's stock in the First National Bank, Temecula. At the last meeting the bank directors Mahlon Vail was elected president.

William Barton, wife and daughter, Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall and Irene Vardy, attended the Orange Show at San Bernardino Saturday returning home Sunday noon.

A carload of cement for the government at Pala reservation arrived in Temecula and is being hauled by the Pala people.

Mac Machado motored to Los Angeles last week to have his eyes treated and get new glasses.

Mrs. C. A. Harmer and little daughter spent two days at San Bernardino taking in the Orange Show.

James O. Freeman, Frank H. Hall, Lue Chawa, C. Valencia and Albert Banks went to San Diego on very important business.

Frank Camacho's mother who was ill for some time at San Diego died recently.

Mrs. J. Sotilo and Marcus Golsh of Murrieta were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. F. Comacho.

Robert J. Magee who for the past four months has been doing some stonework at Cahuilla returned home the last of the week.

Mrs. Eliza Alvarez and son Johnny of San Marcos were in town on business Thursday and Friday returning home the last of the week.

We learned through a letter to a friend of Charles Escallier who was working at Spokane for the Ford company lately has gone to Detroit, Michigan, where he is now working at one of the main factories for the Ford Co.

### March 9, 1917

The road that is being built from town to Pala is nearing completion. Just now it is being graveled, and when finished it will make traveling almost as good as the cement road.

The baseball game scheduled for last Sunday between Temecula and Pala was postponed to next Sunday on account of the death of a young man who was ill for some time.

D. J. Woolsey of Escondido was in town Saturday and part of Sunday evening doing missionary work.

Joe Winkels spent a few days' vacation last week at San Bernardino and Elsinore returning home the latter part of the week.

Hay is getting very scarce at Pala; consequently most of the Pala people have been coming to Temecula to buy it.

Miss Irene Vardy spent Sunday visiting her parents at San Bernardino.

A good many of the town people attended the dance at Murrieta given by the M. W. A.

R. V. Brown of Murrieta was a business caller in town the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wulst of Rainbow were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William W. Allen.

Mrs. J. C. Rodriguez of Escondido is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Banks. Mrs. Rodriguez expects to remain her for about ten days before returning to her home.

Mr. Dodd of Murrieta was in town one day this week.

Mrs. William W. Allen returned home from Los Angeles the first of the week. She was gone about a month in the interest of her son, who has been sick, and she says that he is much better.

The ladies' club of Fallbrook gave a dance last Friday night to which George A. Burnham, wife and daughter and Miss Irene Vardy were invited. They all say that they had a good time.

Miss Eila Kolb, who has been attending the Riverside Business College, arrived home the last of the week for a few days' recreation.

Mr. Hutchinson and family of Murrieta were visitors in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibbons of Wildomar were business callers in town Saturday.

Miss L. Putnam of San Marcos is visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Kolb. Miss Putnam expects to visit with them for a week or ten days.

Elvetzi A. Cantarini assistant cashier at the bank spent Sunday at Elsinore.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Guenther of the Murrieta mineral hot springs were in town one day this week.

Mrs. Eliza Alvarez and son Johnny of San Marcos are in town transacting business.

John Ludy and wife of Rainbow were business callers in town Monday.

# March 16, 1917

# Former Temecula Merchant in Town (Elsinore)

Philip Pohlman, formerly the leading general merchandise merchant in Temecula, was in town Monday, and registered at the Amsbury. All the old timers for many miles around Temecula know him. His successor is Mr. Burnham, who carries the biggest stock of merchandise to be found in this whole section. Mr. Pohlman is now located in Los Angeles and deals in real estate. He sold out at Temecula about 14 years ago.

# March 16, 1917

The Misses Mabel and Elizabeth Helm, who are employed at the Pauba Ranch, left for Los Angeles the last of the week.

Miss Ethel Burnham a prominent young lady of Temecula celebrated her birthday last Friday evening to which many friends from Fallbrook were invited. They dance until 11 o'clock when dainty refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cantarini of Alamos were business caller at the bank the first of the week.

Frank Fernald took a party of Mexicans to the circus at Hemet Tuesday.

Jim Crew at the Pauba Ranch has a large force of Mexicans cutting spuds for planting.

George D. Pettrie and Miss Irene Vardy went around the Elsinore Lake and had supper at Elsinore, returning home quite early.

T. A. Wilson of Los Angeles, father of Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall, arrived here Saturday evening. He expects to visit with her daughter for about a week before leaving for Los Angeles again.

Miss Ethel Hall, a prominent young lad who is attending school at Los Angeles, was a one-day visitor of her parents here last week.

Mr. (Tom) Scott, agent at the Santa Fe station, is having a nice garage built for the Ford on the west side of town.

Donisio Vejar, wife and children returned home the last of the week from Los Angeles, where Mr. Vejar had gone to have work done on his teeth.

Mrs. D. J. Tortuga, who has been confined to her room sick for the past four weeks, is better and so, owing to her illness, D. J. Tortuga, the shoemaker, has been unable to attend to his work properly.

A large quantity of olives and oranges are being hauled from the Red Mountain Ranch to the station here and are shipped to Los Angeles.

Mrs. Eliza Alvarez was first of the week visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Camacho.

Word was received here last week from McFarland, Ventura County of the death of a little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Ludy. Mr. Ludy and family lived here five months ago when they moved to Ventura County.

E. C. Tripp of Aguanga was a business caller in town the last of the week.

Alexander J. Escallier is a happy owner of a new 1917 Ford touring car.

# March 23, 1917

Mrs. Alvarez of San Marcos arrived here the first of the week. She came to superintend the fixing of the well at her place, which caved in some time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Swanguen arrived home Monday from Riverside, where Mr. Swanguen was at the hospital sick for the past five weeks but he is much better now.

Mrs. U. Gomez and children of San Luis Rey are visiting her father and brother. Mrs. Gomez expects to stay here for at least ten days.

Mrs. A. A. Barnett of Buena Park arrived at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith last week.

Elvetzi A. Cantarini, assistant cashier at the bank, spent Sunday motoring through Elsinore, Perris, San Jacinto, Hemet and Winchester and back home.

F. Long, outing agent at Sherman school, was in town the first of the week looking up some boys who had deserted the school.

Mr. Ray left for Los Angeles on the morning train. Mr. Ray expects to work in the store there.

T. A. Wilson of Los Angeles, father of Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall left for his home in Los Angeles the last of the week, after visiting his daughter for a week.

Miss Irene Vardy and George D. Pettrie motored to San Bernardino Saturday evening to attend the firemen's ball returning Sunday evening.

Juan Munoa, who for the past week was at San Marcos looking after the business interests returned home the last of the week.

Mrs. R. Calac and daughters Eva and Mauricia were first of the week visitors at Mrs. D. James Tortuga's who has been ill the past four weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Gibbons and children of Wildomar were in town Saturday. Mr. Gibbons was a business caller at the bank.

- T. F. McCormick, superintendent at the Pala reservation, went through town from Riverside, where he had been attending the meeting of the Indian commission at the Glenwood Inn.
- J. C. Rodriguez of Escondido, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Banks was a weekend visitor at the Banks home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swain left for Murrieta the last of the week to stay with Charles' mother.

E. A. Buck of Auld was in town the last of the week looking after business interests.

# March 30, 1917

Frank Golsh of Murrieta was in town Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rush of Victorville arrived in town the last of the week, are visiting relatives and friends, and expect to remain a few days more before returning home.

Mrs. John B. Kelly left by auto stage for Los Angeles last Tuesday. While there she will visit with her sister Mrs. Carr, who recently returned from San Francisco.

- Mrs. V. T. Gibbons of Wildomar was a business caller in town the last of the week.
- Rev. D. J. Woolsey of Escondido registered at the Temecula Hotel Saturday night.

Elvetzi A. Cantarini, assistant cashier at the bank, was unlucky some time ago, for he ran into a horse with his motorcycle, and while going to Murrieta he met another horse, and recently he had his machine standing close to the curb and the night was dark. This time he ran into the machine, upsetting himself. Nobody was hurt but the machine lost a little paint.

Mrs. William W. Allen and son Darrell motored to Elsinore Saturday morning, returning on the evening train.

James E. Crew, spud king at the Pauba Ranch, left for Los Angeles the first of the week to get market pointers on spuds.

Paul E. Clark of the Pauba Ranch has a large force of Mexicans working on the beets this year. Mr. Clark has 150 acres of beets more than last year. Also the Pauba ranch has a large crop this year.

Last Friday evening a hard time social was held by the children at the church. Every boy and girl had to bring some bean sandwiches.

Dr. L. L. Roripaugh of Auld was a business visitor in town the first of the week.

The new Catholic Church has been finished and now is receiving a coat of stain. The roof is stained ochre and the side dark brown.

### April 13, 1917

W. A. Rowe, who was working at the pool hall of John B. Kelly, was taken sick and left for the county hospital at Riverside.

Miss Ethel Hall, who is attending school at Los Angeles, spent a very pleasant week with her parents here. She left for Los Angeles the first of the week to continue her studies.

Mrs. John Noble left last week for Arizona, where she will visit with her brother for a month or two before returning home.

John N. Carr of Los Angeles arrived here last week and will work for John B. Kelly at the poolrooms while Mr. Kelly will attend to his bees.

T. M. Trujillo made a business trip to Riverside the last of the week.

Pat Speziali, road master here, went to Riverside Saturday on business interests.

A large number of the young people from here attended the box social at Murrieta given by the M. W. lodge last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Clark of the Pauba Ranch left for Los Angeles the last of the week. Mrs. Clark will visit her parents and friends while Mr. Clark will attend to very important business.

John Giddens and Albert Golsh of Pala were weekend visitors in town the last of the week.

Robert J. Magee, who for the past two months has been doing some stonework at Cahuilla, arrived in town the last of the week looking after business interests. Mr. Magee can cut very nice monuments.

Mark Robertson of Aguanga was in town one day last week after a load of merchandise for the Aguanga store.

Yourself and friends are invited to attend a free barbecue to be given for the benefit of the new Catholic Church at Temecula, California, Sunday April 15, 1917, at Pauba Ranch, Temecula. Opening mass 9 a.m., barbecue at noon. Amusements from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Sports of all kinds, dancing and music. Arrangements committee, Rev. J. J. Burri, Rev. George D. Doyle, Mr. Hahlon and William H. Trotter.

Reginald Attache, who has been attending school at Sherman, came home Saturday. He says he must go back soon because he is going to the front to fight.

James E. Crew and Mr. Vail are spending a few days in Los Angeles looking after business interests.

George D. Pettrie, Miss Irene Vardy and Miss Ethel Hall motored to Los Angeles Sunday morning, returning home the same evening.

Wong Gar left for Nuevo, California where he has a large crop of onions.

H. C. Hind of Murrieta was in town Tuesday looking after business interests.

Rev. George D. Doyle of Pala stopped in town for a short time. He was on his way to Long Beach.

### April 20, 1917

The barbecue held April 15, 1917 at the Pauba Ranch, Temecula was a grand success. On the grounds there were about 800 people and about 200 automobiles. An orchestra of four pieces furnished very excellent music for the dancing. The people were entertained by boxing and wrestling matches from men who came from Los Angeles for the occasion. Bronco busting by men from the Pauba Ranch was much appreciated. Nobody went home hungry, as there was food for everyone. It was a grand time that will be remembered for many moons by all those who were fortunate enough to be present. Owing to the cold and threatening rain the crowd was not there that was expected, but nevertheless, there were some from Los Angeles, San Jacinto, Hemet, Perris, Elsinore and Oceanside. Refreshments of all kinds were served and it required 20 people to serve the food. At the close of the performance, Rev. J. J. Burri made a very pleasing address in which he thanked the entertainers who had come from so far.

Mrs. A. Anderson of Los Angeles, mother of Mrs. Paul Clark at the Pauba Ranch, is the honored guest of her daughter and son-in-law this week.

Fifteen thousand feet of lumber was used to build the dancing floor, tables, benches and the boxing ring at the grounds where the barbecue was held.

At the school election recently held for trustees William Barton, William Friedemann and James O. Freeman were reelected.

William Friedemann is the happy owner of a five passenger new 1917 car.

The other day Joe Verduga while at the barbecue tied his horde under a tree on the hillside and when he was ready to go he went to get his horse and found him dead.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bohn of Downey were visitors at the Barnett's the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon and daughter and Miss Ethel Hall, all of Los Angeles, arrived the last of the week. They will visit with Mrs. Hall and family before returning to their home in Los Angeles.

At a business meeting recently held by the citizens of Temecula for the purpose of getting someone for night watchman for the town, Frank H. Hall was appointed. He is the night man and will see that everything is Alright as he always does and besides Mr. Hall holds the office of deputy sheriff.

Rev. D. J. Woosley of Escondido was in town Saturday and Sunday doing missionary work.

The Vail Bros. shipped fifteen carloads of fat cattle to market the last of the week.

T. F. McCormick, superintendent at the Pala Indian reservation and Mrs. McCormick were business visitors in town the fore part of the week.

M. A. Nicholas of Auld was a business caller in town the last of the week.

# April 27, 1917

Merrill Kolb moved his garage Sunday from his father's place on the west side of town.

The ladies of the Samaritan Society held a tamale supper and entertainment Saturday night. It was very successful, many people coming from the surrounding country. The entertainment was very creditable to those who took part in it and very excellent music was furnished by the orchestra composed of the following young people: Miss Irene Vardy, Miss Dolly Fernald, H. Walters and Miss Libbie Nienke. It isn't very long since these young people started their orchestra, and so considering the time; the music was very good and was a treat to all.

Hugh Magee of the Magee ranch above Pala was in town the last of the week hauling beans. He expects to plant a large quantity of beans at his place this year.

Mr. Crokos of Rainbow was in town the first of the week with a load of cream to ship to San Frannardino (?)

Clinton Tripp of the Tripp Valley was in town Monday hauling freight.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Tripp and son were first of the week visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Camacho.

George D. Pettrie and Miss Irene Vardy spent Sunday in Los Angeles. While there they spent their time at the Orpheum.

Angelo Cantarini of Moreno Valley was in town Tuesday rounding up his workingmen. Mr. Cantarini is one of the prosperous farmers and farms three to four thousand acres.

Mac Machado motored to Riverside the first of the week to call on a dentist.

Hugo Guenther of the Murrieta Mineral Hot Springs was in town Saturday on business at the bank.

Frank H. Hall spent Tuesday in Riverside on business interests.

Frank Magee left for Nuevo the last of the week. He is going to work in the mines there. Mr. Magee is also a good stonecutter.

Mr. Machado was all excited Monday night when he happened to look toward Smith Mountain and saw a light burning for about ten minutes and then die out. So far nothing has been heard or seen of the light any more.

Mrs. John B. Kelly returned home the last of the week looking much better. A month ago Mrs. Kelly went to Los Angeles sick and was under the physician's care for nearly three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swain are staying at Murrieta for a few weeks. We have learned through a friend that a fine and healthy baby girl came to live with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swain.

Mrs. Gibbons and children of Wildomar were in town the last of the week. Mrs. Gibbons was a business caller at the bank.

Elvetzi A. Cantarini, assistant cashier at the bank and Alexander J. Escallier made a business trip to Los Angeles the fore part of the week returning the same day.

Mrs. J. J. Wiley, who has lived at San Bernardino, moved to town last week. Mr. Wiley is an employee of the Santa Fe.

Mrs. John Carr of Los Angeles arrived her Saturday night, she joined her husband who is working at Kelly's pool hall. Mr. Carr is well known here and has many friends.

Reginald Attache returned from Riverside Saturday. For the past year he has been attending school at Sherman and this spring and summer he expects to work for Joseph M. Nicolas a very prosperous farmer.

# May 4, 1917

Ramon Manzaneda of Dry Creek was in town Monday hauling lumber to Aguanga.

Angel Ledisma and V. Ledisma were taken to Riverside the first of the week. From there they will go to Los Angeles where the brother of Angel Ledisma and a brother of V. Ledisma met with an accident Sunday. Both were run over by an automobile and are not expected to live.

Al Otto of Aguanga was a business caller in town the first of the week.

Rev. J. J. Burri of Elsinore is the owner of a new five passenger Chevrolet.

Following are the officers and directors of the First National Bank of Temecula, California: Mahlon Vail, president; Hugo Guenther, first vice president; George A. Burnham, second vice preside; Mac Machado, Auguste Cantarini, Eli E. Barnett, Joseph M. Nicolas, directors; C. P. Shumate, cashier; Elvetzi A. Cantarini, assistant cashier.

Mrs. John W. Carr of Los Angeles who has been here with her husband for a two weeks' visit, left for Los Angeles Monday by auto.

A recruiting officer of the United States navy was in town the first of the week, but so far no one has enlisted yet.

Fertilizer is getting very scarce around Hemet and San Jacinto because there are five haulers of San Jacinto in town, and they are shipping it from here to Riverside and Redlands. They have shipped about five carloads in one week.

The potato crop of James E. Crew of Rainbow is very good. He says that in about a month more they will be digging spuds and about July he is going to put in another crop.

A large number of the farmers in the vicinity of Temecula are planting beans. Jean Monua (Juan Munoa?) will plant about 2 acres. Some of them are contracted already.

Mrs. C. Wurst of Rainbow was a one-day guest of Mr. and Mrs. William W. Allen.

Mrs. Eliza Alvarez and son Johnny of San Marcos, who have staying at her former place, left early Monday morning for San Marcos to start harvesting some of her crop. Her former place, which contains about 25 acres, is planted to lima beans. Mrs. Eliza Alvarez expects to have a fair crop at San Marcos this year and a fair crop in Temecula.

Reginald Attache spent Sunday at Elsinore playing ball with the Elsinore team. Mr. Attache is one of the baseball fans of the Temecula team. He is a crack third baseman and there are few third basemen in the country that can come up to his standard in the country teams. Attache has played in some of the best teams in the country.

Temecula is surely coming to the front. The streets are lighted at night, the town has a night watchman, and a squad of plain-clothes deputies and so all the residents sleep in peace.

Tommy Rawson of near Auld was in town Friday shopping and transacting business.

A. E. Buck, a prominent farmer of Auld, was a business caller in town the last of the week.

Miss Irene Vardy, principal at the Union school, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at San Bernardino.

Robert J. Magee left for Cahuilla the first of the week to do more stone work. Mr. Magee has done some monument work for the people at Cahuilla.

John B. Kelly is improving his rooming house. He is fixing the furniture, putting new windowpanes on the windows, etc.

Two trains stop here over night now, the passenger and the freight.

A carload of lumber arrived for Nienke the last of the week. Juan Norma (Juan Munoa?) is doing the hauling from the station to the lumberyard.

These recent rains have done a lot of good. The crops that were looking very poorly about two weeks ago are looking very good now.

Mrs. Francis McCarrell of Aguanga was a business caller in town Thursday.

# May 11, 1917

Mrs. B. Baxter of Ethanac was a weekend visitor at the home of her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kelly.

M. A. Nicolas of Auld was a business visitor in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Nicolas were in town Saturday evening shopping. Mr. Nicolas farms a good many acres at his ranch at Los Chois seven miles from town.

James O. Freeman has moved his flock of sheep from Kelly's ranch to more pasture.

A few members of the Hemet home guards were in town one day last week. A grand ball will be given by the home guards some time in the future and the proceeds will be for the benefit of the home guards. Some of the young people from town are expecting to attend the ball.

Hugh Magee of Pala was in town the first of the week looking after business interests. Mr. Magee is a large planter of lima beans and this season he expects to plant about 200 acres. He has a force of ten workingmen doing the work.

Mrs. John Cantarini of Alamos was a visitor at the home of her sister Mrs. Friedemann in town on Monday.

Mrs. A. Morgan and children have gone to San Diego where they will spend three or four weeks before they return home.

Last Thursday night a dance was given at the school auditorium by the town ladies. The dance was free to everybody. There was a large number in attendance and refreshments of pie, cake and punch were served by the ladies. In the near future they are going to have another dance when everybody will be welcome to come and enjoy it.

Mrs. John W. Carr, who went to Los Angeles a few days ago on business, returned home the last of the week and now is busy finishing the rooms at the poolroom.

Saturnino Calac, who is employed at the Indian school at Riverside as assistant disciplinarian, was a visitor at his parents' last week in Wolf Valley.

Holly Hunt and Miss Irene Vardy spent Sunday horseback riding around the country.

Hugo Guenther of the Murrieta Mineral Hot Springs was a business visitor at the bank the last of the week.

Paul Fickelsworth, foreman at the Pauba Ranch, left for Los Angeles Saturday by auto stage. Mr. Fickelsworth will be gone for a week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Birge of Los Angeles are guests of the Welty girls at the Hotel Temecula. We understand that Mr. Birge is employed by the Santa Fe and will engineer the freight train from and back to Temecula.

The town of Temecula is becoming the center of the potato, sugar beet and bean culture.

James E. Crew has 200 acres planted in spuds that are almost ready to dig and Paul E. Clark and the Nail Co. have 500 acres in beets. Wong Gar has about 40 acres planted to onions. All these men have large forces of Mexicans doing the work. Temecula will ship out this season large quantities of beets, onions, beans and potatoes. The products of the Temecula Valley may not feed all the people in the large cities, but at least they will help to feed some of them. If one could go through the Pauba Ranch and vicinity and see those beautiful green fields of spuds, onions, beans and sugar beets, one could readily see that Temecula is striving hard to help support part of the population of the United States. Of course we are proud that we are doing our duty in these times of need. James E. Crew says that he will plant more spuds as soon as he digs his first crop.

Charles Roripaugh of Fallbrook, a brother of John E. Roripaugh, was a visitor at the Roripaughs' part of the week, returning home Tuesday.

Frank L. Fernald has discarded his old gasoline tank and has installed a new one. The new tank is put under ground, which is better than the old one as it will be more convenient for the autos and easier to operate.

Jacques Escallier is building a frame building near his residence and will use it for a wareroom because he has so many odds and ends to store away.

Albert F. Nienke is building sheds on the north side of his office. He will use the sheds to store lumber in bad weather.

Dr. Sturgess of Murrieta was a business caller in town the first of the week.

#### May 18, 1917

Henry Magee of Sage was in town the last of the week looking after business interests.

Joseph M. Nicolas of Los Chois Ranch and a director of the bank will start to harvest his crop about the first of the week. Mr. Nicolas has a large crop of grain this year, which will take him three or four months to harvest.

William T. Barton took the baseball players on his truck to Elsinore Sunday.

Jean Nicolas, a well-to-do farmer of Alamos, was in town one day last week with a drove of cattle, which were taken to his ranch near Pala.

John B. Kelly, manager of the Kelly poolroom, says his bees are doing fine. He hopes to have a much better honey crop this year.

At the baseball game last Sunday between Elsinore and Temecula there was a large representation of the loyal rooters from here. Although the Temecula club met defeat at the hands of the Elsinore Stars, nevertheless Temecula played a good game. Two costly errors gave the game to Elsinore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Freeman, who for the past six months were living part of the time at Colton and part at Barstow, returned to Temecula Friday of last week.

Ramon Manzaneda of Dry Creek was in town one-day last week hauling furniture to Aguanga for Bergman.

Juan Monna (Munoa?) has been getting the header at the Pauba Ranch ready for harvest. There will be plenty to do.

Mr. and Mrs. White, Mr. and Mrs. George Simon, and Miss Ethel Hall of Los Angeles, arrived Friday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Hall for two days.

Dan Cantarini, who for the past four months had been clerking for Mac Machado, resigned his position last week to go to work in the hay fields where he owns some interest.

Albert F. Nienke, lumber dealer, is the happy owner of a new five passenger Chevrolet. Mr. Nienke is building a garage next to his office where he is going to store his auto.

Miss Edna Van Nest of Los Angeles is in town visiting her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Fernald.

Saturnino E. Calac, who has been at school for the past fifteen years as student, graduate, high school student and employee, resigned last week, and will depart for his home south of Temecula in the Wolf Valley. He does not know at present what he will do in the future, but expects to help his father on the farm this summer.

Miss Mabel Helm, who three months ago left for Los Angeles to spend her vacation, returned to Temecula the other day and will spend some time with her brother Liney D. Helm at the Pauba Ranch.

James E. Crew returned from Los Angeles yesterday, where he had been looking after business interests.

Juan Munoa is about completing his house at his land south of town. It will be an improvement for the south end of town.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ventura Arviso May 14, 1917.

Mrs. Nieves Mouren motored to Elsinore Sunday to spend the day at the mineral baths. Mrs. Mouren has been suffering with rheumatism for some time and the hot baths she takes at the Elsinore hot springs are helping her.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Machado spent Sunday at the beach at Oceanside.

Mr. and Mrs. George Simon, Mr. and Mrs. White, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, and Ethel Hall spent part of Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Swanguen. They left for Los Angeles the same evening.

### May 25, 1917

Marcus E. Barnett had the misfortune of running a nail into his foot, which has been very painful.

The Misses Vardy and Friedemann spent Saturday at San Bernardino.

The Vail brothers shipped a carload of hogs one day last week to San Bernardino.

The Temecula Union School will end its session next Thursday and on Friday the children will have a picnic at the Pauba Ranch.

Mrs. Grant Howard returned home last week from a three months trip to Los Angeles and other places in the northern part of the state.

P. Manzaneda of Dry Creek is hauling lumber to Oak Grove.

Supervisor John Shaver was in town last week Saturday.

Clinton Tripp of Tripp Valley was here the first of the week on business at the bank.

Tommy Rawson of Auld was a business caller Machado's Monday.

Dr. Anderson of Pala was in town Monday calling on some patients. Dr. Anderson is a government physician at the Pala Indian reservation and has been in the Indian service a good many years.

Mrs. Curtis Stevenson and son Harwood were first of the week visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swain.

William Collier of Wildomar bought a lot of fine calves of the Vail Bros. and sold to the Vail Bros. a fine lot of hogs.

Mac Machado made a business trip to Pala Tuesday.

The hard time dance given at the bank hall last Saturday night by Elvetzi A. Cantarini was attended by many from Murrieta, Wildomar, the Murrieta Hot Springs and the surrounding country. The best of music was furnished.

Mr. Dodd at Murrieta was a business caller at the blacksmith shop Tuesday.

William T. Barton took a truckload of calves from the Pauba Ranch to Wildomar and brought back two loads of hogs.

#### June 1, 1917

Dan J. Tripp of Tripp Valley was in town the last of the week with a load of wool to ship to market.

F. Scott and Albert Golsh of Pala were in town Saturday buying groceries.

Frank Ramos, who is attending high school at Riverside, visited his mother one day last week, returning the next day to continue his studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Estrada of San Jacinto were here Saturday. Mrs. Estrada's mother being sick was taken to San Jacinto for medical treatment.

B. B. Higgins and Peter Nelson of the Happy Valley Ranch were business callers in town Saturday.

Mrs. Eliza Alvarez and son Johnny of San Marcos arrived in town Friday to visit her former place south of town. Mrs. Alvarez has a large crop of beans at San Marcos and has a large crop of hay and beans, which she is just harvesting.

Miss Irene Vardy, our principal teacher here for the past three years, has finished her term and will leave for her home in San Bernardino this week. She will spend her vacation this summer partly at San Bernardino, Los Angeles and at places in the northern part of the state. Miss Vardy will be missed by her many friends who are sorry to hear of her leaving. She is one of the few teachers who have held the position as a teacher here for a long time and took a great interest in the children while teacher. Many are the hearts that are wishing for her to stay, but Miss Vardy thinks that she has been here long enough. All her many friends wish her success wherever she is and whatever work she undertakes.

The closing school entertainment given by the children last Friday night was a grand success. It was well attended. The assembly hall was packed and a good many had to stand.

Mrs. Jessie Urebes and children were weekend visitors at the home of Mrs. Antonio Alvarez.

John Giddens of Pala was a business caller on Mac Machado the last of the week.

Saturnino E. Calac of the Wolf Valley left for Riverside Sunday noon by auto stage. While there he expects to attend the closing exercises of the Sherman Indian school, which is being held this week, beginning Sunday, May 27 to 30.

James E. Crew, potato king of the Pauba Ranch, left for Los Angeles the first of the week with a load of fine potatoes.

L. Flores who for the past two months was employed at Hemet, arrived here Saturday night and soon after left for his home at the reservation to look after business interests.

The dance at Alamos given by Mr. and Mrs. John Cantarini was attended by many from here.

Ole Larsen, who has been ill a few days, is able to be around again and attend to his business.

Mrs. Francis McCarrell of Tripp Valley, who was doing the barbering for Mr. Larsen, has been on the sick list.

Last Thursday night a farewell party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Clark in honor of Miss Irene Vardy, who left the first of the week for her home at San Bernardino.

Mr. and Mrs. Machado spent Sunday at the beach in Oceanside.

### June 8, 1917

For the past week wagonloads of Mexicans with their families have been going through town to the Pauba Ranch to work for James E. Crew digging potatoes. Many more are expected to arrive soon. Mr. Crew expects to be digging spuds for the next few months.

Robert J. Magee, who has been doing stonework at Cahuilla for the past four weeks, returned home last week and is now digging spuds.

Frank Magee has gone to Julian to work in the mines.

Mr. Bandholtz of Rainbow was in town Saturday with a load of cream.

Henry Hamilton of Cahuilla, a very successful cattleman, was in town the first of the week looking after business interests.

T. F. McCormick, superintendent at the Pala Indian reservation, was in town Monday looking after the Indian boys that were to be registered. Nearly all the boys are working outside of the reservation.

Frank L. Fernald, proprietor of the Temecula Valley Garage, was taken to the hospital at Riverside ill Monday afternoon and the same evening an operation was performed.

Hugo Guenther, manager of the Murrieta Hot Springs was a business caller at the bank the last of the week.

Joe Uribes, who has the contract for picking spuds at the Pauba Ranch for James E. Crew, says that they will employ this week about 60 men picking spuds. He has some of the finest potatoes in the country.

Joe Ackerman of Rainbow has the contract to haul the spuds to the station for shipping and has already shipped three carloads.

This year the Vail Company is having more work than at any other time during harvest. They have about three thousand acres of grain to make into hay and they have about fifteen mowers going every day.

Last Friday the school at Wolf Valley ended its session for this summer and the teacher James Rawson left for his home at Hemet.

George Wong, foreman for James E. Crew in harvesting potatoes, left for Los Angeles Saturday on very important business concerning the potato market, which they are watching closely.

The dance held at Murrieta last Saturday night was well attended by a large crowd from here.

# June 15, 1917

Frank L. Fernald, who a week ago was taken to Riverside hospital ill with an attack of appendicitis, after an operation the following Tuesday, June 5, died. Funeral services were held from his late residence at 2 o'clock. Interment was made at the Temecula cemetery. The services were conducted by the Masonic lodge of Elsinore and the pallbearers were the M. W. of A. Frank was doing business here for a good many years and the only garage here was owned and operated by him and his two boys. It was a great shock to his many friends to learn of his untimely death. He was 51 years of age and leaves a wife, a family, and an only brother to mourn his death.

In the near future a school will be erected at the little Temecula. It will be a wooden structure, but will be larger than the present one, and will accommodate twice as many children. The architects are already working on the plans.

Mrs. Curtis Stevenson and son Harwood were visiting her mother in town Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Tripp, who has been sick at Mrs. Camacho's for the past two weeks, is improving and will soon be out again.

Three six-horse wagons are coming into town daily, loaded with spuds from James E. Crew and Wong Gar. They average about 120 sacks to the load.

Al Otto of Tripp Valley was in town the last of the week after lumber and groceries.

Joe Hamilton of San Jacinto was a one-day visitor in town one day last week.

Mrs. R. Smith of Hemet was a guest of her mother and sister-in-law in town the last part of the week.

Alvern Smith has resigned his work at the butcher shop and has gone to work on a Banks hay press.

James E. Crew, spud king, is not only engaged in the potato industry, but also is planting tomatoes. He will have about 15 acres planted in tomatoes on several varieties.

Jay Abbott of Auld was a business caller in town Saturday. Mr. Abbott is getting his crew together for his threshing machine.

A carload of lumber from Redondo arrived for Albert F. Nienke, lumber dealer, Thursday.

Ole E. Larsen, who has been on the sick list for the past two weeks, is around again attending to business and his many friends are glad to see him attending to his business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Morgan and children, who have lived here for the past six months, left for Calexico last week, where they will make their home.

Wong Gar, spud planter at the Pauba Ranch, is spending a few days at Los Angeles looking after business interests.

Last Sunday afternoon at the Hot Springs baseball park, the Temecula baseball team crossed bats with the colored baseball team of Riverside. The game was very interesting form start to finish and both teams were in fine trim, but Temecula won the game by the score of 14 to 8. Richard Escallier, who is one of the crack players of the Temecula team, made five hits and brought in three men, which decided the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibbons of Wildomar were business callers in town Monday.

Hugh Magee of Pala and a large planter of lima beans was in town the first of the week looking for more men to work.

Tom Rawson of Auld, a very successful bee man, was in town Tuesday looking after business interests.

### June 22, 1917

The Vail brothers shipped three carloads of steers to market last Friday.

Donisio Vejar of the Pechanga reservation, and who for the past seven years has held the position of government farmer at a good salary, sent his resignation in one day last week and it was accepted. Friday he and his family moved from the government building to his own place. Mr. Vejar is undecided what he will do in the future.

A. E. Buck of Auld was in town Saturday getting repairs for his harvester. Mr. Buck says that in about a week's time he will start harvesting his grain which will take him about one month to finish.

Charles Hadsall of Murrieta was in town the last of the week calling on friends.

Mrs. Eliza Alvarez with her son John of San Marcos was a business caller in town Tuesday and Wednesday, returning home Friday.

The dance given by Elvetzi A. Cantarini last Saturday night at the bank hall was well attended in spite of the hot weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Banks motored to Perris Saturday to attend the funeral of a daughter of Mrs. Banks' sister.

The Temecula baseball team motored to San Luis Rey Sunday to play the San Luis Rey team. The game was easily won by the Temecula team by the score of 14 to 4. The San Luis team played a very good game.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Machado spent Sunday at the beach at Oceanside.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Knott spent one day last week at Riverside. Mrs. Knott went to have some medical advice.

C. Valencia and Phillip Mager left for Hemet Tuesday morning to be with their mother, who is seriously ill.

These hot days have damaged a large crop of the beans and potatoes. Many say that the bean crop around here will be very poor because of the heat.

Frank Ramos, who has been attending high school at Riverside, came home Saturday and will spend his vacation at home.

A new man is cutting meat at the meat market.

#### June 29, 1917

Dan J. Tripp of Tripp Valley was in town Saturday looking after business interests.

Zack Welty, who for the past three months was visiting his brother Joe, left the latter part of last week for his home at Upper Lake.

Mrs. Frank L. Fernald made a business trip to Riverside one day last week.

Rajaela Hoac of the Pechanga reservation, who for the last few years has been around Hemet, San Jacinto and Soboba, died on the 20th of June. She died at her daughter's home at Soboba and was brought over and buried at the Pechanga cemetery. She leaves a sister, and daughter and two sons to mourn her death.

Phillip Munoa was in town Tuesday visiting his father and brother.

Mr. Cripps of Murrieta was a business caller at the bank Friday.

Mike Pomo, dairyman at the Pauba Ranch, who last year met with an accident while hauling hay, went to San Francisco two weeks ago to have an operation performed on one eye. He is expected to return home soon.

Eighteen carloads of cattle arrived for the Vail brothers. They were taken to the Pauba Ranch, where they are to be fattened for market.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Machado, proprietors of the Mission Store, spent Sunday at San Diego.

Again the Temecula baseball team has added another victory to their list. They met the San Luis Rey team Sunday and defeated them to the tune of 9 to 1 at the Hot Springs.

Next Sunday, July 1, the Temecula Braves will cross bats with the Colored Giants' baseball team from Riverside. The proceeds will be for the benefit of the Red Cross. It is expected that the game will be very interesting. It will be played at the Murrieta Hot Springs ballpark. Everybody should come to see this game because if you do not, you will loose the fun of your life.

A very fine quality of granite has been discovered at the ranch of Jim Abel and Joe Winkels in the Rainbow country. In the near future they will have men at work that will quarry it.

The Cantarini brothers have sold their hay and are now shipping it.

Jay Abbott of Auld was in town the last of the week getting repairs for his threshing machine. He expects to start threshing in about three weeks.

Mrs. Rail of Murrieta, mother of Mrs. Alfred Knott, is visiting them and the twins this week.

M. Manoa (Munoa?), who last year went to San Luis Rey to visit with his relatives, returned home the last of the week. He says that the climate over there did not agree with him.

Tom Arviso has been appointed government farmer at the Pechanga reservation, which position a few days ago was vacated by Donisio Vejar. Tom has had some experience in the Indian service. He moved to Pechanga the first of the week.

Donisio Vejar and family left for San Jacinto Friday, where Mr. Vejar will be employed to take care of a ranch for a short time, when he will return to his home.

Mrs. E. J. Holland returned home Saturday from Los Angeles where she had been visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Carmella Engel, who was at school at Lawrence, Kansas, arrived home last week and will spend her vacation with her brother and sister-in-law.

#### July 6, 1917

Sunday, July 1, the Temecula Braves crossed bats with the Riverside Giants. The game was exciting from the beginning to end and both teams were in fine trim, but the Braves got the better of the Giants by a score of 14 to 11 before a crowd of 350 people. The proceeds amounting to the sum of \$60 were donated to the Red Cross.

Miss Florence Anderson, a sister of Mrs. Paul Clark, is a guest at the Clark home.

Waldo Swanguen of Riverside was in town Friday visiting friends and relatives, returning to Riverside the same day.

Miss Zoe Carr of Los Angeles arrived the first of the week and will spend about three weeks of her vacation visiting her mother and father and uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. White of Los Angeles arrived in town Monday evening and will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Hall and family. They will leave for their home in a few days.

Miss Ethel Hall, who has been attending school in Los Angeles, came home Monday night and will spend her vacation at home.

Mrs. Curtis Stevenson and son Harwood left for Los Angeles the first of the week by auto stage, where they will visit relatives and friends. They expect to remain in Los Angeles two or three weeks before returning home.

The dump that is built for the beet wagons to dump the beets into the cars is finished and will be used very soon.

Ramon Manzaneda of Dry Creek was in town Tuesday after a load of honey cases.

### July 13, 1917

Frank A. Burnham and wife spent the Fourth at Los Angeles where they had a good time.

Most of the town people spent the Fourth at Elsinore.

Ventura Arviso is building a four-room cottage on his lot that he purchased recently.

Mr. Austin, foreman at the Red Mountain Ranch, was in town the last of the week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wulst of Rainbow were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. William W. Allen.

The Temecula Braves met and defeated the Elsinore Stars at a lone-sided baseball game at the Hot Springs ballpark. The Braves played their usual good game. Last Sunday was the second that Elsinore lost to Temecula. The Braves are playing better ball this season. They have six games to their credit and they expect to add more to their list before the season is over. The score last Sunday was 4 to 7 in favor of Temecula.

Mrs. George Kolb of Rainbow was a business caller in town Monday.

James O. Freeman and his crew are busy getting the hay press ready to go to the Pauba Ranch, where they have two or three months' work.

The dance given at the bank hall Saturday night by some of the ladies was well attended, many coming form Murrieta and the hot springs.

Mrs. Nieves Mouren returned from Riverside Tuesday. She had been at Riverside on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Machado spent Sunday at Oceanside beach.

Mrs. John Cantarini of Alamos was in town the first of the week.

Mrs. John B. Kelly and Miss Zoe Carr left by auto stage for Oceanside where they will spend about two weeks before returning home.

#### July 20, 1917

This year the produce around here exceeded that of last year. About \$30,000 worth of hay has already been shipped out and there is more to be shipped yet: \$50,000 worth of spuds has been shipped and there will be about \$100,000 worth of sugar beets from the Pauba Ranch alone. Adrian B. Barnett and Charles Clayston (Clogston?) have also some beets that will amount to a good figure. Temecula is surely doing well on the crops this year. Other years, farmers have not been so successful as this year.

Paul E. Clark has been planting beets for the past three years and James E. Crew potatoes. The potato bugs started only last year; and so did Wong Gar, another spud bug. Mr. Gar has also about 25 acres of onions which are the best ever raised. The Pauba Ranch has 3000 acres of hay, which is being baled for market by three bailing crews.

James Thomas, cattle buyer of the Pomona, was at the Pauba Ranch to buy cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders of Mesa Grande are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. Liney D. Helms at the Pauba Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Clark left the first of the week for an extended trip to Los Angeles and San Francisco. Through a letter to a friend we learned that they were in San Francisco and will remain a few weeks before returning home.

Mrs. A. Anderson of Los Angeles and a mother to Mrs. Paul E. Clark is keeping house in the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Clark.

Walter Chapin of Corona is employed at Mrs. Catherine B. Fernald's garage.

The Vail Brothers sold and shipped five carloads of fine steers last Saturday. Three cars went to San Bernardino, two went to Pomona, and about the first of the week there will be another lot shipped.

B. B. Higgins of the Happy Valley Ranch was in town that last of the week and had work done on his automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis McCarrell of Tripp Valley were in town Saturday. Mrs. McCarrell does barbering at Ole E. Larsen's barbershop every week on Saturday.

Mrs. Alfred Knott is spending a few weeks' vacation at Long Beach.

Miss Ada Street of Los Angeles is visiting at the home of Mrs. Adrian B. Barnett and family.

For the third time the Temecula baseball team met and defeated the Colored Giants of Riverside by the score of 4 to 3 in favor of the Temecula Braves at the Hot Springs baseball park. The game from start to finish was very interesting. Up to the tenth inning the score stood 3 to 3. In the eleventh inning Temecula scored the winning run. Both teams played fine ball and there was some excitement all over the grounds. The Braves have added another scalp to their list. There were some plays made that were equal to the league plays. Next Sunday July 22, the Braves will cross bats with the Ontario Hot Points at the Murrieta Hot Springs baseball park.

Mrs. Curtis Stevenson and son Harwood returned home from Los Angels the first of the week, where she spent a two weeks' vacation visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Barton and daughter Ethel, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Kolb and daughter Eila and Miss Ethel Hall, Mr. and Mrs. William Friedemann and son, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Machado spent Sunday at the beach at Oceanside.

Mrs. John B. Kelly and Zoe Carr returned from Oceanside Monday, where they were spending a week's outing.

# July 27, 1917

These hot days the majority of the people spend Sunday at the Oceanside bath bathing and fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Cranston, a Santa Fe employee, have moved into Alfred Knott's house for a short time or until they find a house to live in.

Mrs. B. Bernard and children of Los Angeles are spending their summer vacation at the home of her father, Hypolite Escallier, south of town.

Saturday afternoon at the hay press of James O. Freeman, George Calac met with an accident, but not serious, his foot got caught by the sweep but the horses were stopped and his foot pulled out.

Frank H. Hall, deputy sheriff, went for medical treatment to Los Angeles the first part of the week.

T. F. McCormick, superintendent at the Pala Indian reservation, was a business caller in town Wednesday.

Miss Zoe Carr of Los Angeles, niece of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kelly left for her home Thursday evening by auto. Miss Carr had been visiting them for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Eliza Alvarez of San Marcos was in town the other day looking after business interests and at the same time visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. A. E. Buck of Auld came in to town Saturday to do some shopping.

Amos W. Kolb came very near meeting a serious accident last week when he was going home on his machine. Just as he made the turn to his place another auto met him, struck the front wheel, and stopped. Nothing was broken and nobody was hurt.

F. Scott of Pala was in town Saturday after a load of fixtures for the molding of cement.

Mrs. John M. Carr who has the rooming house here, left Saturday afternoon for Los Angeles, her former home. From there she will go to Sacramento where one of her daughters lives, and expects to stay at Sacramento two months or probably more.

Mrs. A. B. Baxter of Ethanac was a weekend visitor of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kelly.

Joseph M. Nicolas went to Riverside one day last week to visit Johnny Nicolas, who is sick in the hospital.

The game of baseball played between Temecula and Ontario was won by Ontario. No wonder Ontario won, they had all league players. The only Ontario man was the manager. If they want it to be clean sport they ought to leave alone those league men. It wouldn't look so bad if they had brought one or two, but the whole bunch with the exception of the manager were league players. The Temecula team can play ball with those of her own class and they are not backward in saying it, but to buck against a Coast league team is too much. Ontario ought to be classed among the Coast leaguers.

Miss Irene Vardy of San Bernardino, who was the principal teacher here for the past two years, came last night and is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Hall and family.

August Cantarini is the happy owner of a new five-passenger Overland.

Mr. and Mrs. William W. Allen in a few days will move to the farm of George Kamphuferer about four miles north of town.

### August 3, 1917

Angel Ledisma, beet contractor at the Pauba Ranch, went to Los Angeles the first of the week after men to do the work at the ranch topping beets.

Mr. Laughead of near Auld is coming into town daily with an eight-horse team hauling grain.

Albert V. Golsh, a very successful bee man at Rincon, was in town Saturday looking after business interests.

Mrs. McCarrell of Tripp Valley came down Saturday to help Larsen the barber do the barbering.

Al C. Otto of Aguanga came down after a load of lumber.

Mrs. Lynn Smith returned from Hemet last week where she was spending a few weeks with her parents. Mrs. Smith's husband is employed at the Friedemann meat market.

Mrs. Al Knott, who was spending a short time at Long Beach with her mother-in-law, returned home last week. Mrs. Knott was in ill health but now she is looking much better after her stay at the beach.

At last the Pala grade is to be built and in about one week more there will be a force of men and horses doing the work. One load of lumber and one load of giant powder were hauled from here to the camp at the grade. The building of this road will be a great benefit for both Pala and Temecula, especially for Pala, because they will haul their freight to and from here.

The dance last Saturday night given for the benefit of the baseball club was a great success.

Mr. Garrison of Murrieta was in town Monday having work done on his automobile at the Valley Garage.

V. James of Murrieta was a business caller in town the first of the week.

Mrs. William T. Barton and daughter left for Pomona the last of the week to visit with relatives and friends. They will spend a week at Pomona and they will spend a week at the two at Long Beach before returning home.

The Misses Ethel Hall and Irene Vardy are spending a week at the ranch of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Swanguen. They are there for a good time and are going to do all the chores and ride horseback. They learned to do the milking and riding through the correspondence school.

Paul E. Clark, beet planter at Pauba Ranch, made a trip to Anaheim to buy a plow to plow out the beets.

Last Sunday the Temecula Braves again defeated the Colored Giants from Riverside at the Hot Springs ballpark. The game was very interesting from start to finish. The score was 11 to 8 in favor of the Temecula Braves.

John Francis Nicolas, a prominent young rancher of Auld, died July 30 in the Riverside Hospital of blood poison, which settled, in his eyes. He was born Oct. 27, 1890. He was highly respected and was unmarried. There is left to mourn his loss, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pourroy and four brothers. The whole family are pioneers and prominent highly respected landowners and ranchers.

#### August 10, 1917

Cal. Waggoner, who has been a bookkeeper at the Pauba Ranch for the past year has gone to Los Angeles to enlist. Cal wanted to join the aviation corps but he was a little too late.

Dan J. Tripp of Aguanga was in town Friday with a load of fine apples, which he sold to the stores and other places.

Mr. Gri(?)es of Murrieta was a business caller at the bank Saturday.

Mrs. John Cantarini of Alamos was in town the other day calling on relatives and friends.

James P. Rawson and Harry Walters the potato bugs were in town Friday and say that they are doing fine and have already planted about 25 acres and expects to plant more. So far they have had good luck in the potatoes and hard luck with their stock. In a short time they lost two valuable horses. They think that they died on account of it being too hot.

Saturday forenoon an automobile arrived from Ontario loaded with Mexican laborers for the beet fields at the Pauba Ranch. Mean are very much needed here just now.

Master Fred Kelsey of Escondido is visiting his aunts, the Weltys who are very happy to have Freddy with them.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. McCormick superintendent at the Pala Indian Reservation stopped in town a short while when on his way to Riverside and other places.

Mrs. Eliza Alvarez and son Johnny of San Marcos were in town the last of the week returning home the first of the week.

James E. Crew, potato planted at the Pauba Ranch and who has been ill at Los Angeles was in town last week looking after his business interests. Mr. Crew is looking much better although very frail and thin.

Mrs. William T. Barton and daughter Ethel returned home from their trip to Pomona and Long Beach and say they had a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ventura Arviso and family moved into their new home last week.

Mrs. Grant Howard of Wolf Valley was a first of the week visitor of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Swain.

The game last Sunday between San Luis Rey and the Temecula Braves was won by the Braves by the score of 7 to 6. The game all through was closely contested up to the eight inning. San Luis Rey was in the lead one point in the ninth, but the Braves got together and batted to San Luis Rey pitcher all in splinters and made two runs so the game ended with another score to the credit of the Braves.

# August 17, 1917

Dr. Sturgess of Murrieta was a business caller in town Saturday.

The Vail Brothers have had all their hay baled and are hauling it to the warehouse in town.

Paul E. Clark has started work on his beets. The first loads came in Saturday. Mr. Clark has had a hard time in securing men to do the work as help is very scarce around here and so they have to do the best they can. At other times help has been plentiful.

Clinton Tripp of Aguanga was in town Monday after a load of lumber.

Otto Tripp came to town Monday after freight.

Mrs. Ida Rodriguez of Escondido is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Banks.

Frank H. Hall, who has been on the sick list at Los Angeles for the past few weeks, returned home Monday, looking much better.

Miss Griselda Medran of Los Angeles arrived in town Monday and will spend a few weeks visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Andreas Tortuga.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Nienke and family spent Sunday at the Warner's Hot Springs.

Pat Speziali made a business trip to Riverside Wednesday, returning the same day.

Twelve carloads of cattle were shipped to Los Angeles by the Vail Brothers. The cattle were brought from the Warner's ranch and on Friday another five carloads were shipped.

Hugh Magee, a very successful bean planter at the Magee ranch on the west side of Smith mountain, was in town having some work done at the blacksmith shop and also took a load of lumber to do some repairing on his barn.

Mrs. Liney D. Helm, Mrs. James O. Freeman and Mrs. Jacques Escallier went to Pauba (Pauma?) Friday to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Francisca Ayal. Death was caused by an accident while going down the grade to Escondido. The neck yoke and breast strap broke and the horses were frightened and ran away. She was thrown off the wagon, fractured her neck, and was picked up by an automobile that came along. Mrs. Ayal was taken to Escondido, thence to San Diego by her brother, where all medical treatment and the best physicians that could be had were attending her but she could not be saved and died two days later. Interment was made at the Pauba (Pauma?) cemetery.

Thursday morning the threshing outfit of Dodd of Murrieta went through town to the Pauba Ranch where they have a few weeks of threshing. The year the Pauba Ranch Company has a crop of hay and grain.

T. F. McCormick, superintendent at the Pala Indian reservation, went through town Wednesday morning to Riverside taking a little boy who met with an accident while playing with a gun, when the boy was shot in the leg.

Last Sunday the Temecula baseball team journeyed to Arlington to play the Riverside colored baseball team. This makes the fifth time these teams have crossed bats and every game Temecula has won. Last Sunday the colored team was defeated by the score of 11 to 8.

Mrs. Baxter of Ethanac is visiting her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kelly this week.

Joseph L. Cantarini and Emmett B. Allen, who some time ago were of the many drafted went to Riverside Wednesday to be examined. Allen was exempted and Cantarini passed the examination.

# August 24, 1917

Doran and Daley, who are building the road down the Pala grade, had two men unloading two cars of galvanized pipe for the culverts along the road.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Knott spent three days in Los Angeles last week. Mr. Knott took Mrs. Knott for medical treatment. Mrs. Knott has been ill for some time, but is feeling better.

Mr. and Mrs. William Friedemann and son Bill are spending a few days of recreation at the beach at Oceanside.

Mrs. William T. Barton and daughter are spending their summer vacation at the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Machado spent Sunday at Oceanside bathing and fishing.

John Munoa has started to harvest his beans and has four men doing the work.

After spending a ten days' visit with her aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kelly, Mrs. Baxter left for her home at Ethanac Saturday.

Mahlon Vail one of the proprietors of the Pauba Ranch is in Los Angeles spending a few days with his parents and looking after business interests.

Mrs. Eliza A. Alvarez and son Johnny of San Marcos are visiting town this week.

Miss Irene Vardy, formerly of San Bernardino, now of Los Angeles, and who for the past two weeks was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Hall, left for her home in Los Angeles last week, accompanied by Miss Ethel Hall, who returned home the last of the week. Miss Vardy last year was the principal teacher here and now she is to take the examination for substitute teacher of the city of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Frank A. Burnham, who was spending a two weeks' vacation at the beach at Oceanside has returned home.

B. B. Higgins of Happy Valley Ranch was in town Friday looking after business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wiley and family left Saturday for an extended trip to the northern part of the state. Most of their time will be spent at Placerville. Mr. Wiley is the mail clerk on the Santa Fe train between here and San Bernardino.

James Rawson of Hemet was in town the last of the week. He came to interview the school trustees concerning the new schoolhouse that is to be built very soon. Mr. Rawson was a teacher there last year and this year he will have the position again. He is well liked by the pupils and all their parents.

# August 31, 1917

Mrs. Peter Mouren is spending a few weeks at the Warner's Hot Springs where she is taking daily baths for her health.

A large number of the town people spent Sunday at Pala at the annual fiesta.

Ventura Arviso is having his house painted which is quite an improvement.

Sixteen carloads of fine steers were shipped to Los Angeles to Cudahy Packing Company by the Vail brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. William Friedemann and son returned home Thursday, after spending a very enjoyable outing at the beach at Oceanside.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kelly were visitors at the Baxters at Ethanac last week.

Miss Mabel Helm, who for the past few months has been working at the Temecula Lunch Room, left for Los Angeles the first of the week.

Mrs. William T. Barton and daughter Ethel returned home Sunday. While at the beach they had a very good time fishing and bathing.

Juan Munda (Munoa?) has a force of men harvesting his crop of beans. The beans are not as good as he expected them to be.

John B. Kelly went to Hemet Friday to attend the Bee Man's association.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian B. Barnett and family are spending part of their summer outing at the house of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. (Cephas Logan) Barnett at Shafter, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Burnham returned from the beach, where they spent a very pleasant outing.

Mrs. Eliza A. Alvarez, Juan Munoa and Pat Speziali made a business trip to Escondido Tuesday of the week.

Otto of Aguanga came into town with a load of honey.

A good many of the town people spent Saturday and Sunday at Pala where a big celebration was held.

M. A. Nicolas of Alamos was a business caller in town Tuesday.

Harry Walters, a very enterprising young man, and who is planting potatoes at Hemet has been in town for a few days.

G. H. Griffis of Murrieta was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

Arthur Escallier had the misfortune of damaging his motorcycle Monday when he was coming to town. The carburetor caught fire and the gas tank was leaking and also caught fire. The tank and the front tire went to pieces.

#### September 7, 1917

Joe Campbell of Arizona, a brother of the governor of Arizona, was in town one day last week. While here he was the guest of Joe Winkels. Mr. Winkels took him sightseeing and they were dinner guests at the home of the Vail Brothers. Mr. Campbell was impressed with our valley and the cattle at the Pauba Ranch, which are owned by the Vails. Mr. Campbell has a large ranch in Arizona with many hundred head of cattle.

George A. Burnham returned home Sunday from San Diego where he spent a week's vacation. He would have stayed longer but on account of business had to return. Mrs. George A. Burnham and daughter are staying at Ocean Beach.

Mrs. Catherine B. Fernald, proprietor of the Temecula Valley Garage, left for Los Angeles Tuesday morning. While there she will visit her parents.

Harry Walters, who was spending a week with his parents, returned to Hemet the first of the week to work on his potatoes. Harry expects to have a good crop this year.

George T. Hall, George Kamphuferer and Hans Anderson went to Riverside Tuesday to take their examination.

Mrs. Baxter of Ethanac was a weekend visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kelly.

Mrs. Irene Carpenter of Los Angeles was a guest for a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Hall.

John Noble, who for the past month was at Hemet working at cutting and picking fruit, returned home the last of the week.

Hugh Magee of Pala was in town Thursday after freight and other things for his workingmen.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cantarini, Joseph L. Cantarini, and Miss Angelina Cantarini left for San Diego Thursday morning on a pleasure trip. They expect to return home some time Sunday.

J. Sotilo of Murrieta was a business visitor at the bank Friday afternoon.

Mr. Robertson and family of Lancaster Valley stopped in town for a few minutes Saturday. They were on their way to Hemet.

Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall, proprietor of the Hall lunchrooms, went to Los Angeles last week.

Mrs. Dean and family of Los Angeles were visitors in town Friday and Saturday. For about twenty years Mrs. Dean was a resident here. Her daughter, Miss B. Dean, then was a schoolteacher at the Indian reservation at Pechanga. Mrs. Dean and family are great friends of the Indians, the other day they paid a visit to the reservation, and all the Indians were glad to see them.

Mrs. B. Bernard returned to her home in Los Angeles last week after having a very pleasant stay with her parents.

Miss Ethel Hall left for Los Angeles Saturday morning to enter school again and expected to begin school Monday, September 3.

Mrs. J. C. Rodriguez and children of Escondido returned home last week after spending a two weeks stay at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Banks.

The barn of H. Bergman was burned to the ground last week on Saturday morning. A large number of tons of hay were burned and the damage is estimated at about \$1000. The cause of the fire is unknown but might have been the damp hay.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chaqua and baby returned home the last of the week from Hemet. For the past three months Joe Chaqua has been employed on the Domenigoni harvester. They were called home on account of their father, who is very ill.

The work on the beets at the Pauba Ranch has been suspended on account of shortage of the men who do the work.

Mrs. C. Wulst of Rainbow was in town Saturday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Machado spent Sunday at the beach at Oceanside. There is where most of the town people go to spend Sunday.

#### **September 14, 1917**

Miss Grisilda Medran of Los Angeles returned home the first of the week after spending a two weeks' visit at the home of her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Andreas Tortuga.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian B. Barnett and family are home again from their trip to Adrian B. Barnett's brother, L. C. Barnett (Cephas Logan) at Shafter. While there they had a very enjoyable time.

James P. Rawson of Hemet was in town the last of the week looking after business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Swanguen, who were spending their summer vacation in Los Angeles, returned last Wednesday.

Sixteen carloads of cattle were shipped to Los Angeles this week to the Cudahy Packing Co. The cattle were brought from Warren's ranching, belonging to the Vail Bros., and were bought by Mr. Dysiert, cattle buyer for the Cudahy Packing House Co.

Mac Machado presented an Indian basket to Mr. Vail to use for paper waste at his office at the bank. Mr. Machado bought the basket of an Indian from San Yslido. The basket is very beautifully ornamented.

Mrs. A. S. Baxter and son of Ethanac were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kelly.

B. J. Smith of Elsinore has the contract for the building of the new school building in Wolf Valley. Mr. Smith is a good mechanic. He built the new Catholic Church here last year and judging by the work he did, he will no doubt do as good work on the schoolhouse, which will be a credit to himself and the community in the valley.

Miss Alma Friedemann, who was teacher at the Union school here last year, is back again to do teaching again.

Neal Fernald, son of Mrs. Catherine B. Fernald, is in Los Angeles, where he will attend school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Nichols were business callers in town Saturday evening.

Last Thursday Pat Speziali was stranded near Aguanga, about 20 miles east of here. He was on his way to Warner's when some of his bearings on the engine of his flivver were burnt and the consequence was that he had to be towed into town by the Fernalds.

Sunday was a hot day, the hottest we have had yet, owing to so many fires around.

Service was held at the Catholic Church Sunday. Rev. J. J. Burri officiating, and there was a large attendance.

One day last week Joe Winkels made a pleasure trip to Rainbow, Fallbrook and Oceanside, returning home the same day.

A large number of the boys from here spent Sunday at Warner's Hot Springs where a big three days' celebration was going on.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Kolb left for San Marcos to visit with Mrs. Kolb's parents. They will be gone for a few days and when they return home Mr. Kolb will resume his work as clerk at the George A. Burnham & Son's store.

Hugo Guenther and family, proprietor of the Murrieta mineral hot springs were visitors in town the last of the week.

In about four or five days a new school building will be started in Wolf Valley, for the old school house is too small to accommodate the large number of children who attend. The new building will be of wood and will cost \$17,500. It will be quite an improvement to the valley and a good educational institution of which the community ought to be proud. For the past year the trustees have been working to have the new building and at last they have succeeded. James P. Rawson, who is teacher there, has done much toward the new schoolhouse.

The biggest forest fire that has been seen here for years started Friday afternoon at the Dripping Springs, along ten miles east of town. Many of the ranchers who are living there have not lost anything yet. Two of the ranchers close to where the fire is burning are in danger of having their ranches burned. At the present writing the fire is going up Smith Mountain. Sunday evening the fire warden took a number of men from town to fight the fire. They fought all night and were getting the fire under control, but almost noon the wind came up and started the fire again. Monday all day they were fighting but couldn't control it as the wind was strong and there is plenty of brush and dry grass that helps the fire to burn with more force. The cause of the fire is unknown. It seems that it started by the road.

Mrs. Peter Mouren who was staying at Warner's Hot Springs for the past two weeks returned home Sunday.

Mrs. C. Welker, daughter, and Mrs. L. Welker spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian B. Barnett. Mrs. C. Welker was a teacher here a year ago. She is now teaching at Riverside.

#### **September 21, 1917**

San Francisco returned home the first of the week. He says he had a very good time.

Ground has been broken for the new school building at the valley. In a day or two all the necessary material for the new building will be hauled.

Tony A. Tortuga is staying with his grandparents in the country.

T. F. McCormick, Indian agent at Pala, was in town the last of the week looking after the shipping of his furniture to Tucson, Arizona. Mr. McCormick has been Indian agent over several reservations in Southern California and has now been transferred to Arizona where he will have charge of a reservation 5,000 Indians with a substantial increase in salary. All his friends regret to see Mr. and Mrs. McCormick leave but wish them success in their new field.

Last Monday, the Union school began its session for the coming year with Miss Alma Wilson, principal, and Miss Alma Friedemann, assistant. There was a good attendance.

Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall returned home from Los Angeles the first of the week, after a pleasant visit with her sister.

Mrs. Preston V. Swanguen has been appointed janitor at the school and no doubt she will keep the schoolrooms neat and in good order.

Mr. Bergman of Aguanga brought down a fine bunch of steers, which he sold to the butcher.

Last week the John B. Kelly had a close call to going up in smoke. A fire was discovered in the back yard, but it was put out before doing much damage.

One day last week A. S. Escallier went to Los Angeles and while there sold his fliver. In the near future he is going to buy an automobile that is worthwhile.

Albert Banks and his father James Banks motored to Oceanside Thursday.

W. H. White and wife, George Simon and wife, and H. Wilson and wife, all of Los Angeles came into town Friday afternoon from San Diego where they had been spending part of their vacation. Saturday afternoon they stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Swanguen, and Sunday morning they hunted game. The stopped at Mrs. Hall's the ladies of the party being her sisters. They left for Los Angeles Sunday evening.

Merrill Kolb and wife have returned home from their trip and Mr. Kolb has resumed his position in the store of George A. Burnham & Son.

Last Sunday morning Eli E. Barnett had the misfortune to lose his automobile by fire. Fire was discovered about two o'clock in the morning in the place where the machine was kept, but it was then too late to save his car.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Machado motored to Hemet Sunday morning and spent the day.

Mrs. R. Garbani of Winchester died last Thursday at her late residence. Interment was made in the Pechanga cemetery last Saturday.

Waldo Swanguen, who is working in Riverside, paid a visit to relatives and friends here Saturday. He was driving one of the big demonstration cars of the garage where he is employed.

George T. Hall left for Los Angeles Sunday afternoon where he expects to spend a few days visiting relatives and friends.

James Thomas of Pomona was around here Saturday buying cattle for his firm. He bought and shipped five carloads.

Mrs. Eliza A. Alvarez and son, John, motored to Soboba where they spent

### **September 28, 1917**

Joseph M. Nicolas and his mother Mrs. Nicolas and children made a business trip to Los Angeles the last of the week.

John W. Carr of the firm of Kelly and Carr returned from Los Angeles Saturday evening. He went there to see and bid farewell to his son who left with the rest of the Liberty boys for Camp Lewis.

George T. Hall who was visiting relatives and friends in Los Angeles a few days last week returned home Saturday night.

James P. Rawson of Hemet was in town the last of the week. Mr. Rawson is interesting in the building of the new schoolhouse in the valley. He has the position of teacher. School will begin when the new building is finished. At present Mr. Rawson is engaged in planting potatoes at Hemet.

T. Wilson of Los Angeles came over Saturday night and is visiting his daughter Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall. He expects to stay about ten days before returning home.

Mr. Talley who is buying horses for Uncle Sam was in town one day this week. He bought twenty-two head from different farmers around here. He expects to return soon again to buy more.

Ole E. Larsen, proprietor of the poolroom and barbershop here, made a business trip to Los Angeles last week returning home the first of the week.

Mrs. Frances McCarrell of Tripp Valley was in charge of the barbershop in the absence of Mr. Larsen who was in Los Angeles on business. Mrs. McCarrell is a good lady barber and is capable of taking care of Mr. Larsen's customers.

Albert F. Nienke proprietor of the Temecula Valley lumberyard is furnishing all the lumber for the new schoolhouse in Wolf Valley.

Seferino Mojado, a carpenter from Pala is doing carpenter work for Mr. Friedemann.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibbons of Wildomar were business callers in town Saturday.

Market M. Robertson of Aguanga came down the other day with a bunch of steers, which he sold, to the William M. Friedemann meat market.

Mrs. Grant Howard returned home Monday night from a trip to San Bernardino and Los Angeles and other points.

Charles Swain left with Mr. Sheriff for Pauma to look over some land that Mr. Sheriff is interested in. Mr. Sheriff is well advanced in age and wants Mr. Swain to look after his property and stock. Mr. Swain is the right party for it.

Paul E. Clark of the Pauba Ranch and a large planter of sugar beets left the last of the week for Santa Ana to look for more men to do the work in the beet fields. Help is very scarce here.

Mahlon Vail and Cal Waggoner are spending several days in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Tom Kolb and son Harry of Rainbow were business callers in town Saturday. In the near future they expect to move to Pauma Ranch where Harry is employed and doing well.

Mrs. George A. Burnham and daughter Ethel who are spending a few weeks at Ocean Beach are home again.

Walter Chapin who was employed at the Temecula Valley Garage left for his home in Corona and recently left for Camp Lewis with the rest of the Liberty boys who are going to show the Kaiser where to head in.

Mrs. G. W. Liebman of Medford, Oregon is spending a short time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith at the ranch of Adrian B. Barnett.

Eli E. Barnett left on the 6:30 a.m. for Los Angeles Tuesday. Mr. Barnett went there to buy himself an auto a week ago last Sunday Mr. Barnett lost his car by fire.

A carload of lumber arrived here for the new school in the valley.

Monday school began in the valley with James P. Rawson as teacher. The old school building is being used but in a short time they will move in the new building.

#### October 5, 1917

Philip Cazas, one of the trustees of the valley school is doing the hauling of the lumber for the new school building.

B. B. Higgins and wife of the Happy Valley Ranch were in town Wednesday.

George Street of Los Angeles, a brother to Mrs. Jose M. Gonzalez, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian B. Barnett. Mr. Street is a painter by trade and every time he visits here he is employed right away by the town people to do painting.

Miss Antonio Medran of Los Angeles arrived the last of the week and is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Andreas Tortuga. Miss Medran is here spending her vacation of ten days. When she goes back to resume her work in the laundry. She has been employed at the laundry for many years.

Eli E. Barnett went to Los Angeles Wednesday to buy himself an auto. He returned the next day driving a seven-passenger Cadillac.

J. Sotilo of Murrieta was a business caller at the Knott's blacksmith shop the last of the week.

Richard Escallier, a very prominent young man is employed by the Santa Fe as assistant to the agent, Mr. Scott.

Paul E. Clark returned home from Santa Ana Monday noon. Mr. Clark had gone there to hire help for his beet fields.

Mr. Wickard of Murrieta a solider boy of Uncle Sam, who is stationed at Long Beach, was a business visitor in town Saturday.

J. J. Wily and family who for the past month were staying at Placerville, Cal. spending their vacation, returned home Saturday. Mr. Wily has resumed his work on the Santa Fe as mail clerk.

We'd be more willing to give Sweden the grain she wants if we were not afraid it might reach the same destination as some cable messages sent to Stockholm - Riverside Daily Press.

George T. Hall is the first Liberty soldier boy to leave for Camp Lewis from here. His many friends wish him good luck.

T. Wilson left for his home in Los Angeles Saturday morning after spending a very pleasant week's stay at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall.

Juan Munoa has started to thresh his bean crop and expects good results.

Albert Banks and Tom Arviso went one day last week to Smith mountain deer hunting. They brought down a big buck in two days hunting.

Mrs. Nieves Mouren, Mrs. Rosa Arviso and children, Mrs. Albert Banks and children attended church services at Pechanga Saturday September 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chrisman and children of Murrieta stopped in town the other day on their way to Oceanside and San Diego.

Charles Clogston has started to top beets. He has a force of Mexicans doing the work. Mr. Clogston thinks that he will do fairly well this year, but expects to do better next year.

Last Thursday a big fire started between here and Fallbrook, right down the Temecula canyon. It came up the mountain south of town but did no damage. The only one who was in danger of having some damage was R. G. Fernald, who has his bees by the mountainside. But the fire died out before it got to his place.

Charles Garbani, wife and son were first of the week visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. Camacho.

D. S. Clark of Elsinore who was doing carpenter work at the new school building left for home Saturday before leaving for Camp Lewis at American Lake. Mr. Clark did some good work here or the past year. He is a good carpenter.

George D. Pettrie, fireman on the Santa Fe, has just returned from his month's vacation. Most of his vacation he and other friends spent in the northern part of California and most of the time they were hunting for big game.

Roy S. Roripaugh, John E. Roripaugh, and Charles Roripaugh went last week on a deer hunt. They tramped all over the Cahuilla Mountains for almost ten days, but were very unlucky. They saw plenty of tracks, but no deer and returned home the last of the week empty.

Archie Dean Nicolas of New Port Beach is temporarily employed at the Valley Garage until Mrs. Catherine B. Fernald proprietor, finds one that she can employ for a long time. Mrs. Fernald has plenty of work for a good mechanic, but she is unable to find one because help is very scarce.

A. J. Troeger of Santa Monica who for the past year has been employed at the Murrieta Hot Springs was in town Wednesday evening visiting friends. About three years ago Mr. Troeger came in town from his home at Santa Monica. He did some good work around town. Mr. Troeger is a carpenter by trade and last year he secured work at the springs and has been there since.

James E. Crew who plants spuds at the Pauba Ranch arrived from Los Angeles the first of the week and is hard at work with his crop. Mr. Crew was ill at Los Angeles for the past three months. He is almost well now, but a little week yet. Nevertheless he is looking after the spud business.

Mr. William T. Barton and daughter Ethel left for San Jacinto the first of the week. Mrs. Barton will be there while her daughter attends high school this winter.

Mr. Singletaire, contractor and road builder in the northern part of California, was in town Monday transacting business. Mr. Singletaire is one of the Liberty soldiers who leave this week for Camp Lewis. He worked here during the building of the highway from the county line in Riverside three years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Machado spent part of Sunday at Elsinore and Perris coming home by way of Ethanac and Murrieta Hot Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Smith went to Hemet Sunday to attend the needs of his father who is very ill.

# October 12, 1917

Dan Cantarini and Miss Mabel Helm motored to Riverside Tuesday. While there they took in the Fair, returning the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kelly left Wednesday morning for Ethanac where they will stop at the Baxter's home and in a few days the Kellys and the Baxters will leave on a trip to Santa Cruz, Cal. They will visit relatives and friends and will be gone for about two weeks.

Neil Fernald who is attending school in Los Angeles was a guest of his parents Sunday.

Nine carloads of cattle arrived one day this week from Pontona, Arizona. They were shipped from one of the large ranches of the Vail Co.

Miss Libbie Nienke has started attending high school in Elsinore; she goes and comes on the train every day.

A large number of school children of the different reservations in Southern California were entrained here Saturday morning for Sherman at Riverside.

Mrs. Charles Swain went to Riverside the first of the week to attend the funeral of her brother's wife, who died in Riverside last Sunday morning. Interment was made at Riverside Tuesday morning.

Harry Walters who has gone into the potato raising at Hemet was in town the first of the week.

Mr. Otto of Aguanga was in town the last of the week after a load of lumber.

Miss Verna Rail of Murrieta is with her sister Mrs. Alfred Knott. Miss Rail is helping her sister in doing housework and caring for the babies.

T. Peters of Murrieta was a business caller in town Monday.

Jean Nicolas is having his old granary taken down in town and will haul the lumber to build it at his farm in French Valley.

Pat Speziali and Juan Morena (Munoa?) made a business trip to San Marcos Sunday. Mr. Morena has some interest in some land at San Marcos and in some horses, too.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyn Smith returned home from Hemet where they had gone a few days ago to be at the bedsides of Lyn's father who was seriously ill since he was taken to Riverside.

Mrs. Frances McCarrell and Mrs. Mark M. Robertson of Aguanga were in town Thursday doing shopping.

Mrs. Joseph M. Kolb was called from San Marcos and she left Saturday to be at her sister's beside where an operation for appendicitis was performed at Escondido. At the present writing it couldn't be learned how she was getting along.

Miss Esther Lathrop of Murrieta and whom some few weeks ago was working at the Lizzie M. Hall's lunchrooms is now working for Eli E. Barnett.

Miss Torria Medran of Los Angeles left Monday noon by auto stage after spending ten days visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Andreas Tortuga in the country.

The latter part of the week Vail Bros. shipped another six carloads of fine steers. Mr. Dysart, cattle buyer for the C. Cudahy Packing Co. at Los Angeles is doing the buying. These cattle came from Warner's ranch where the Vail's still have some cattle.

Juan Morena (Munoa?) is nearly through threshing his beans and had to use a disc to do the threshing and then a hand separator because he couldn't get a threshing machine to come over to do it.

Charles Hadsall of Murrieta was a business caller at the Knott's blacksmith shop Saturday.

Mr. Pierce of Auld came to town Saturday looking after business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Holland left the first of the week on their annual vacation at San Bernardino and Los Angeles. They will be gone for some time. Mr. Holland is an employee at the Santa Fe.

Mrs. William W. Allen made a trip to Riverside last week returning the next day. While there she saw the Liberty soldier boys entrained for Camp Lewis.

Dr. A. J. Sturgess of Murrieta was a business caller at the bank the last of the week.

Miss Esther Banks left Monday for Riverside to attend school and will board at Sherman.

William Friedemann met with a painful accident Friday afternoon. While killing a beef the knife slipped, fell and struck his foot, cutting an ugly gash. He was fortunate to get home before he bled too much. The doctor was called and made four stitches. The doctor says that Mr. Friedemann will be all right in a few days.

After spending a four days visit with the Baxters at Ethanac, John B. Kelly returned home Monday and is in good spirits after the much needed rest.

# October 12, 1917

Albert Banks had the misfortune of losing a very valuable horse. The cause of the death is unknown.

Mrs. John W. Carr who for the past two months has been at her daughter's home at Sacramento, her daughter being under the weather but since she is well again so Mrs. Carr returned home the last of the week.

The Misses Edith Hall and Irene Carpenter arrived from Los Angeles Saturday night and were guests at Mrs. Hall's over Sunday. The two young ladies are attending school in Los Angeles. Miss Ethel is a daughter of Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall.

We have learned through a letter to a friend from Camp Lewis, American Lake, Washington that George T. Hall is getting along fine. George left here about two weeks ago with the Liberty soldier boys.

A large number of people around here visited the fair at Riverside and all say it was grand.

Doran & Daley, road builders and contractors are now building the Pala grade. They had two of their men in town the first of the week hauling hay, which was bought of Mac Machado.

Paul E. Clark is now hauling and shipping sugar beets. He has a large force of Mexicans doing the work. A few weeks ago he had suspended the work on account of help being so scarce.

Pat Speziali made a business trip to Riverside the last of the week going around by Winchester and returning the same day by way of Elsinore.

Elvetzi A. Cantarini assistant cashier at the bank went to Riverside one day last week on business interests.

Alex J. Escallier was at the fair at Riverside Friday and reports it being very interesting.

Mrs. Albert Banks returned home the last of the week from Escondido where she spent two weeks with her daughter Mrs. J. C. Rodriguez.

The new school building in the valley is nearly completed. In about two weeks more school sessions will be held in the new building and the old building will be torn down.

Arthur Escallier took himself to Riverside Saturday to visit the fair. He says that it was fine. He would have stayed two or three days more visiting the fair, but unfortunately it was the last day.

Mrs. Eliza A. Alvarez of San Marcos who is spending a week at her former home made a business trip the last of the week returning the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young of Perris were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Banks and other friends and relatives were glad to see them.

Mrs. Antonia Melenes, A Mexican, met with a painful accident a week ago at the Pauba Ranch. She is near sighted and on going around she fell down a high bank and broke her leg just above her ankle. At the present writing she is getting along nicely and is well taken care of.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyn Smith spent Sunday at Hemet, their former home. Jean Nicolas of Alamos was in town the first of the week looking after business interests

Hugo Guenther, proprietor of the Murrieta Mineral Hot Springs was a business caller in town the first of the week.

Mrs. Eliza A. Alvarez of San Marcos sold a fine lot of hogs to the Friedemann Meat Market. The hogs were brought over from San Marcos on the Barton truck.

Albert Banks left for the Oak Grove with a load of lumber the first of the week.

A. E. Buck and son were business callers at the Pauba Ranch one day this week.

Mrs. John W. Carr left for Los Angeles the last of the week and will visit her daughter and friends. She will be gone for about two weeks.

# October 26, 1917

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Holland returned home the first of the week from their annual vacation. They spent part of their vacation at San Bernardino and Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Cranston and children are on their vacation and expect to visit the most interesting places in California.

They will be gone for a month before returning home, when Mr. Cranston will resume his work for the Santa Fe.

Dan J. Tripp of near Aguanga was a business caller in town Saturday, driving his new 1917 five-passenger Chevrolet. Mr. Tripp is one of the many successful farmers from around Aguanga.

Augustine Cantarini, director at the bank, made a business trip to San Jacinto the first of the week.

Robert J. Magee, who for the past six months has been working around Hemet, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Nieves Mouren, Miss Helms and Mrs. James O. Freeman were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Liney D. Helm at the Pauba Ranch.

Henry Gray of Pala, who some time ago used to haul freight from Oceanside and Temecula to Pala, now has a large truck and hauls freight some times from Los Angeles to San Diego and other points too.

Albert V. Golsh, a very successful bee man at Rincon, was a business caller in town Friday and Saturday.

Saturday morning for the first time this year frost was experienced in many parts of the valley. Some of the spuds were frost bitten and Sunday was the hottest day for many weeks.

Again forest fires are burning around here on the mountains west and south of town causing much heat and very disagreeable weather.

One day last week the bees of Carl Swanguen were in danger of being destroyed by fire, but fortunately men came and fought the fire back.

F. Castillo of Pala was a weekend visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Camacho.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kelly returned home the first of the week from their extended trip to the northern part of California. They were gone two weeks and in the time they visited many places of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Scott of Pala were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ventura Arviso.

The foreman of Doran and Daley resigned his work at the Pala grade and left for San Diego Tuesday afternoon by auto stage.

Another bunch of cattle arrived from Arizona for the Vail Bros. These cattle are brought here to be fattened and then are sold to the packinghouse at San Bernardino and Los Angeles.

Mr. Scheriff of the Pauba Ranch was in town yesterday buying lumber and looking after some other business interests. He also visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swain, his old acquaintances.

Joseph Winkels is gone. One day last week he took out his auto and drove away, nobody knows where. He does take little spins once in a while, but comes back soon. This time he has not come back yet, and his smiling face is missed at the post office by his friends. When he comes after his mail he usually wears a broad smile. Joseph is a good old soul.

Mr. and Mrs. Liney D. Helm and children left for Escondido Monday and will be gone a few days. They have gone there on business interests.

S. Burnham of Perris was a business caller at the store of Mac Machado the first of the week.

The Mission Store is receiving a new coat of paint, getting ready for winter rain

# November 2, 1917

Funeral of Mrs. Barnett

The Funeral of Mrs. Eli E. Barnett took place from her late residence, near Temecula, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. F. L. Carrier, principal of the Elsinore high school, officiated, and a quartet composed of Mrs. Carrier, Miss Ruth Frothingham, Robert Kirkpatrick and Prof. Carrier, furnished appropriate music. The floral offerings were many and beautiful, consisting of wreaths, bouquets and other floral designs, the most noted of which was the large five-pointed star, made of variegated flowers in five colors, green, red, purple and white, emblematic of the five colors of the order of the Eastern Star.

The services were very impressive and the attendance very large. All of the nine children of the deceased were present and many of the twenty-nine grandchildren were also present. It was one of the largest funerals ever held in the Temecula Valley and showed the very high esteem in which the deceased was held by her family, neighbors, friends and the whole surrounding country.

A very long procession of mourners followed the remains to the grave in the Temecula cemetery where the last sad rites were conducted by the Elsinore chapter Order of Eastern Star of which the deceased was a charter member. Her husband is a devoted member of the Masonic Fraternity while her son Adrian B. Barnett is Past Master of the Elsinore lodge of Masons.

At the grave the officers of Elsinore chapter O. E. S. rendered the ritual of the order. Mrs. Frances Frothingham being Worthy Matron and C. S. Merrifield Worthy Patron. The five points of the star were represented by Sisters Mrs. James Stewart, Ruth Frothingham, Mrs. James Gyger, Mrs. A. S. Burnham and Mrs. Howe Woodford.

The deceased was 60 years, 3 months and 15 days old when she died and leaves a family of nine children, a husband and many relatives and friends to mourn her loss. Her husband, Eli E. Barnett, has been one of the foremost highly esteemed and prominent citizens and landowners of the Temecula Valley for many years. He has been a devoted Mason for many years and one of his sons, Adrian B. Barnett, is past master of the Elsinore lodge. The deceased being a charter member of the Elsinore chapter O. E. S. the attendance from the chapter was large. Every member attended that could go.

The deceased was a native of Iowa and came to the valley about 25 years ago.

# **November 2, 1917**

Adolph Chaqua, for many years Indian policeman at the Pechanga Indian reservation, died Sunday, October 27, 1917, at Aguanga. The remains were brought to Pechanga for interment in the Pechanga cemetery. Chaqua has been sick for the past eight months. He leaves a wife and five children to mourn his death.

In the second Liberty Loan, Temecula made a fine showing when she subscribed \$77,200. This is better showing than most the towns in the county can boast of, and it also shows how patriotic our people are in backing up the boys at the front.

A dance will be given at the Bank hall tomorrow night to which everybody is invited.

Adrian B. Barnett has done fine in the sugar beet culture. He has shipped to the factory about 200 tons and has more to ship yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Smith left Sunday for Hemet and a two weeks' vacation. Mr. Smith is employed at the Friedemann Meat Market.

George T. Hall and Joe Cazas, two of Temecula's Liberty soldiers who went to Camp Lewis, American Lake, Washington, were transferred to Camp Kearney, San Diego county, last week. The boys are happy and are enjoying themselves.

Rev. Father George Doyle of the Pala Mission was in town one day last week. (Mail your communication earlier so we will have time to set it in full)

# **November 9, 1917**

Mrs. Robertson of Cottonwood, mother of Mark M. Robertson, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Nienke the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Freeman spent Sunday at the camp of Salazar, father of Mrs. Freeman.

Mrs. Uribes and children drove last week to Prado to spend a few days at the home of Mrs. Uribes' parents.

Albert Banks shipped the last of the week two carloads of grain to the Globe mills at Colton. He has more to sell yet. Mac Machado, proprietor of the Mission Store, made a business trip to San Diego last week.

James O. Freeman and crew started to bale alfalfa hay for Eli E. Barnett.

On November 10, there will be a dance given at the new schoolhouse at Wolf Valley, which will be completed some time this week. The new building is much larger than the old one and will be more comfortable for the children. Everybody is invited to attend the dance and eat tamales manufactured by Mrs. Frank Camacho.

Autumn is the evening of the year when every forest is a sunset and every tree a burning bush.

Lawrence Miller of Murrieta was in town the last of the week.

Mr. Pierce of Auld was in town Saturday after a load of lumber.

The dance at the bank hall Saturday night, given by Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall and Miss Mabel Helm was a great success. Supper was served in the lunchrooms.

The family of Albert F. Nienke spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Robertson at Cottonwood.

James Rawson, teacher at the little Temecula schoolhouse, spent Saturday and Sunday at Hemet looking after his potato crop.

The granite that Joe Winkels discovered some time ago is a very fine specimen. He had some of it polished and it looks very good. It takes the polish very well and it looks just as good as the eastern granite. Joe expects to do more on it and expects to sell some of it soon.

Louis Carrillo of Murrieta, who last week was coming home from San Luis Rey, where he went to visit his uncle Philip Carrillo, got mixed up with another person some where at Bonsall. The man being in a drunken condition lost the saddle blankets and accused this man of stealing. Then this fellow tried his best to pacify Carrillo by telling him that he did not know anything about the saddle blankets, but Carrillo insisted that they were stolen. A fight ensued in which the Mexican drew a knife and the other fellow struck the Mexican over the head with a club in self-defense. Carrillo was knocked down senseless with a fractured head. He was brought to Murrieta and then was hurried to the hospital at Riverside in a critical condition.

Henry Hamilton, a very successful cattle raiser at Cahuilla, was in town the first of the week.

Miss Ethel Hall, who is attending school at Los Angeles, was a visitor at her parents' home for a while. She returned to continue her studies the first of the week after having had a good time.

Charles Swain returned home from Pauma Saturday night. He has been there for the past week arranging things at the ranch, where he is going to move his family in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Hall and daughter Ethel and Mrs. Carl Swanguen motored to Camp Kearney, San Diego county, Sunday, where they visited their son George, who is a soldier boy. They returned the same day.

Charles Roripaugh, who is a soldier at Camp Kearney, was a visitor Sunday at the home of his brother Roy and Jack Roripaugh.

#### November 16, 1917

The dance given at the little Temecula schoolhouse was enjoyed by all who attended it. Music was furnished by Ben Amago and Sat Calac. The proceeds are to go to buying a flag for the school.

A number of soldier boys from Camp Kearney, Linda Vista, went through town to Riverside. They are a fine lot of young men that this country is proud of. Most of them were Riversiders.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Scott of Pala were staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ventura Arviso while the baby was ill. They left for their home the last of the week.

Mrs. John B. Kelly left for Oceanside Wednesday to spend a short time. Mrs. Kelley is in poor health and she goes to the beach to recuperate.

Rev. Father George Doyle of the Pala Mission stopped a few moments in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Smith returned to town Sunday from Hemet, their former home, where they had been spending a three weeks' vacation. Mr. Smith has resumed his work in the meat market.

Tom Tune of Hemet, who has been employed by Friedemann in the butcher shop for the past few months, is through with his work and will go back to Hemet, his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swain moved to Pauma last week. Mr. Sheriff of Los Angeles has a small ranch and cannot look after it on account of other business that takes him away most of the time so he employed Mr. Swain to take charge of the ranch at \$50 per month.

Died, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ventura Arviso, a baby girl at the age of six months. Interment was made at the Pechanga cemetery.

Mrs. Eliza A. Alvarez of San Marcos was in town the last of the week looking after business interests.

B. J. Smith of Elsinore, who had the contract of building the new schoolhouse at Temecula, left for his home Saturday. Friday he completed the building and it is a very fine looking school, which is a credit to the community. Mr. Smith always does good work. He did a good job in the new Catholic Church here.

Another fine bunch of cattle were shipped to San Bernardino the last of the week by the Vails.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wily, employee of the Santa Fe, left for San Bernardino Friday noon with their sick little girl. In the evening word was received that the little child died on arriving at San Bernardino.

Joe Sove left Monday morning for Los Angeles, where he will spend a few days visiting friends and then he will go to Imperial Valley, where his employer is waiting for him.

# **December 7, 1917**

Tom Tune, former employee at the Friedemann's Meat Market was in town one day last week. He is now located Fallbrook doing the same work in the butcher shop there.

R. Williams of Fresno, California has been installed as station agent in Mr. Scott's place, who is now assistant cashier at the bank.

All business was suspended on Thanksgiving Day and many had their dinners out of town.

Cal. Escallier, who has been working around Riverside and other places, was in town all the week visiting his folks.

Mrs. Eliza A. Alvarez made a business trip to Riverside last Monday returning same day.

George Studley, foreman of the cowboys at the Pauba Ranch left for Fallbrook, where he spent Thanksgiving with his folks.

Neal Fernald, who for the past few months has been attending school at Los Angeles arrived home Wednesday and spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. Catherine B. Fernald and his brother and sisters. They were all glad to have Neal with them for the short time. Neal returned to Los Angeles Monday to continue his studies. We hear that he is getting along fine with his studies. Neal always was a good boy.

James P. Rawson made a business trip to San Diego the last of the week

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Elvetzi A. Cantarini, former cashier at the First National Bank, Temecula, and who recently enlisted in the army, now at Camp Kearney, San Diego, was a guest of honor at the home of his parents for Thanksgiving dinner, returning same day to camp.

Mrs. Eliza A. Alvarez has leased her small ranch east of town to Mr. E. Abalos for one year at the rate of ten dollars per month.

Mrs. John M. Carr left for Oceanside last week to spend a time at the beach. She will stay with her sister, Mrs. John B. Kelly, who went there some time ago for her health. Recently it was learned that she was much better.

Miss Mary Guddman was a weekend visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Freeman.

Mrs. Nieves Mouren, Mrs. James O. Freeman and Mrs. Liney D. Helm made a business trip to Hemet Monday returning same day.

Juan Munoa has three teams hauling baled straw from around Alamos and is storing it in the barn of Mrs. Alvarez. John Magee moved from town to the old adobe south of town the first of the week.

John Shaver, road supervisor, was in town a few days ago in the interests of the roads.

Henry Birdugo (Verdugo) of Aguanga has been hauling lumber for the past week for Mr. Bergman at Aguanga. Mr. Bergman is rebuilding the barn that was destroyed by fire last summer.

Tom Scott, former station agent at the Santa Fe is now assistant cashier at the bank.

Alexander J. Escallier is the owner of a five-passenger automobile.

Mrs. Archie Dean Nicholas, wife of Archie Dean Nicholas, working for Mrs. Catherine B. Fernald at the Valley Garage left a few days ago for Chicago to spend the coming holidays with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Scott of Pala were visiting at the Arviso home for a week, leaving for their home the last of the week.

George Hall, a liberty soldier boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall, came over from Camp Kearney, San Diego Co. last week Wednesday and spent Thanksgiving with his parents, returning to camp Thursday afternoon. He is looking well and it seems that army life don't bother him. His many friends were glad to see him once again.

Miss Mary Vail, sister of Mr. Vail was a visitor at the Pauba Ranch last week.

### **December 14, 1917**

George D. Pettrie, who for the past two years has been fireman on the passenger train between here and San Bernardino, left the first of the week to take another job at San Bernardino on the same line, the Santa Fe. Mr. Pettrie was one of the faithful employees of the company.

One day last week Mrs. James E. Freeman and Mrs. Francisca Escallier spent the day at Rainbow.

Mrs. Alfred Knott left the first of the week for Loma Linda, California, where she will remain for a time. Mrs. Knott goes there for her health.

Mrs. John B. Kelly returned home last Thursday from Oceanside where she had been for a month on account of her health.

Thomas Rawson was a weekend visitor and called on Mr. Machado.

Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall spent a few days in Los Angeles the first of the week returning home Saturday in company with Mr. and Mrs. Simon, Miss Irene Vardy and Miss Ethel Hall. With the exception of Mrs. Hall all the rest of the party returned to Los Angeles Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Clark spent a few days in Los Angeles last week and while there Mrs. Clark visited with her relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. B. Freeman left for Colton with her sick husband Saturday afternoon. They made the trip on the bus of William T. Barton.

Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall received from her son George T. Hall a photo of Company H now at Camp Kearney, San Diego County. It is a fine picture.

In a fast basketball game at the little Temecula schoolhouse last Friday afternoon the basketball team of the Temecula union school defeated the little Temecula basketball team by the score of 11 to 10. Both teams played an excellent game, but the union schoolboys had the advantage of more practice and they didn't get as excited as much as the other boys. This is the first time in the history of the two schools that the boys have met in any kind of a game. Each team tried is best to win the honors for its school.

Thomas Arviso, government farmer at the Pechanga Indian reservation Saturday married Miss Mary Attache of Pechanga. They are living at the Indian school just now.

Miss Helen Chawa left Saturday for Riverside where she has secured employment for the winter.

James E. Crew potato planter at the Pauba Ranch is through picking spuds and has realized a good crop this fall.

The Misses Ada and Mabel Helm spent Sunday motoring along the coast to San Diego and back.

Paul Cantarini spent Sunday at Camp Kearney visiting with his brother Elvetzi A. Cantarini, who is a liberty soldier boy. Paul Cantarini says that he saw George Hall and he was looking well.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Guenther of the Murrieta Hot Springs were in town shopping Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frances McCarrell of Tripp Valley were in town Tuesday after a load of hay.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tripp and son moved from town to the old Magee place.

Mr. Crooks of Rainbow was in town Tuesday with a load of cream for shipment.

Merrill Kolb, who for the past few years has been a faithful employee at George A. Burnham & Son's store is going to resign in the near future and will move his family to San Marcos. Mr. Kolb is going into the farming business. Burnham & Son will lose a valuable man and all Merrill Kolb's friends are sorry to know that he will leave soon.

Ernest Sweet, who at present is stay at Mr. Amos W. Kolb's place, is the man who will take Merrill Kolb's place in the store.

Miss Mary Guddman of Rainbow is a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos W. Kolb, south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott of Pala were first of the week visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ventura Arviso.

# December 21, 1917

Mrs. Alfred Knott returned home the last of the week from Loma Linda where she spent two weeks. Mrs. Knott is not well and we hope that these outings will do her a lot of good.

Last week Friday a carload of grain arrived in town for the government and is being hauled to the Pala and Pechanga reservations. Some of the grain is for seed.

Last week tow men driving a truck went to the Pauba Ranch and stole hides and grain. They were loading the grain and hides when they were caught. The next morning they were taken to Riverside with the truck loaded with hides and grain. Poor business, that.

Mr. Griffith of Murrieta was a business caller in town Saturday.

Verna Rail of Murrieta is stopping at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Knott. Miss Rail is a sister of Mrs. Knott and is helping to take care of the babies.

Miss Ethel Walters who for the past few months has been attending high school at Hemet, returned home Friday and will spend the Christmas and New Year's holidays with her parent.

Richard Escallier who for the past few months was assistant clerk at the Santa Fe depot resigned his position last week through some misunderstanding but was reinstated a few days afterwards.

Neal Fernald came home Saturday from Los Angeles where he has been attending school. He will spend the holidays at home with his mother, brothers and sisters and then will return to continue his studies in which we learn that he is doing well considering the short time he has been there.

Last Saturday Mrs. Lizzie M. Hall installed gaslights in her restaurant, doing away with the oil lamps. The lights are quite an improvement. They light the dining room more and are less work.

Mrs. Preston V. Swanguen and Mrs. John Cantarini motored to San Diego Saturday. On their way they visited Camp Kearney.

Postmaster John V. Gibb has advanced to the front by installing two gaslights in the post office. The lights are very good, indeed, so he has discarded his oil lamps. We suppose the old lamps are for sale. We don't know, we are just guessing.

Since the stores are closing at 6:30 p.m. the town looks very lonesome, except Saturday when they close at 9:30 p.m.

Paul Cantarini left for Los Angeles the first of the week to enlist in the army.

B. Smith of Elsinore was in town last week hanging the bell on the church tower. It is an old bell over 200 years old. Miss Hattie Welty is back again at her home after spending a very pleasant time at San Bernardino and other places. Juan Monera (Monua?) finished building his house south of town last week. He moved all his furniture from the old place and now he is comfortably housed.

Dr. J. A. Sturgess of Murrieta was a business caller at the bank Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcos Golsh of Rincon were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Liney D. Helm at the upper end of the Pauba Ranch. Mr. Golsh is a very successful bee man at Rincon. He did well in the honey this last summer.

Wong Gar who planted potatoes at the farm of Eli E. Barnett is through picking and is having them hauled to Mr. Grant Howard's place where Mr. Gar intends planting next spring.

Joe Winkels built two cement walls on the entrance to his garage. He means to keep the water on its course as every winter the water runs by his place. Joe has a level square head.

Mrs. Baxter of Ethanac was a business caller in town the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Robertson of Cottonwood were in town the first of the week after a load of freight.

Charles Hadsall of Murrieta was in town Monday looking after business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Kolb moved Wednesday to San Marcos, where they will make their future home. Mr. Kolb is going into the farming business. We all hope he'll do well.

Mr. James Banks, Albert Banks, and James Banks, Jr. motored to Camp Kearney Sunday. They report spending a very pleasant day at the camp.

# December 28, 1917

Ralph Williams who for a few weeks was station agent here for the Santa Fe left the first of the week for his home at Fresno, California, where he will spend the Christmas holidays.

Frank Camacho, who is work for Doran and Daley, road contractors who at present are building the Pala grade, came home Saturday to spend Christmas at his home. He will return to work the middle of the week.

The dance given at the Little Temecula schoolhouse by Albert Banks was well attended. Everybody who was there say that they had a good time. Music was furnished by Ben Amago and Pat Calac.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Humphrey left last week for Needles. Mr. Humphrey while here was employed by the Santa Fe. He went to Needles and has the same work for the same company. Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey lived here only a few weeks.

Mrs. Van Nest of Inglewood, Los Angeles County, is spending the holidays with her daughter Mrs. Catherine B. Fernald and Mrs. Ormiston Gonzalez.

M. Mac Machado had one of his houses moved back to one of his lots. The lot was where the house stood belongs to Phelp Cazar.

Liney D. Helm bought the old school building in Wolf Valley and had it moved into town. Mr. and Mrs. Liney D. Helm are going to live in town in the future.

Gaslights have been installed in the assembly hall of the Union school and give better lights than oil lamps. It is a great improvement.

Mrs. Paul E. Clark and Miss M. Helm made a trip to Riverside Wednesday, taking Mr. V. Melena to the doctor for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Banks made a trip to Arlington where their daughter, Esther Banks is attending school, returning the same day.

Miss M. A. Welty spent a few days at San Bernardino last week.

Mrs. William T. Barton and daughter Ethel spent a week in Los Angeles visiting relatives and friends, returning home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Holland left for San Bernardino where they will make their future home. Mr. Holland here was employed on the Santa Fe. They have lived here for the past fifteen months. Mr. and Mrs. Holland had a host of friends who very much regret to have them leave.

Miss Esther Banks, who is attending school at Riverside, arrived home the last of the week. The Christmas tree and entertainment at the Union school which was held Friday, December 21, was a grand success. Every schoolboy and girl who had part in the program did his best and it was an excellent entertainment,

which goes to show that the teachers, Miss Alma Friedemann and Miss Alma Wilson, take a great interest in the children.

Mrs. Eliza A. Alvarez and son Johnny and Mr. Ricardo Cantarini left for Los Angeles Saturday afternoon by auto stage and will spend the holidays there. Miss Alvarez will visit with her cousins, the Medrans.

Wong Gar is shipping potatoes to Los Angeles. Mr. Gar had some fine spuds that were raised at the farm of Eli E. Barnett.

Vicente Melena, a Mexican, who was employed by Paul E. Clark at the Pauba Ranch was taken sick one day last week and died Friday morning. The funeral was held at the Catholic Church, Temecula and interment was made at the Temecula graveyard. He leaves a wife and two children.

Ed Vail, brother of Mahlon Vail, at the Pauba Ranch went through town Saturday afternoon on his way to Los Angeles. Edward is a Liberty soldier boy now stationed at Camp Kearney, San Diego. He was around for a few minutes shaking hands with his old friends. He says that he likes army life.

Joseph Winkels spent a few days in Los Angeles last week looking after business interests.

Ethel Hall, who is attending school at Los Angeles, came home Saturday night to spend the holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Scott of Pala were weekend visitors at the house of Mr. and Mrs. Ventura Arviso.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hamilton of San Jacinto were visiting the Escalliers Sunday. Mr. Hamilton is a large cattle raiser in the Cahuilla Mountains.

Mrs. John M. Carr left for Los Angeles the last of the week where she will spend a week or ten days before returning home.

George Hall, who is a Liberty soldier boy at Camp Kearney, spent Christmas with his parents and returned back to camp Wednesday. His many friends were glad to see him once again. George is enjoying good health and likes army life.

On Christmas afternoon the boys from town and the boys from Pauba Ranch had a bronco busting. The following boys rode: Cal Waggoner, Joe Verdugo, Luis Chawa and Reginald Attache. They all rode and stayed on except Joe Verdugo, who could not stick. There was a large crowd to see the fun.

#### May 10, 1918

Last Sunday the Temecula base ball club journeyed to the Hot Springs where they played the Riverside base ball club and were defeated by the score of 14 to 3. Too bad boys.

Mr. and Mrs. William Friedemann and son Billy motored Saturday to the San Bernardino Mountains, where they had a good time fishing. Mr. Friedemann was very successful, catching 47 fish.

Next Sunday, May 12, the Temecula baseball team will play the Highgrove team at the Murrieta Hot Springs ball grounds at 2:30 p.m.

Coroner Dickson of Riverside was in town Tuesday morning. He came to hold an inquest over a Mexican who died Monday night.

Dr. Crandall of Pala was a business caller in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Simon and daughter and Mrs. White arrived from Los Angeles Tuesday afternoon and will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hall.

Mrs. Griffin of Elsinore was a business caller in town Saturday. Coming with her was Rev. Father J. Ricardo Purtill of Elsinore.

The death of the mother of Mrs. William T. Barton of Pomona was announced here last week. All her friends sympathized in her bereavement.

One evening last week we motored to the Pauba Ranch dairy and saw everything was spick and span. This dairy is one of the largest sanitary dairies in the county. Mike Pomo, head foreman, is a very enterprising man. He keeps everything in good order and clean. Five men do the milking of about 120 cows. William T. Barton has the contract of hauling the milk to the station and makes two trips in the evening on his auto truck, bringing 21 cans each load. On Sunday morning he makes a trip to Riverside with as many cans of milk and from there they are shipped to Los Angeles on Sunday. We have no trains. Mr. Vail surely deserves credit for having such a fine up-to-date dairy on his Pauba Ranch.

Genevieve Pope, who spent a few months at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Barton, left for Long Beach the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Banks and Mr. and Mrs. George Moraga spent Sunday at Riverside and at Arlington. Mr. and Mrs. Banks also visited their daughter Esther at Sherman.

Joe and Jack Welty left last week for the mountains near Aguanga to be gone for a few weeks on a camping trip. Joe was under the weather nearly all of last winter, suffering with rheumatism and he hopes that an outing will do him good.

Juan Munoa left by auto stage the last of the week for San Marcos, where he is about to get his machinery ready to start having.

Herman Mier, who was assistant operator for the Santa Fe for the past four months, was transferred last week to South Pasadena, leaving immediately for his new field of work. All his friends wish him success.

Mrs. John B. Kelly returned home the last of the week from Ethanac, where she spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Baxter and family.

Hugh Magee of Pala was in town the last of the week looking after business interests.

Mahlon Vail, of the Pauba Ranch, is this week in Los Angeles on business.

Juan Satillo of Murrieta was in town Saturday looking for places