

H I S T O R Y
of
CHEVIOT HILLS POST #501
THE AMERICAN LEGION

Fiscal years
1934-35-36-37

Compiled by
Bernard Geissler
Post Historian



PREAMBLE TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE
AMERICAN LEGION

For God and country, we associate ourselves together for the following purposes: To uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America; to maintain law and order; to foster and perpetuate a one hundred per cent Americanism; to preserve the memories and incidents of our association in the great war; to inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation; to combat the autocracy of both the classes and the masses; to make right the Master of might; to promote peace and good will on earth; to safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy; to consecrate and sanctify our comradeship by our devotion to mutual helpfulness.

Cheviot Hills Post #501 of The American Legion, Los Angeles, Department of California, was fathered by Comrades Fowler D Jones, Bernard Geissler and Hal Hughes. It was organized on April 30th., 1934 at the Palomar Club, 3084 Motor Avenue, Cheviot Hills.

This Post was organized in virgin territory. Dedicated to the ideals and principles of the National American Legion and SERVICE to the Post's community, comprising Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands.

H-I-S-T-O-R-Y lays the foundation
for future achievement.

ORIGINAL TEMPORARY CHARTER
MEMBERS

(in order signed)

- 1 Fowler D Jones
- 2 Walter C Thiel
- 3 Bernard Geissler
- 4 R E Mattice
- 5 J Norris Hicks
- 6 Frank Sullivan
- 7 Frank W Martineau
- 8 Charles H Potter
- 9 Hal Hughes
- 10 Conrad A Nerwig
- 11 Lewis C Fields
- 12 H G Barton
- 13 Warren K Anderson
- 14 Paul G Neal
- 15 N E Mudge
- 16 W Hall

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Commander

HAL HUGHES
1st Vice Commander

FRANK W. MARTINEAU
2nd Vice Commander

J. NORRIS HICKS
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AMERICAN LEGION

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May 12, 1934

CHEVIOT HILLS POST STAGES FIRST DANCE

The new Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 is holding its first dance Saturday night, May 19, at the Palomar Club, 3084 Motor avenue. The club is located in back of the Hillcrest and Rancho Golf courses. Dancing, refreshments and good entertainment. Bridge games for those not caring to dance. Tickets are 50 cents.

New Legion Post Picks Staff, Opens Membership Drive

Following its organization and election of officers, the American Legion's newest addition, Cheviot Hills post, today launched a drive for new members.

The post was organized at the Palomar clubhouse and elected the following officers:

Fowler D. Jones, commander; Hal Hughes, first vice commander; Frank Martineau, second vice commander; C. D. Aseltine, adjutant; Walter Thiel, finance officer; Bernard Geissler, historian, and J. Norris Hicks, chaplain.

Membership is open to all ex-service men living in Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista and Country Club Highlands.

A dance for members and their friends will be held at the Palomar clubhouse on May 19.

May 5, 1934

TWENTY-FOUR DISTRICT ADDS THIRD NEW POST TO ITS LIST

By SCHUYLER GRAVES, A.B.S.

The Aristocratic District now numbers among its members the third new Post since the redistricting. The baby Post is now the new Cheviot Hills Post, which is meeting at the Palomar Country Club next Monday night. This "ritzy" Post is a welcome addition to the Aristocratic District.

At the meeting held last week, the following officers were elected: Fowler D. Jones, commander; Hal Hughes, first vice commander; Frank Martineau, second vice commander; C. D. Aseltine, adjutant; Walter Thiel, finance officer; Bernard Geissler, historian, and J. Norris Hicks, chaplain.

They are extremely anxious to have all of the ex-service men living in Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista, and Country Club Highlands attend the next meeting and, of course, will welcome any visiting Legionnaires who would care to at-

tend. Let's have a good representation from the 24th District to give his new Post a good send off. They are staging a dance to be held at the Palomar Club house on May 19th at \$1.00 a couple, which will be well worth attending.

8:30 SATURDAY NIGHT

MAY 19

PALOMAR TENNIS CLUB

3084 MOTOR AVE.

DANCE — \$1 Couple

EX-SERVICE MEN IN BEVERLY HILLS,
WESTWOOD, MONTE MAR VISTA,
CHEVIOT HILLS and CULVER CITY

CORDIALLY INVITED

**Sponsored by the Newly Organized
CHEVIOT HILLS POST OF AMERICAN LEGION**

ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, May 17, 1934

LEGION POST DANCE

Cheviot Hills Post of the American Legion will give a Pre-Charter Dance (informal) on Saturday evening, in its regular meeting place, The Palomar Club, 3084 Motor Avenue. This newly formed Post comprises Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands. The Post solicits the attendance of people in above mentioned districts.

TICKETS
79c ADMIT ONE

50c

Pre Charter Dance

Saturday Evening, May 19, 1934

-Auspices-

**CHEVIOT HILLS POST
AMERICAN LEGION**

At The

PALOMAR CLUB- 3084 MOTOR AVE.

THE AMERICAN LEGION WEEKLY BULLETIN

May 26, 1934

CHEVIOT HILLS POST TO
INSTALL OFFICERS NEXT
MONDAY NIGHT

Next Monday night at the California Country Club the newly elected officers of Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 will be installed by Commander John D. Home of the Twenty-fourth District. The meeting will start at 8 p.m.

The California Country Club is located near Monte Mar Vista.

ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, June 7, 1934

Next Meeting of New
Legion Post Tuesday

The newly formed Cheviot Hills post of the American Legion, comprising Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands, announces its next regular meeting to be held on Tuesday evening, June 12, at the California Country club, on Club drive in Monte Mar Vista.

Wonderful progress has marked the development of the new post, according to Bernard Geissler, post historian, who urges all veterans, not already affiliated with other organizations to become members of the post and to attend the next meeting.

ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, June 21, 1934

Open Meeting Sponsored
By Legion Post, Tues.

An open meeting, to which all resident of the district are invited, is being sponsored by the new Cheviot Hills post of the American Legion, next Tuesday night at the Rancho Country club. Dr. George Parrish, health officer, will talk on the prevention of infantile paralysis.

LOS ANGELES EVENING HERALD
AND EXPRESS

JUNE 26, 1934

Cheviot Hills Post
Of Legion Holds
Initiation Tonight

Members and officers of the newly organized Cheviot Hills post American Legion, will be initiated tonight at an open meeting of the newly organized ex-service men's body in the club house of the Rancho Country Club, it was announced today by Fowler Jones, commander.

The ceremony will be in charge of the initiatory team of the Hollywood post.

Dr. George Parrish, city health officer, will address the veterans, their families and friends upon the subject of infantile paralysis, and give general information on preventive measures that may be taken against the disease.

The new post, organized a few weeks ago, has pledged itself to work for community betterment, and has taken a keen interest in civic affairs.

Note- Our Dance of May 19th, was in charge of Comrade Paul G Neal, as Chairman of Entertainment Committee. He, his committee and members did good work. 125 couples attended. A good time was had by all and the Post netted a profit of approximately \$70.00

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Monday, June 25, 1934

GEORGE PARRISH

Los Angeles Health Officer

WILL TALK ON

"INFANTILE PARALYSIS, ITS SYMPTOMS and PREVENTION"

AT THE

**Rancho
Country Club**

**TUESDAY EVE.
JUNE 26TH**

**CHEVIOT HILLS POST,
American Legion**

Infantile Paralysis has suddenly spread to an alarming proportion in the City and County of Los Angeles. This Post has taken up the task, in protection to it's own members and families, and as a community service, of assisting in combatting the dread-disease.

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June 25th 1934.

MEETING OPEN TO ALL

Cheviot Hills Post American Legion

RANCHO COUNTRY CLUB

7:45 P.M., TUESDAY, JUNE 26

DR. GEORGE PARRISH, CITY HEALTH OFFICER

WILL TALK ON

INFANTILE PARALYSIS

Note- Literature compiled by the Board of Health, dealing with Infantile Paralysis, it's symptoms and prevention, was given to and distributed by this Post, to residents of the community.

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EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Saturday, June 30, 1934

LEGION CHIEF



Fowler Jones (above), commander, and other officers of the newly organized Cheviot Hills American Legion post, were installed this week in ceremonies at Rancho Country Club.

ILLUSTRATED DAILY NEWS,

LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1934

P. E. Plea to Curb Service Protested

The request of the Pacific Electric railway to abandon passenger service of the Santa Monica "airline," one of the oldest interurban services in the county, brought protests and a split vote in the city council yesterday. Final action was delayed for a week.

Cheviot Hills post, American Legion, and numerous residents told the council that if the twice-daily passenger service were discontinued, many persons who have no other means of transportation would be unable to get to their work in Los Angeles.

THE AMERICAN LEGION WEEKLY BULLETIN

July 14, 1934

24th DISTRICT NEWS

By SCHUYLER GRAVES

The 24th District is making their final drive for membership, and you can expect to see the Aristocratic Boys sitting near the front at the San Francisco Convention.

On Tuesday, July 10th, Pacific Post No. 290 elected their officers for the ensuing year, which are as follows: Commander, Fred Hill; First Vice-Commander, Erwin McElroy; Second Vice-Commander, Walter Hamiel; Adjutant, Paul J. McDonald; Finance Officer, Jack Ventuleth; Sergeant-at-Arms, Harold Temple; Historian, William Stoner; Delegates to the Department Convention, Comrades Hill, Andreason, and Ventuleth; Alternates, Comrades McElroy, Strommer and Watkins. Many congratulations to these Comrades.

The District held a party at the Women's Club in Sawtelle on July 11th for the Comrades in the Sawtelle Hospital. A great crowd attended and seemed to enjoy the home-made cakes, beer, etc.

Cheviot Hills Post 501 is holding their annual mid-summer dance at the Rancho Country Club tonight, July 14th. The price of the tickets is \$1.00 per couple, and this affair should be well worth attending.

Don't forget the mid-summer frolic of the Luncheon Club to be held on July 21st at the Breakfast Club, 3213 Riverside Drive. This dance and good time will be one of the biggest events of the season and should have a big attendance from the Aristocratic District.

Admit **One**

508

Tickets **50c**

Mid-Summer Dance
Saturday Evening, July 14th, 1934
Time: 9:00 to 1:00

— AUSPICES —
 Cheviot Hills Post No. 501
AMERICAN LEGION

AT THE
RANCHO COUNTRY CLUB
 MOTOR AVENUE AND PICO BLVD.

This dance was in charge of Comrade Robt. Reynolds. He, his committee and members did fine work. A good time was enjoyed and the Post netted slightly over \$50.00 profit.

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AUG. 2-1934

SUBSTITUTE LINE TO RUN WEST OF MAIN

Brainard To Offer Plan For Service; To Give Universal Transfer

90-Day Trial Sought

Decision on Railway Request To Abandon Present Line Expected Next Week

(Exclusive)

With action delayed until next week on the request of the Pacific Electric railway to abandon passenger service on the Santa Monica "airline," operating on Exposition boulevard, Councilman Byron B. Brainard announced yesterday that when final action is taken on the railway's plea he would propose operation of a shuttle service on Exposition west of Main street.

Providing universal transfers, this line, according to Brainard's plan, would offer transportation at 7-cent fare. How far the line would run west would be determined by the railway. Crenshaw boulevard or, perhaps the Culver City junction, would be the western terminus, it is the belief of the Fifth District councilman.

Hourly Headway

Service throughout the day on an hourly schedule would be maintained, the proposal indicates.

"In view of the fact that passenger service will be discontinued," says Brainard, "it is imperative that some service be provided for residents. This shuttle would need but one car and one operator. It would

Note- The Santa Monica Air-Line has served this community for many years and to abandon this service would mean considerable inconvenience for the residents, including several members of the Post.

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give the people some facility until such a time that Exposition is included in the state highway system and the roadway opened to Crenshaw boulevard. Then a bus line could be established very easily."

Brainard intimated yesterday that he would seek a 90-day trial service of this shuttle service.

The request of the Pacific Electric that passenger service on this "airline", one of the oldest inter-urban services in the county, be abandoned brought protests and a split vote in the council.

Final action was thus automatically delayed until next week.

Protests Heard

Cheviot Hills post, American Legion, and numerous individual residents told the council that if the twice-daily passenger service were discontinued many persons who have no other means of transportation would be unable to get to their work in Los Angeles.

Protestants declared that the freight service of the Pacific Electric over the line would more than offset any losses in the small volume of passenger business.

Stephen W. Cunningham supported Brainard in asking denial of the abandonment petition. Absence of Councilman Baker caused a tie vote.

Los Angeles Times

AUGUST 8, 1934.

TROLLEY ACTION DELAYED

Action on the ordinance permitting the Pacific Electric to abandon passenger service on the Santa Monica airline route was deferred by the City Council yesterday until September 4. Council President Davis said negotiations are going forward on the matter.

ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, August 23, 1934

Mar Vista Legion
Country Club Dance

Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, comprising Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands, will give a sport dance at the Rancho Golf club, Motor avenue and Pico boulevard, Saturday evening. Everyone in the above mentioned districts and their friends are invited.

Admit One---Tickets 50c

Mid-Summer Dance
(SPORT CLOTHES)

Saturday Evening, August 25th, 1934
TIME: 9:00 to 1:00

---AUSPICES---

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MOTOR AVENUE AT PICO BLVD.

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No
96



No
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Lucky Dime
Drawing

Drawing at Midnight,
August 25th, 1934

No
49



No
49

\$5.00 Cash
Bullock's
Merchandise Order

Drawing at Midnight,
August 25th, 1934

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Note-

The dance of August 25th was in charge of Comrade 2nd.Vice-Commander Frank W. Martineau. A good time was had by all and the people from the three tracts had an excellent opportunity to meet their neighbors socially. Considering that this affair was given in the heart of the vacation time, a profit, net, of \$38.86 reflected the best of work on the part of Comrade Martineau and plenty of cooperation by the other Officers and the members of the Post.

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THE SOUTHWEST WAVE

LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

Friday, September 21, 1934

**NEGATIVE ACTION
TO CUT SERVICE
IS REVERSED****Drafted Ordinance Sent
To Mayor Shaw For
Signature****Ends 3-Month Fight****Measure Gets O.K. at Last
Reading; Final Vote
Is 9 to 4**

In a surprise reversal of action, the city council this week authorized the Pacific Electric Railway company to abandon passenger service on the veteran Santa Monica Air Line railway, operating through Southwest Los Angeles via Exposition boulevard.

Early this week the council scored an unexpected 7-to-6 ballot against the ordinance that had been drafted to permit the abandonment.

On Wednesday, the ordinance was reconsidered, and was adopted by a 9-to-4 majority.

Goes to Mayor

Only the veto of Mayor Frank L. Shaw can prevent the ordinance becoming effective 30 days after its public printing.

The order to abandon the service ends a three-month fight on the part of Santa Monica and other suburban residents who fought to prevent its passage, claiming that they will be deprived of their only means of transportation to and from work in Los Angeles.

Local councilmen were also active in the fight to keep the service operating in the belief that the city should not relinquish its hold on this passenger service unless some assurance be given that an equitable transportation facility would be installed for the use of residents served by the Expo air line.

Councilman Earl C. Gay made the motion that brought the ordinance before the council for re-

consideration, and then put it on its passage.

Although he had maintained opposition to abandonment of the line, Councilman Gay stated yesterday that he reversed his vote because of assurance that the transportation company would cooperate with the city in the installation of some transportation at a time when Exposition boulevard is opened and adapted for some service.

"I seldom change a vote," he commented, "but this is one time that I believed it advisable to do so."

Councilman Brainard, who voted against abandonment during the entire three-month fight, stated that although he opposed the shutdown of this service, this action was probably the logical one to take.

He expressed belief that full cooperation would be secured from the railway at a time when Exposition is included in the California Secondary Highway system and it is opened and paved to Crenshaw boulevard.

Voting for the ordinance at the final reading were Councilmen John W. Baumgartner, Franklin P. Buyer, Gay, James M. Hyde, E. Snapper Ingram, Evan Lewis, Darwin W. Tate, Edwin L. Thrasher, and President Howard W. Davis.

Those against abandonment were Byron B. Brainard, Stephen W. Cunningham, Robert S. MacAlister, and Jim Wilson.

In the unexpected 7-to-6 negative action earlier in the week, the following councilmen voted to keep the service: Brainard, Buyer, Cunningham, Gay, MacAlister, Wilson, and Davis. Those who voted to adopt the measure were Baker, Baumgartner, Ingram, Lewis, who placed the ordinance on its passage, and Tate.

At the final ballot, Councilman Baker, who voted for the ordinance on the previous day, was absent. Thrasher was absent at the meeting on Tuesday. He voted for the ordinance at the final reading on Wednesday.

Thursday, September 20, 1934

**Monte Mar Vista Post
Community Social**

On Saturday evening, the Monte Mar Vista post of the American Legion and the wives of members, will sponsor a community social at the Rancho Golf club, Motor avenue and Pico boulevard.

Several fine entertainment acts and a playlet from the "gay 90's", will feature the program, and refreshments will be served during intermission.

Everyone in that district is invited by the post to attend the affair.

Above mentioned affair was a suggestion of Mrs. Fowler D Jones and taken seriously by Mrs. C D Aseltine, who enlisted many of our wives in the cause. It was a big success. A good time and a good profit is credited to the wives. They turned into our treasury, net \$67.15. Program and admittance card on next page.

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PROGRAM

RANCHO COUNTRY CLUB

September 22nd, 1934

Sponsored by

THE "GALS" of Cheviot Hills Legion Post No. 501

MUSIC

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The Celebrated Artist of Stage and Radio

MISS PHYLLIS ELLIS

has graciously consented to appear
in

Melodies of the Gay Nineties
Accompanied on the Piano

by

Miss Eve Applefield
Composer and Pianist

~

Number by Male Singer

~

THE HOLLYWOOD BARNSTORMER

Presents

A REVIVAL

of

The Famous Old Curtain-Raiser

"SHE COULDN'T SAY NO!"

or

"Mary, the Minister's Wife"

Especially Revised by Paul Deckard

~

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Mark Edwards—A Would-Be Artist.....Mr. Elliot
Mr. Edwards, his father, A Gay Old Boy.....Mr. de Bouille
Mrs. Edwards, A Saint if there ever was one.....Norine Gammill
Jack Douglas, A Minister with a Purpose.....Mr. Smurr
Mary, the Minister's Wife, who tries to do right, God Help Her..Miss Eve Unsell

Aunt Emma had to walk home from the first performance of "She Couldn't Say No." No, it wasn't Uncle Eli's fault. He was ever a man of probity. It was on account of the horse. Uncle Eli tied him to the hitching post just outside the Opera House window where he could see the show and the critter died laughing.

After long and successful runs in Gardena, Hawthorne, Sherman, and Emporia, Kan., "She Couldn't Say No" began to be considered passe about the time they began to wear the new smaller bustles.

But you can't keep a good play down!

Witness this revival! Witness this beer! (Taste if you must. We're broad-minded) Witness this assembly of wealth and culture!

This IS a revival!

After all "Midsummer Night's Dream" is older than this. If you can stand Max Reinhardt you can stand us. Cheer up, and try to enjoy the damn thing!

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The Man On The Flying Trapeze

Once I was happy but now I'm forlorn
Like an old coat that is tattered and torn
Left in this wide world to weep and to mourn
Betrayed by a maid in her teens.—

Oh, this maid that I loved she was handsome—
And I tried all I knew, her to please—
But I never could please her one quarter so well
As The Man On The Flying Trapeze!—

CHORUS—

He'd play with a miss like a cat with a mouse
His eyes would undress ev'ry maid in the house
Perhaps he is better described as a louse
But still people came just the same.—

He'd smile from the bar on the people below
And one night he smiled on my love—
She blew him a kiss and she hollered "Bravo"!
As he hung by his nose up above!—

CHORUS.

He floats thro' the air with the greatest of ease
The daring young man on the Flying Trapeze
His actions are graceful, all girls he does please
And my love he has stolen away.

CHEVIOT HILLS
AMERICAN LEGION POST No. 501

Presents

"She Couldn't Say No"

Sept. 22 Rancho Clubhouse

40 cents

8:30 P. M.

PLAN TO QUIT AIR LINE VETOED

Mayor Frank L. Shaw yesterday vetoed the ordinance permitting the Pacific Electric Railway Company abandon its passenger service on the Santa Monica Air Line.

The Mayor pointed out that this branch line traverses a thickly populated and fast growing section of Los Angeles and provides a desirable connection between the downtown section of the metropolitan district and the suburban and beach areas.

Mayor Shaw said that until the railway company gives some assurance that this western section of the city will be provided with adequate passenger service through the operation of other facilities, he is opposed to abandonment of existing service.

The city council will probably consider the Mayor's veto message today.

Los Angeles Herald-Express
September 27, 1934.

Veto of Plan to Abandon 'Airline' Explained by Shaw

Mayor Frank L. Shaw formally notified the city council today that he had disapproved and vetoed the ordinance for abandonment of passenger service over the Santa Monica airline of the Pacific Electric railway.

The mayor contended that, rather than surrender passenger service over the line, the company should increase it, and would thereby be able to develop enough patronage to make a profit.

The council referred the ordinance to its public utilities committee for further consideration.

NAVY FETES TO BE HELD

*Fleet's Return November 22
Will Be Second of Two
Events Celebrated*

Plans for a rousing Navy Day celebration in Los Angeles presaging a second community-wide observance which will welcome the United States fleet home from maneuvers in the Atlantic in November, were outlined by civic leaders yesterday.

The first great event will be the Navy Day observance on October 27, and the second will be the return of the United States fleet to its home waters, tentatively set for November 22.

The Navy Day committee will meet at the City Hall next Thursday night, October 4, to lay final plans for the Navy Day observance in November, according to Burton L. Hunter, chairman.

TENTATIVE PLANS

Tentative plans call for a series of events during the week of October 27, Mr. Hunter stated. On Tuesday, October 23, the American Legion Luncheon Club will observe Navy Day.

Probably the largest meeting of the week will be on the evening of Friday, October 26, at Patriotic Hall, when Gov. Merriam, Mayor Shaw, members of the Board of Supervisors and outstanding Naval men now in Los Angeles will speak.

On Navy Day, October 27, Boy Scout Troop No. 107, sponsored by Navy Post of the American Legion, will plant a tree on the City Hall lawn in honor of Theodore Roosevelt. Immediately afterward there will be a community observance of Navy Day on the City Hall steps, sponsored by Navy Post and presided over by Capt. J. Park Dougall of the California Naval Militia.

LUNCHEON PLANNED

At noon on Navy Day, there will be a luncheon celebration at the Hayward Hotel, sponsored by the Army and Navy Club. In the evening there will be a Navy Day dance at the Elks Club, sponsored by the Cheviot Hills Post of the American Legion.

The United States Fleet is scheduled to end its maneuvers on the East coast on Navy Day and sail for home. Present plans call for most of the battle force to leave Guantanamo on October 27 and pass through the Panama Canal a few days later.

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Note- Bernard Geissler was unanimously elected
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October 1, 1934



To the Residents of Cheviot Hills,
 Monte Mar Vista and Country Club Highlands:

On April 30 of this year the Cheviot Hills Post of the American Legion was organized with a membership composed of World War Veterans living in the district of which you are a resident.

The Post has pledged itself to a program of community betterment and among the improvements which its members have assisted in securing are:

1. The extended telephone service. This is the first step in a plan to secure unrestricted Los Angeles service at a reasonable cost.
2. The resurfacing of Motor Avenue, which is now in progress. An effort is being made to have other streets resurfaced later.
3. The proposal of the Pacific Electric Railway to discontinue passenger service on the Santa Monica Air Line has been delayed through the action of the Mayor and Council and there is a likelihood that this service may be continued. As it appears that some of our residents are not aware of this service, we are cooperating with the Pacific Electric Railway in presenting the following information. The continuance of this line will naturally depend upon the extent to which it is used.

This train leaves Santa Monica every day except Sunday at 6:40 a.m., Motor Avenue (at the bridge) 7:07 a.m. and arrives at Los Angeles (6th and Main) 7:52 a.m. Returning, it leaves Los Angeles (6th and Main) at 5:12 p.m. and arrives at Motor Avenue (at the bridge) 5:56 p.m. and Santa Monica at 6:22 p.m.

The following fares are in effect on this line between our community and Los Angeles:

One-way	20¢	Round-trip	40¢
10-Ride Commutation Ticket	\$1.65, or 16½¢ per ride		
Weekly Pass - \$1.90, or 16¢ per ride		Monthly Pass - \$7.50, or 14½¢ per ride	

The ten-ride ticket is limited to thirty days from date of sale and is good for any number of patrons up to the number of coupons in the book. The weekly and monthly passes are good for bearer and may be used any number of trips desired between our community and Los Angeles during the week or month for which issued, either on the Santa Monica Air Line or the Venice Short Line. These passes are also good for transportation in the first zone of the City of Los Angeles on local Pacific Electric cars.

Yours in the interest of community betterment,
 CHEVIOT HILLS POST 501 - AMERICAN LEGION

By C. D. Aseeltine
 Adjutant

October 6, 1934

Navy Day Assured Splendid Cooperation by Southern California Organizations

The meeting of the Navy Day Committee in the City Hall Thursday night revealed that the celebration planned for the Birthday of the United States Navy, October 27, 1934, which also marks the anniversary of the birth of Theodore Roosevelt, will be participated in by not only the American Legion but also other patriotic organizations, the press, radio stations, governmental officials and departments, the Chamber of Commerce, the Downtown Business Men's Association, various corporations and many of the larger stores.

While Navy Day was originated by the Navy League of the United States and is annually sponsored by that organization, some five years ago Navy Post No. 278 made this celebration one of its major activities. This year the county-wide celebration is being jointly sponsored by the County Council of the American Legion; and both the County Council of the Veterans of the Foreign Wars and the County Council of the Spanish-American War Veterans unanimously endorsed and agreed to support the program.

The General Chairman of Navy Day in the city and county, Burton L. Hunter, a Past Commander of Navy Post, selected to act for both the Navy League and the Legion, announces that the Committee includes in excess of one hundred persons in the community, all of whom are particularly interested and are actively engaged in the arrangements to make the public of Southern California focus its attention on the United States Navy on that great organization's 159th birthday. An inspection of the list of committeemen shows the following Legionnaires: Marshall F. McComb, J. Park Dougall, John Schwartzlose, W. A. Shriver, Agnes Walker, Harry G. Whittington, C. J. Steele, R. B. Barnitz, L. G. Combs, Harry Englund, Robert F. Gross, H. A. Jones, Clarence L. Kincaid, E. B. Koger, George E. Link, Norman M. Lyon, Frank Morris, Louis J. Canepa, E. H. Risdon, W. C. Atkinson, F. M. Cummings, John Sledge, Fowler D. Jones, Schuyler Graves, Ben Schock, Wm. Hamrick, and it is reported that the list has not yet

been completed. From what happened at the first committee meeting it would appear that Shipmate Hunter will, if he can, have every Legionnaire in the county working in some way on this observance before nightfall on October 27.

Comrade H. W. Bollyn, Commander of the County Council of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, appointed Frank Bean, Chairman, Frank Walker, Van Bishop, George Beaumont and Harry Locke as a special committee to work with the General Navy Day Committee. And the V. F. W., who are regularly scheduled to meet in the Auditorium of Patriotic Hall on the evening of Friday, October 26, made that place available for the big Pre-Navy Day Meeting, which they together with the naval posts of the American Legion will sponsor.

When Chairman Hunter appeared before the County Council of the Spanish-American War Veterans a discussion was under way relative to the lack of co-operation between the veterans; and both he and Frank M. Cummings, Chairman of Armistice Day, calling at the same time for support in their programs, were enthusiastically received. Dr. C. T. Ehred was appointed to work with the Navy Day Committee.

Have you seen the beautiful Navy Day cards inside the yellow street cars? The space was donated by the Pacific Car Card Co. and the cards were given by the Policemen and Firemen of the City of Los Angeles. The design was drawn by Lieut. Arthur Beaumont, USNR, Fleet Artist, who is giving tirelessly of his time and talent to Navy Day. More of his wonderful work will soon be in evidence.

Through the courtesy of Althea Warren, City Librarian, and Helen E. Vogelson, County Librarian, all libraries of the city and county systems, beginning Monday, October 8, and extending through Saturday, October 27, will have special Navy Day Displays and make easily

available to the public, books and articles on the Navy. Legionnaires are urged to view and cause others to inspect these displays and comment thereon to the library attendants. And posts in other municipalities are urged to arrange for

similar displays in their libraries and encourage their citizens, both adults and children, to "Know Your Navy." Every effort should be made to cause patriotic discussions pertaining to the U. S. Navy and Theodore Roosevelt to be held in the schools on Friday, October 26. Do not forget that the children of today are the men and women of tomorrow, and this educational observance of Navy Day will make for better Americans.

The Annual Navy Day Ceremony of Navy Post is scheduled for 10 A. M.; and this year, when Navy Day falls on Saturday, it should be attended much better than ever before. Have your colors there, get your uniformed bodies there, turn out with your caps, and **Bring the Children**. There is plenty of room for all and the public is invited. Spring Street steps of the Los Angeles City Hall is the place. And if you cannot be there, tune in on your radio. At 9:30, the same morning, Boy Scout Troop No. 107, "Navy's Own," will plant a tree in honor of Theodore Roosevelt in the City Hall grounds.

President L. G. Combs has announced that the meeting of the American Legion Luncheon Club on Tuesday, October 23, will be in honor of the Navy. On Navy Day a special luncheon at the Hayward Hotel is being sponsored by the Army and Navy Club.

And there will be a Navy Day Dance this year. Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, of which Fowler D. Jones is Commander, is the sponsor. Place: Elks Temple Ballroom. Time: 9 p.m. on Navy Day.

Other organizations assisting in the preparations include the U. S. Naval Academy Graduates' Association, the Naval Reserve Officers' Association, and the California Naval Militia. The Navy, also, is co-operating wherever possible; and some rare treats are in store for

the people of Los Angeles County.

NAVY DAY is Saturday, October 27, 1934. Know Your Navy. Read. Listen. Attend. Watch the Bulletin for details.

Tuesday, October 9, 1934

The Southwest Wave
Los Angeles

October 8, 1934

Hold Hearing On Air Line

(CNS)—A special hearing on the proposed abandonment of the Santa Monica "air line" passenger service will be held in the city hall October 19 by the public utilities committee of the City Council.

In setting a new hearing the City Council waived any immediate possibility that it might override Mayor Frank L. Shaw's veto of an abandonment ordinance adopted last month.

Mayor Shaw vetoed the ordinance, he said, on the grounds that no public utility should be permitted to deprive a large number of persons of their only transportation facility.

Note- In this meeting of October 19th., the Council decided to put the matter over for another month.

Post Historian

Cheviot Chatter

What are all those cars parked in front of Mrs. Harry Samm's house on Rossbury? My, there must be twenty-five of them, guess we'd better have a look.

There goes Mrs. William J. Heinerman looking very young and walking sprightly along with five children to home. And see blonde Mrs. Warren Anderson ravishing in black and red getting out of her car. Who is that with her? Why, Mrs. William P. Given in black, as beautiful as ever. There goes Mrs. N. E. Mudge in a new fall outfit with Mrs. Lenore Martineau.

It must be an exclusive affair! Why its a bridge party for the P.T.A. of the Overland avenue school and there are card tables all over the house, everywhere but in the bath tub.

Such a sumptuous home!

Yummy, Yummy! These girls can serve good food. Sandwiches and coffee. Miss Bertie Twitchell, bless her, did the honors—and then to some real bridge!

Mrs. Howard Pollman, junior past president, looking a pound thinner, played a tight game.

There were four of the grandest linen prizes and guess who won them! Mrs. M. A. Robinson and Mrs. C. R. Slaughter for contract and Mrs. H. Hansen and Mrs. D. W. Walters for auction.

Look who all were there: Mesdames Sanford J. Williams, Gerald F. Wilder, Lola M. Wortham, Cyril H. Wilder, Alton St. Clair, Harry A. Dahlstrom, M. A. Robinson, C. R. Slaughter, Pearl Roos, Ruth Baldwin, Hal Hughes, Warren K. Anderson, Robt. P. Reynolds, N. E. Mudge, Walter Hale, Lenore Martineau, Olive D. Burke, James P. Jacobson, Jean Gill, Howard Pollman, W. J. Heineman, H. T. Wade Jr., A. J. O'Keefe, M. P. Hawkins, H. E. Meilstrys, O. B. Myers, M. Clinch, C. H. Dodds, Martin Hartwig, Harold Andrews, Robert Vogel, Grover Heyler, Miss Alberta Twitchell, Mesdames Bernard Geissler, D. W. Walters, J. M. LeMoir, J. E. Sweetman, Adrian D. Keller, L. P. Erickson, Bob Sanders, Gordon Duff, J. S. Panosian, Ethel Wright, Mae Edwards, Wm. T. Given, G. M. Grosjean, H. J. Hansen.

Good food, lots of bridge, your own brand of cigarettes, Mrs. Samm has the best looking ash trays, lovely prizes, last but not least the scores are being saved for the "gals" for the grand prizes at the end of the term.

A good time was had by all and so home to cook the husband's dinner.

Comrades Charles H. Potter, William P. Te Given and Hal Hughes as delegates and comrades George Millovitch and Warren Anderson as alternates attended the American Legion county council Friday evening.

They brought about an appropriation of \$100 to advertise Navy Day, Cheviot Hills Post will throw the party.

Also they won in some manner a keg of beer (very mysterious) they are donating the beer to the next meeting of the post at Rancho Tuesday evening. May the wives come over after the meeting?

Heard in these parts:

It was denied that Paul Neal's dog 'Pooch' killed Mrs. P. J. Dalley's ducks!

Commander Fowler Jones, Cheviot Post, telling a parlor story to one of our fairest matrons.

What's become of the old fashioned husband who blacked their wives eyes, Mrs. Hal Hughes.

Girls, something has to be done about the treatment our garbage cans are getting from the city.

Mrs. Ace Aseltine was seen driving somebody's colored man servant to the bus line.

We have an eminent writer in our midst, Dorothy Feader who collaborated with her husband Leslie and wrote 'Dusty Rhodes', a brand new book. Don't get ambitious, girls, she's unapproachable.

Stan Laurel (Laurel and Hardy) is having a garden contest. Will you disqualify us if our lot next door isn't cleaned up, Mr. Laurel?

THE AMERICAN LEGION WEEKLY BULLETIN

October 20, 1934

**CHEVIOT HILLS POST TO
CLOSE NAVY DAY WITH
FIRST ANNUAL BALL**

As a gay and joyful closing event for Navy Day, October 27, Los Angeles will stage its first Navy Day dance in the beautiful ballroom of the Elks' Temple at Westlake Park, the gala ball to be held under the sponsorship of the Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion.

Legionnaires, their friends and ladies are cordially invited to the affair, which will be marked by the attendance of prominent local Navy and civic officials. Many of Hollywood's movie stars also will be present.

The party, it was announced will be a real one. Sid Lippman and his famous Cocoanut Grove Orchestra will supply the dance music.

The event will be the first dance in observance of Navy Day in Los Angeles. The annual observance of Navy Day which was inaugurated in 1922 is co-incidental with the birth anniversary of Theodore Roosevelt, under whose administration this branch of our national defense received its greatest impetus.

Tickets to dance are on sale now at all downtown Owl Drug Stores. Admission is 75 cents per person.

STREET IMPROVEMENTS

This post was instrumental in having Motor Ave and Manning Ave resurfaced where needed and a very good job was made. This was within the last few weeks. We are going ahead with plans for additional street improvement.
Post Historian
Nov 1st. 1934.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Thursday, October 25, 1934

**Cheviot Legion
Sponsoring Ball**

Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, is sponsoring the huge Navy Day ball to be given at the Elks temple, Saturday evening, October 27th, 9 to 1 a. m.

Sid Lippman and his Cocoanut Grove orchestra will furnish the music. This is not only a culmination of a series of patriotic affairs that day, but promises to be a very enjoyable informal event.

This dance is open to the public. Also all Legion posts of the county will participate in keeping the patriotic spirit of this day.

ADDED SCHOOL FACILITIES

This post is assisting in securing an additional bungalow for our Overland School. Crowded conditions make it necessary.

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Nov 1st. 1934

OCTOBER 27, 1934.

CITY HONORS NAVY TODAY

Patriotic Rites Scheduled

City Hall Ceremony, Ball at
Elks' Temple and Many
Programs Announced

*How great a day is Navy Day
In honor of that vast array
Of mighty ships that sail the deep,
Our Country's honor in their
keep!*

—ALEXANDER CHISHOLM.

With an added fervor, born of a deeper appreciation of the importance of the United States Navy, Los Angeles today observes Navy Day.

"Anchors Aweigh" resounded martially last night in Patriotic Hall, as the American Legion police band struck up the naval anthem, officially ushering in Navy Day for Los Angeles, home port of the United States Fleet.

Legionnaires, naval officers, and civilians crowded the hall to pay tribute to the 159th anniversary of the birth of the American Navy. Capt. Richard E. Cassidy, chief recruiting officer of Southern California, traced the rise of America's naval force from the day of John Paul Jones.

URGE STRENGTHENING

Need of continuing the strength of the United States Navy as the nation's first line of defense was stressed by Commander H. A. Jones, U.S.N.

Chairman of the Navy Day Committee, Lieut. Burton L. Hunter, U.S.N.R., reiterated the necessity of maintaining at least treaty strength in the Navy.

NEW ERA HERALDED

Other addresses commemorating Navy Day and heralding the Navy of the new era were made by Lieutenant-Commander J. Park Dougall, Presiding Justice Albert Lee Stephens, of the Appellate Court, and Mayor Frank L. Shaw. Motion pictures of the construction of the U.S.S. Macon, described by E. M. Jennings of the Goodyear Rubber Company, concluded the evening's celebration.

Beginning with a flag-raising program at the City Hall this morning and ending with a Navy Day ball at the Elks' Temple tonight, every hour is packed with city-wide observances of the event.

Expressive of the patriotic feeling

of the entire State on the occasion of the Navy Day observance is a telegram received from Gov. Merriam by Lieut. Hunter. The telegram, read last night at the civic mass meeting in Patriotic Hall, follows:

"California, America's Pacific frontier, pledges its continued support and encouragement to the United States Navy and the splendid men who comprise its personnel. May I voice the hope, as did Theodore Roosevelt, that it will always be second to none among the navies of the world. California is proud that the nation's powerful fleet has its base in the waters of the Golden State. I congratulate the Navy Day committee on its patriotic efforts to sustain and strengthen our first line of defense. (Signed) Frank F. Merriam, Governor of California."

COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

In recognition of the whole-hearted city-wide observance of Navy Day in Los Angeles, the Commander-in-Chief of the United States Navy sent a radiogram to Lieut. Hunter. It read:

"The Commander-in-Chief, with officers and men of the United States Fleet, send cordial greetings to the citizens of Los Angeles and Southern California and regret they cannot be with you to take part in your patriotic Navy Day celebration."

There also was a message of appreciation from Claude A. Swanson, Secretary of the Navy.

CASSIDY HONORED

Capt. Cassidy, United States Navy recruiting officer in Los Angeles, was the guest of honor and chief speaker yesterday noon at a Navy Day luncheon meeting of the Lions Club at the Biltmore. He stressed the fact that the Navy needs more ships to attain treaty strength, and said that under present building plans this strength would be reached about 1942. He also advocated a strong merchant marine as an adjunct to the Navy.

An Exchange Club luncheon at the Biltmore yesterday was addressed by Lieutenant-Commander Dougall, chief surgeon of the California Naval Militia.

FLAGS TO FLY

At 8 a.m. today the Stars and Stripes will float aloft over all public buildings and a majority of patriotic homes in the community. That also is the hour set for a flag-raising ceremony.

At 9:30 a.m. there will be a tree-planting ceremony on the lawn of the City Hall, with Navy Post of the American Legion planting the tree in honor of Theodore Roosevelt.

CITY HALL CEREMONY

At 10 a.m. the fourth annual civic Navy Day ceremony will be presented on the Spring street steps of the City Hall, sponsored by Navy Post. Lieutenant-Commander Dougall will be master of ceremonies. Brief talks will include one by Mayor Shaw. Music will be furnished by the Police Band, Boy Scout Band of Troop 107, "The Navy's Own," the band of Hollywood Sons of the American Legion and the Huntington Park Sons of Veterans Band. Many patriotic organizations in full uniform will attend.

Between 10 a.m. and noon there will be a series of airship and airplane flights over the city with the Goodyear blimp Volunteer; planes of the Los Angeles Naval Reserve; planes of the patrol wing of the Fleet Air Detachment; sea-planes of the Navy patrols seven and nine planes from five naval fighting ships participating.

NAVY DAY LUNCHEON

At noon there will be a Navy Day luncheon in the Hayward for the Army and Navy Club with Capt. Charles D. Baylis, U.S.M.C. retired, as master of ceremonies.

Scheduled for 12:30 p.m. is the Boy Scout Navy Day Field Rally at Washington Boulevard and Grand avenue.

Tonight at 9 o'clock the first Navy Day ball is scheduled at the Los Angeles Elks Temple, sponsored by Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion.

Throughout the afternoon, Long Beach will celebrate Navy Day with a parade, band concerts and patriotic exercises. A great Navy Day ceremonial is scheduled for 8 p.m. in the Long Beach Municipal Auditorium.

NAVY HAILED IN FETES BY ENTIRE CITY

Patriotic Groups Pay Tribute

Flag-Raising Ceremony and Tree-Planting Feature Day's Celebration

By word and deed, while the great heart of her thumped in cadence to the blare of bugles and rattle of drums, Los Angeles—home port of the United States Fleet—yesterday gave of her best in a rousing celebration of Navy Day.

Old Glory floated proudly above all public buildings and thousands of private homes. Patriotic programs were presented "here, there and everywhere." Orators spoke. Guns boomed salutes. Airplanes zoomed overhead. Men who go down to the sea in ships gloried in their calling.

"All hail to the Navy!"

FLAG RAISING

The day's observation began at 8 a.m. with a flag-raising ceremony at City Hall and the placing of a wreath at the base of the flagpole. This was in commemoration of the hoisting of the Stars and Stripes by Admiral Stockton in 1847. Sponsors of the fete were members of Police Post No. 381, American Legion.

City Hall, too, was the scene of a tree planting in honor of the late President Theodore Roosevelt, under auspices of Navy Post No. 278, American Legion

Outstanding among events of the day was the program presented at City Hall at 10 a.m., given also under auspices of the Navy Post, assisted by City Hall Unit No. 387, American Legion Auxiliary and other patriotic organizations.

DOUGALL PRESIDES

Capt. J. Park Dougall, California Naval Militia, presided as master of ceremonies, and among the speakers were Lieut. Burton L. Hunter, U.S.N.R., Navy Day chairman, Lieutenant-Commander George E. Link, U.S.N.R.; Commander H. A. Jnes, U.S.N., and Mayor Shaw.

"Navy Day," said Mayor Shaw, "annually is becoming of increasing importance and significance to the people of the United States. It is a day on which we may meditate to advantage upon the traditions and ideals of the Navy and upon the glorious role the Navy has played in America's history.

"Here in Los Angeles we have had the good fortune to know the Navy and its personnel intimately, and we bear in our hearts a genuine affection for the officers and men.

PEACE INSURANCE

"Let us not forget that an adequate Navy is the best insurance of maintaining a peace which will be in keeping with our splendid heritage and one we may regard with the pride of achievement."

From the women of the American Legion Auxiliary came an echo of the Mayor's words.

"Americanism, first, last and always—that is our watchword," said Leona Robinson, president. "Today, more than ever, is the time to preach strict adherence to the Constitution."

Between the speeches, Chairman Hunter read to the assembled thousands congratulatory telegrams from Gov. Merriam, R. M. Tobin, of San Francisco, California Navy Day chairman; Secretary of the Navy Swanson and the Commander-in-Chief of the United States Fleet.

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

"California, America's Pacific frontier, pledges its continued support and encouragement to the United States Navy and to the splendid men who comprise its personnel," read Gov. Merriam's message in part.

A touching incident of the City Hall ceremonies was the introduction of Richard H. Taylor and David E. Hayden, holders of the Congressional Medal of Honor.

While the ceremony was in progress, the sky was alive with circling airplanes, largely of navy contingents from the Naval Reserve, from the U.S.S. Maryland, U.S.S. Richmond, U.S.S. Concord and U.S.S. San Francisco, with Lieut. Sinton in command. Across the sky drifted the Goodyear dirigible Volunteer.

NAVY DAY LUNCHEON

At noon the Army and Navy Club gave its annual Navy Day luncheon at the Hayward Hotel, with Capt. Charles D. Baylis, U.S.M.C., Ret., as master of ceremonies.

The day's festivities closed last night with the Navy Day ball at the Elks' Temple, under auspices of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion.

In observance of Navy Day, the radio-controlled target battleship Utah will hold open house in Los Angeles Harbor for the public again today. The hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Navy boats are provided at the outer harbor navy landing to transport visitors to the ship.

At Santa Monica the destroyer Philip, anchored just off the municipal breakwater for the Navy Day celebration, was the scene of a luncheon party at noon.

WELCOMING PARTY

Lieutenant-Commander H. E. Overesch and his staff were hosts to an official welcoming party headed by Mayor Carter, Supervisor Quinn, city and civic officials and their wives.

Last night a dinner-dance at the Del Mar Club was the high spot in the entertainment program.

The 106 men of the war vessel were given shore leave. Hundreds of visitors went aboard from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., the hours of public inspection.

Los Angeles Times
October 28, 1934

LOS ANGELES EXAMINER -

MONDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1934

2 New Protests Against City Oil Drilling Pushed

Protests against the establishing of oil fields in various sections have been filed with the City Council by the California Country Club and by Cheviot Hills Post 501 of the American Legion.

The protest from the club is directed primarily against the oil field proposal of the Marbelhead Land Company and Jim Pollard to rezone approximately 300 acres of land in the Rancho Rincon de Los Bueyes in the vicinity of Robertson and Pico boulevards.

In this connection the club protests "If the oil companies are allowed to drill upon this property, it will seriously jeopardize all of the adjacent property, create a fire hazard, destroy property values and be generally detrimental in every respect to the property owners in this particular district."

The Council this week is scheduled to act on the Del Rey oil field proposal, which already has been approved by the City Planning Commission and the city planning committee of the Council.

Tuesday, October 30, 1934

Cheviot Chatter

By GALE

The charm and fashion of Cheviot Hills forgathered for the brilliant Navy Day Ball, (metallic cloth on the women and gold braid on the navy) at the Elk's Temple, Saturday, Oct. 27. The affair was jointly sponsored by Cheviot Hills Post 501 and the Navy Day Observance committee. Lt. Burton Hunter, representing the navy, headed a contingent of Adonises. Schuyler Graves, commander of the 24th district for the Legion, with his medals of course, commanded his contingent of Legionnaires, not so Adonises.

Three Etheopians were kept busy in a room back of the orchestra opening bottles. The room had a great deal of patronage.

The ballroom was very lovely. The lights were kind and the music was divine. Now to get to what those women wore.

Notice—* Means accompanied by husband in dinner coat.

Mrs. D. D. Childress wore white crepe and a luxurious fur wrap.*

Mrs. Bernard Geissler was demure with her curls in black point d'esprit.

Mrs. Walter Hall had on a black plain crepe of simple good taste.

Mrs. Vernet Bloesser's electric blue satin shimmered as she danced.

Mrs. Mable St. Clair was charming in yellow taffeta with a jaunty black jacket.

Mrs. Wm. te Groen in a gold brocaded dress and shining black hair was a complete knockout.

Mrs. Warren Anderson of course was beautiful in a blue corded silk trimmed with fur.*

Mrs. "Jerry" Saunders wore the loveliest blue silk lace, her blond hair set in a frame of gardenias around her neck.*

Mrs. Courtland Elliot looked more diminutive than usual in pale blue chiffon.

Mrs. Walter Thiel's black and white taffeta dress with a white ruffle around her neck was one of the most enchanting dresses there.*

Mrs. "Ace" Aseltine was indeed stunning in balck crepe with a red corded silk jacket.*

Mrs. Arthur Alexander also had on black, but her's was satin. Her wrap was a joy. It was summer ermine.*

Mrs. Norris Hicks, her hair like a gold coin, was beautifully gowned in black, but velvet, with a rhinestone belt. Her wrap was peach colored silk.

Mrs. G. M. Grosjean was a phantom in a filmy pale blue creation.

Mrs. Mable Slaughter sparkled in blue velvet with a silver metallic tunic, with a sealskin wrap.

Mrs. Fern Krauch gave her little daughter Janis a birthday party for her eighth last Saturday afternoon, at her home on Cheviot Drive. She used a Hallowe'en color scheme. Many children's games were played with prizes for each winner.

A caterer furnished a delectable orange and black cake, which the young guests mutilated. There was ice cream and candy.

The invited guests were Barbara Wynn, Patricia Wynn, Orlean Geissler, Barbara Geissler, Barbara Hicks, Ann Robinson, Shirley Aseltine, Charmean Harker and Margery Hughes.

Gale Hughes, aged 3, crashed in uninvited, a la "one-eyed" Conally.

Extry! Extry!

The Star-News at last has a rival. The neighborhood daughters are publishing a news sheet in mimeograph, called the S.S.S.S. Doings. The child prodiges are Barbara Hicks, Margery Hughes, Barbara Geisseer and Sheryl Aseltine. The first copy, dated October 25, displays a Micky Mouse cartoon, and articles covering such timely matters as the Navy Day Ball, a local dog fight and the "Crazy Parade." The latter quaint local custom will be exposed in this column anon. One cent, at your door.

The Ball held on Oct. 27th was about the most beautiful affair that could have possibly been given. It was most refined and colorful. In fact it was one of the finest functions ever given by any Legion Post in any city. The event was not in charge of any one of us. All of the officers and many of our members worked very hard. Given at the time and on the very day that Halloween was being celebrated deprived us of much attendance. Our admission price was too low and our oncome was thereby materially reduced. We suffered our first loss---\$80.96, net.

Post Historian

No. 812

NAVY DAY DANCE
Saturday Evening, Oct. 27, 1934
Time: 9:00 to 1:00

AMERICAN LEGION
Cheviot Hills Post 501
Elk's Temple
Westlake Park

SID LIPPMAN AND HIS
COCOANUT GROVE ORCHESTRA

DILLINGER PTC. CO., INC., L.A.

Cheviot Hills Post 501
No. 812
ADMIT ONE
75c
50c

November 24, 1934

Twenty-fourth District

November 26—Bruin Village Post meeting, 10374 Ashton avenue, West Los Angeles.

November 27, Twenty-fourth District meeting, Pacific No. 290 Post, 1770 Beloit avenue, West Los Angeles. Cheviot Hills Post meeting, Rancho Country Club.

November 28, Pacific Palisades Post meeting, 15821 Sunset boulevard, Pacific Palisades.

Tuesday, November 27, 1934

**Cheviot Legion
Will Hold Dance**

The American Legion, Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, will give an informal Thanksgiving dance at the Bath and Tennis club, (formerly the Palomar club) on 3084 Motor avenue, at 9 p. m., Saturday night, December 1, according to announcement made by Bernard Geisler, post historian. Members of the post cordially invite people living in the district to attend.

Thursday, November 29, 1934

ROBERTS NEWS

**Cheviot Hills Legion
Thanksgiving Dance**

Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, will give an informal Thanksgiving dance at the Bath and Tennis Club (formerly the Palomar Club) 3084 Motor avenue, on Saturday night, December 1.

The Post cordially invites the attendance of people living in the districts it serves; Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands.

STAR-NEWS SHOPPER

Friday, November 30, 1934

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Friday, November 30, 1934

THE CITIZEN

**Cheviot Hills Post to
Give Thanksgiving Hop**

Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will hold a Thanksgiving dance at the Bath and Tennis Club, formerly known as Palomar Club, on 3084 Motor Avenue, Saturday night, it was announced today by Bernard Geissler, post historian.

Members of the post, their wives, sweethearts and friends are invited to attend the informal affair.

Dear Friend,

Cheviot Hills Post will be at home in the newly decorated "Bath and Tennis" club house for their next dancing party, Dec. 1.

A good orchestra will provide the music. Admission fifty cents each. They would be happy to see you there.

THANKSGIVING DANCE

CHEVIOT HILLS POST
AMERICAN LEGION

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1

Bath and Tennis Club

3084 MOTOR AVENUE

ADMISSION 50c

110

Note- The "Thanksgiving Dance " was a very nice affair. Comrade Mudge was in charge of the function and everything went over nicely. The officers and members gave good support and a net profit of \$34.72 was realized. It appeared that all present had a good time and it seemed certain that the Post derived much benefit from the contact.

Post Historian

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1934

LOS ANGELES EXAMINER

Air Line Service Suspension Asked

Instead of enacting the proposed ordinance permitting the company to abandon passenger service on the Santa Monica Air Line, the City Council yesterday was requested to adopt an ordinance permitting the company merely to "suspend" the service.

The suspension proposal was referred to the board of public utilities and transportation for recommendation.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Wednesday, December 5, 1934

Cheviot Chatter

By GALE

"Ace" Aseltine has been with the gas company for twenty years. He has been married fifteen years. Nothing can be done about it. So he decided to celebrate, and he did in grand style with Mrs. Aseltine.

They had thirty guests to dinner—the table was set in the living room and decorated very sumptuously in green and white. The chrystal gifts were lavish and beautiful.

After dinner they were ably entertained by their radio and screen star guests.

Later they sojourned to none other than the American Legion party at Palomar.

On to the dance!

The elite of Cheviot Hills enjoyed themselves as never before Saturday night at our old Palomar Tennis club, now called Bath and Tennis club. The American Legion's aristocratic 501 post was the sponsor of course. (Palomar is very lovely now decorated in tempo motif.) Every room was crowded with merrymakers intent on having a good time. Which they certainly seemed to be having.

Each and every gal was beautifully dressed in the very latest winter mode, and we mean late.

We of Cheviot Hills are mighty happy to have a medium like the American Legion to get us together, now that Palomar is no more ours, and gotten together we have.

THE AMERICAN LEGION WEEKLY BULLETIN

LOS ANGELES, CALIF.,

December 1, 1934

CHEVIOT HILLS POST TO HOLD THANKSGIVING DANCE TONIGHT

The Bath and Tennis Club, 3084 Motor Avenue, formerly known as the Palomar Tennis Club, will be the scene of Cheviot Hills Post big Thanksgiving dance tonight, starting at 9 p.m.

Admission will be 50 cents each and all Legionnaires are invited to attend.

January 11, 1935

Cheviot Chatter

By GALE

An account of we can't ride in the rain, we "Cheviot Riders" are waiting for our opportunity, and incidentally growing in number and enthusiasm. The delay is giving us time to muster together our nerve and our outfits, as most of us have equestrianphobia.

We hope next Friday will be fair and warmer and we can try our fortitude and equipment aboard a docile nag.

Read the names of the gals who are waiting to take the plunge: Mesdames Cleveland Smith, Arthur Alexander Fowler Jones, Frank Martineau, Frank Sullivan, our teacher, Hugh Wynn, Elmo Veron, Fern Krauch, Paul Neal, Norris Hicks, Bernard Geissler, Wm. teGroven, Warren Anderson, Wm. Shea, Walter Hall, George Lee, and Hal Hughes.

After weeks of gallivanting around, our American Legion post, 501, came home to roost last Tuesday evening for a meeting at the Bath and Tennis club. "Being as how" all the hill-top dirt is left for this column, nothing but strictly unsullied business is considered. The men seem to enjoy themselves somehow and turn out nearly 100 per cent every time for the betterment and enjoyment of us Cheviots.

The "mayor" of Cheviot Hills, Harold Neff, and the commander of the 24th District, Schuyler Graves, were welcome guests. Mr. Graves presented the post with its permanent charter.

A special citation for most distinguished service from national headquarters was adjudged the post. This was a reward for having exceeded the post's annual membership quota in forty days. Ralph W. Smith, a muchly-traveled neighbor of ours, and past commander of a Sacramento post, joined last night and talked on "War In Manchuria," from first-hand knowledge.

Saturday, Jan. 19, 1935, the Legion is giving a bridge party at the Bath and Tennis club. It will be put on in grand style because Harry Samm, Alton St. Clair, Member Beeton and Ed. P. Callaghan, are responsible. They are buying elaborate gifts for prizes. (We wouldn't miss it for anything!)

Our Overland Avenue P.T. A. and our Fathers' Council, are going to convene Friday (tonight) January 11, at 8 p.m., at the school, for a fathers' seance. Our fathers who are in these parts, may enjoy their relaxations and go to the Legion (501 post) dances and the like, but they also enjoy going to their little school house and "hear tel" about their offsprings from the fine women to whom they trust their prodigys daily. The women cater to their appetites and the teachers to their vanities, and they leave feeling that all's well with the world. (A rare feeling not often felt after a Legion dance).

Miss Pamel Tyler will speak on thrift and savings. Mr. M. P. Hawkins, Fathers' Council chairman, will present Mr. S. Jessup, head of the Woodcraft Rangers, who will speak on the Woodcraft Ranger group.

Culver City, California

Tuesday, January 15, 1935

Cheviot Vets to Hold Card Party

Cheviot Hills post of the American Legion will hold a bridge party, contract and auction, at the Bath and Tennis club (formerly the Palomar club), 3084 Motor avenue, Cheviot Hills, at 8:30 p. m. Saturday, Jan. 19, it was announced today. There will be prizes and refreshments will be served. The post officers invite persons living in the district to attend, according to Bernard Geissler, post officer.

ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, January 17, 1935

Cheviot Hills Legion Plans Bridge Party

Cheviot Legion Hills Post, American Legion, will give a bridge party (contract and auction) at the Bath and Tennis Club, (formerly the Palomar Club), 3084 Motor Avenue, at 8:30 p. m., Saturday evening. Prizes and refreshments will be features.

CHEVIOT POST TO SPONSOR AFFAIR

One of the outstanding affairs of the week end will be the bridge party which Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, will sponsor tomorrow evening at the Bath and Tennis club (formerly Palomar), 3084 Motor Avenue, at 8:30 o'clock.

An array of handsome prizes will be awarded winners in both auction and contract bridge, with refreshments at the close of the affair.

The post cordially invites everyone to attend, according to Bernard Geissler, post historian, who made the party announcement today.

The affair will be under the supervision of Fowler D. Jones, commander, assisted by several legionnaires.

BENEFIT BRIDGE

CHEVIOT HILLS POST, AMERICAN LEGION

REFRESHMENTS AND PRIZES

SATURDAY, JAN. 19 - 8:30 P.M.

Bath and Tennis Club

3084 MOTOR AVENUE

ADMISSION 50c

The Bridge Party of Jan 19th was under the Chairmanship of Comrade Samm. While the net monetary results was a loss of \$9.19, yet the party drew and entertained a large number of our friends who never had attended our dances. From the comment after the party we are certain that the good will and friendship built up, far offset the monetary loss.
Post Historian

THE CITIZEN
CULVER CITY
1/18/35

January 22, 1935

Cheviot Legion In Bridge Party

One of the most important functions of the year was held last Saturday by the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, in the form of a bridge party, contract and auction, at the Bath and Tennis club, 3084 Motor avenue. The affair was held at 8:30 p. m. There were prizes and refreshments. A large group attended. Fowler D. Jones is commander of the post.

DECEMBER, 1934

	12-24-34 Member- ship	Year's Quota
District Twenty-four		
Schuyler Graves, Los Angeles, Com.		
C. E. Buckmeyer, Los Angeles, 1st V.		
C. J. Petter, West Hollywood, 2nd V.		
*Hollywood	433	735
*Santa Monica	151	185
*Hollywood Women's	43	65
Beverly Hills	94	190
*Westwood Hills	63	110
Pacific Palisades	50	50
Pacific (Sawtelle)	22	58
*Wilshire	44	65
Sawtelle Home	96	245
Blue Devils	28	83
West Hollywood	30	76
*Bruin Village	47	70
*Carthay Circle	17	35
Century	57	47
Elysian Park	17	20
Cheviot Hills	36	35
	1228	2089

ADDITIONAL SCHOOL FACILITIES

This Post has been helpful in the successful move to acquire from the Los Angeles Board of Education, additional buildings and teachers for our Overland School, located in this district. Also we helped in the successful fight to secure a high school for the district, to relieve the already crowded conditions existing in our present Alexander Hamilton High and Beverly Hills High.

Post Historian

Los Angeles Times

FEBRUARY 8, 1935.

'DRIVE-IN' THEATERS BAN PASSED

An ordinance seeking to regulate the sound emanating from "drive-in" theaters was adopted by the City Council yesterday in answer to pleas from residents in the vicinity of such an establishment in West Pico Boulevard.

The ordinance was adopted by a vote of 10 to 4. Councilmen Baker, Baumgartner, Brainard and Hyde opposed it, with Councilman Thrasher absent. It now goes to Mayor Shaw, and if signed by him, becomes effective thirty days thereafter.

Councilman MacAlister proposed the adoption of the ordinance, seconded by Councilman Ingram. Paul E. Younkin, attorney for the theater, argued for delay to continue experiments, while E. M. Nelson of the Southern California Sanitarium, said his patients are disturbed, although a mile from the show.

The ordinance prohibits the emanation of sound more than fifty feet from the property line.

This drive in theater proved itself as a public nuisance. It's loud operation deprived residents in our three subdivisions from getting proper rest and this Post assisted considerably in arousing sufficient action and giving assistance to those already opposed to the enterprise to bring about the vote as shown on attached and also the Mayors approval. The Mayor signed the ordinance today. This ends our trouble.

Post Historian
2/11/35

DISABLED VETERAN CARE

This Post has contributed it's share towards making life more bearable in the National Military Home at Sawtelle. We have been asked lately and helped on the cigarette fund.

AMERICANIZATION

We have appointed a chairman from our Post on the Americanization Committee of the District (24th) to assist in the very necessary cause.

BOY SCOUTS

This Post is still endeavoring to work out a program which will enable us to form and sponsor a troop of Boy Scouts. Not having a home of our own as yet is causing most of the difficulty.

Post Historian
2/11/35

Evening Star-News
Culver City, Calif.
February 1, 1935

Mrs. H. G. Barton of Manning avenue, will take the Blue Birds, (younger Campfire Girls) to the Sierra Madres next week-end to see the snow.

Post 501 of the American Legion will entertain with a Valentine dance, Feb. 16, at the Bath and Tennis club. Walter Hall, entertainment committee chairman, promises an elaborate floor show. This column picks Mr. Hall as a good picker of what it takes to make a floor show.

Mrs. Bernard Geisler will give a bridge luncheon next Tuesday for four tables.

The Cheviot Riders rode forth in the Del Rey hills this morning, ten radiantly clad, though skeptical horsewomen.

Mrs. Wm. P. te Groen of Esther avenue, gave a birthday party for her three-year-old Thursday. Ten tiny Cheviots were there. They were Joselyne Jones, Michael and Patrick Harold, Malcolm Neal, Frank Martineau, Patricia Wynn, Gale and Sally Hughes, Pat Roney and Caroline King.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Monday, February 11, 1935

**Cheviot Legion
Will Give Dance**

Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, will give an informal "Valentine" dance and elaborate floor show at the Bath and Tennis club (formerly the Palomar club), 3084 Motor avenue, 9 o'clock, Saturday night, February 16.

The post extends a cordial invitation to all residents of this area to attend, according to Bernard Geisler, historian. Fowler D. Jones is post commander.

Culver City, California:

Tuesday, February 12, 1935

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ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, February 14, 1935

Cheviot Legion Dance and Show Planned

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EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Friday, February 15, 1935

Cheviot Chatter

By GALE

The Abyssinia tree in the Bernard Geissler's patio, has bloomed after five years. The bloom is so unusual that people are coming from all over the hilltop to see it. The headlights of many encircling cars concentrated on this remarkable flower Tuesday evening. Horns blew and speeches were made while Mr. Geissler tried in vain to explain the nature of this tree. He managed to make it understood that because of comment he would have a felling party on Washington's birthday. His comrades of the American Legion Post 501 will officiate each with his own hatchet.

Mrs. "Ace" Aseltine entertained some of the wives of the Legionnaires of Post 501, Tuesday evening while their husbands attended "meeting." Plans for future parties were discussed. A cake the like of which was ne'er tasted in these parts, was served with coffee.

The Hill Top is turning out in its entirety Saturday night to the Bath and Tennis club for the dance the Legion is giving. We are all wondering what the elaborate floor show that Post 501 has promised us, will consist of.

Despite accidents, the Cheviot Riders rode again this week. Last week's fatalities were: Mrs. Fern Krauch, while putting her horse hard apart, went hard astarboard to the slight damage of her chin and riding habit. Mrs. George Lee's damage was not so slight, however. Her mount side swiped another's frisky nag, injuring the ligaments of her knee. She was unable to ride this week.

Overheard among the Cheviot riders:

Mrs. Hugh Wynn: "What's the name of your horse?"

Mrs. Frank Martineau: "Why, I don't know."

Mrs. Wynn: "What! You don't know the name of your horse?"

Mrs. Martineau: "Oh, thats alright, he doesn't know my name, either!"

The Crazy Parade (dramatic organization of local little folk) presented Stan Laurel with a two-foot Valentine yesterday. They were entertained by the Laurels with cookies and candy.

Mr. Laurel sugested that the Crazy Parade enact his latest picture, "Babes In Toyland." The children are all agog.

The Walter Thiels are going to build next to the Laurels on Glenbarr.

Mrs. Harry Samm entertained her dramatic club of twenty, Tuesday with a buffet luncheon in her home on Rossbury place.

The Edward Reeses, the Walter Halls, and the Warren Andersons are entertaining out-of-town guests.

The Citizen

Friday, February 15, 1935

Cheviot Hills A. L. to Sponsor Valentine Hop

Cheviot Hills Post American Legion, will sponsor an informal Valentine dance and elaborate floor show at the Bath and Tennis Club (formerly the Palomar Club) 3048 Motor Avenue, Cheviot Hills, tomorrow night at 9 o'clock.

A cordial invitation to the public is extended by the post, according to Bernard Geissler, historian of the post.

THE AMERICAN LEGION WEEKLY BULLETIN

February 16, 1935

CHEVIOT HILLS POST TO STAGE VALENTINE'S DANCE TONIGHT

Tonight at the Bath and Tennis Club, formerly the Palomar Club, Cheviot Hills Post will put on an informal Valentine dance with an elaborate floor show. The club is located at 3084 Motor Avenue.

Festivities will start at 9 p.m. and the Post extends an invitation to all Legionnaires to be present. Admission will be 50 cents each.

Valentine's Dance
Feb. 16th - 1938
Cheviot Hills Post - American Legion
Bath and Tennis Club - 3084 Motor Ave.
Good Music
Floor Show!
- 50¢ -
Come yourself and bring your friends.

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VALENTINE DANCE
CHEVIOT HILLS POST AMERICAN LEGION
ELABORATE FLOOR SHOW
SATURDAY, FEB. 16TH
Bath and Tennis Club
3084 MOTOR AVENUE
ADMISSION 50C

Note:-

The dance of February 16th. was a very fine affair. There was a general approval of the function by those attending. Being, as was expected, the most profitable affair yet given by the Post, was no hindrance to the ever present effort to maintain a refined atmosphere in all our functions.

We were happy to record a net profit of \$80.79. The very capable Comrade, Hall had charge of the affair and the members who assisted, along with Comrade Hall, deserve much commendation.

Post Historian

ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, March 14, 1935

Cheviot Legion St. Patrick's Frolic

Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, promises to present the best affair ever sponsored by the local organization, Saturday night, nine o'clock, at the Bath and Tennis Club, 3084 Motor Avenue.

There will be an informal St. Patrick's dance to good music, minstrels and additional attractions.

Tuesday, March 12, 1935

Cheviot Legion To Stage Frolic

Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, promises to put over the best affair ever sponsored by the local organization, Saturday night, March 16th, 9 o'clock, at the Bath and Tennis club, 3084 Motor avenue.

There will be an informal dance to good music, minstrels and additional attractions. The post extends cordial invitation to all your readers.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Friday, March 15, 1935

Cheviot Chatter

By GALE

Six young ladies and two young men met, had ice cream and cake, and were entertained last Sunday afternoon. It was Cetera's fourth birthday. Cetera is a petite blond, who lives on Haddington Road, and whose real name is Gale Louise Hughes. (Pardon the blushes. She is one of your columnist's daughters).

The motif was that of St. Patrick; green table, green decorations, green hats, green favors.

The guests were Misses Joanne Groen, Lorain Pemberton, Patricia Wynn, Marian Philbrook, and Mary Ellen Hall, and Messrs. Patrick and Micheal Harold.

Post 501, American Legion, met as usual, Tuesday evening at Bath and Tennis club.

They adopted the hitherto nameless Boy Scout troupe that meets at Overland avenue school. It will hereafter be known as Cheviot Hills Troupe No. 65. Its future instruction and entertainment are already planned far in advance. On March 26, it will see, (even as you and I) a first-run picture taken by Comrade Ralph W. Smith, in his four-year trip through Siberia, Russia, Germany, and Latin-America. It will attend an encampment at Big Pines in June, (compliments of Comrade George Millovich). It will be visited weekly by members of the post who will plan future events.

They discussed the projected dance tomorrow night at Bath and Tennis club. Comrades Charles H. (Karl) Patter and Mell Coakley, hoasts par excellence, promised the outstanding event of the season.

They complimented Comrade Conrad Nervig. (See below).

Did You Know That—

Conrad Nervig of Rossburg Pl., was cited by the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences for the best editing of 1934. "Eskimo" was the picture. Congratulations, Neighbor!

Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Shearer, brother of Norma, of Motor avenue, have an heir in escrow.

George Millovich contributed fifteen dollars toward the Disabled Veterans cigaret fund. He made the gift in the name of his post. Your columnist, however, gives credit where credit is due.

The music at the Legion dance will be of Abyssinian origin, seven fast blacks.

Two bars will serve the thirsty hilltoppers and their guests.
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March 16, 1935

CHEVIOT HILLS POST TO STAGE DANCE TONIGHT

Cheviot Hills Post is scheduled to put on one of their justly famous dances at the Bath and Tennis Club at 3084 Motor Avenue, tonight, according to Bernard Geissler, Post Historian.

The festivities will start at nine o'clock. Good music is promised and there will be additional attractions to complete the program. All Legionnaires are invited. Admission is 50 cents per person. Remember the date, Saturday, March 16.

St. Patrick's Dance

CHEVIOT HILLS POST
AMERICAN LEGION

SATURDAY, MARCH 16TH

BATH & TENNIS CLUB
3084 MOTOR AVE.

No 100 Admission - 50 cents

The St. Patrick's Dance proved quite successful. In charge of Comrade Coakley who, with the utmost support of the membership, brought in a profit of \$35.00. A negro minstrel-orchestra furnished the fun and music. A good time was had by all. Our large dance hall was deserted at times when the minstrels did their "stuff" in the tavern room. As far as the latter place was concerned, while it was a matter of "Multum-in-parvo (much in a little place) it proved a great attraction, because after all, we could not keep on dancing especially as fast as those orchestra-boys seemed to "put it out"

Post Historian

ADMISSION FREE

MOTION PICTURES OF FOREIGN LANDS

PRESENTED BY

RALPH W. SMITH

BATH AND TENNIS CLUB, 3084 MOTOR AVE.

TUESDAY, MARCH 26 - 7:30 P.M.

CHEVIOT HILLS POST AMERICAN LEGION

The attendance at the affair of March 26th (lecture of Comrade Smith) was larger than expected. Not even standing room was available in the room where the pictures were shown. The pictures were very interesting, and instructive particularly to our children, many of whom attended. Further there was the convincing factor to be considered that the pictures were personally taken by Comrade Smith. He showed scenes and activities in China, Russia, Poland, Korea, generally, city and urban, and also some few urban scenes of Japan. The affair was so successful in that it was so attractive to our children, that we plan to endeavor to have Comrade Smith give us more, at a later date.

Post Historian

MEMBERSHIP ROSTER
OF
CHEVIOT HILLS POST 501
AMERICAN LEGION
As of April 8th 1935

<u>MEMBER'S NAME</u>	<u>WAR SERVICE</u>	<u>BUSINESS OR PROFESSION</u>
1. Anderson, Warren K	Army	Salesman
2. Aseltine, C D	Navy	Gas Engineer
3. Beeton, Harold M	Navy	Accountant
4. Bloeser, Vernet W	Army	Market Owner
5. Callahan, Edward P	Navy	Salesman
6. Childress, D D	Army	Salesman
7. Coakley, Mel D	Army	Salesman
8. Cobb, Melville W	Army	Shades & Blinds
9. Dailey, Daniel J	Navy	Sound Technician
10. Elliott, Courtland D	Navy	Merchant
11. Geissler, Bernard	Army	Railroad Bureau Head
12. Grosjean, G M	Army	Dept. Supt.
13. Hall, Walter	Navy	Instructor
14. Hamilton, M J	Army	Inspector
15. Hicks, J Norris	Navy	Manager, Machine Co.
16. Hossack, Dudley L	Army	Court Reporter
17. Hoyt, E S Jr	Navy	Manufacturer
18. Hughes, Hal	Army	Attorney
19. Jones, Fowler D	Army	Efficiency Engineer
20. Keaton, Joseph Buster	Army	Actor
21. Koger, Eston B	Navy	Navy Officer, (active)
22. Long, Wilbur H	Army	Educator
23. Manatt, S C	Army	Photographer
24. Martineau, Frank W	Navy	Insurance
25. Millovich, George P	Army	Chief Invstgr. & Trans. Director
26. Mudge, Norman E	Army	Banker
27. Neal, Paul G	Navy	Technician, Motion Picture
28. Nervig, Conrad A	Navy	Film Editor
29. Pahl, Julius	Army	Gr. Supt.
30. Potter, Charles H	Army	Oil Well Supplies
31. Robertson, John C	Army	Insurance
32. St. Clair, Alton M	Army	Foreman, Truck Co.
33. Samm, Harry	Navy	Insurance
34. Smith, Cleveland H	Navy	Artist
35. Smith, Ralph W	Army	Attorney
36. Sullivan, Frank	Marine Corps	Film Cutter
37. te Groen, William P	Army	News Reporter
38. Thiel, Walter C	Army	Efficiency Engineer
39. Van Dorn, Floyd L	Army	Store Owner

Next to youngest Post in the Department of California. Was awarded a National Citation for Membership. There is not one single case of un-employment in the ranks of the Post. Members are nearly all home-owners in this community.

Post Historian

FOWLER D. JONES
Commander

HAL HUGHES
1st Vice Commander

FRANK W. MARTINEAU
2nd Vice Commander

J. NORRIS HICKS
Chaplain

BERNARD GEISSLER
Historian

CHEVIOT HILLS POST 501

AMERICAN LEGION

10457 TROON AVENUE
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA



CHARLES H. POTTER
Sergeant-at-Arms

C. D. ASELTINE
Adjutant

WALTER C. THIEL
Finance Officer

Meets Second and Fourth Tuesday
at the
RANCHO GOLF CLUB
Pico and Motor Ave.

Los Angeles, California
April 17, 1935

Re - First Anniversary Party
April 27, 1935 - Del Mar Club

Dear Comrade:

On April 30th our post will be one year old. This date should be observed in a fitting manner. After serious investigation of places and prices, it was voted at the last meeting to hold our party at the Del Mar Club in Santa Monica on Saturday evening, April 27, 1935.

The Del Mar Club is also observing the founding of their club, so an extra fine floor show and music are planned. We have been promised the best of food and a good table location. The tariff will be \$2.25 per person, which includes tax and all gratuities. The Post voted at the last meeting to share the expense with the individual members, by allowing \$1.00 for each member and the same amount for each wife. You are urged to attend this dinner. If you are an old member, of course you will support this affair in the same fine way you usually do. If you are a new member you will want to come out to get acquainted.

Let us be there 100% as this is the first "get-together" we have had for our members and their wives alone.

General reservations have been made, but it is absolutely necessary that we know the exact number of covers to be laid as soon as possible. Phone the Adjutant, 5373, or see him at the next regular meeting.

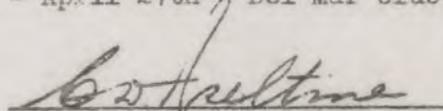
Dinner clothes are optional.

Tuesday, April 23rd, will be the next regular meeting at the Bath and Tennis Club. Come out and take an active part in your post activities.

Next dance - May 18th. Hal Hughes and Bill te Groen in charge.

More details later.

Big Dinner Dance - Saturday - April 27th - Del Mar Club.


Adjutant

News For and From the "Gals"

Soon after the post was chartered last year, the wives of the first members thought they might be of most assistance to the Post if they didn't organize a formal Auxiliary, but helped out wherever and whenever they were called upon.

The first thing they set out to do was to present the Post with their colors. Enlisting the services of all the wives and many of the members, a very successful entertainment was given at the Rancho last July. This netted about \$75.00. It was at this time that the name of "The Gals of Cheviot Hills" was bestowed upon them by one of the Post Members. They are still called "The Gals".

Recently the Post was presented with a gift of \$15.00 by the Palms Chamber of Commerce.

Those who started the idea of the Colors gift are anxious to complete the fund and make the presentation. They have tried to contact each wife either personally or by phone, and those who responded are happy to announce that plans are about completed for a Bridge Tea at the California Country Club on the afternoon of June 15, 1935.

An advance showing of Summer Styles will feature the afternoon and ample prizes will be provided. The management of the California Club is experienced in giving affairs of this sort, and has assured us a fine party. The tickets will be only fifty cents each, and it is our aim to have eighty tables. How many do you think you can use or sell to your friends? Have you any ideas to offer on the subject? If you wish to discuss the Tea, or offer your services, or otherwise express yourself, will you contact some one on the committee? We are going to need the use of about fifty card tables. Can you loan us any? Let us hear from you in the near future. The date may seem far off, but time flies rapidly.

Committee:

Mrs. Hughes,	4463	Tickets	Mrs. Hall	2968
Mrs. te Groen	5819		Mrs. Mudge	3075
Alice Aseltine	5373	Tables	Mrs. Robertson	
Mrs. Thiel	5727		Mrs. Millovich	
Mrs. Jones	3583		Mrs. Beeton	
Mrs. Anderson	4670			
Mrs. Sann	5513			
Mrs. Geissler	4762			

DISTRICT BREAKFAST

Cheviot Hills Post had the honor of giving the monthly District (24th) breakfast. That is, the breakfast for all the Posts in the 24th District. This was given by us in our Club Headquarters on April 7th. Some of the members from other Posts, who attended, claimed that it was the best breakfast they ever have had. A good social was the outcome; good fellowship, and above all much benefit was obtained for the Legion.

Post Historian

THE AMERICAN LEGION WEEKLY BULLETIN

April 13, 1935

Twenty-fourth District

April 15—Blue Devils Post, Patriotic Hall, 1816 S. Figueroa street, Los Angeles. Hollywood Post No. 43, 2035 N. Highland avenue, Hollywood.

April 16—Santa Monica Post, Legion Hall, 1428 17th street, Santa Monica. Sawtelle Home Post, Library Building, National Military Home, Sawtelle.

April 17—Beverly Hills Post, 120 South Roxbury drive, Beverly Hills.

April 18—Elysian Park Post, Silver Lake Recreation Center, Silver Lake.

May 4—Save the afternoon of May 4th when the "Gals of Cheviot Hills" plan a benefit bridge party at the California Country Club. Tickets 50 cents. A fashion show is planned during the party—tell your wives about this.

THE AMERICAN LEGION WEEKLY BULLETIN

April 20, 1935

Twenty-Fourth District

Monday, April 22—Bruin Village Post, 10734 Ashton Ave., Westwood Hills.

Tuesday, April 23—Cheviot Hills Post, Tennis Club, 3084 Motor Av., West L. A.; Pacific Post No. 290, Legion Hall, 1770 Beloit Av., West L. A.

Wednesday, April 24 — Pacific Palisades Post, 15821 Sunset Blvd., Pacific Palisades.

Thursday, April 25—Carthay Circle Post, 915 Carrillo dr., "at the Theatre"; West Hollywood Post, Marquis Theatre Bldg., Melrose & Doheny Dr., West Hollywood; Westwood Hills Post, 10968 Santa Monica Blvd., Westwood Hills; Wilshire Post, 750 S. La Brea Ave.

BOY SCOUTS

Well, at last we managed to get our boy scouts. We now have a full fledged troop. It is in charge of Mr. Freihoder, a Scout-master of the highest type. We satisfied our selves about that latter feature before we accepted him and sponsored the troop. The Scout-master has had much previous experience in scouting and is an ex-Service man. The troop will be known as Cheviot Hills Troup #65.

Post Historian
4/24/35

Additional Transportation

This Post has successfully assisted in the work of interesting the Bay Cities Transportation Co (a bus-service line of the highest type) in installing a bus service thru Cheviot Hills and our other parts of the Post's territory. Something badly needed to connectus with the Red and Yellow Traction Lines. It is expected that the Service will soon be installed.

Post Historian
4/24/35

Veterans' Tax Exemption

This Post has advised it's members how to take full advantage of the California Tax Exemption (up to \$1000.00) Law, which is quite a saving to the Veteran. This Law was put in the books by the Spanish-American War Veterans of this State, lon time ago, and is still in effect.

Post Historian
4/24/35

Adjusted Certificate (So-called-Bonus)

Adhering to, and backing up our National Commander, this Post has a few weeks ago, given complete support. We contacted our State Congressmen and our two Senators and told them that we are "for the Bonus, the Legion way.

Post Historian
4/24/35

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THE AMERICAN LEGION
NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

OFFICE OF THE
NATIONAL HISTORIAN

May 7, 1935

Mr. Bernard Geissler, Historian,
Cheviot Hills Post No. 501,
The American Legion,
10457 Troon Avenue,
Los Angeles, California.

My dear Comrade Geissler:

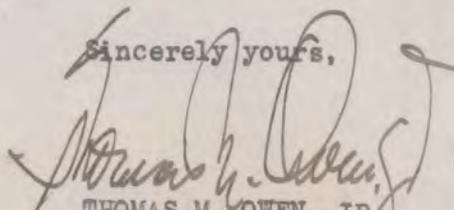
Under separate cover, we are returning your history which was entered in our National Post History Contest. Owing to the action of the membership of your Post in voting "Unless the book is awarded an appropriate prize - not merely Honorable Mention", the Judges felt that I should follow out the wishes of your organization.

I will say to you personally that if I knew you and knew the membership of your Post and if I were standing in front of them, I would say that you had a good book, that by rights it should be here in our National Archives and that if it had been awarded a prize it would have been my best judgment to have kept the book, despite the fact that I may have made one or two or a half dozen members of your organization somewhat peeved with me. However, this action on my part would have indicated that I recognized the worth while effort. You must remember that I am trying to do a very difficult job to the best of my human limitations.

It is sincerely hoped by me that you will revise and re-write and take out of the material which you have in this volume enough to give a complete picture of your Post from its inception to the present time. That you will elaborate on it, put a permanent binder on it and enter it in our 1937 contest. It is my judgment that if you do this, it will, in all probability, have a first class chance for a very favorable action on the part of the Judges. Of course I cannot say what the Judges will do under any given circumstances, but I do know that we bring here to National Headquarters men who know what they are about in the determination of Legion history. Each one of the three men said that it was a pity to return such an interesting and valuable piece of work when that was the kind of thing we needed here at headquarters.

We are going to have a contest in 1937 and I do sincerely hope that you will get into it. We Legion Historians have got to play ball together. I am perfectly willing to pitch to you in such a way that if you desire to play ball with me, you will have no difficulty in knocking the ball over the fence. In other words, you will certainly score.

Sincerely yours,



THOMAS M. OWEN, JR.
National Historian

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Tuesday, May 14, 1935

Cheviot Hills Post to Sponsor Dance Saturday

The Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion will sponsor a dance Saturday evening at the Bath and Tennis club, 3084 Motor avenue.

The affair will be one of the smartest of the year and post members promise good music, large floor, congenial crowd and a variety of refreshments.

ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, May 16, 1935

Cheviot Legion Post Dance Saturday

Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, will give a dance, Saturday night, at the Bath and Tennis Club, 3084 Motor Avenue.

The affair will again be one of those enjoyable functions for which this Post is noted; a refined club atmosphere, good music, large floor, congenial crowd, variety of refreshments, are features.

ANNIVERSARY DANCE

CHEVIOT HILLS POST AMERICAN LEGION

SATURDAY, MAY 18

BATH AND TENNIS CLUB

3084 MOTOR AVENUE

ADMISSION 50 CENTS

PAY AT THE DOOR

LOS ANGELES EXAMINER

MAY 22, 1935

New Bus Lines Given Approval

Plans of the Bay Cities Transit Company to operate bus service lines in the Cheviot Hills and in the Palms districts were approved by the board of public utilities and transportation yesterday. The bus lines are expected to be in operation within thirty days.

The Anniversary Dance of May 18th was a big success. A very good time was had by all and the attendance was most encouraging.

This affair was in charge of Comrades Hughes and TeGroen. Our Finance Officer reports a net profit of \$69.12

Post Historian

MAY 23, 1935

HOW HOUSE VOTED ON VETO

WASHINGTON, May 22.—(AP)—The House roll call on overriding President Roosevelt's veto of the Patman bonus bill follows:

Democrats voting to override:

Adair, Ill.; Arnold, Ill.; Ashbrook, Ohio; Ayers, Mont.; Barden, N. C.; Bean, Ill.; Belter, N. Y.; Bell, Mo.; Berlin, Pa.; Binderun, Neb.; Blanton, Tex.; Bloom, N. Y.; Boylan, N. Y.; Brennan, Ill.; Brooks, Pa.; Brown, Ga.; Brunner, N. Y.; Buck-ley, N. Y.; Caldwell, Fla.; Cannon, Mo.; Cannon, Wis.; Carmichael, Ala.; Carpen-ter, Kan.; Cartwright, Okla.; Cary, Ky.; Castellow, Ga.; Collier, N. Y.; Chap- man, Ky.; Citron, Conn.; Clark, Idaho; Clark, N. C.; Coffee, Neb.; GOLDEN, Calif.; Cole, Md.; Colmer, Miss.; Con- nery, Mass.; Cooley, N. C.; Cooper, Tenn.; COSTELLO, Calif.; Craven, Ark.; Crosby, Pa.; Cross, Tex.; Cresser, Ohio; Crowe, Ind.; Cullen, N. Y.; Cummings, Colo.; Dats, Pa.; Deen, Ga.; Delaney, N. Y.; Dempsey, N. M.; De- rouen, La.; Dickstein, N. Y.; Dies, Tex.; Dietrich, Pa.; Dinell, Mich.; Disney, Okla.; DOCKWELLER, Calif.; Dorsey, Pa.; Dosey, Miss.; Driscoll, Pa.; Driver, Ark.; Duffey, Ohio; Duncan, Mo.; Dunn, Miss.; Dunn, Pa.; Eagle, Tex.; Eckert, Pa.; Edminton, W. Va.; Eleher, Iowa; Ellenbogen, Pa.; Evans, N. Y.; Faddis, Pa.; Farley, Ind.; Ferguson, Okla.; Fer- nandez, La.; Fitzpatrick, N. Y.; Fillagan, Va.; Fletcher, Ohio; Ford, Miss.; Fuller, Ark.; Fulmer, S. C.; Cambrill, Md.; Gasque, S. C.; Gassaway, Okla.; Gava- gan, N. Y.; Gildea, Pa.; Gillette, Iowa; Gingery, Pa.; Golds- borough, Md.; Greenfield, Mass.; Gray, Ind.; Gray, Pa.; Greenway, Ariz.; Gren- wood, Ind.; Gregory, Ky.; Griswold, Ind.; Haines, Pa.; Hamlin, Maine; Han- cock, N. C.; Hart, N. J.; Harter, Ohio; Healey, Mass.; Higgins, Mass.; Hilden- brandt, S. D.; Hill, Ala.; Knute, Ill.; Wash.; Samuel B. Hill, Wash.; HOEP- PEL, Calif.; Hook, Mich.; Houston, Kan.; Imhoff, Ohio; Jacobsen, Iowa; Jenckes, Ind.; Johnson, Okla.; Johnson, Tex.; Johnson, W. Va.; Jones, Tex.; Kee, W. Va.; Keller, Ill.; Kelly, Ill.; Kennedy, Md.; Kennedy, N. Y.; Kenney, N. J.; Kerr, N. C.; Kleberg, Tex.; Kloch, Ohio; Kniffin, Ohio; Koppie- mann, Conn.; KRAMER, Calif.; Larrabee, Ind.; Lee, Okla.; Lesinski, Mich.; Lloyd, Wash.; Lucas, Ill.; Luckey, Neb.; Ludlow, Ind.; McAndrews, Ill.; McClean, Ark.; Mc- Cormack, Mass.; McFarlane, Tex.; McCre- sson, Miss.; McGRATH, Calif.; Mc- GREGARTY, Calif.; McKeough, Ill.; Mc- Swain, S. C.; Mahon, Tex.; Malone, La.; Mansfield, Tex.; Martin, Colo.; Mason, Ill.; Massingale, Okla.; Maverick, Tex.; May, Ky.; Mead, N. Y.; Meeks, Ill.; Merritt, N. Y.; Miller, Ark.; Mitchell, Ill.; Mitchell, Tenn.; Monahan, Mont.; Montef, La.; Moran, Me.; Moritz, Pa.; Murdock, Utah; Nelson, Mo.; Nichols, Okla.; Norton, N. J.; O'Brien, Ill.; O'Leary, N. Y.; O'Malley, Wis.; Owen, Ga.; Palmisano, Md.; Parks, Ark.; Parsons, Ill.; Patman, Tex.; Patten- son, Kan.; Patton, Tex.; Pearson, Tenn.; Peterson, Ga.; Pfeiffer, N. Y.; Pierce, Ore.; Polk, Ohio; Quinn, Pa.; Rabaut, Mich.; Ramsay, W. Va.; Ram- speck, Ga.; Randolph, W. Va.; Rankin, Miss.; Rayburn, Tex.; Richards, S. C.; Richardson, Pa.; Robinson, Utah; Rogers, N. H.; Roxers, Okla.; Romjue, Mo.; Rudd, N. Y.; Ryan, Minn.; Sadowski, Mich.; San- ders, La.; Sanders, Texas; SCOTT, Calif.; Schuetz, Ill.; Schulte, Ind.; Seerest, Ohio; Serugham, Nev.; Sears, Fla.; Seerest, Ohio; Shanley, Conn.; Sirovich, N. Y.; Smith, Wash.; Smith, W. Va.; Snyder, Pa.; Som- ers, N. Y.; South, Texas; Spence, Ky.; Stack, Pa.; Starnes, Ala.; Steagall, Ala.; STUBBS, Calif.; Sullivan, N. Y.; Sutphin, N. J.; Sweeney, Ohio; Taylor, Colo.; Taylor, N. C.; Thomason, Texas; Thomp- son, Ill.; TOLAN, Calif.; Tony, N. Y.; Truxa, Ohio; Turner, Tenn.; Umstead, N. C.; Underwood, Ohio; Vinson, Ga.; Vin- son, Ky.; Wallgreen, Wash.; Walter, Pa.; Warren, N. C.; Wearin, Iowa; Weaver, N. C.; Werner, S. D.; Wheelchel, Ga.; White, Idaho; Williams, Mo.; Wilson, La.; Wood, Mo.; Zimmerman, Mo.; Zion- check, Wash.

Total Democrats voting to override, 247.

Republicans voting to override:

Allen, Ill.; Andresen, Minn.; Aerends, Ill.; Bacharach, N. J.; Blackney, Mich.; Brewster, Maine; Buckbee, Ill.; Burdick, N. D.; Carlson, Kas.; CARTER, Calif.; COLLINS, Calif.; Cooper, Ohio; Crawford, Mich.; Crowther, N. Y.; Dirksen, Ill.; Dilt- er, Pa.; Dondero, Mich.; Doutrich, Pa.; Ekwall, Ore.; Engel, Mich.; ENGLE- BRIGHT, Calif.; Fenerty, Pa.; Focht, Pa.; GEARHART, Calif.; Gilchrist, Iowa; Guyer, Kas.; Gwynne, Iowa; Halbeck, Ind.; Heel, Ohio; Hoffman, Mich.; Hope, Kas.; Jenkins, Ohio; KATZ, Calif.; Kimball, Mich.; Kin- zler, Pa.; Knutson, Minn.; Lambertson, Kas.; Lemke, N. D.; Lord, N. Y.; Maas, Minn.; Marcantonio,

N. Y.; Marshall, Ohio; Michener, Mich.; Mott, Ore.; Pittenger, Minn.; Powers, N. J.; Ramsley, Pa.; Reese, Tenn.; Reed, Ill.; Robison, Ky.; Seger, N. J.; Short, Mo.; Stefan, Neb.; Stewart, Del.; Taylor, Tenn.; Thurston, Iowa; Turpin, Pa.; WELCH, Calif.; Wilson, Pa.; Wolcott, Mich.; Wolf- eoden, Pa.; Wolverton, N. J.; Woodruff, Mo.

Total Republicans voting to override, 63.

Progressives voting to over- ride:

Amle, Boileau, Gehrman, Hull, Sant- hoff, Schneider and Withrow, all of Wis- consin.

Total Progressives voting to override, 7.

Farmer-Labor voting to over- ride:

Buekler, Kvale and Lundeen, all of Min- nesota.

Total Farmer-Labor voting to override, 3.

Grand total voting to over- ride, 322.

Democrats voting to sustain:

Biermann, Ia.; Bland, Va.; Boehne, Ind.; Boland, Pa.; Brown, Mich.; Bu- chana, Tex.; BUCK, Calif.; Bulwinkle, N. C.; Burch, Va.; Byrns, Tenn.; Chandler, Tenn.; Claiborne, Mo.; Corning, N. Y.; Cox, Ga.; Darden, Va.; Dobbins, Ill.; Doughton, N. C.; Drewry, Va.; Duffy, N. Y.; Fiesinger, O.; FORD, Calif.; Frey, Pa.; Green, Fla.; Greever, Wyo.; Harlan, O.; Hennings, Mo.; Hobbs, Ala.; Huddleston, Ala.; Kocialkowski, Ill.; Lambeth, N. C.; Lanham, Tex.; LEA, Calif.; Lewis, Colo.; Lewis, Md.; McLaugh- lin, Neb.; McMillan, S. C.; McReynolds, Tenn.; Montague, Va.; O'Connell, R. I.; O'Connor, N. Y.; O'Day, N. Y.; O'Neal, Ky.; Peterson, Fla.; Pettencill, Ind.; Kelly, Wis.; Robertson, Va.; Russell, Mass.; Sisson, N. Y.; Smyth, Conn.; Smith, Va.; Summers, Tex.; Tarver, Ga.; Terry, Ark.; Thom, Pa.; Utterback, Iowa; West, Tex.; Whittington, Miss.; Wilcox, Fla.; Wood- rum, Va.; Young, O.

Total Democrats voting to sus- tain, 60.

Republicans voting to sustain:

Andrews, Mass.; Andrews, N. Y.; Bacon, N. Y.; Bolton, Ohio; Cavichia, N. J.; Christianson, Minn.; Church, Ill.; Cole, N. Y.; Calkin, N. Y.; Darrow, Pa.; Easton, N. J.; Fish, N. Y.; Gifford, Mass.; Good- win, N. Y.; Hartley, N. J.; Higgins, Conn.; Hollister, Ohio; Holmes, Mass.; Lehlbach, N. J.; McLean, N. J.; Mupes, Mich.; Mar- tin, Mass.; Merritt, Conn.; Millard, N. Y.; Perkins, N. J.; Plumley, Vt.; Reed, N. Y.; Rich, Pa.; Rogers, Mass.; Snell, N. Y.; Taber, N. Y.; Thomas, N. Y.; Tinkham, Mass.; Tobey, N. H.; Treadway, Mass.; Wadsworth, N. Y.; Wixlesworth, Mass.

Total Republicans voting to sustain, 38.

Grand total voting to sustain, 98.

Pairs announced: Der, D. La., and BURNHAM, R., Calif., to override with Peysor, D. N. Y., to sustain. Casey, D., Mass., and Shannon, D., Mo., to override with Oliver, D., Ala., to sustain.

Those not voting and for whom no pairs were announced: Bankhead, D., Ala.; Carden, D., Ky.; Cochran, D., Mo.; Igoe, D., Ill.; Lam- nech, D., Ohio; BATH, D., Ill.

LOS ANGELES EXAMINER

MAY 23, 1935

HOW PAYMENT WOULD BE MADE

WASHINGTON, May 22.—(AP)—Here are the essentials of the Patman bonus bill:

The Government would cash the 3,500,000 adjusted service certificates held by World War veter- ans in full at once.

New currency would be issued to meet the payments, to an esti- mated total of \$2,200,000,000.

The Treasury would have au- thority to contract the currency once the price level reached the 1921-1929 average. This, the bill's backers say, would prevent un- controlled inflation.

The average veteran would get \$497 for his certificate, in addi- tion to the \$500 he received on a loan. The 15 per cent who have not borrowed could get, on the average, \$1000.

LOS ANGELES EXAMINER

MAY 23, 1935

Senate Beats Bonus; Vets in New Drive

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The Bonus Roll Call

THESE SENATORS VOTED TO OVERRIDE VETO:

DEMOCRATS (41)

Adams, Colorado.
Bachman, Tennessee.
Bankhead, Alabama.
Bilbo, Mississippi.
Black, Alabama.
Bone, Washington.
Bulow, South Dakota.
Byrnes, South Carolina.
Caraway, Arkansas.
Clark, Missouri.
Copeland, New York.
Costigan, Colorado.
Donahey, Ohio.
Duffy, Wisconsin.
George, Georgia.
Hatch, New Mexico.
Lewis, Illinois.
Logan, Kentucky.
Long, Louisiana.
Maloney, Connecticut.
McAdoo, California.
McCarran, Nevada.
McGill, Kansas.
McKellar, Tennessee.
Minton, Indiana.
Moore, New Jersey.
Murphy, Iowa.
Murray, Montana.
Neely, West Virginia.

Overton, Louisiana.
Reynolds, North Carolina.
Russell, Georgia.
Schwellenbach, Washington.
Sheppard, Texas.
Smith, South Carolina.
Thomas, Oklahoma.
Thomas, Utah.
Trammell, Florida.
Truman, Missouri.
Van Nuys, Indiana.
Wheeler, Montana.

REPUBLICANS (11)

Borah, Idaho.
Capper, Kansas.
Carey, Wyoming.
Davis, Pennsylvania.
Dickinson, Iowa.
Frazier, North Dakota.
Gibson, Vermont.
Norris, Nebraska.
Nye, North Dakota.
Schall, Minnesota.
Steiner, Oregon.

FARMER LABOR (1)

Shipstead, Minnesota.

PROGRESSIVE (1)

La Follette, Wisconsin.

THESE SENATORS VOTED TO SUSTAIN VETO:

DEMOCRATS (28)

Ashurst, Arizona.
Bailey, North Carolina.
Barkley, Kentucky.
Brown, New Hampshire.
Bulkley, Ohio.
Burke, Nebraska.
Byrd, Virginia.
Chavez, New Mexico.
Connally, Texas.
Coolidge, Massachusetts.
Dieterich, Illinois.
Fletcher, Florida.
Gerry, Rhode Island.
Glass, Virginia.
Gore, Oklahoma.
Guffey, Pennsylvania.
Harrison, Mississippi.
Hayden, Arizona.
King, Utah.
Lonergan, Connecticut.

O'Mahoney, Wyoming.
Pittman, Nevada.
Pope, Idaho.
Radcliffe, Maryland.
Robinson, Arkansas.
Tydings, Maryland.
Wagner, New York.
Walsh, Massachusetts.

REPUBLICANS (12)

Austin, Vermont.
Barbour, New Jersey.
Couzens, Michigan.
Hale, Maine.
Hastings, Delaware.
Johrson, California.
Keyes, New Hampshire.
McNary, Oregon.
Metcalf, Rhode Island.
Townsend, Delaware.
Vandenberg, Michigan.
White, Maine.

LOS ANGELES EXAMINER

MAY 24, 1935

Thursday, June 6, 1935

Country Club to Be Scene of Smart Affair

One of the smart affairs of the year will be the benefit bridge tea at the California Country Club, Saturday, June 15, to be sponsored by the ladies of the Cheviot Hills Post American Legion.

A style show to be given through the courtesy of a department store in Santa Monica will be presented during the afternoon. Mrs. Warren Anderson having charge of the showing of smart summer styles.

Mrs. Fowler Jones is general chairman of the event to be assisted by the Mesdames Walter Thiel, Hal Hughes, Bernard Geissler, William te Groen and Warren Anderson.

Mrs. Hal Hughes will have charge of tickets for the bridge party, and reservations may be made by calling C. C. 4463.

Jurors Declare Showman Guilty

Guy Douthwaite, Drive-In Theatre Owner, Loses In Anti-Ordinance Tilt

A jury returned a verdict of guilty against Guy Douthwaite, owner of the Drive-in theater at Westwood and Pico boulevards, Wednesday in Judge Oda Faulconer's municipal court on two complaints of violations of a city ordinance which prohibits the use of sound amplifiers which carry noise more than 50 feet beyond the property line.

In the trial the theater man defended himself by testifying that neighbors who lived closest to the theater did not complain. He asserted that traffic noise on Overland boulevard was greater than that emanating from his amplifiers. The complainants charged that the theater noise kept them from sleeping.

Police Officer A. M. Skeets and Mrs. Edna Chaney testified against the theater man. Mrs. Chaney, who lives at 10537 Dunleer avenue, testified that she heard the talking of actors in a picture being shown at the theater, and could see the pictures on the screen.

The Citizen

Culver City, California, Friday, June 7, 1935

PLAN AFFAIR

A style show and bridge tea has been planned by the wives of American Legion post of Cheviot Hills, No. 501, on Saturday, June 15, at California Country club, it was announced today.

The event will be one of the biggest social affairs of the season, according to Mrs. Gale Hughes, ticket chairman, who has reservations for approximately 100 tables. Those wishing to reserve tables are asked to call her at C. C. 4463.

Mrs. Fowler Jones, the post commander's wife, is in charge of the affair, which is a benefit for the post.

ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, June 13, 1935

Cheviot Legion Benefit Bridge and Style Show

The wives of the officers and members of Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, will sponsor a benefit Bridge Tea and Style Show at the California Country Club, Saturday, June 15th, 1:30 p. m.

Mrs. Fowler D. Jones is general chairman of the event. Reservations may be made with Mrs. Hal Hughes, 2843 Haddington Drive, telephone Culver City 4463.

Friday, June 14, 1935

Smart Affair To Be Held at Country Club

Women of Culver City and Palms are especially invited to attend the bridge luncheon and fashion show to be held at the California Country club Saturday afternoon by the ladies of the Cheviot Hills post, American Legion.

Mrs. Warren Anderson will have charge of the fashion show, Mrs. Fowler Jones is general chairman to be assisted by the Mesdames Hal Hughes, Walter Thiel, C. D. Aseltine, Bernard Geissler, and William te Groen.

This affair is the first the women have sponsored this year and they are working hard to make it a successful one. Reservations may be made with Mrs. Hughes, C. C. 4463.

June 15, 1935

CHEVIOT HILLS POST TO PUT ON BRIDGE TEA AND STYLE SHOW

The wives of officers and members of Cheviot Hills will sponsor a Benefit Bridge Tea and Style Show on Saturday, June 15, at the California Country Club, according to Historian Bernard Geissler.

Mrs. Fowler D. Jones, wife of the Commander, is general chairman to the event. Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Hal Hughes at Culver City 4463. The address is 2843 Haddington Drive, Culver City.

All Legionnaires are invited to attend.

BENEFIT BRIDGE TEA - STYLE SHOW

COURTESY HENSHEY DEPARTMENT STORE
SANTA MONICA

CHEVIOT HILLS POST AMERICAN LEGION

CALIFORNIA COUNTRY CLUB

SATURDAY, JUNE 15 - 1:30 P.M.

ADMISSION 50 CENTS

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The Benefit Bridge Tea-Style Show was put on by our good wives, in charge of Mrs. Fowler D Jones and assisted by Mrs. Hal Hughes. The primary object being to secure the necessary money, yet needed to complete the colors-fund, so that our Post Colors may be obtained. It was a tremendous success, not only financially but because the affair was so generally conceded to have been one of the "smartest" yet given in this part of the City. The style show itself was more than worth the price of admission. Many of the wives worked hard. Net profit was \$43.43

EVENING STAR-NEWS,

Culver City, Calif.

Saturday, June 15, 1935

Sound Piped to Drive-in Patrons

Theater Now Open at Pico and Westwood; Manager Tells New Features

Having completed the installation of one of the most unique screen-sound reproducing systems in the world, Guy S. Douthwaite has reopened his Drive-in theater on West Pico at Westwood boulevard. The new sound device consists of miniature loud speakers which are attached to the radiators of each individual car and which are said to be more clear and audible than any other system of screen-sound reproduction ever conceived.

This "piping" system individualizes the sound system for each patron's automobile. Douthwaite made use of the latest advances in sound engineering technique in the installation of the new method.

The Drive-in theater has long been a unique landmark in the entertainment world. Featuring the largest movie screen ever made, and allowing its patrons to see and hear an entire show without leaving their cars, its fame has spread throughout the world.

Note- This concludes a bitter fight, between many of our home owners and the "Drive-In" Theatre, in an endeavor of our people to get peace and quiet at night. The noise, under the old system of loud-speaking (this theatre being the second largest drive-in in US,) deprived the residents in a great part of Cheviot Hills from getting rest at night. This Post assisted considerably in the fight-under the Chairmanship of Comrade Geissler

Post Historian

EVENING STAR-NEWS,

Culver City, Calif.

Tuesday, June 18, 1935

Country Club Scene of Smart Bridge Tea

One of the smartest affairs of the year was the first party given by the ladies of the Cheviot Hills post, American Legion, Saturday afternoon.

They entertained at the California Country club with a benefit bridge tea and fashion show and the club rooms were filled to capacity.

Between the hours of three and four a bay district department store presented a fashion parade of sport clothes, bathing togs, formals, cocktail dresses and street clothes. A group of charming young ladies modeled with several youngsters showing styles for the younger set. Mrs. Warren Anderson had charge of the style show.

Attractive prizes were awarded for high scores and tea was served at the conclusion of the affair. Clubwomen were present from Santa Monica, Beverly Hills, Los Angeles and Hollywood.

The committee included the Mesdames Fowler Jones, Warren Anderson, Hal Hughes, Walter Thiel, Bernard Geissler, William te Groen, Robinson, and C. D. Aseltine. They assisted in receiving, giving out the prizes and supervising the serving of tea and were highly commended by those attending for their first affair.

Among those present were the Mesdames Carolyn Crawford, Mayme Sanderson, Virginia Hoyer, Dorothy Brehm, Lila Wills, Lorraine Ritnour, Martin Mundorf, Marriott Dawe, May Skipworth, Erna Hayes, Eileen Craighead, Kathleen Walker, Wylie L. Jones, W. Logan Jones Jr., George E. Fowler, Neil C. Brome, Donner, Herman, Swanton, Moser, Ruth Felix, Ruth Goedike, Beulah Adams, Mary L. Graves, Marguerite Maxfield, Mildred Mudge, Agnes Hegeman, Edith Burrill, O. D. Floyd, E. J. Evans, L. A. Snook, M. D. Gardner, Thomas Sowerbutts, Edward Judy, Robertson, Cottrell, Crucey, Dalton, Loughran, Vernon Vessey, R. S. McCarthy, Ida J. Neff, Daniel J. Dailey, Milton P. Hawkes, William Beri, Fern A. Krauch.

Henry F. Wagoner, C. F. Pette, A. A. Tribolet, Ruth Chancey, Mounts, Thompson, McMahon, Marr, Anna S. Crawford, Sylva Barton, Mabel Crawford, Lenora Collier, L. A. Bandy, J. Piser, F. Kines, E. Morris, Evelyn Punter, Audrie McDermott, Jacqueline McDonald, Vera N. Stokes, E. Garrison, P. E. Willis, Ida Newman, A. M. St. Clair, Alta Frey, Gwendolyn Glasscock, Charles L. Bell, Paul Hastings,

W. X. Peterson, Alexander Chisholm, Rudolph Wilson, Paul J. Webb, R. J. Schuck, A. W. Schoolmaster, M. E. Wolfe, E. W. Ralston, B. Bush, M. Palmer, Helen Cherniss, Ruth Helfrich, H. Mellstrup, Madge Jones, P. M. Moles, Myrtle Wilder, Katherine Colwell, Carmelita Elliott, Blanche McDaniel, Cecil Gensler, C. M. Reading, L. B. Hughes, J. W. Frame, B. Bronson, M. Rounsavelle, Muriel Slaughter, J. E. Rees, Frank Martineau, De Vos, Gallagher, Du Voisen, Antkoveak, E. Mabry, Eleanor Frantz, Elizabeth Waldthausen, Stella de Molzeerle, Lee C. Porter, V. S. Matson, H. L. Joy, S. B. Barnes, Marjorie Smith, Helen Snyder, Salome Miller, Marguerite Nauerhan, Reynolds, Wilkerson, J. W. Ogier, Louise Rowley, Corrinne Scott, Elsie Glassick, Nellie Enders, Ruth Haller, Rose Potrer, Gertrude Bronsley, Kathleen Adams, Joseph Zuckerman.

George E. Lee, C. B. Edington, William Shea, Mary Rowdell, Alberta Almstead, Marie Pollard, Florence Lloyd, Ruby Martz, E. J. Veron, N. Saunders, G. O. Hively, E. Anderson, Paul, Marion Anderson, Dorothy C. Neal, Frank Everett, Frank Bradford, Hugh Wynn, Robert Brewer, Dale Russell, Nicolas Devereux, Avis Philbrook, D. M. Roberts, John Roulette, Harold Broun, Earl Woodworth, A. Fields, Bertha Pearce, Madge Reid, Agnes Hicks, Janet Allen, Doris Linville, June Erickson, Ellen Denker, G. B. McClyman, C. M. Doble, D. P. Maitland, W. H. Bartlett, Adele Heyes, Dorothy H. Souva, Brunner, W. S. Scull, W. O. Schugh, G. E. Middlebrook, F. S. MacNamara, Harruth Ogden, Louise E. Hummel, William E. Young, Lois C. Dunn, Helen Dodds, E. Stone, Gabriel, Mackle, Kendall, Marge MacMillan, Bethel Griffith, Miriam Cummings, Muriel Sudduth, R. O. Narveson, C. E. Hoagland, R. A. Webster, R. R. Baring, W. D. Johnston, W. L. Goff, T. M. Crain, L. W. Young, Gladys Fisher, Peg De Remer, Mary Hickey, Docky Martin, Harry L. Garrett, J. O'Hara Smith, Paul Jarrett, F. L. Van Dorn, Day, Vogt, Midworth, MacDonald, J. J. Bergin, A. E. Slaught, Harry Samm, H. M. Bee-

ton, Ellsworth Slaught, V. Bloeser, C. J. Millerbury, T. J. McKinnon, R. O. Ford, Lucile Dix, Hazel Sterits, C. Whitbead, Blanche Helne-man, the Misses De Nubila, Henderson, E. Della Hughes, Hazel, Campbell, Calvert, Arlene Olson, Margaret Miller and others.

Wednesday, June 19, 1935

Difficulties Are Settled Over Permits

Bay Cities Line and City Utility Board Reach Terms

Service will be started about July 1 on two bus lines connecting Palms and Cheviot Hills with the yellow car terminal at Pico and Rimpau boulevards, it was disclosed today at the offices of the Los Angeles board of public utilities and transportation.

This announcement came about after a previous disagreement between the Bay Cities Transit company, operators of the new lines, and the city utilities board over conditions and routes. About two weeks ago the Bay Cities Company refused permits granted by the board and protested the regulations.

Nine modern busses just received from a Michigan factory will be used to inaugurate the new lines, it was announced. Conditions of operation, as agreed, are that the Bay Cities Company will withdraw its purely local bus service on Pico boulevard between Beverly drive and Rimpau boulevard and will render a service in its place by its Palms and Cheviot Hills lines.

Objections to operation of the two lines were withdrawn yesterday by the city of Santa Monica and by the Culver City-University lines after terms regarding Pico boulevard and Manning avenue operation had been reached.

Wednesday, June 19, 1935

Cheviot Legion, Scouts To Meet

Cheviot Hills post, American Legion, will be presented with post colors on next Tuesday evening June 25, at the Bath and Tennis club, by the wives of the officers and members of the post. In the same meeting, the post will be host to its Boy Scouts, Cheviot Hills Troop No. 65 of which E. C. Prehoda is scoutmaster. Time for the meeting is 8 p. m.

ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, June 20, 1935

Cheviot Hills and Boy Scouts in Joint Meet

Cheviot Hills post of the American Legion will have as its guests members of Cheviot Hills troop No. 65 Boy Scouts at a meeting next Tuesday evening at the Bath and Tennis club. Wives of post officers and members will present the organization with colors also on that evening.

Note- This Post took quite a part in connection with securing of a Bus Line which would serve our three districts, under the Chairmanship of Comrade Hughes, assisted by Comrade Thiel. Also, Comrade Geissler took up with and secured the approval of property owners on Cheviot Drive, and their help, in convincing all concerned that the Bus Line should operate on a regularly recognized thoroughfare (Motor Avenue) and not on Cheviot Drive as was mentioned and considered.

Post Historian

FOWLER D. JONES
Commander
HAL HUGHES
1st Vice Commander
FRANK W. MARTINEAU
2nd Vice Commander
J. NORRIS HICKS
Chaplain
BERNARD GEISSLER
Historian

CHEVIOT HILLS POST 501

AMERICAN LEGION

10457 TROON AVENUE
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA



CHARLES H. POTTER
Sergeant-at-Arms
C. D. ASELTINE
Adjutant
WALTER C. THIEL
Finance Officer

Meets Second and Fourth Tuesday
at the
RANCHO GOLF CLUB
Pico and Motor Ave.

June 21, 1935

C O M R A D E S I

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Presentation of Colors

As a result of the financial success of the Bridge Tee and Style Show sponsored by the Ladies of Cheviot Hills Post at the California Country Club last Saturday afternoon a long-awaited event, namely the presentation of colors to our post, will be consummated at the meeting next Tuesday evening at the Bath and Tennis Club. The Ladies will be in charge of the presentation. The Boy Scouts will put on a demonstration, following which there will be free ice cream, cake and coffee for all. All wives of members and the parents of the Boy Scouts are invited.

Pre-Convention Dance

Geo. Millovich, bar-quef and chairman extraordinary, is enclosing tickets to the June 27th Pre-Convention Dance to be passed out among your friends. Since this will be the last dance until next September, none more be sold. JKO Orchestra. Tickets 50¢. PAY AT THE DOOR.

C. D. Aeltine Adjutant

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EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Monday, June 24, 1935

Cheviot Legion Will Receive Post Colors

Post colors will be presented to the Cheviot Hills post, American Legion, tomorrow night at their meeting at the Bath and Tennis club. Wives of the officers of the post will dedicate their gift of the banners in a ceremony which will start at 8 o'clock.

This same meeting will honor Boy Scout Troop No. 65 of Cheviot Hills. This troop which is sponsored by the Cheviot Hills Legionnaires, is under the leadership of E. C. Prehoda, scoutmaster.

EVENING STAR-NEWS,

Culver City, Calif.

Tuesday, June 25, 1935

LEGION WILL GIVE DANCE IN CHEVIOT

Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, will give another dance at the Bath and Tennis club, 3084 Motor avenue, Saturday evening. The committee in charge of George P. Millovich promises an enjoyable time.

ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, June 27, 1935

CHEVIOT LEGION DANCE

Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, will give another one of its popular dances at the Bath and Tennis Club, 3084 Motor Avenue, Saturday evening, June 29th.

The committee in charge of George P. Millovich promises an enjoyable time featuring a good floor, excellent music, a refined atmosphere, a sociable crowd, in a country club environment, at reasonable cost.

STAR-NEWS SHOPPER

Friday, June 28, 1935

LEGION WILL GIVE DANCE IN CHEVIOT

Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, will give another dance at the Bath and Tennis club, 3084 Motor avenue, Saturday evening. The committee in charge of George P. Millovich promises an enjoyable time.

PRE-CONVENTION DANCE CHEVIOT HILLS POST AMERICAN LEGION

SATURDAY, JUNE 29TH

BATH AND TENNIS CLUB

3084 MOTOR AVENUE

ADMISSION 50 CENTS

PAY AT THE DOOR

The Pre-Convention Dance of June 29th was in charge of Comrade Millovich. He had a tough one. This was the vacation time for many and in addition, Millovich was handicapped by the fact that this affair was very close to the last affair, the Bridge Tea-Style show of June 15th. The attendance was not up usual. We lost net \$1.43

Post Historian

July, 1933.

Cheviot Hills Post recently received a stand of colors, presented by the wives of the members of the post. The Boy Scouts were guests of honor.

EVENING STAR-NEWS

Culver City, California

Thursday, July 11, 1935

Hughes Named Cheviot Vets Group Leader

Installation Is Slated During First Part of Next Month

Hal Hughes, prominent member of the Cheviot Hills Legion post, was unanimously elected commander of the organization last Tuesday night at the Legion's regular scheduled semi-monthly meeting at the Bath and Tennis club on Motor avenue.

At the same time, Carlos D. Aseltine, was elected first vice-commander; William P. te Groen, second vice commander; Charles A. Potter, adjutant; N. E. Mudge, finance officer; Norris Hicks, chaplain, and Mel Cobb, sergeant-at-arms.

The new members of the executive board elected were: Fowler Jones, Walter Thiel, D. D. Childress and George Millovich.

More than forty members of the post were present to take part in the annual election of new officers. Representatives from approximately every other Legion post in the bay district were also present. According to the present plans, the installation of officers will take place at the Legion headquarters sometime during the first part of August.

A program will be planned at the next meeting with a committee appointed to take charge of the arrangements for the affair. It was indicated by Legion officials that the installation will be given at an informal dinner dance.

LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

TUESDAY, JULY 9, 1935

Air-Line Service Abandonment Refused

City Council changed its mind yesterday and voted against permitting the Pacific Electric Company to abandon the Santa Monica air-line passenger service.

Last fall the Council adopted an ordinance of abandonment on the plea of the company that it was losing money on every trip.

Mayor Frank L. Shaw vetoed it. Suburbanites would lose their only means of transportation into the city, he said.

Since early last fall, the mayor's veto bounced about in Council committees. An 8-to-5 vote sustained the veto yesterday.

"If we would permit them to abandon service, the city would lose what hold it might have upon the company to induce it to dedicate rights-of-way for the opening and widening of Exposition boulevard," Councilman Byron B. Brainard said.

He referred to a 16-foot strip of land held by the company on the north side of Exposition boulevard from Western avenue to Vermont avenue, and a 50-foot strip of land west of Arlington avenue.

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EVENING STAR-NEWS,

Culver City, Calif.

Thursday, July 18, 1935

NEW LEADER



Here is Hal Hughes, commander-elect of the Cheviot Hills American Legion post.

Plans were being considered today by leaders of the Cheviot Hills post of the American Legion for an informal dinner dance or other event to mark the installation within the near future of Hal Hughes as the new commander of the ex-servicemen's organization. The induction ceremony is scheduled for early in August.

Mr. Hughes was unanimously named to the commandership at the post's election meeting held recently at the Bath and Tennis club on Motor avenue. Carlos D. Aseltine will serve as first vice commander.

EVENING STAR-NEWS,

Culver City, Calif.

Friday, July 26, 1935

Cheviot Vets to Install July 30

Cheviot Hills post No. 501, of the American Legion, will install new officers next Tuesday evening, July 30, it was announced today. The installation ceremony will be held at 8 p.m. at the Bath and Tennis club on Motor avenue.

The commander-elect, who will be inducted into office next Tuesday is Hal Hughes. He was elected to the office at the annual elections session of the post recently. Carlos D. Aseltine will be the new first vice-commander; William P. te Groen, second vice-commander; Charles A. Potter, adjutant; N. E. Mudge, finance officer; Norris Hicks, chaplain; and Mel Cobb, sergeant-at-arms.

THE AMERICAN LEGION WEEKLY BULLETIN

July 27, 1935

CHEVIOT HILLS POST TO INSTALL OFFICERS NEXT TUESDAY

The newly elected officers of Cheviot Hills Post will be installed at next Tuesday night's meeting. The session will be held at the regular meeting place, 3084 Motor Avenue, Los Angeles, the quarters of the Bath and Tennis Club.

Hal Hughes, the newly elected Commander, was not in a position to name the installing officer at the time The Bulletin went to press.

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LOS ANGELES EVENING

HERALD AND EXPRESS:

JULY 29, 1935

Heads of Cheviot Hills Legion to Be Installed

Newly elected officers of Cheviot Hills post No. 501 of the American Legion will be installed at ceremonies to be held in the Bath and



HAL HUGHES
Heads Cheviot Hills Legion Post

Tennis Club, 3084 Motor avenue, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

Hal Hughes, prominent Los Angeles attorney, will be commander, succeeding Fowler Jones. For the past 18 months Hughes has been first vice commander and has led the post in securing many benefits for the community which it represents.

Other officers include: C. D. Aseltine, first vice commander; Charles N. Potter, adjutant; N. E. Mudge, finance officer; Norris Hicks, chaplain; Bernard Geissler, historian, and Mel Cobb, sergeant-at-arms.

Cheviot Legion Inducts Tuesday

New officers of Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will be inducted into office at ceremonies to be held tomorrow evening at the Bath and Tennis club on Motor avenue. The meeting will be held at 8 p. m. and a large crowd is expected.

Hal Hughes will be installed as commander and Carlos D. Aseltine will be first vice commander. Other new officers are: William P. te Groen, second vice commander; Charles A. Potter, adjutant; N. E. Mudge, finance officer; Norris Hicks, chaplain; and Mel Cobb, sergeant-at-arms.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Culver City, California: Wednesday, July 31, 1935

HEADS VETS



Hal Hughes, above, was installed last night as commander of Cheviot Hills post of the American Legion.

Hughes Takes Position As Head Of Vets

Annual Installation Ceremonies Held by Cheviot Legion

At one of the most colorful installation ceremonies ever staged by members of the Cheviot Hills American Legion post, Hal Hughes, prominent Legionaire, was formally installed as commander of the post. The ceremony was staged at the Bath and Tennis club on Motor avenue. The installing officer was Schuyler Graves, past commander of the 24th district of the American Legion.

At the same time, Carlos D. Aseltine was installed as first vice-commander. Other officers installed were: William P. te Groen, second vice commander; Charles A. Potter, adjutant; N. E. Mudge, finance officer; Norris Hicks, chaplain, and Mel Cobb, sergeant-at-arms.

The new members of the executive board installed were: Fowler D. Jones, Walter Thiel, D. D. Childress, and George Millovich.

More than forty members of the post combined with numerous delegates from other American Legion posts in the district, lent a colorful atmosphere.

A social hour and refreshments followed the installation.

September 7, 1935

A TROPHY FOR BEST SCRAP BOOK

In order to promote more interest in Post publicity and to encourage scribes to keep scrap books during the coming year a suitable trophy will be awarded at the annual meeting of the A.B.S. to the scribe who turns in the best and most attractive book of clippings which he himself has written during the previous year.

Three disinterested judges will be appointed to pass upon the books submitted and the one judged the best will be awarded the trophy at the first meeting after the Department Convention.

Scribes must not paste anything in their books not written by themselves but they can use, not only stories printed in The Bulletin but also any stories that they write for local newspapers.

During the past week we had the pleasure of looking through one scrap book kept by a Bulletin Scribe during the past year which contained more than a thousand inches of publicity. Such work, the editor feels, is worthy of recognition. Other scribes have almost reached the thousand mark and we feel that under pressure of competition for a worthwhile trophy that publicity in this county will more than double during the coming year.

After the A.B.S. Meeting next Friday night the rules of the contest will be announced and the competition will start. In the mean time save all your Post publicity clippings.

OPENING FALL DANCE

Cheviot Hills Post American Legion

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH

BATH AND TENNIS CLUB
3084 MOTOR AVENUE

ADMISSION 50 CENTS
PAY AT THE DOOR

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Thursday, September 12, 1935

Cheviot Legion To Stage Dance

Elaborate plans for the opening fall dance of Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, to be held Saturday, Sept. 14, at the Bath and Tennis Club, 3084 Motor avenue, were announced today by Hal Hughes, commander of the Legion Post.

The Satchel-McVey orchestra will furnish the music for the dance which officially opens the fall social season for the Legion members, commander said.

John R. Quinn, county supervisor, former state and national commander of the Legion, will head a delegation of prominent Legionaires who have accepted invitations to the dance. Commander Hughes stated.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Saturday, September 14, 1935

Cheviot Veterans To Dance Tonight

With a group of prominent Legionaires slated to be in attendance, members of the Cheviot Hills Post of the American Legion will hold their opening fall dance at the Bath and Tennis club, 3084 Motor avenue tonight.

John R. Quinn, county supervisor and a former state and national commander of the Legion, has accepted an invitation to the affair. Hal Hughes, commander of the Cheviot Hills Post said today.

The music for the dance will be furnished by the Satchel-McVey orchestra, according to committee members in charge of arrangements.

HALLOWE'EN INVITATION

CHEVIOT'S SHABBY CHISELIN' SHIN-DIG

The "gals" of Cheviot Legion
Are giving an affair
To celebrate the Hallowe'en
We hope to see you there.



The "gals" will dress in gingham,
The boys in overalls
Its going to be a ladies cheat
You can't adorn the walls.



There'll be awards for the goofy ones,
Surprises by the score.
You can't afford to miss this dance,
The music you'll adore,



So come and bring your side kicks
(On the nineteenth after dark)
To the good old Bath & Tennis Club.
(Be careful where you park.)

MEN FOLKS.

Why stay home and be pestered, come to the dance and let the girls do it.

Yours truly,

Susan & Mirandy.

-K.B-

Call us up sometime
C.C.4463

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Saturday, October 5, 1935

Vets Invited by Cheviot Legion

Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, extends a cordial invitation to World War Veterans living in the districts the post serves, namely, Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands, to attend one of the meetings, post officers said today.

The post meets on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at the Bath and Tennis club, 3084 Motor avenue at 8 p. m. The meeting place is ideal and the veterans will enjoy the utmost in good fellowship and will learn in how many ways the post is serving the war veteran and the community, according to Bernard Geissler, historian.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Friday, October 11, 1935

Tennis Club to Be Scene of Smart Affair

The wives of the Cheviot Legion members are planning a gala event for the evening of October 19 at the Bath and Tennis club on Motor avenue.

At that time they will celebrate Hallowe'en with a dance that according to advance reseservations, looks as though it will be the most successful event yet given by this group of energetic workers.

Gingham dresses, overalls for the men, decorations of typical Hallowe'en style and an excellent orchestra, will make the affair a successful one. Reservations can be made by calling C. C. 4463, Mrs. Hal Hughes.

Among those working on the event are the Mesdames Hal Hughes, W. Te Groen, C. D. Aseltine, Bernard Geissler, Potter, and others.

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EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Tuesday, October 8, 1935

Cheviot Legion To Meet Tonight

Members of Cheviot Hills American Legion post will hold their regular semi-monthly meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the Bath and Tennis club, 3084 Motor avenue, Cheviot Hills, it was announced today by Bernard Geissler, post officer. The commander, Hal Hughes, will preside at the meeting.

Veterans of the World War living in the districts served by the post, namely, Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands, are invited to attend. The post meets regularly on second and fourth Tuesdays.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Monday, October 14, 1935



Mrs. William te Groen who is assisting with the Hallowe'en dance October 19 at the Bath and Tennis club being sponsored by the wives of the Cheviot Legion Post. She is the wife of the second vice-commander.

Thursday, October 17, 1935



Mrs. Hal Hughes is assisting with the dance planned by the wives of the Cheviot Hills Legion members for Saturday evening. Mrs. Hughes is the wife of the commander.

ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, October 17, 1935

Cheviot Legion Will Give Halloween Dance

The wives of the officers and members of Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, will give a "Hard Times" Halloween Dance, at the Bath and Tennis Club, 3084 Motor Avenue, Saturday evening, October 19th.

This affair will be in charge of Mrs. Hal Hughes, wife of the Post Commander, who promises one of the best functions ever given by the organization. Persons living in the district the Post serves are invited to attend.

Thursday, October 17, 1935

Hughes Busy in Prosecutor Post

Cheviot Hills Man Begins Duties as Assistant U. S. Attorney

Hal Hughes, prominent Cheviot Hills resident and attorney, began his duties today as an assistant United States attorney, after his appointment yesterday by United States attorney, after his appointment yesterday by United States Attorney Pearson M. Hall of the Los Angeles U. S. district attorney's office. Mr. Hughes, and another appointee, Carl Eardley, were sworn in late yesterday by Edmund L. Smith, chief deputy United States district court clerk.

Mr. Hughes, who will be assigned to U. S. District Judge Albert Lee Stephens' court, is 39 years of age, a graduate of U.S.C. and has been in practice for himself many years. He is married and has three small daughters.

Prosecutor Hall stated that because of the additional work occasioned by the naming of two more federal judges, it was necessary for him to increase his office staff and the authorization to employ two assistants recently came from Washington.

The appointment of Mr. Hughes to the responsible federal post delighted his many friends in the Cheviot Hills and in Culver City-Palms, where both he and Mrs. Hughes are well known. In addition to his activities as commander of Cheviot Hills post of the American Legion, Mr. Hughes has been active in Legion county council circles.

Friday, October 18, 1935

October 19, 1935

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**Hallowe'en Dance
To Be Held at
Tennis Club**

Final plans have been made for the Hallowe'en dance which the wives of the Cheviot Legion members have planned for Saturday evening at the Bath and Tennis club.

Gingham dresses and overalls will be the costumes for the event and the Mesdames Hal Hughes, William te Groen, Aseltine, Bernard Geissler and Potter will have charge of details.

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**CHEVIOT HILLS POST TO
STAGE A "HARD TIMES"
HALLOWE'EN PARTY**

The wives of the officers and members of Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, will give a "hard times" Hallowe'en dance, at the Bath and Tennis Club, 3084 Motor avenue, Saturday evening, October 19. There will be the usual select crowd, good music and an excellent dance floor. This affair will be in charge of Mrs. Hal Hughes, wife of the Post Commander, who promises one of the best functions ever given by the organization. Legionnaires and their families are invited to attend.

Hard Times Halloween Dance

"LADIES MAY CHEAT"

Cheviot Hills Post American Legion

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19TH

BATH AND TENNIS CLUB - 3084 MOTOR AVENUE

ADMISSION 50 CENTS

PAY AT THE DOOR

Monday, October 21, 1935

**Cheviot Legion to
Hold Meet Tuesday**

With veterans of the World War living in Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands invited to attend, Cheviot Hills Post of the American Legion will hold its semi-monthly meeting tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the Bath and Tennis club, 3084 Motor avenue, in Cheviot Hills. Hal Hughes, commander of the post, is scheduled to preside.

Tuesday, October 22, 1935



Here is Mrs. Bernard Geissler who assisted the wives of the Cheviot Hills Post American Legion members with the Halloween dance Saturday evening at the Bath and Tennis Club on Motor avenue.

Cheviot Group Sponsors Dance At Tennis Club

The Bath and Tennis Club in Cheviot Hills was the scene Saturday evening of a Halloween dance sponsored by the wives of the Legion Post members.

The Mesdames W. te Groen, Aseltine, Bernard Geissler and Potter had charge of the decorations, with corn cobs, skeletons and other typical fall holiday favors used in adding to the colorful scene.

Walter Hall and Mrs te Groen won prizes for the best costumes, most of the guests having appeared in overalls or gingham frocks.

Thursday, October 24, 1935

Cheviot Vets Hold Business Meeting

The Cheviot Hills American Legion held its regular semi-monthly business meeting last night at the Bath and Tennis club at 3084 Motor avenue. Numerous veterans from Monte Mar Vista, Country Club Highlands and Cheviot Hills were present. Hal Hughes, commander of the post, presided.

Saturday, November 9, 1935

Cheviot Legion To Meet Tuesday

Members of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 of the American Legion will hold their next regular meeting Tuesday night, Nov. 12, at the Bath and Tennis club, 3084 Motor avenue, at 8 o'clock, officers of the group announced today.

Post Commander Hal Hughes will preside over the gathering, they said, and refreshments will be served on completion of the program. All World War Veterans living in Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands, have been invited to attend the session.

Saturday, November 16, 1935

Hughes Outlines Stand on Bonds

Hal Hughes, commander of Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, said today that no provisions have been made in the proposed \$12,393,000 school bond issue to be voted on next Tuesday, for improvements at the Overland avenue school, serving Monte Mar Vista, Country Club Highlands and the Cheviot Hills. Consequently, the Cheviot Hills Legion post is not supporting the proposed issue, the post commander said.

At last Tuesday's meeting of the veterans' organization, held at the Bath and Tennis club, 3084 Motor avenue, Veterans heard a report from the school bond committee, and questioned him about the proposed issue as it would affect their community. Commander Hughes and others pointed out that the Overland avenue school comprises several one-story wooden buildings and tents and is inadequate, notwithstanding the fact that the Cheviot and Monte Mar Vista district pays heavy school taxes. The speaker, however, told the post that no funds from the proposed bond issue were earmarked for the Overland avenue school, although he declared that improvements are planned at the Ralph Waldo Emerson junior high school in Westwood, during the year.

Monday, November 18, 1935

Cheviot Legion to Get Venison Feed

Scheduled as a "real venison feed and trimmings," a dinner will be given for members of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 of the American Legion at Webster's Beverly, at Beverly boulevard and Fuller, on Wednesday night at 7 o'clock, by Vice Commander C. D. Aseltine who got his deer while on a recent hunting trip into the hills.

A large number of post members have already signified that they will be on hand for the event, post officers said today.

Tuesday, November 26, 1935

Cheviot Legion Plans Open Meet

Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will have its regular semi-monthly meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the Bath and Tennis club, 3084 Motor avenue.

The meeting will be open to the public and the members, their families and friends are invited to attend. There will be a general "get-together" for community betterment and understanding and moving pictures of the Boulder dam project will be shown.

An additional feature will be a patriotic demonstration by some of the small girls of the Cheviot Hills. Commander Hal Hughes will preside.

Tuesday, November 19, 1935

CHEVIOT GROUPS IN FRIENDLY DIVISION ON SCHOOL BONDS

Cheviot Hills organizations today seemed to have reached a friendly division on the \$12,000,000 school bond issue as voters went to the polls to decide that issue. While Hal Hughes, Cheviot Hills Legion post commander, and an active member of the Fathers' Council, and some other members of those

organizations were on record against the school bond issue, Carlos Aseltine, vice commander of the Cheviot Hills post, and also an active member of the Father's Council, and certain other members of the two organizations were on record as staunchly supporting the issue.

Those Cheviot Hills civic leaders who opposed the issue were doing so because they claimed the issue makes no provision for an improvement in the Overland avenue school property. Therefore, making a definite district issue of the matter, they opposed it.

On the other hand, Carlos Aseltine and a group of leaders took the opposite view, as they explained, "for the greatest good for the larger community, the entire Los Angeles metropolitan area." Their argument is that the issue is not a district issue in any sense but a community issue, and that being the case, they averred, the bonds should be supported. Neither of the Cheviot Hills organizations took any unanimous stand on this matter.

Wednesday, November 27, 1935

Cheviot Legion Holds Big Meet

Community "Get - together"
Staged Last Evening at
Bath, Tennis Club

The Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista and Country Club Highlands communities held a "get-together" last night at the Bath and Tennis club on Motor avenue under the sponsorship of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion. The occasion was the regular semi-monthly meeting of the Legion, which last night was open to the community. Commander Hal Hughes presided.

The meeting was opened by a girls' rifle drill team, honorary color guard, organized and commanded by Arlean Geissler. Serving on the drill team were the following: Gale Hughes, Katinka Aseltine, Barbara and Patricia Wynn.

A resolution to be forwarded to the proper city authorities, requesting a playground with proper fencing on the grounds at the Overland avenue school was adopted. This action was in cooperation with the Overland P.-T.A. and its Fathers' Council.

Some excellent motion pictures of the Boulder Dam project were shown by the Los Angeles bureau of power and light. Other matters of importance to American Legion interests were handled. Several new members were signed up by the post. The Rev. Pyman of St. John's Community church gave a brief pre-Thanksgiving talk and refreshments were served.

Wednesday, December 4, 1935

Dance Scheduled By Cheviot Vets

Having invited their friends living in Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands to attend, the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 of the American Legion will hold a pre-holiday dance Saturday night, Dec. 7.

According to Edward P. Callahan, chairman of the dance committee, a good dance floor, a peppy orchestra, and a variety of refreshments, have been planned for the affair. Callahan is being assisted in the work by Frank W. Martineau and Floyd L. Van Dorn.

The dance will be the last social affair staged by the post this year.

ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, December 5, 1935

Cheviot Hills Legion Pre-Holiday Dance

Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will give a Pre-Holiday dance on Saturday evening at the Rancho Country Club, Pico and Motor avenues.

The Post cordially invites its friends living in the districts it serves, namely, Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands and other friends of the members, to attend.

This affair is in charge of a very able committee, headed by Edward P. Callahan as chairman, assisted by Frank W. Martineau and Floyd L. Van Dorn. This is the last dance of the year, to be given by the Post and every effort will be made to make it outstanding.

Saturday, December 7, 1935

Cheviot Vets to Dance Tonight at Rancho Club

Members of the Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, will hold a dance tonight at the Rancho Country club, according to an announcement made today by Edward P. Callahan, chairman of the arrangements for the event.

An excellent orchestra has been obtained, and a good time is promised all those attending the last social event of the year to be staged by the veterans' organization. Residents of Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista and the Country Club Highlands are cordially invited.

Wednesday, December 11, 1935

Cheviot Legionaires Hold Colorful Dance

Reporting a large crowd in attendance, officers of the Cheviot Hills Post, American Legion, said today that their dance held at the Rancho Country club Saturday night was very successful.

Edward P. Callahan was chairman for the affair which was attended by Legionaires and residents of Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista and the Country Club Highlands.

December 7, 1935

CHEVIOT HILLS POST PLANS PRE-HOLIDAY DANCE TONIGHT

Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will give a Pre-Holiday Dance on Saturday Evening, December 7 at the Rancho Country Club, Pico and Motor Avenue.

There will be a peppy orchestra, good dance floor and a refined atmosphere. There will be a variety of refreshments.

The Post cordially invites its friends living in the districts it serves, namely, Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands and other friends of the members, to attend.

This affair is in charge of a very energetic committee, Edward P. Callahan, Chairman, assisted by Frank W. Martineau and Floyd L. Van Dorn. This is the last dance of the year, to be given by the Post and there will be particular effort to make it outstanding. Admission 50 cents per person.

Tuesday, December 31, 1935

Cheviot Scouts Headed by Oster

UCLA Wrestling Mentor Is Leader of Boys' Group Backed by Legion

Fred Oster, wrestling coach at the University of California at Los Angeles, is the newly-appointed scout master of Troop 65 of the Boy Scouts of America.

The troop was organized recently under the auspices of the Cheviot Hills American Legion Post No. 501, and has been meeting every Wednesday night at a bungalow of the Overland avenue school.

The group is leaving on Saturday for an overnight trip to the mountains and will meet at Scoutmaster Oster's home at 10480 Troon avenue tomorrow night, to discuss plans for the trip.

The scoutmaster of the new troop has lived with his family in the Cheviot Hills for a considerable time and participates in Legion post and other home community activities.



COMPANY ATTENTION

Squads Right

Squads Left

March

Get This Announcement You Guys

Cheviot Hills Post #501
American Legion

Are having a Pre-Holiday dance at the Rancho Country Club and I want all youse guys and Gals to come
SATURDAY DEC. 7th.

Bring yourself and all your friends. We sure would like to wind up the year with a swell time.

This is an order Comrades

We will assemble for action on Saturday, Dec. 7th at the Rancho.

Come and Support your Post

ZERO HOUR 9:00 P.M.

Yours truly,

Callahan
Martineau
Van Dorn

Start The Holidays Right Remember Ladies May Cheat

PRE-HOLIDAY DANCE
Cheviot Hills Post American Legion
 SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7TH
 BEAUTIFUL RANCHO COUNTRY CLUB
 PICO AND MOTOR (OPPOSITE FOX STUDIO)
 ADMISSION 50 CENTS
 PAY AT THE DOOR

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Thursday, January 2, 1936

YOUR NEIGHBORS' DOINGS

MR. AND MRS. C. D. ASELTINE, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. George Hevely, Mr. and Mrs. Fowler Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. George Millovitch, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Mudge were among the Cheviot Hills residents who enjoyed the overnight party held New Year's Eve by the Cheviot Hills American Legion at Big Pines.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Monday, January 13, 1936

Cheviot Legion Meet Announced

"Deke" Houlgate Will Be Principal Speaker at Veteran's Session

"Deke" Houlgate, nationally-known football authority, will speak at a regular meeting of the Cheviot Hills post of the American Legion tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at the Bath and Tennis club in Cheviot Hills, Bernard Geissler, post historian, announced today.

Business affecting the post is scheduled for discussion as well as matters pertaining to Cheviot Hills, Mar Vista and Country Club Highlands. Fred Oster, scout master, and member of the Legion troop committee, will discuss scout affairs for the year.

Veterans of the Cheviot Hills, Mar Vista and Country Club Highlands districts were cordially invited to attend by Geissler. Refreshments will be served.

THE PICO SUN

January 23, 1936

GAS COMPANY LOWERS RATE

Residents of Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands are rejoicing in the cut of approximately 13 per cent in gas rates which has just gone into effect. Approximately 83 per cent of the consumers in the districts named are effected.

The areas affected petitioned for a downward revision of Southern Counties Gas Company rates early last year and after a number of conferences the company notified the board that rates would be reduced from 73 cents each 1000 cubic feet on gas in excess of 4000 cubic feet, due to improvement in the earning position of the company. The rates now conform to adjoining territories.

THE AMERICAN LEGION WEEKLY BULLETIN

January 25, 1936

Twenty Fourth District Will Stage Final Show at Sawtelle Hospital Tomorrow

By DEEP SEA JOE, A.B.S.

Now that February is just around the corner, members of the 24th district are looking forward to the next big event, the breakfast meeting of the commanders and adjutants to be held at the Bath and Tennis Club under the direction of Cheviot Hills Post. Commander Hal Hughes promises something really different in the line of chow, and he's just the guy who can do it, too!

Thursday, January 16, 1936

Cheviot Legion Campaigning for New Water System

Fire Hazards Are Cited by Post Leaders

"Deke" Houlgate Is
Honored Guest Of
Veteran Unit

Fearing that the present water system would be inadequate to protect the huge investments in homes in the Cheviot Hills, Mar Vista and Country Club Highlands district from the fire menace in case of an emergency, members of the Cheviot Hills post of the American Legion unanimously decided to start a campaign for a better water supply system at a regular meeting held last night at the Bath and Tennis clubhouse, Bernard Geissler, post historian, announced.

"Deke" Houlgate, nationally-known football authority, spoke on the gridiron sport.

The acquiring of a door delivery for mail which is now brought to the curb by automobile, was discussed.

The request for better playground facilities for the Overland avenue school was turned down, in a communication from the Los Angeles board of education. A permanent home for the Boy Scouts in the basement of the Bath and Tennis club was proposed in a report by Fred Oster, scout master and member of the Legion troop committee.

A Valentine dance has been scheduled for Feb. 15 at the Bath and Tennis club, it was announced. Arrangements have not been completed yet, however.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Monday, January 27, 1936

Cheviot Legion to Make Dance Plans

Post Business Session Will
Be Staged at California
Country Club, Report

Changing its headquarters to the California Country club, where all future meetings and social functions will be held, the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will stage its next regular business meeting there tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, it was announced today by Bernard Geissler, historian.

All members and veterans living in Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands are invited to attend the session, at which considerable business will be transacted and important matters concerning veterans and the district served by this post will be handled.

The California Country club is situated on Club Drive in Monte Mar Vista.

Commander Hal Hughes will preside at tomorrow's meeting, which will be followed by the serving of refreshments.

According to Geissler, elaborate arrangements at present are being made for the next post dance, which is to be held at the club next Saturday.

Tuesday, February 4, 1936

Cheviot Legion to Give Dance Feb. 8

Warren K. Anderson Will Be in Charge of Event; Post Meeting Is Planned

The new home of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 of the American Legion, the California Country club, next Saturday night will be the scene of a Valentine dance to be given by the organization, according to an announcement made today by Bernard Geissler, post historian.

The club is located on Club drive in Cheviot Hills.

Post officers extend a cordial invitation to its members and friends in the district it serves, namely Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and the Country Club Highlands.

Warren K. Anderson is to be in charge of the dance, assisted by C. D. Aseftine, vice commander.

ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, February 6, 1936

Cheviot Legion "Valentine" Dance

Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will give a "Valentine" dance on Saturday evening, February 8th, at the California Country Club, on Club Drive Cheviot Hills.

The Post extends cordial invitation to its friends in the districts it serves, namely, Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands and other friends of the Post and the members, to attend.

The dance is in charge of Warren K. Anderson, assisted by the vice-commander, C. D. Aseftine. The new home of the Post, the California Country Club, is one of the finest in the city and the dance committee promises one of the best functions yet given by this organization.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Friday, February 7, 1936

Legionaires Plan Dance Tomorrow

California Country Club to Be Scene of Party Given by Cheviot Hills Post

Final arrangements have been completed for a Valentine dance to be staged tomorrow night by the Cheviot Hills post No. 501 of the American Legion at the organization's new home, the California Country club on Club drive in Cheviot Hills, it was announced today.

Music for the event is to be furnished by Don Marion and his orchestra and dancing will begin at 8 o'clock.

Those in charge of the dance extend a cordial invitation to the post's members and friends in this district, Bernard Geissler, post historian, announced. The post serves Legion members in Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills, and the Country Club Highlands.

The affair is to be in charge of Warren K. Anderson, assisted by C. D. Aseftine, vice-commander.

VALENTINE DANCE

Cheviot Hills Post American Legion

CALIFORNIA COUNTRY CLUB

CLUB DRIVE CHEVIOT HILLS

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8TH

\$1.25 PER COUPLE

PAY AT THE DOOR

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Monday, February 10, 1936

BONUS APPLICATIONS WILL BE FILED WITH CHEVIOT LEGION

Bonus applications may be filed at the next regular meeting of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, by all veterans of the Monte Mar Vista, Country Club Highlands and Cheviot Hills districts, it was announced today by Bernard Geissler, post historian. The session will be held tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the California Country club.

Said to be one of the major successes in the way of parties ever sponsored by the post, the Valentine dance was held at the country club last night. Under the direction of Warren K. Anderson and C. D. Aseltine, vice-commander, the event drew a capacity crowd.

Music for the event was furnished by Don Marion and his orchestra.

THE AMERICAN LEGION WEEKLY BULLETIN

February 8, 1936

CHEVIOT HILLS POST TO STAGE VALENTINE'S DANCE TONIGHT

Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will give a "Valentine" dance on Saturday evening, February 8th, at the California Country Club, on Club Drive, Cheviot Hills.

The Post extends cordial invitation to its friends in the districts it serves, namely Monte Mar Vista, Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands and other friends of the Post and the members to attend.

The dance is in charge of Warren K. Anderson, assisted by the Vice-Commander, C. D. Aseltine. The new home of the Post, the California Country Club, is one of the finest in the city and the dance committee promises one of the best functions yet given by this organization.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Tuesday, February 18, 1936

CHEVIOT HILLS LEGIONAIRES WILL STAGE BREAKFAST MEET

Invitations have been issued to all American Legion posts of the Twenty-fourth district to attend a regular district meeting and breakfast sponsored by the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 next Sunday morning at 9 o'clock at the California Country club, Bernard Geissler, post historian, announced today.

Assistant United States Attorney Utley will present a talk that will be of current interest to all Legion members, Geisler said. Musical

entertainment has also been arranged.

The meeting will be opened by Post Commander Hal Hughes of Cheviot Hills who will present the gavel to District Commander Buckmeyer.

District commanders are urged to make the necessary reservations for their various posts through Post No. 501 as soon as possible. The official address of the post is 10457 Troon avenue, Los Angeles.

Important business matters will be discussed.

ROBERTS NEWS

Thursday, February 20, 1936

Report on Overland P.-T. A. Petition

(CNS)—Equipment which the board of education intends to install will be adequate to meet all playground needs at the Overland Street school, the city playground and recreation commission reported to the city council this week.

The commission's report was in reply to a petition from the Overland Avenue Parent Teachers association and others urging that the city establish a well equipped playground on the school yard.

RESOLUTION

At a regular meeting of Cheviot Hills Post #501, American Legion, on Tuesday, February 11th, 1936, the following resolution was ordered forwarded to Comrade Walter Hall:

Whereas, it came to pass, that at a dance,
where we did prance,
one Walter Hall, in a great fall of luck, did pluck,
a number which did him enrich by one case of
brew, as pure as dew and

Whereas, in the morrow a great sorrow did fall
upon one Walter Hall,
who cried to all:

"Oh you may leer and sneer
but I want my beer,
come, bring it here."
"Oh pity me, this is my litany,
for I would quaff the foam,
now sadly do I roam,
and thirst to drink beer till I burst.
There's liverwurst that will not quench my thirst,
there on the ice, now is that nice.
Come bring my beer
that I may cheer,
this hour of sadness
and make it gladness.
You say it's sold,
then I shall scold,
one so bold,
who would snatch
my lucky catch.
You're honor bound
to come around
and bring my ale
before I pale and wail
and thumb my nose and curl my toes
and tell my woes to all your foes.
Listen here, I WANT MY BEER" And

Whereas, the sight was sad to see this mad billbilly leer
at all who kept him from his beer, and

Whereas, his faithful wife has led a life of fear,
since lack of beer has robbed the cheer
from Walter Hall, after the ball, now

Therefore be it resolved:, that we, involved, in this sad case
do now efface the error, and drive out terror,
out of the door, forever more,
and ease the life of Hall's good wife
and be it further

Resolved, Two dozen flasks of beer will bring back cheer
and they be sent before tis Lent,
to the address, no less, of Walter Hall,
so as to rãd the pall that hangs o'er all, he gazes on.
Here, wipe off the sneer,
HERE IS YOUR GODDAM B E E R

Saturday, February 22, 1936

February 22, 1936

Cheviot Legion Meeting Slated

Breakfast Session Planned Tomorrow; Ernest Utley Is Main Speaker

Assistant United States Attorney Ernest Utley will be the principal speaker at the scheduled breakfast meeting of the Cheviot Hills American Legion post tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock at the California Country club according to an announcement made today by Bernard Geisler, post historian.

Invitations have been sent to all American Legion posts in the twenty-fourth district and according to advance indications, a capacity crowd will be present to participate in the meeting. Musical entertainment has also been arranged, and the Clay sisters will also present a novel dance feature.

Hal Hughes, post commander, will open the meeting and will turn over the gavel to District Commander Charles B. Buckmeyer, who will be present tomorrow. All Legionnaires desiring to attend are requested to make reservations by contacting the post headquarters at 10457 Troon avenue, Los Angeles, Geisler said.

CHEVIOT HILLS POST TO SERVE 24TH DISTRICT OFFICERS' BREAKFAST

This post will put on the breakfast for the Legion 24th District on Sunday, February 23rd at the California Country Club, on Club Drive, Cheviot Hills at 9:00 a.m.

Post Commanders of the 24th District are requested to make the necessary reservations for their various posts. There will be a District Meeting after the breakfast. Asst. U. S. Attorney Utley will give an interesting talk. There will also be some musical entertainment. The meeting will be opened by Post Commander Hal Hughes and then turned over to District Commander Buckmeyer.

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Tuesday, February 25, 1936

Cheviot Legion Stages Meeting

Judge Joseph Vickers and Rev. S. A. Fox Are the Principal Speakers

More than 85 members of the twenty-fourth district American Legion were guests of the Cheviot Hills post at a regular meeting held Sunday morning in the California Country club.

Judge Joseph Vickers of the superior court and Rev. A. Fox, of Loyola, chaplain of the district, were the principal speakers on the program.

Hal Hughes, commander of the Cheviot Hills group, opened the meeting and turned the gavel over to Charles B. Buckmeyer, commander of the district organization, who acted as chairman of the day.

Polly Webster and Peggy Bergmann of MGM presented dancing and singing numbers.

The twenty-fourth district includes all the posts from Hollywood to the sea, as far west as Cheviot Hills.

Announcement was made of a meeting of the Cheviot Hills Legion tomorrow night at 8 p. m. in the California Country Club for the purpose of discussing plans for a dance scheduled to be held March 23 at the Country club.

Monday, March 9, 1936

Chairman Lists Committee Heads

Plans are being completed this week for the second fashion show and tea to be given March 20 at Sebastian's Cotton club by the auxiliary of the Cheviot Hills American Legion.

Mrs. Gale Hughes, general chairman of the event announces that the following will serve as committee chairman, Mrs. George Millovitch, refreshment buyer; Mrs. Harry Samm, serving; Mrs. George Hively, press; Mrs. Walter Thiel and Mrs. Bernard Geissler, prizes; Mrs. Warren Anderson, cards; Mrs. Jack Pahl, scores; Mrs. William te Groen, flowers; Mrs. Vernet Bloesser and Mrs. Cortland Elliott, candy; Mrs. Robert Reynolds, tickets and Mrs. Fowler Jones, reception committee.

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Tuesday, March 10, 1936

American Legion Plans Civic Meet

Residents of Three Areas
Urged to Attend Next
Cheviot Post Event

Important civic matters pertaining to the Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista and Country Club Highlands districts will be discussed at a regular meeting of the Cheviot Hills, Post No. 501, American Legion, tonight at 8 o'clock in the California Country Club on Club drive, it was announced today by Bernard Geissler, post historian.

Due to the civic nature of the session, friends of members and interested persons in the three districts were urged to attend by Hal Hughes, post commander. Some of the proposed community matters may be passed upon.

A motion picture, "50 Million Years," was secured for showing by Vice Commander C. D. Aseltine.

Geissler stated that another national citation for merit had been received from the Legion headquarters at Indianapolis, Ind.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Wednesday, March 11, 1936

Resurfacing Plan Probed by Legion

Cheviot Hills Veterans to
Study Possibilities of
Civic Improvements

Plans for resurfacing the principal streets of Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands were part of the program for community betterment discussed at a regular meeting of the Cheviot Hills American Legion Post No. 501 last night in the California Country club.

Headed by Fowler D. Jones, chairman of the community betterment committee, a vigorous campaign to bring the condition of certain important thoroughfares to the attention of the Los Angeles city planning commission has been opened. Reports of investigation were presented by Walter Thiel.

Announcements were made of a tea sponsored by the wives of members to be given March 20 at Sebastian's Cotton Club to raise funds for the benefit of the post and the dance which is slated for March 28 at the California Country Club.

Hal Hughes, post commander, presided over the business session.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Monday, March 16, 1936

Fashion Show
Plans Nearing
Completion

Plans are being completed this week by the women of the Cheviot Hills American Legion post for their fashion show and tea to be held March 20, at Sebastians Cotton club in Culver City.

Mrs. Gale Hughes, general chairman of the affair today reported that it promises to be one of the outstanding events on the calendar of the post.

Thursday, March 19, 1936

Elaborate Spring Fashion Review At Sebastians Friday

An interesting item on the pre-Easter social calendar is the combination bridge party and fashion show to be given at Sebastian's Cotton Club, 8781 Washington Blvd., Culver City, tomorrow.

Sponsored by the Auxiliary to Cheviot Hills post of the American Legion, the elaborate preview of spring styles will be staged by Miss Marie Chappelle, stylist for the Los Angeles Manufacturers Association and widely known for her weekly fashion shows at the Biltmore Hotel. H. C. Henshey, Company, Santa Monica's largest department store, is co-operating with Miss Chappelle.

Following the bridge party and preceding the fashion show, refreshments will be served and an interesting collection of prizes distributed. Tickets may be procured at the door. Admission will be fifty cents.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Thursday, March 19, 1936

Cheviot Legion Fashion Show And Tea Tomorrow

Mrs. Hal Hughes, chairman of the fashion show and tea to be given tomorrow at Sebastian's Cotton Club was today making the final, last minute arrangements for the occasion, which promises to be one of the outstanding events on the calendar of the women of the Cheviot Hills American Legion post.

Arrangements have been made to accommodate one hundred tables of cards. A special orchestra will furnish music throughout the afternoon.

The fashion show will consist of seventy-five gowns, including children's and matron's ensembles for all occasions.

Mrs. Hughes has been assisted in the arrangements by Mrs. George Millovitch, refreshment buyer; Mrs. Harry Samm, serving; Mrs. George Hively, press; Mrs. Walter Thiel and Mrs. Bernard Geissler, prizes; Mrs. Warren Anderson, cards; Mrs. Jack Pahl, scores; Mrs. William te Groen, flowers; Mrs. Vernet Bloesser and Mrs. Cortland Elliott, candy; Mrs. Robert Reynolds, tickets and Mrs. Fowler Jones, reception committee.

A most cordial invitation is extended to all friends and members of the Legion to attend.

Cheviot Hills Post American Legion Annual Spring Tea and Fashion Show

COURTESY OF H. C. HENSHEY COMPANY
SANTA MONICA'S LARGEST DEPT. STORE

SEBASTIAN'S COTTON CLUB

FRIDAY, MARCH 20TH - 1 P.M.

50c PER PERSON

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Monday, March 23, 1936

Cheviot Legion to Make Dance Plans

"April Fool's Day" social Event Planned by Vets Next Saturday Night

Elaborate plans are nearing completion for an April Fool dance to be staged by the Cheviot Hills Post urday night at the California Country No. 501, American Legion, next Saturday Club, it was announced today by Bernard Geissler, post historian.

Arrangements are under the direction of a committee composed of Harold M. Beeton, Harry Samm, Wilbur H. Long and William P. te Groen.

A cordial invitation to all members and friends of the Cheviot Hills, Country Club Highlands and Monte Mar Vista districts to attend the affair was extended by Hal Hughes, commander.

Announcement of the orchestra and the exact time of the event will be made in the near future, Geissler said.

Tuesday, March 24, 1936

Fashion Show, Bridge Tea Smart Affair

One of the smartest affairs of the spring season was the bridge tea and fashion show sponsored at Sebastian's Cotton Club Friday afternoon by members of the Cheviot Hills Legion Auxiliary.

More than 300 guests were present, with the Mesdames Hal Hughes, George Millovitch, Harry Samm, Walter Thiel, Bernard Geissler and William te Groen, acting as hostesses.

Attractive prizes were awarded for high scores, and tea was served.

The fashion show which included sport clothes, evening gowns, beach togs, children's dresses and knitwear, was presented by a Santa Monica department store.

Mrs. Hughes, general chairman of the affair was assisted by the Mesdames Fowler Jones, Robert Reynolds, C. Elliott, Vernet Bloesser, Jack Pahl, Warren Anderson, Bernard Geissler, Walter Thiel, William te Groen, George Hively, Harry Samm, George Millovitch, on her committee.

Guests were present from Cheviot Hills, Beverly Hills, Santa Monica, Los Angeles Culver City Palms and other neighboring towns.

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STAR-NEWS

Tuesday, April 28, 1936

Street Program to Be Formulated at Cheviot Post Meet

A concrete working plan to follow in the program for the resurfacing of streets in the Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands districts will be devised at a meeting of the Cheviot Hills American Legion Post No. 501 Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the California Country club, it was announced today by Bernard Geissler, historian.

Walter Thiel, chairman of the civic development committee, will present a report relative to the street resurfacing plan.

Discussion of the Legion's Boy Scout program will also be held. Final plans for an anniversary dance will be formulated.

Commander Hal Hughes will preside.

The Citizen

Friday, March 27, 1936

APRIL FOOL DANCE PLANNED BY POST

Elaborate plans for an April fool dance have been made by Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, to be held tomorrow evening at the California Country club, it was announced today by Bernard Geissler, post historian.

The post extends cordial invitation to its friends in the district it serves, Cheviot Hills, Country Club Highlands, Monte Mar Vista, and other friends of the post and members to attend.

The dance is in charge of Harold M. Beeton, Harry Samm, Wilbur H. Long and Wm. Pete Groen.

Tuesday, May 12, 1936

Meeting Planned By Cheviot Post

Nomination of Officers to
Be Main Business Topic
During Legion Meet

Nomination of officers is slated to be held at the next meeting of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, tonight at 8 o'clock in the California Country club, it was announced today by Bernard Geissler, post historian.

Important matters pertaining to the Cheviot Hills, Country Club Highlands and Monte Mar Vista districts will be discussed during the regular business session, Geissler said.

A report on the second anniversary dinner-dance staged at the Deauville Beach club last Saturday will be presented by the entertainment committee chairman for the affair, C. D. Aseltine, vice commander.

Commander Hal Hughes will preside.

Wednesday, April 29, 1936

Cheviot Hills

Legion Post Members

Seek Street Work

Officials to Aid Post Unit In New Effort

Members Protest to Supervisor and Councilman

Opening a vigorous campaign to get the streets of the Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands districts resurfaced, the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, presented its case before Supervisor Leland Ford and Councilman Stephen W. Cunningham at a regular meeting last night in the California Country club.

Following a protest by district residents against the present condition of the streets in the two fast-growing sections, both Ford and Cunningham pledged their active consideration of the proposal.

Announcement of the post's third anniversary dinner-dance, to be held in the Deauville Beach club in Santa Monica, May 9, was made. Preliminary plans for another dance at the California Country club, June 27, also were discussed.

The first nomination of officers was held with C. O. Aseltine, present vice commander, the only unopposed nominee. He was nominated for commander. Further nominations will be made at the next meeting, May 12, it was announced.

A complete re-organization of the Legion's Boy Scout troop committee was made.

Cheviot Post Joins P.-T.A. School Drive

Veterans to Petition Board of Education for Structures

Joining forces with the Overland school Parent-Teachers Association, the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will launch a drive to obtain a permanent building for the Overland school which is now a bungalow school, it was decided at a meeting of the group last night in the California Country club.

Petitions will be sent to the board of education and the city council in an effort to improve the present school housing problem, it was announced by William te Groen and C. D. Aseltine, who were appointed to act on the matter.

The committee in charge of the plan to have streets in the Cheviot Hills district resurfaced stated that attempts are being made to get action on the matter.

Nomination of officers will be open until June 9.

Final plans for the barn dance to be held at the California Country Club June 27 are underway, Charles Potter and Mel Coakley, committeemen in charge of the affair stated.

Wednesday, May 13, 1936

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Tuesday, June 9, 1936

Cheviot Veterans To Elect Leaders

New Officers of Legion to
Be Elected Tonight by
Cheviot Hills Post

Officers for the coming fiscal year will be elected tonight at the regular business meeting of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 of the American Legion tonight, to be held at the California Country club, starting at 8 o'clock, it was announced today by Bernard Geissler, post historian.

Matters of vital importance concerning the three districts, Cheviot Hills, Country Club Highlands and Monte Mar Vista, served by the American Legion post, will be discussed.

Fowler D. Jones, post commander, will preside over the business session, it was announced.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Thursday, June 11, 1936

Cheviot Legion to Entertain Scouts

New Officers of Post Will
Be Installed June 27,
By Veteran Leaders

With Cheviot Hills Boy Scout troop No. 65 to be the honored guests, a big entertainment program will be presented on June 23 at the California Country club, when Cheviot Hills post No. 501 of the American Legion holds its installation of officers, it was announced today by Bernard Geissler, post historian.

The Boy Scout troop is sponsored by the veterans' group.

C. D. Aseltine, who last Tuesday night was elected commander of the post, will be installed as the new leader. Other officers are as follows: Walter C. Thiel, first vice-commander; Norman E. Mudge, second vice-commander; Harold M. Beeton, adjutant; Bernard Geissler, historian; Warren K. Anderson, finance officer; Edward P. Callahan, chaplain, and Dr. John E. Bergmann, sergeant-at-arms.

The executive committee will consist of Hal Hughes, Thiel, Mudge, S. M. Grosjean and Ralph Smith, while the finance committee will consist of Anderson, R. E. Mattice and Mel D. Coakley.

Aseltine, present adjutant, will succeed Fowler D. Jones, commander.

Delegates to the American Legion convention in Hollywood next August are as follows: Hughes, Aseltine and Jones, with the alternates to be George P. Millovitch, Coakley and Mudge.

Announcement was made that a dance will be staged by post at the California Country club on June 27.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Monday, July 13, 1936

Cheviot Legion to Hold Meet Tuesday

The Cheviot Hills American Legion Post 501, will hold its regular meeting Tuesday evening, at the California Country club, according to C. D. Aseltine, commander.

As an interesting talk is scheduled for the evening all members are urged to attend.

Wednesday, July 15, 1936

July 25, 1936

Betterment Plan Subject of Meet

Geissler Reappointed Post Historian by Cheviot Hills Legionaires

Plans for the early launching of a vigorous program for community betterment and improved streets were discussed at a meeting of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, last night at the California Country club.

The post has long been active in the fight for reconditioned streets especially in the Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands district, it was announced.

Bernard Geissler was reappointed Post historian, an office he has held since the group was organized.

A resolution urging the extension of the boundaries of the Twenty-fourth district of the American Legion to include Community Post No. 46, Culver City, and Los Angeles Beach Post No. 177, Venice, was passed.

Plans were formulated for the promotion of a more general entertainment program during the coming year. Discussion of participation in the Legion convention in Hollywood next month was held.

C. D. Aseltine, commander, presided.

CHEVIOT HILLS POST ANNOUNCES OFFICERS FOR NEXT YEAR

The following comrades have been elected to guide the destinies of Cheviot Hills Post for the coming year.

Commander, C. D. Aseltine; First Vice-Commander, Walter C. Thiel; Second Vice-Commander, Norman E. Mudge; Adjutant, Harold M. Beeton; Historian, Bernard Geissler (Re-elected to fourth term); Finance Officer, Warren K. Anderson; Chaplain, Edward P. Callahan; Sergeant at Arms, Dr. John E. Bergmann.

STAR-NEWS SHOPPER

Tuesday, July 28, 1936

Business Meeting Slated by Legion

Cheviot Hills Veterans to Attend 24th District Conclave Tuesday

The Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will hold its regular business meeting Tuesday night at the home of Post Commander C. D. Aseltine, 10457 Troon avenue, Cheviot Hills, according to an announcement made today by Bernard Geissler, post historian.

The meeting is scheduled to start at 7:30 p. m., and at the conclusion of the business session, members of the veteran's organization will go to the Hollywood post where the annual election of officers of the 24th district of the American Legion will take place.

Fowler D. Jones, of the Cheviot Hills post, is nominee for first vice commander of the twenty-fourth district.

During the course of the post business meeting, final plans will be formulated relative to the Cheviot post's participation in the annual Legion state convention which will be held in Hollywood next month. Several matters of community development and social entertainments will also come up for general discussion during the course of the evening.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Tuesday, August 25, 1936

Cheviot Veterans Slate Post Meet

Important Business to Be
Discussed by Legion
Members Tonight

The Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will hold its regular business meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the California Country club, according to an announcement made today by Bernard Geisler, post historian.

Numerous important matters affecting the post and the district it serves, including Cheviot Hills, Country Club Highlands and Monte Mar Vista, will come up for discussion during the business session.

All veterans residing in these three districts as well as post members are urged to attend. C. D. Aseltine, post commander, will preside.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Wednesday, August 26, 1936

Cheviot Post Starts Drive During Meet

Street Repair Work
Urged by Leaders
Of Legion Unit

Stressing the need for street resurfacing in the Cheviot Hills district, members of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, unanimously went on record last night to immediately take vigorous action in obtaining street improvements for the Cheviot area.

It was declared by various members who have been conducting an investigation of Cheviot Hills streets, that the majority of roads not on the main thoroughfares through the district, were badly in need of repair.

The membership committee reported in view of the fact that an extensive home building program is now underway in Cheviot, very favorable results may be obtained in the near future in the contemplated membership drive. Walter D. Theil, chairman, gave the report.

Other matters discussed included plans for the staging of a dance Sept. 26, and appointed Norman E. Mudge as program and dance chairman. No location for the event was decided upon last night. Fowler D. Jones received the post's congratulations following his election as vice commander of the 24th district of the American Legion.

C. D. Aseltine, commander, presided.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Cheviot Veterans To Hold Meeting

Dance Plans, Street Jobs Are
to Be Discussed by the
Post Veterans

The Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will hold a scheduled business meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the California Country club, according to an announcement made today by Bernard Geisler, post historian.

All veterans living in Cheviot Hills, Country Club Highlands and Monte Mar Vista, are especially urged to attend as many important matters affecting veterans and the community at large, will come up for discussion, Geisler said.

Additional plans for a dance to be given by the organization, Sept. 26, will also be made during the general meeting of the post, and campaign plans for obtaining funds for resurfacing of streets in this area will also be discussed. C. D. Aseltine, commander, will preside at the meeting tonight.

Tuesday, September 8, 1936

Wednesday, September 9, 1936

CHEVIOT LEGION

HITS RACING

PLANT

Protest Sent By Veterans To City Heads

Street Resurfacing
Job Assured By
Cunningham

The Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, unanimously went on record last night opposing the proposed construction of a horse race track at National and Sawtelle boulevards, at a scheduled business meeting held at the California Country club.

The resolution stated that the location and operation of such a plant would be a definite detriment to surrounding residential property and would act as a hinderance of community growth. It was also stated that horse racing was not conducive to the welfare of children.

A copy of the resolution, including vigorous protests from hundreds of Cheviot residents, was sent last night to Los Angeles city officials. Following a concerted drive by the members of the Legion, Bernard Geisler, committee chairman, reported last night to post members he had received definite assurances from Councilman Stephen W. Cunningham, of Los Angeles, that funds had been allocated for the resurfacing of streets in the Cheviot Hills district.

Geisler said that according to the present plans, the first street to come under the proposed resurfacing program in the Cheviot, Monte Mar Vista and Country Club area, would be Cheviot Drive.

Plans were also made last night by members to contact the proper city authorities to see what could be done in obtaining funds to trim trees lining parkways in the district which is in line with the post's beautification program. It was also decided that the post would take drastic action in an effort to obtain a public playground to serve the Cheviot community.

Plans for staging a dance Saturday night, Sept. 26, at the Rancho Golf course club house, were also made and Commander C. D. Aseltine appointed Norman Mudge as chairman of the dance committee.

The Citizen

Friday, September 11, 1936

**LEGION POST OF
CHEVIOT HILLS
OPPOSES TRACK****Group to Give Dance at Rancho
Country Club Sep-
tember 26**

At a meeting of Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, held Tuesday night at the California Country club, the members unapimously went on record opposing construction of a horse race track at National and Sawtelle boulevards, on the grounds that such a plant would be a detriment to the adjacent residential property. This, they pointed out, would eventually prove a hindrance to community development in that area.

A copy of the resolution, including protests from hundreds of Cheviot Hills residents, was forwarded to Los Angeles city officials today.

Plans announced at the meeting included a dance Saturday night, September 26, at the Rancho Country club, according to Bernard Geissler, program chairman.

Tuesday, September 15, 1936

CHEVIOT POST

LAUNCHES

PARK PLAN

Rancho Tract Sought Today By Veterans

City, County, State Heads Pledge Aid for Program

Launching a concerted drive today, members of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, announced plans for the establishment of a huge recreation park on the site of the Rancho golf course, which would serve residents of Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista, Culver-Palms and Country Club area, according to C. D. Aseltine, post commander.

"We have already received assurances from city, county, and state officials as well as congressional leaders of this district," Aseltine said, "and practically every civic organization in this district has pledged aid in securing the Rancho course for park purposes."

Aseltine said that at present, the course is leased out by the government but that the present lease would soon expire. The tract is 125 acres in size and is bounded by Pico boulevard on the north, Monte Mar Drive on the south, Motor avenue on the east and Patricia avenue on the west.

"After contacting the treasury department," Aseltine stated, "we learned that it would be possible to obtain the land for park purposes. Both Councilmen Robert S. MacAllister and Stephen W. Cunningham, of Los Angeles, are highly enthusiastic about the plan, and have promised to aid us in every way. In the letter we sent to civic leaders; civic officials and organizations, we pointed out that at present, Los Angeles has not one single large park west of Western avenue, and in view of this fact, western Los Angeles was entitled to such a place for recreational purposes.

"However, owing to the tremendous size of such a project, it is necessary that this become a community drive as it directly affects every resident in this district. This is an opportunity that residents should not overlook, and is certainly meritorious of any effort expended on the parts of every civic, social, fraternal, veterans, women's and school organization in this area to obtain this project," he concluded.

The announcement of the park program was made after a committee of the post composed of C. D. Aseltine, Hal Hughes, Harry Samm, Walter Thiel and Barney Geissler, met last night in the Cheviot Hills home of the post commander.

Thursday, September 17, 1936

Cheviot Hills Post Plans

Mass Meet September 25

Park Program Endorsed by Civic Leaders

Nelson M. Saunders
Aids In Plan For
Play Center

A mass meeting of veterans organizations and civic leaders sponsored by the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, to discuss plans for the establishment of a huge recreation park on the present site of the Rancho golf course, will be held Friday evening, Sept. 25, at 8 p.m., in the Rancho club house, according to C. D. Aseltine, commander.

"In addition to committees sent by the various Legion post in the western Los Angeles area," Aseltine said, "we have received assurances from Councilman Robert S. McAlister and Stephen W. Cunningham, as well as Congressman John F. Dockweiler, that they will be present and aid in every possible way to establish the park.

"Lee M. Ford, supervisor of the Fourth Supervisorial district, who is now in Sacramento, wired us and said that he would make every possible effort to be present at the time of the meeting."

Jerry Saunders, past president of the Los Angeles junior chamber of commerce, said today that his organization had already sent a communication to the park board endorsing the Cheviot Hill's post park plan, and urged the board to acquire the land as soon as possible.

"The Los Angeles junior chamber," Saunders said, "has always stated that this acreage should be improved to the advantage of the community and that all inhabitants of this vicinity should get in back of the Legion as well as commend it for the aggressive attitude in furthering this project.

"Any project that provides for the use of leisure time is without a doubt extremely commendable," he concluded.

Aseltine stated today that Saunders would serve as master of ceremonies for the occasion, as well as introduce the speakers.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1936

Move Launched To Convert Rancho Golf Course Into Huge Public Park

Support For Plan Sought

Approval Of Congress Needed To Transfer Property To City

Sponsored by the Cheviot Hills post of the American Legion, a proposal to create a great public park and recreation center out of the 180-acre Rancho Golf course on Pico blvd., west of Motor ave., will be formally presented to Rep. John F. Dockweiler at a public hearing arranged for Friday night, Sept. 25, in the Rancho course clubhouse.

With no parks or public recreational facilities in all of Los Angeles west of Vermont ave., it is expected that the proposal will arouse a great deal of interest on the part of residents in the West Los Angeles area, Venice, Mar Vista, Culver City, Cheviot Hills and surrounding districts.

Owned By Government

According to an announcement today from Dr. J. E. Bergmann of the Cheviot Hills American Legion post, the property is now in the hands of the federal government, having been taken over to satisfy federal tax liens, and investigation has disclosed that the only step necessary to convert it into a public park is a bill which Representative Dockweiler would have to present to congress authorizing its transfer to the city of Los Angeles for park purposes.

If sufficient interest is shown in the proposal by local civic organizations, Doctor Bergmann declared, there is every reason to believe that such a measure would be approved by congress.

Plan Favored

Members of the Los Angeles park commission, Doctor Bergmann added, have indicated that they will be glad to take over the property for park purposes if it could be acquired without cost.

In addition to Representative Dockweiler, it is hoped that Supervisor Leland M. Ford, Mayor Frank L. Shaw of Los Angeles, Councilman Stephen W. Cunningham and American Legion officials of the 24th district may be present.

Although no definite plans have been mapped as yet, Doctor Bergmann indicated that a great public recreation center, similar to that now maintained by the city of Los Angeles at Griffith park, could be established on the golf course.

Saturday, September 19, 1936

RACE TRACK PLAN PROBE SCHEDULED

Zoning Balks Construction Of New Plant

Cheviot Residents to Oppose Erection of Race Track

Although having received approval from the state racing commission for the establishment of a new horse racing plant at National and Sawtelle boulevards near Cheviot Hills, the Hollywood Turf Club faced the Los Angeles city council as the remaining legal hurdle in its drive to erect a \$1,250,000 race track.

Strong opposition against the establishment of the track in this area has already formed, with residents of the Cheviot Hills, Country Club Drive and Monte Mar Vista areas uniting in protest against the erection of the plant practically in the heart of valuable home sites.

Leading in the district's opposition to the turf club's plan is the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, who recently adopted a resolution condemning the project and urged the city council to block the project on the grounds that it was a "detriment to real estate values and none too encouraging to the moral welfare of children in the area involved."

C. D. Aseltine, post commander of the Legion, stated today he intended to head a delegation of Legionnaires and residents who will call on the council and protest the granting of a permit.

After consideration, the Los Angeles city planning commission yesterday recommended the turf club's application for a zoning law variance on its 200-acre tract, and will come up for consideration before the council next week.

Although Stephen W. Cunningham, councilman of the district involved, could not be reached today, it was indicated by post officials that he would oppose the zone variance to permit the construction of the tract.

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Monday, September 21, 1936

Cheviot Post Gets Replies From Leaders

Veteran Units to Be Represented at Park Hearing

C. D. Aseltine, commander of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, stated today that more than twenty veterans and civic organizations in the western metropolitan district had sent word to post officials that representatives would be present Friday night at the mass meeting in the Rancho golf course clubhouse to discuss plans for establishing a recreational park on the site of the course.

"Post Legion leaders who have already replied to our invitation," Aseltine said, "include Hollywood No. 43, Santa Monica Bay Cities No. 123, Hollywood Women's No. 185, Beverly Hills No. 253, Westwood Hills No. 271, Palisades No. 283, Pacific No. 290, Wilshire No. 319, Sawtelle Home No. 322, Blue Devils No. 368, West Hollywood No. 405, Bruin Village No. 415, Carthay Circle No. 458, Los Angeles Beach Post No. 177, Culver-Palms Community Post No. 46, Century Post No. 485, and Palomar post.

"Among the civic organizations to be represented, will be the Overland avenue P.T.A., Westwood Council of P.T.A., Los Angeles Junior chamber of commerce, and many others. We have also received assurances that Councilmen Stephen W. Cunningham and Robert S. MacAlister, both of Los Angeles, and Congressman John F. Dockweiler, would also attend and that Supervisor Leland M. Ford would make every effort to get back in time from Sacramento to be present," he concluded.

The master of ceremonies for the evening will be Nelson M. "Jerry" Saunders, past president of the Junior chamber. One of the highlights of the evening's program will be Ernest M. Pollock, bandmaster of the Sons of Legionaires' band, who will bring his group of boys to play musical arrangements for the occasion. The boys' band recently won the state junior Legion band championship and played by invitation at the San Diego exposition during the summer.

Friday night's meeting is scheduled to start at the Rancho at 8 o'clock, Aseltine stated.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Wednesday, September 23, 1936

Cheviot Veterans Session is Held

Stockton to Contact Head of Internal Revenue for Park Site

Walter Thiel, first vice-commander of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, reported last night to members of the organization that Roy S. Stockton, commissioner of the Los Angeles park board, would contact the director of internal revenue in an effort to see what could be done to obtain the site of the Rancho golf course to establish a municipal park and recreational center.

It was also announced that J. J. Hasset, secretary of the park board, would attend the huge mass meeting to be held Friday night at the Rancho clubhouse to discuss plans for the park site.

Dance plans were also completed by the post, which will be given at the Rancho Saturday night. The post also took steps last night for the reorganization of the Cheviot Hills Boys Scout troop. C. D. Aseltine, commander, presided at the meeting which was held in the California Country club.

Thursday, September 24, 1936

Post Unit to Launch Fight Against Track

P.-T. A. to Aid Plans For Opposing Race Track Plant

Following the announcement today by the Los Angeles city council that they would conduct a public hearing on October 7 on the application of the Hollywood Turf club to operate a horse-racing plant at National and Sawtelle boulevards, C. D. Aseltine, commander of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, stated today a large delegation of post members would be on hand to oppose the establishment of the track vigorously.

The city council's planning committee tendered a report to the council today following lengthy session held yesterday regarding the plant, and recommended that a public hearing on the matter be held October 7.

"We have already passed a resolution protesting the establishment of the track," Aseltine said, "on the grounds that it was detrimental to the development of residential property in this sector. We have already taken the matter up with several parent-teacher organizations in this district, who have declared they will back us one hundred per cent in keeping the track out of this district.

"Numerous other civic leaders in the Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista and Country Club drive areas have also joined with us in fighting the project on the grounds that a horse racing track in this neighborhood was not conducive to the welfare of school children in this community."

The city planning commission has already recommended that a zone be granted, but the council, to date, has not taken action on the project.

Friday, September 25, 1936

Park Program Discussion to Be Main Topic

Twenty - five Groups to Be Present at Session Tonight

With more than twenty-five veteran and civic organizations represented, a huge mass meeting, sponsored by the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will be held tonight at the Rancho Country club to discuss plans for the establishment of a municipal park and playground for recreational purposes on the Rancho site, according to C. D. Aseltine, commander.

"We expect more than 200 representatives of the organizations who have informed us that delegates will be present," Aseltine said, "and will outline plans for the establishment of the park.

"We have been assured the cooperation of national, state, county and city officials and believe that this is the logical place for a park in the western metropolitan area."

Congressman John F. Dockweiler will be one of the principal speakers on the program tonight, which will also include talks by Councilmen Stephen W. Cunningham and Robert S. MacAlister, who are enthusiastic backers of the plan.

The master of ceremonies for the evening will be Nelson M. Saunders, past president of the Los Angeles junior chamber of commerce, who have already passed a resolution urging the park board to aid the program.

Aseltine declared today that Roy Stockton, commissioner on the park board, would contact treasury department officials for the post to see what could be done toward obtaining the land from the government who owns the property.

Saturday, September 26, 1936

Many Support Park Program After Session

Many Organizations Favor Playground on Rancho Site

Plans were completed last night for the formation of a Rancho Park association consisting of representatives from Legion posts in the Twenty-fourth district as well as civic organizations and Parent-Teachers' Associations, at the big mass meeting held last night in the Rancho Country club, under the sponsorship of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion.

More than 300 representatives from the various organizations in the district packed the clubhouse to capacity to discuss plans for the establishment of a public recreational park and playground on the site of the Rancho golf course.

The meeting was opened by C. D. Aseltine, commander, and turned over to Nelson M. Saunders, past president of the Los Angeles junior chamber of commerce, who introduced the speakers on the program.

Congressman John F. Dockweller pledged himself definitely in favor of the park program and stated that he would take the matter up as one of the first business problems at the next session of congress.

Other speakers included L. F. Hoye, representative of Councilman Stephen W. Cunningham, and J. W. Donnard, representative of Councilman Robert S. MacAlister, who pledged their support to the park program. MacAlister and Cunningham were unable to be present.

Mrs. Rodman Robeson, president of the All-American club, gave a exceptionally good talk, declaring that her organization had gone on record for endorsement and would do everything in its power to aid plans.

Additional endorsements included Howard Nicholls, chairman of the recreation committee of the Santa Monica junior chamber of commerce; C. W. Wirth, faculty member of the Culver-Palms Alexander Hamilton high school; J. J. Hassett, secretary of the Los Angeles park board, as well as all Legion posts in the Twenty-fourth district and P.-T.A. units from both Overland and Emerson schools.

Monday, September 28, 1936

Track Opposition Grows in District

Hearing Scheduled October 7, in Los Angeles on Zone Variance Program

Representatives of women's organizations, Parent-Teacher Associations, veteran units and business men's groups joined together in protesting the proposed establishment of a second horse racing establishment to members of the Los Angeles city council, who will conduct a hearing Oct. 7, at 2 p. m.

P.-T.A. leaders, who represent approximately 75,000 persons in this district, listed twenty organizations who intended having representatives at the hearing who will oppose the recommendation of the planning committee that a zoning variance be granted to the Hollywood Turf club, sponsors of the track.

Thomas J. Dixon, president of the Westwood Village Business association, said that in addition to taking money from the community, such a track would cost taxpayers a large amount of money for increased police and traffic control.

Friday, October 2, 1936

New Site for Track Sought By Officials

Abandonment Plan Is Announced Today By Al Green

Culminating the opposition that was launched by the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, against the proposed establishment of a horse racing track at National and Sawtelle boulevards, officials of the Hollywood Turf club today abandoned the site, declaring he did not want to antagonize air company officials who protested the construction of the tract.

Al Green, president of the organization sponsoring the track, said: "This company builds planes for the army and navy, and we did not want to antagonize the company or the military air services."

However, C. D. Aseltine, commander of the Cheviot Legion, stated that it was a major victory for residents in the Cheviot Hills, West Los Angeles, Westwood as well as many church and school organizations, who opposed the construction of the track on the grounds that it was detrimental to community welfare and development.

The Legion was the instigator of the opposition of the track when it was first announced over a month ago that the turf club intended to erect a horse racing plant at National boulevard site.

Green said that several other locations were under consideration, and that they had looked at one located in the county just south of Jefferson boulevard.

However, Roger Jessup, chairman of the board, said that if any legitimate protests were filed, the board would be forced to refuse a permit for the construction of the track.

Prior to the abandonment of the plant, the city planning commission had recommended that a zone variance be given and the council had ordered a public hearing on the matter October 7.

Cheviot Post Leaders Await Congress Aid

Matter Will Come Up in January; Meet Set for Tuesday

Definite action on plans under way to secure the establishment of Rancho Country club for recreational public park purposes is expected to be taken next January during the next session of congress, it was revealed today by Bernard Geissler, historian of Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion.

At that time, he said, strong efforts will be made to present the matter in Washington and secure a United States grant of the property necessary for the park. The land is currently in the hands of the government, which is holding a tax lien against it.

Discussion on this important matter will be made next Tuesday night at a business meeting of the post, slated for the California Country club at 8 p. m.

Although it is almost certain no progress on the matter can be made until congress convenes, discussion will be held in order to gain whatever advantages can be gained from talking about the different phases of the park plan, Geissler said.

With hundreds of residents and organizations in this district having endorsed the proposed plan, Cheviot Hills post officials feel that with favorable congressional action all obstacles will be removed and the way will be paved for immediate conversion of the club, at present leased as a golf course, into a public recreational park. Those favoring the plan point to the Los Angeles park board's indication that it is interested in taking over the land, providing it does not have to pay the penalty.

All veterans in Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista and Country Club Highlands are invited to Tuesday's meeting, at which time lengthy discussion on plans to resurface various streets in Cheviot Hills, also will come up.

Although some work on streets already has been undertaken, post officers are primarily interested in securing the complete resurfacing of Cheviot drive. Promise has been given by Councilman Stephen W. Cunningham, of the Third district, that the Cheviot drive work will be done soon, Geissler explained.

Another matter to come up at the session is that of re-organizing the Cheviot Hills Boy Scout troop, which is sponsored by the post.

Commander C. D. Aseltine will

Monday, October 12, 1936

Cheviot Hills Post Will Meet Tuesday

Urging all veterans in the Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista and Country Club Highlands to be present at the mass meeting of the Cheviot Hills Legion post, at the California Country club Tuesday evening, Bernard Geissler, post historian, announced today that definite action will be taken by the post to push the program for the establishment of a public recreational park on the land now occupied by the Rancho Country club.

Although it is realized that no progress can be made until congress convenes, it is felt that a definite program should be outlined in order to properly present the matter at the propitious time. Hundreds of residents are interested in the project.

Also, discussion of other important matters will come before the session. C. D. Aseltine, commander, will preside.

Wednesday, October 14, 1936

Park Plan Pushed By Cheviot Post

Aseltine, Hughes to Speak Over Radio Explaining Recreation Program

Furthering its efforts to establish a recreational park on the site of the Rancho Country club, it was announced last night by Bernard Geissler, historian of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, that C. D. Aseltine, commander, and Hal Hughes, would speak on the park plans on the American Legion radio hour at 10:45 p. m. tonight.

Geissler said that the post would also talk on the park program Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock on the Beverly Hills Legion program which will feature a radio address of Salvatore Capodice, national vice commander.

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Will Rogers Post Is Newest in 24th Dist.

By BILL HOPKINS

If the first meeting of the Twenty-fourth District may be taken as a criterion for the balance of the year, then surely the aristocrats, under the commandship of Cliff Goedike, will again lead the Department. Every Post in the District answered to roll-call; every elected officer was at his post; and every available seat and bit of standing room was taken.

To Raise Hospital Fund

Having suffered a 50% cut in the Department allotment for entertainment, Bill Paden, Hospitalization chairman, urged the support of a dance which will be given on the evening of October 24 in the Hollywood Post Clubhouse. Admission is 35c (collected at the door) and valuable door prizes will be awarded. Besides dancing to the tunes of a wonderful orchestra, a great floor show will go on at 11 o'clock. Bill is calling a meeting of Hospitalization chairmen and Service officers at Sawtelle on October 4.

Charlie Buckmeyer, who, it seems is anticipating a great deal of travel from now on, was presented with a suitcase by the District. Earlier in the evening, Charlie had the pleasure of presenting Bill Burt with a Past-Adjutant's button in recognition of faithful service to the District.

Membership

Fowler Jones, Membership chairman, announced a present paid up membership of 789, and reminded Post Membership chairmen that a national citation is waiting for Posts reaching quotas by October 20.

Century Post No. 485 presented a beautiful plaque to the District which will be awarded to the Post producing the most outstanding Son-of-the-Legion. For the winning boy a gold medal will be given, and to the second best, a silver one. The contest will be decided upon attendance, participation and service.

A resolution introduced by Sawtelle Post No. 322 provided for dry cleaning and shoe repairing for inmates receiving less than \$15 per month at the home. Seems like the boys are required to do fatigue duty which is very hard on the wardrobe.

Santa Monica Post No. 123 will be host to the next Commanders and Adjutants breakfast. Time and place will be announced later.

Hugo Harris, who winged his way from Cleveland ahead of all other delegates, gave some very interesting sidelights on the national convention.

New Post Organized

A new Post—the Will Rogers—has been organized and has 34 members. Sixteen of these are paid up, and so it was deemed advisable to approve a temporary charter. This Post will serve the Pico Boulevard area in the vicinity of Ellsmere avenue.

Upon presentation of a permanent charter to Palomar Post, its commander, Bill Gordon made a bid for the next District meeting which will be held in November.

West Hollywood Post is to be congratulated upon the refreshments which were served after the meeting.

Sponsors Park Move

In Community Betterment, let us take a lesson from Cheviot Hills Post . . . 188 acres, known as the Rancho Golf Club is to be taken over by the Federal government next January for back taxes which amount to \$3,000,000. Recognizing the need of a park in their community, Cheviot Hills Post called on every official in the city of Los Angeles whose authority could in any way further their scheme, and together with clubs and civic organizations, worked up interest to the fever heat, which it is hoped will result in favorable congressional action.

Monday, October 26, 1936

Cheviot Post Will Discuss New Projects

Street Paving Plans to Be Probed by Legion Post

The regular Tuesday business meeting of the Cheviot Hills Post 501 of the American Legion will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow night at the California Country club, according to Bernard Geissler, historian. C. D. Aseltine, commander will preside.

Many matters of great importance will be discussed at this meeting. Among them are plans for a barn dinner dance which is to be given by the ladies Saturday, Nov. 21, at the Rancho Golf club, Cheviot Hills. Final plans for the reorganization of the Boy Scout troop under the sponsorship of post members and further discussion on the public parks matter which are pending word received from Washington when congress convenes November 4.

Another business discussion concerning the progress on street improvements in the Cheviot Hills area is expected to be given considerable time by those attending.

This is the third consecutive year that Post 501 has met its quota in membership before the time designated, Geissler said. The full quota at this time is 37. A drive now on, will be continued with renewed efforts to aid in building this post up past its quota.

Veterans from Cheviot Hills Country club, Highlands, and Monte Mar Vista are urged to turn out tomorrow night for one of the most important meetings ever held by the Cheviot Hills Legionaires.

Members of the post are looking forward to 1936 being one of their finest years of organization.

Tuesday, October 27, 1936

Cheviot Hills Post Veterans Plan Meet

Cheviot Hills Post 501 of the American Legion will hold its regular weekly meeting at 8 o'clock tonight at the California Country club, Bernard Geissler, historian, announced today. C. D. Aseltine, commander, will preside.

Several important business matters will be discussed and veterans from Cheviot Hills Country club, Highlands, and Monte Mar Vista are urged to attend.

Wednesday, October 28, 1936

BOARD FAVORS RANCHO PARK PLAN

C. D. Aseltine Gives Report To Gathering

Cheviot Legion Holds Meeting; Dinner- Dance Slated

Another step toward the establishment of the Rancho Golf course site as a recreational park was achieved, when it was announced last night by C. D. Aseltine, commander of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, that he had received word that the Los Angeles county board of supervisors had gone on record of favoring the plan sponsored by the post, at a Legion meeting held at the California Country club.

"This is another step towards establishing a park in western Los Angeles for recreational purposes," Aseltine said, "and adds another group to the growing list of organizations and officials favoring the plan."

"Congressional, state, city and county heads have approved the plan which may be placed in operation after the opening of the next session of congress," he concluded.

Members of the Cheviot Hills, Highlands, and Monte Mar Vista posts attending the session heard Francis M. Cummings, of Los Angeles speak on the explanations of various legislative matters which come up for vote on the November 3 ballot. Mr. Cummings did not attempt to influence members in their selections and was extremely careful to avoid directly divulging to the audience his own opinions.

Other discussions for the evening concerned the changing from the harvest dinner affair to a Hill Billy dance at the Rancho Golf club. The date November 21 has not been changed, and the affair will be in charge of the ladies auxiliary. Two new propositions taken under advisement were the plans for forming of a Cheviot Hills auxiliary post for women and a post for girls under 18 years of age. A committee will be formed at which Hal Hughes, past commander, and chairman of the executive board, will discuss the possibilities of the new organizations in regard to aiding the men's post.

The women held a meeting at the California Country club with Mrs. Alice Aseltine presiding and Mrs. Cecile Geissler, acting secretary, at which an unanimous vote was passed in regard to the organizing of the new auxiliary.

Other plans and discussions are slated for next week's meeting.

Friday, November 13, 1936

Monday, November 9, 1936

Cheviot Hills Post Will Meet Tuesday

The Cheviot Hills Post No. 506, American Legion, will hold its business meeting Tuesday night at 8 o'clock at the California Country club, according to an announcement made today by Bernard Geissler, post historian.

Aseltine to Name Dance Committee

Program to Be Held Nov. 21

A committee of three will be selected by C. D. Aseltine, commander of Cheviot Hills American Legion Post No. 501, for the purpose of completing final arrangements for the staging of the Hill-billy dance at 9:00 o'clock Saturday evening, Nov. 21, at the Rancho Golf club, Motor avenue and Pico boulevard, by ladies of the post, it was announced today by Bernard Geissler, post historian, following a meeting held last night at the California Country club.

and during the evening a drawing will be held and the holder of the lucky number will be awarded a beautiful prize. Additional prizes will be awarded for the most unique and appropriate costumes of both men and women. A committee is being selected by Commander Aseltine to act as judges for the winners of the numerous prizes, Geissler declared.

Members of the Cheviot Hills post, Monte Mar Vista post, and Highlands are co-operating with the auxiliary in sponsoring the mammoth affair, and have secured as a special feature the "Sheepherders" a group of musicians from Van Nuys, who will entertain the crowd with many selections of ranchhouse songs. The Van Nuys musical group is prominent in the San Fernando valley area, and have been featured at many affairs throughout the Southland.

Officers of the post have secured the services of Satchel McVey, prominent maestro, and his orchestra, for the musical entertainment for the evening, Geissler stated, and many prizes will be awarded throughout the evening.

Awards will be given for winners of an amateur contest sponsored by Legion members and in which any person attending has the privilege of competing, according to Mel Coakley, program chairman.

Tickets will be given at the door

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend and participate in the festivities, the post historian announced.

Tuesday, November 10, 1936

Cheviot Hills Post Veterans Will Meet

Cheviot Hills Post No. 506, of the American Legion, will hold its regular weekly business meeting at 8:00 o'clock tonight at the California Country club, according to Bernard Geissler, post historian.

Many matters of importance to members will be discussed and post members are urged to attend.

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Twenty-Fourth District Plans N. Y. Invasion

By BILL HOPKINS, A. B. S.

The Commanders and Adjutants' breakfast of the Twenty-fourth—better known as the "Motion Picture District"—October 25th, proved to be a very delightful affair. After taking the gavel from Santa Monica Post's Commander Bailey, Commander Cliff Giedlke discovered Pat Koenig and Johnny Home among the assemblage and introduced them.

Johnny Home told of Dr. Waters raising \$10,650 in a last minute emergency which was needed to move the Convention train last August. He also called upon Commanders and Adjutants to list needy Legionnaires—members with 1936 or 1937 cards—who will later be sent baskets by the County Council. The names of families of deceased veterans were also requested.

"Professional Sports Enterprises will make the County Council service department financially independent," said Johnny, and then proceeded to put in a plug for Sunday afternoon professional football games at Gilmore stadium.

Community Project

The Cheviot Hills Post community betterment committee is leaving no stone unturned to put over their Rancho Golf Club Park project. Roy Stockton, in Washington, is in close cooperation with the committee and Supervisor Ford promises 100 percent backing of the project.

Monday, November 16, 1936

Post to Check With Officials In Washington

Charles Russell Says Laws Prohibit Plan Release Land

Following reports that Charles T. Russell, acting commissioner of internal revenue, had informed Roger W. Jessup, chairman of the Los Angeles county board of supervisors, had turned down the plan to make the Rancho Country club a public recreational center, C. D. Aseltine, commander of the Cheviot Hills Legion post who sponsored the plan, said today they intended to get in touch with Washington, D. C., officials immediately.

Both city and county officials of Los Angeles have been actively behind the plan to make the golf course a public park, but the federal ruling today proved to be a stumbling block to plans of numerous women's clubs, veterans' organizations and civic leaders who were interested in the proposed park project.

Under the ruling handed down by Russell, federal authorities can not legally transfer the property, taken over for delinquent taxes, to the county or city under the present conditions even though the project is a worthy one.

Bernard Geissler, post historian, stated today that he was unable to say what line of action the Legion post would take until after the executive board had an opportunity to check and learn the official status of the project.

In the meantime, post leaders had completed plans for the staging of a dance Saturday night at the Rancho clubhouse where it is expected that more than 200 veterans and their friends will gather. Several special features have also been arranged for the evening's program.

Monday, November 23, 1936

Cheviot Veterans Slate Open Meet

Boy Scouts to Be Honored by Post; Public Asked to Attend Program

The Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will hold an open meeting tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the California Country Club, to be given in honor of Boy Scouts in the district, according to Bernard Geissler, post historian.

The evening was specially arranged for the Cheviot Hills Boy Scout troop, and all residents of the Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista and Country Club Highlands are cordially invited to attend, Geissler stated.

A motion picture on the 1936 Olympic Games in Berlin will be shown and refreshments served. Preceding the entertainment, the post will hold a short business session. Commander C. D. Aseltine will preside.

Tuesday, November 24, 1936

Cheviot Legion to Honor Boy Scouts

Members of Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, of the American Legion will hold an open meeting at 8:00 o'clock tonight at the California Country Club, to honor Boy Scouts in the district, Bernard Geissler, post historian announced today.

The affair was specially planned for the Cheviot Hills Boy Scout troop, and all residents of the Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista and Country Club Highlands are cordially invited to attend, Geissler declared.

During the short business session, Bernard Geissler, post historian, will give a report on the Legion dance held last Saturday night at the Rancho Country club. Geissler stated today that the event was a huge success and that over 260 persons attended. Among the notables who participated were Buster Keaton as well as representatives from Legion posts in the district.

Wednesday, November 25, 1936

Saturday, November 28, 1936

Cheviot Street Project Started

Resurfacing Work Reports
 Made by Geissler at
 Legion Meeting

Work started yesterday on the complete resurfacing of Cheviot drive, Bernard Geissler, chairman of the street resurfacing committee of the Cheviot Hills American Legion Post No. 501, reported at a meeting of members of the post at the California Country club, last night.

"This is the third major street in our district to be completely resurfaced, thus completing our street program, Geissler said. "At a later date the Post will select another street which we feel needs resurfacing, and we will consider working upon it," the post official concluded.

At the meeting last night a motion picture of the XI Olympiad, held in Germany earlier this year, was shown to members of the post, Scout Troop No. 65, Cheviot Hills post auxiliary, junior auxiliary, members of the Overland and Emerson junior high Parent-Teachers Association, and representatives from other Legion posts and friends. The picture was sponsored by the Helm's Bakeries of Culver City, and the post went on record strongly commending the Helm's organization on the public spirit shown.

A short business session, presided over by Walter C. Thiel, vice-commander, in the absence of C. D. Aseltine, followed the showing of the film. Aseltine, commander of the post was unable to attend because of an illness.

Cheviot Hills Legion Post to Continue Park Plan Fight

Letter Quoted From Official In Washington

Dockweiler Assures
 Veterans Aid in
 Park Program

Hal Hughes, post adjutant of the Cheviot Hills American Legion post No. 501, stated today that he had received a communication from Congressman John F. Dockweiler, of the 16th Congressional district, that a definite action would be taken after Dec. 31, on plans for the establishment of a recreational park and playground on the present site of the Rancho Golf course on Pico boulevard and Motor avenue.

Hughes stated Dockweiler had informed him that on Dec. 31, the time limit for redemption of the property which is being held by the government for delinquent taxes, would be up and that negotiations for the transfer of the site to proper authorities of the city and county would be started.

The park program, which has been one of the major objectives of the Legion unit for the past six months, calls for the establishment of a recreational center to serve the western section of Los Angeles. Both county and city officials of Los Angeles as well as numerous veterans, and women's organizations as well as civic groups have been actively pushing the project.

"In spite of the announcement from deputy of the department of internal revenue that it was impossible to transfer the land," Hughes said, "we feel confident that this statement is by no means final, and the post intends to carry the fight to obtain this objective right to Washington, D. C., if necessary."

On several previous conferences, Dockweiler assured C. D. Aseltine, post commander, that he would cooperate in every way on the plan and would contact the necessary officials in the capital to see what could be done about the project at the next session of congress.

Monday, December 7, 1936

Wednesday, December 9, 1936

Legionaires to Meet Tomorrow

Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 Schedules Session; Vets Urged to Participate

Matters of importance pertaining to the interest of veterans and to the community will be discussed at the regular business meeting of members of Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, at 8 o'clock tomorrow night at the California Country Club, Bernard Geissler, post historian, announced today.

Veterans residing in Cheviot Hills, Country Club Highlands, and Monte Mar Vista are cordially invited to attend the session. C. D. Aseltine, commander, will preside.

At the same hour, a meeting for the ladies of the post, in connection with the newly formed auxiliary and the junior auxiliary and all women living in the three districts will be held in the home of Commander and Mrs. Aseltine at 10457 Troon avenue, Cheviot Hills, according to Geissler.

All women, eligible to Legion auxiliary membership, are urged to attend this business meeting, the post historian, declared.

Improvements in Cheviot Area Set

Street Resurfacing Jobs Are Assured by Cunningham to Legion Leaders

Definite assurance from Councilman Stephen W. Cunningham that two additional streets will be resurfaced in the near future in the Cheviot Hills district was received by Bernard Geissler, post historian, he stated today following a meeting of the Cheviot Hills American Legion Post No. 501 which was held last night at the California Country Club.

The Legion post has been active in the program for better paving of streets in that area, and has at the present time men working on the resurfacing of Cheviot drive. The new streets which are to be completely resurfaced are: Ban-nockburn from Haddington to Queensbury, and Haddington from Manning to Glenbarr.

Other important matters which came up at the session were the appointment of George Millovich as chairman of the Cheviot Hills Boy Scout troop and plans for the post members Christmas party.

Millovich, following his appointment by Commander C. D. Aseltine, who presided at the meeting, announced that he is contemplating taking the troop on a trip to Big Pines in the near future.

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Saturday, December 19, 1936

Cheviot Veterans To Meet Tuesday

Legionaires Will Discuss Community Problems at Business Session

Matters affecting the veteran and the community will be discussed at the regular weekly meeting of members of Cheviot Hills American Legion Post No. 501, at 7 o'clock Tuesday night at the Rancho Golf club, at Motor avenue and Pico boulevard, according to an announcement made today by C. D. Aseltine, commander of the post.

Prior to the business session, Mrs. C. D. Aseltine, who is in charge of the Junior auxiliary, will give a Christmas party for the children of the members of the Legion and the Legion auxiliary, the commander stated. All children of the members are invited to attend the affair.

The usual meeting place of the post, the California Country club, was changed for this meeting following discussions by the post. Aseltine declared that the Rancho Golf club site was selected at the conclusion of the session.

All veterans living in Monte Mar Vista, Country Club Highlands, and Cheviot Hills are cordially invited to attend and participate in the business Tuesday night, the commander concluded.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Tuesday, January 12, 1937

Cheviot Veterans To Meet Tonight

Business Session Will Be Held by Legionnaires at Post Clubhouse

The Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will hold its scheduled meeting tonight at 8:00 o'clock at the California Country club, according to an announcement made today by C. D. Aseltine, post commander.

Bernard Geissler, post historian, stated today that plans would also be discussed tonight in connection with obtaining a recreational center on the site of the present Rancho Golf course, and a report on the matter will be given by Aseltine and Hal Hughes.

It was also announced by Geissler that through the post's efforts, Cheviot Drive and Haddington street have been completely resurfaced and that work has already started on Bannockburn street on a similar project. All veterans residing in the Cheviot Hills, Country Club Highlands and Monte Mar Vista districts, are cordially invited to attend.

Aseltine will preside.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Wednesday, January 27, 1937

Cheviot Veterans to Launch Survey For Improvements

Plans for making another survey of Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista, and Country Club Highlands roads for resurfacing and repair work, were announced at a meeting of Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, held at the California Country Club. This move was made following an announcement by Bernard Geissler, post historian, that the post's program on street resurfacing was completed.

In addition to the program plans on street improvement a report was given by Walter C. Thiel, vice commander, on the membership which has exceeded its quota. Hal Hughes, chairman of the Rancho Recreational project, reported that he and his committee had by no means given up the idea of securing the property as a recreational center for this part of the city of Los Angeles. Discouraging news had been received from Washington regarding the proposed play center.

Other matters taken up by members last night included the unanimous support of the post for Schuler Graves, who is seeking the office of Fourth area commander of the American Legion. Mr. Graves was present at the session. It was decided to hold a dance on Feb. 27 at either the Rancho Golf club or the California Country club. The place will be decided at a later date. George T. Hively was named as chairman of the event, and Mr. O'Brien and Mr. Fromme were named to assist.

C. D. Aseltine, commander, presided.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Monday, January 25, 1937

Cheviot Legion to Hold Meeting

Matters of civic interest and business matters concerning the war veterans will be discussed at the regular business meeting of members of Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, at 8 o'clock tomorrow night, at the California Country club, according to Bernard Geissler, post historian. C. D. Aseltine, commander, will preside.

Plans for the staging of a dance sometime in February, also will be discussed, Geissler announced. Members of Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista and Country Club Highlands posts are cordially invited to attend the session, the post historian concluded.

FEBRUARY 6, 1937

Twenty-Fourth District Meet Is Postponed

By BILL HOPKINS, A.B.S.
Cliff Goedike is asking all 24th District Posts to report money collected for the American Red Cross so that he can compile figures for a report to the National department.

Fearful of risking the spread of "flu" among 24th District delegates, it was decided to postpone the January meeting until a later date.

Carl Oppenheimer reports that the official 24th District Saturday night program over KMPC has been changed to 10:00 o'clock. Next Saturday night, the program will be taken over by Manila Post.

Commander Sam Hahn of Beverly Hills Post returned last Wednesday from Washington where he attended President Roosevelt's inauguration. Sam will be just in time to take an active part in the erection of the new \$15,000 club house which is about to bloom on Robertson Boulevard.

Not being a politician, the writer was unaware—but agreeably surprised—that Schuyler Graves' hat is in the ring for the 4th Area commandship race. The news was broken when Schuyler received the enthusiastic endorsement of Wilshire Post.

Undaunted by a three years extension to the Strauss interests by the Government on the Rancho Country Club property—Cheviot Hills is still fighting to serve the community by going after a lease on the rancho for a public park.

At the fight stadium last Friday night, Hollywood Post started the ball rolling by donating \$1000 for the flood sufferers. The customers responding handsomely by adding over \$800 to the pot.

Commander Lester Barber of Will Rogers Post is very proud to announce that the Post's Sea Scout troupe has at last taken over the boat which was presented by Uncle Sam. Having enjoyed a long jaunt with Sam Hahn's boys on the Pinta, we are looking forward to an invitation to the new craft.

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Monday, February 8, 1937

Meet Slated by Cheviot Legion

Business Session Planned Tuesday Night; C. D. Aseltine to Preside

Members of Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will hold their regular business meeting at 8 o'clock tomorrow night at the California Country Club, according to an announcement made today by Bernard Geissler, post historian.

All members of the post and veterans living in the community are cordially requested to attend the session, Geissler stated. C. D. Aseltine, commander, will preside.

Following the meeting those present will be invited to attend the initiation of the Cheviot Hills Post Legion Auxiliary and its Junior Legion Auxiliary, of which Jane Hively and Barbara Geissler, respectively, are presidents. The affair is to be held in Veterans hall, fifth and Western streets, Los Angeles, the post historian concluded.

Tuesday, February 9, 1937

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Cheviot Hills Post Session Is Planned

Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will hold its regular business meeting at 8 o'clock tonight at the California Country club, according to Bernard Geissler, post historian.

All members of the post and veterans living in the community are requested to attend the session, Geissler announced. C. D. Aseltine, commander, will preside.

Wednesday, February 10, 1937

Park Program Report Given By H. Hughes

Mayor F. Shaw Will Aid Post in Plan on Rancho Site

Expressing confidence regarding the prospects of establishing a recreational center on the site of the Rancho golf course, Hal Hughes reported to members of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, that he had received word from Washington, D. C., giving data on the status of the site, at a meet held last night at the California Country Club.

Hughes said he learned that the Rancho property, which has a federal lien against it, has not been redeemed to date. He said that Mayor Frank Shaw, of Los Angeles, now in Washington, was in complete accord with the post's project and would continue efforts towards acquiring the land.

The chairman also reported that Mayor Shaw has promised to work on the matter in the interests of the post, and it was felt that the proposition should not yet be considered as unfavorable to the post securing the property for the purpose of a public recreational center for all the west part of the city and nearby towns.

The post will continue its efforts to keep alive the program of street resurfacing and also adopted a program to push action toward overcoming the flooded condition which now occurs on Manning avenue in Country Club Highlands during heavy rainfall. Bernard Geissler was named chairman for both committees.

A dance was decided to be given by the post at the Rancho Golf club Saturday, Feb. 27. George T. Hively was named by the commander as chairman of the affair, assisted by O'Brien and Fromme. The event will be named the Hal Hughes Rancho dance in honor of the Montrose residents who still remain active in post activities.

Norman Mudge, second vice commander, and chairman of the ways and means committee, moved for some definite action in building up the post treasury. It will be considered for future action pending several functions for the raising of funds for community betterment work, and aid to disabled war veterans. C. D. Aseltine, commander presided.

Tuesday, February 16, 1937

Rancho Site Park Victory Looms Today

Los Angeles to Buy Property After Lease Ends

A major victory loomed today as the establishing of a recreational center seemed a certainty for the West Pico boulevard property of the Rancho Country club, according to C. D. Aseltine, commander of Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, sponsors of the drive to secure the property.

A three-year lease will expire July 31, 1939, according to Aseltine, and at that time the city of Los Angeles is expected to purchase the 160 acre site. For the next three years the property will remain as the Rancho Golf club, Aseltine stated.

However, it was pointed out by Mayor Shaw, Congressman Dockweiler, 24th district Legion officials and others interested in the project that although the city may not be able to obtain an outright title to the land, the city may be able to take over the lease if an agreeable price can be set.

Hal Hughes, Cheviot Legionaire, said that under the present conditions, it would practically be impossible for studios to purchase the land in question for film purposes.

The only obstacle to overcome at the conclusion of the new lease is the possible purchase from the federal government of the property by its former owners. This information was made available late last night following a conference between Mayor Frank L. Shaw and officials in Washington, D. C.

Members of the Cheviot Hills post had hoped to have the city acquire the property for a public park and had furnished Mayor Shaw with information pertaining to the property.

The federal government had taken over the property in foreclosure proceedings for non-payment of taxes. The government failed to put a price on the property at this time thus causing a postponement of three years before the city might gain the desired recreational center, Mayor Shaw announced.

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Warren K. Anderson	10465 Troon Ave.	C.C.	4670
C. D. Aseltine	10457 Troon Ave.	C.C.	5373
Bert R. Ayres	3067 Motor Ave.	C.C.	4235
Harold M. Beeton	137 $\frac{1}{2}$ S. Sycamore Ave.	N. Y.	4619
Dr. John E. Bergmann	326 Amalfi Dr., Sta Monica Canyon	S.M.	24086
Vernet W. Bloeser	10342 Dunleer Dr.	C.C.	3725
Edward P. Callaghan	2823 Bedford		
D. D. Childress	10363 Cheviot Dr.	C.C.	4029
Alexander Chisholm	10569 Troon Ave.		
Mel D. Coakley	10257 Bannockburn Dr.		
Melville W. Cobb	10331 Tennessee St.	C R	13181
Courtland D. Elliott	10527 Dunleer Dr.	C.C.	5214
O. J. Fromm	10316 Cheviot Dr.		
Bernard Geissler	10405 Cheviot Dr.	C.C.	4762
H. E. Gillette	10557 Butterfield Rd.		
George W. Gordon	10510 Bradbury Rd.		
G. M. Grosjean	10632 Ayres Ave.	C.C.	5268
Walter Hall	3010 Patricia Ave.	C.C.	2968
M. J. Hamilton	10262 Bannockburn Dr.		
William F. Heyler	10600 Ayres Ave.		
J. Norris Hicks	2830 Haddington Dr.	C.C.	4378
George Hively	2515 Aiken Ave.	C.C.	4019
E. S. Hoyt, Jr.	2943 Queensbury Dr.	C.C.	3931
Hal Hughes	2843 Haddington Dr.	C.C.	4463
Fowler D. Jones	10430 Dunleer Dr.	C.C.	3583
Joseph Keaton	3151 Queensbury Dr.	S E	2216
Esten B. Koger	2838 Haddington Dr.		
Dr. Wilbur H. Long	10328 Bannockburn Dr.	C.C.	5147
S. C. Manatt	10375 Cheviot Dr.	C.C.	5740
Frank W. Martineau	1032 S. Bedford St.	C R	13696
Robert E. Mattice	2707 Patricia Ave.	C.C.	3830
George P. Millovich	10351 Bannockburn Dr.	C.C.	5513
Sidney A. Moss	2747 Forrester Dr.		
Norman E. Mudge	10322 Bannockburn Dr.	C.C.	3075
Paul G. Neal	10461 Troon Ave.	C.C.	5230
Conrad A. Nervig	10370 Rosbury Pl.	C.C.	2088
Matt O'Brien	10380 Dunleer Dr.	C.C.	3256
Julius Pahl	10597 Blythe Ave.	C.C.	4649
Howard Pollman	10569 Esther Ave.		
D. Clare Reynolds	10476 Lorenzo Pl.		
John C. Robertson	15336 Sherman Way, Van Nuys		
Harry L. Sann	10330 Rosbury Pl.	C.C.	5513
Ralph W. Smith	2839 Forrester Dr.	C.C.	3854
Walter C. Thiel	10358 Rosbury Pl.	C.C.	5727
Floyd L. VanDorn	3309 Motor Ave.	C.C.	4386
Dr. James H. Washburn	2938 Manning Ave.	C.C.	5828
Walter E. Wigley	10352 Glenbarr Ave.	C.C.	3905

Lew C. Fields

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Tuesday, February 23, 1937

Veteran Welfare Meet Is Planned

Cheviot Hills Legionaires to Hear Committeemen Give Post Reports

Important matters vital to the welfare of World War veterans in the three districts served by the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will come up for general discussion tonight at 8 o'clock when the membership convenes at a scheduled meeting in the California Country club, according to Bernard Geissler, historian.

Hal Hughes, chairman of the Rancho Community Recreation Center project, will give a report on progress of the proposed playground. Geissler is scheduled to give a report on additional street resurfacing plans for the Cheviot Hills district and on proposed plans for alleviating flood conditions existing on Manning avenue.

A final report on the dance to be given Saturday, Feb. 27, at the Rancho Golf clubhouse will be made by George Hively, the chairman in charge. The post expects a large attendance at the social event which is given in honor of Hal Hughes.

C. D. Aseltine, commander, will preside.

Wednesday, February 24, 1937

Cheviot Veterans Seek Improvement

Street Resurfacing Plans For District Pushed By Post During Session

Following along the lines of their civic improvement program, the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will request the resurfacing of Patricia avenue from Lorenzo to Queensbury road and Lorenzo, Glenbarr to Patricia and Troon avenue from Haddington to Butterfield road, it was decided last night at the post meeting held in the California Country club.

The Legion, with plans for making the Cheviot Hills sector one of the finest for residential purposes, continued the resurfacing project following the success of similar programs. Commander C. D. Aseltine appointed Bernard Geissler as chairman of the committee.

A discussion of the possibilities of obtaining land for the proposed Rancho Park Recreational center, followed a report on the matter by Hal Hughes. Hughes stated that at present there was no possibility that the federal government would deed the property involved to the city of Los Angeles because the period of redemption by the owners had been extended. However, it was pointed out that redemption must be made in full.

Other reports during the evening included one by George Hively on the Post dance to be held Saturday, February 27, at the California Country club. Hively stated that all arrangements had been made and that the dance should be a social and financial success.

A motion was passed to ask the Bay Cities Transit Company to secure more careful driving of buses on the Manning avenue line.

Monday, March 1, 1937

Legion Dance Is Hailed Success By Cheviot Post

The Cheviot Hills American Legion Post No. 501 dance held last Saturday night at the Rancho Golf club in honor of Hal Hughes was both a social and financial success, according to Barney Geissler, post historian.

More than two hundred people were in attendance dancing to the music of Satchel McVey, colored maestro of swing.

The next scheduled meeting of the post will be held on Tuesday, March 9.

Tuesday, March 9, 1937

Meeting Slated By Legion Post

Drainage in Cheviot Area
to Be Discussed by
Post Veterans

Committee reports regarding the drainage situation on Manning avenue, street resurfacing in the Cheviot Hills and Country Club Highlands and traffic operations on Manning avenue will be the main business of the scheduled meet of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, at the California Country club tonight, according to Bernard Geissler, post historian.

Walter C. Thiel, George T. Hively and Geissler, chairmen of the major activities committees, will give the reports on the post program for the ensuing year. It was also announced that proposals for future social activities will also be open for discussion, and all members are urged to be present.

All veterans residing in the Cheviot Hills district are urged to attend. C. D. Aseltine, post commander, will preside.

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Wednesday, March 10, 1937

Flood Problems Heard at Meet

Bernard Geissler Reports to
Cheviot Legon on the
Drainage Program

At a meeting of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, held last night at the California Country club, a report from Councilman Robert MacAlister, concerning the alleviation of flood difficulties in the Country Club Highland area, was given.

Bernard Geissler, post historian, had contacted MacAlister who stated that the city engineering department was considering the installation of storm drain areas in the vicinity. Geissler also reported that Councilman Cunningham was working on the possibilities of resurfacing Patricia, Lorenzo and Troon streets in Cheviot Hills.

Curbing of the alleged poor driving of buses on Manning avenue was also announced at the meeting with further attempts to be made to have warning signs placed on that street to curb reckless driving.

Commander C. D. Aseltine, who presided, announced that the next meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 23rd.

EVENING STAR-NEWS, Culver City, Calif.

Tuesday, March 23, 1937

Cheviot Legion to Stage Meeting at Post Headquarters

Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 of the American Legion will hold a regular business meeting tonight at 8:00 o'clock at the California Country Club, according to Bernard Geissler, post historian.

Matters affecting the Veterans' interests generally and community betterment will be discussed and handled. After the business session, the Junior Auxiliary will furnish some entertainment which will be unusual according to Geissler.

An invitation is extended to all members and their families living in the Culver-Palms area to attend.

Thursday, March 25, 1937

Cheviot Legion to Aid In Scout Plan On Reorganization

Bernard Geissler, post historian of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 of the American Legion announced today that a complete reorganization program of the Cheviot Hills Boy Scout troop sponsored by the post would get under way this week.

George Millovich was named as chairman of the reorganization committee at the last meeting of the post when it was decided to hold a winter-frolic outing for the scouts at Big Pines on April 3rd and 4th.

The meeting also included discussion of the possibilities of securing the Rancho Golf club for a public park and recreational center for the district. The post will join with the Santa Monica Legion in presenting a dance on Thursday evening, April 15.

The next meeting is scheduled for April 13 with the post, auxiliary and Junior auxiliary meeting in a joint session. The latter group will provide an entertainment.

Wednesday, April 14, 1937

Street Projects Set For Cheviot

Legionnaires Slate Dance Event May 15; Hughes Reports on Bills

A request of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 of the American Legion asking that three streets in Cheviot Hills be included in the street resurfacing program of Los Angeles for the current fiscal year, was granted according to a report made by Bernard Geissler at a meeting of the post last night.

Geissler reported that Councilman Steve Cunningham, of the Third district, had stated that the engineering department of Los Angeles probably would start on the work before next fall.

C. D. Aseltine, commander of the post who presided, named May 15th as the date for the next dance to be held at the Rancho Country club.

Hal Hughes reported that the post had taken action towards securing favorable legislation to offset the recent unfavorable ruling by Attorney General U. S. Webb, concerning the usual partial tax exemption for war veterans.

Saturday, April 10, 1937

Cheviot Veterans To Meet Tuesday

Community Problems to Be Discussed at Legion Post Session

The Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 of the American Legion will hold a regular business meeting on Tuesday, April 13th, at the California Country club, according to Bernard Geissler, post historian.

This meeting will be held jointly with the post auxiliary and the junior auxiliary, who will furnish entertainments. Refreshments will be served following the meeting.

C. D. Aseltine, commander of the post, today issued an invitation to veterans and their families of Cheviot Hills, Monte Mar Vista and Country Club Highlands to be present at the meeting. The post handles many community affairs which are of vital interest to veterans.

Saturday, April 17, 1937

Cheviot Hills Post To Meet April 27

The next meeting of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will be held Tuesday night, April 27, at the California Country club according to an announcement made today by Barney Geissler, post historian.

Monday, April 26, 1937

Dance Plans Will Be Discussed by Cheviot Veterans

Final plans for a dance to be held May 15th at the Rancho Country club, will be discussed tomorrow night at a meeting of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion to be held in the California Country club.

Bernard Geissler, post historian, announced that committee reports will be received on the proposed Rancho Recreational Center, Boy Scout headquarters, street resurfacing program and other matters of importance to the post.

C. D. Aseltine, post commander, will preside.

Tuesday, April 27, 1937

Open Meeting Is Slated By Legion Veterans Tonight

An open meeting for the discussion of proposed charter amendments which come up at the Los Angeles municipal election next Tuesday will be held following a regular business meeting of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, tonight in the California Country Club, according to Bernard Geissler, post historian.

At the regular post meeting, plans will be discussed for a dance to be held May 15 at the Rancho Country Club. Committee reports will also be received on the proposed Rancho recreational center, street resurfacing program and Boy Scout headquarters and activities.

At the conclusion of the regular meeting, the general public is invited to a joint meet of the post and auxiliary members for a discussion on the election. Motion pictures on deep sea fishing will be presented by the Southern California Gas Co. Refreshments will be served.

C. D. Aseltine, commander of the post, will preside.

Wednesday, April 28, 1937

Street Resurface Projects Slated

Dance Is Planned May 15th
By Cheviot Legionnaires
During Business Meet

Patricia, Lorenzo and Troon streets in Cheviot Hills will be completely resurfaced this summer according to an announcement made by Bernard Geissler at a meeting of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, held last night in the California Country club.

Geissler, who is chairman of the post street committee, stated that a definite promise had been received from the Los Angeles city engineering department, and that work will probably be completed by fall.

The Cheviot Hills Boy Scout troop, sponsored by the post, will meet Monday evening, May 3rd, at the Overland school, at which time a new scoutmaster will be present. The troop is being reorganized and all boys in the district are invited to join.

B. R. Ayres, chairman in charge of the dance to be held at the Rancho Country club on May 15th, stated that all plans had been completed for the affair.

Following the regular meeting, the post met with the auxiliary and discussed the forthcoming municipal election. Motion pictures on deep-sea fishing were shown.

Monday, May 10, 1937

Cheviot Hills Vets Will Meet Tuesday

Members of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will hold a regular business meeting tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the California Country club, according to Bernard Geissler, post historian.

Many of the civic plans fostered by the post will be discussed. C. D. Aseltine, commander, will preside.

Wednesday, May 12, 1937

Cheviot Legion to Hold Dance Event

Program Outlined at Meet of Veteran's Group Tuesday Night

Final plans for a dance to be held next Saturday night were announced last night at a regular business meeting of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion with C. D. Aseltine, commander, presiding.

The dance has been slated for the Rancho Country club with Satchel McVay's orchestra furnishing the music. The dance will be presented with a May-time theme and will start at 9 p. m.

Following the meeting, the post and auxiliary members met for refreshments.

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Monday, May 24, 1937

Cheviot Legion Meet Scheduled

New Headquarters Will Be Furnished by Veterans; Aseltine to Preside

The Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in new headquarters in the Rancho Country club, according to Bernard Gessler, post historian.

A special clubroom has been allotted to the post as a regular meeting place. Part of the business session will be used for discussion on the furnishing and rearranging of the new quarters.

Many subjects of interest to veterans in Cheviot Hills, Country Club Highlands and Monte Mar Vista will be discussed and disposed of. C. D. Aseltine, commander, will preside.

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Street Surface Program Mapped

Cheviot Legionnaires Will Decorate New Club Rooms at Rancho, Is Report

Plans were discussed for the furnishing and decoration of the new headquarters at a meeting of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion held in the Rancho Country club last night with C. D. Aseltine, commander, presiding.

It was decided that Cheviot Hills Boy Scout troop, which is sponsored by the post, will be permitted to use the new club room for meetings. The management of the Rancho club has allotted ground for the use of the scouts in their activities.

Fowler Jones, vice commander of the 24th district of the Legion and member of the Cheviot Post, gave information on the nominees for offices in the forthcoming 24th district elections. The Cheviot post will be host to the 24th district at the annual Commanders and Adjutants breakfast to be held in the Rancho Country club, Sunday morning, June 20.

The dance committee reported that the recent dance was both a social and financial success. A committee of three was appointed to do whatever possible in obtaining the resurfacing of streets in

Wednesday, May 26, 1937

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Thursday, May 27, 1937

Vets Will Start Poppy Day Drive

Culver-Palms and Cheviot Hills Posts to Sell "Buddy Poppies"

Six veteran organizations in Culver City, Palms and Cheviot Hills tomorrow start their annual "buddy poppy" sale in order to raise funds for disabled veterans and charitable organizations.

In a proclamation issued Tuesday, Arthur H. Segrell, mayor of Culver City, officially named Friday and Saturday as poppy days and urged residents to support the sale as a patriotic duty.

The Culver-Palms Community Post No. 46 of the American Legion, the M. G. M. Post No. 1476 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, and the auxiliaries of the three organizations will be active in the poppy sale.

All money collected in the sale will be used to support hospitals and other like organizations. The two veteran groups have set a high goal and intend to use the money collected for relief in the Culver-Palms-Cheviot Hills area.

Monday, June 7, 1937

Cheviot Legion to Meet On Tuesday

Street Resurfacing Report to Be Given by Bernard Geissler at Session

The Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will hold a regular business meeting tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the new post headquarters in the Rancho golf clubhouse. C. D. Aseltine, commander, will preside.

Bernard Geissler, post historian and chairman of the street resurfacing committee, will report on progress of the street resurfacing program in the Country Club Highlands sponsored by the post.

Matters of importance to veterans of Cheviot Hills, Country Club Highlands and Mar Vista will be discussed at the session. Plans for the next fiscal year will be discussed with nominations for officers slated for June 22nd.

Wednesday, June 9, 1937

POST MEETS

Members of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 last night called off a scheduled meeting to work on the decoration of their new club room in the Rancho Country club.

LOS ANGELES EXAMINER

TUESDAY, JUNE 8, 1937

SQUADS RIGHT

By Walter Naughton

Local Legionnaires will swarm all over Avalon next week end, when the annual Catalina Pilgrimage is staged. James B. Heath, Pilgrimage chairman, reports numerous advance reservations.

Heath has completed his program for the two-day jaunt to the island next Saturday and Sunday. Catalina will be given over to the Legionnaires, and a program which will bring a continuous round of fun and pleasure has been arranged. Reservations may still be made through post adjutants.

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With Gene McGee as chairman of the day, the Second Division Association will sponsor today's noon meeting of the Legion Luncheon Club in the Hayward Hotel. Capt. Charles D. Baylis, president, predicts one of the

outstanding meetings of the year for the popular club.

Los Angeles City Hall Club, Board of Education, Fleet Naval Reserve, Lumbermen's and Ninety-second Division posts meet tonight in the Seventeenth District, American Legion. Arcadia and Glendora posts will be in session in the Eighteenth. The Nineteenth has meetings scheduled for Bellflower, Long Beach, Montebello, Pico, Naval Defense and Whittier posts. Woodrow Wilson and Manila posts meet in the Twentieth, with Edwin T. Brown Post in action in the Twenty-third. Cheviot Hills and Pacific posts will gather in the Twenty-fourth District.

Scatter shots: National Vice Commander Salvatore A. "Cappy" Capodice returned here yesterday after attending the annual Legion

pilgrimage Sunday to the Veterans' Home at Yountville . . . He will leave shortly on a tour of several Western departments under his jurisdiction . . . Comrades James B. Adams, Cecil R. Peterson, Albin E. Len and Dr. Leroy Bailey have been named delegates to the Department Legion convention in Stockton, August 10, 11 and 12 by the First 500 Post . . . Mrs. Ethel M. Flynn of San Francisco, state secretary-treasurer of the American Legion Auxiliary, was the guest of honor at last week's County Council Auxiliary meeting . . . State Americanism Chairman Geraldine Borch directed the program . . . The final meeting of the general Memorial Day committee will be held tonight in Patriotic Hall . . . Secretary Harry J. L. Atwood will read final reports of officers and committee chairmen.

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Wednesday, June 16, 1937

Breakfast Planned by Cheviot Legion

The Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will be host to members and their wives of all posts in the 24th district at a breakfast to be held at Mrs. Gray's Inn on Wilshire boulevard, next Sunday morning at 9 o'clock, according to Bernard Geissler, post historian.

All members of the Cheviot post will attend and many more are expected from other Legion groups in the district.

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24th District Breakfast Sunday

Cheviot Hills Post No. 501 will sponsor the next 24th District Breakfast meeting next Sunday morning, June 20th, at 9 a. m. The location will be Mrs. Gray's Inn at Wilshire and Westwood boulevards and the charge will be 50c each. All Legionnaires and their wives are invited.

Cheviot Hills Post now has a permanent meeting place at the Rancho Golf club located at Pico boulevard and Motor avenue. Meetings are held as usual on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

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Monday, June 21, 1937

Nominations Are Planned by Vets

Cheviot Legion Post Will
Hold Meeting Tuesday
Night at Rancho

Nominations for officers for the coming year will feature a regular meeting of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, to be held Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the new post headquarters in the Rancho Country club, according to Bernard Geissler, post historian.

The nominating committee will have met previous to the business session and is expected to submit a complete list of those chosen as officers for the post. Election on those nominated probably will take place at the regular meeting scheduled for July 13th.

Nominations will also be made for the state convention to be held later in the summer in Stockton, according to Geissler. C. D. Aseltine, post commander, will preside.

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Tuesday, June 22, 1937

CHEVIOT LEGION

The Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, American Legion, will hold a regular business meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the post headquarters in the Rancho Country club. Nominations for officers for the coming year will be announced, according to Bernard Geissler, post historian, C. D. Aseltine, commander, will preside.

**AMERICAN LEGION
CHEVIOT HILLS POST**



The next _____ meeting
of The Cheviot Hills Post #501
will be on JUN 22 1937
at RANCHO GOLF CLUB

You are urgently requested
to attend. Remember this is
your Post. Its business is your
business.

SPECIAL FEATURES

**NOMINATION
OF OFFICERS
BE THERE**

*Sample of meeting
notification by our
Post Adjutant.*

*The undersigned definitely refuses to again
accept the office of Post Historian, having served in
that capacity during the fiscal years of 1934-35-36-37
This closes the history for such four years.*

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Wednesday, June 23, 1937

**Cheviot Veterans
Nominate Leaders**

Twenty Named for Offices
by Legion Members at
Post Business Meet

Twenty members of the Cheviot
Hills Post No. 501, American Le-
gion last night were nominated for
various officers of the post at a
regular business meeting held in the
post headquarters at the Rancho
Country club.

Those nominated were: Walter
Thiel, Norman E. Mudge and Mel
D. Coakley, commander; Barney
Geissler, Mudge and Mel Cobb, first
vice commander; Bert Ayres and
Coakley, second vice commander;
Warren Anderson and Hal Beeton,
adjutant; John Hamilton and Bob
Reynolds, finance officer; George
Hively and Tex Chambers, sergeant-
at-arms; Geissler, historian; Court-
land Elliott, chaplain; and War-
ren Anderson, George Gordon and
Ayres, service officers.

Other matters were also taken up
at the meeting including the ap-
pointment of an executive commit-
tee and delegates to the state con-
vention. C. D. Asetine, command-
er, presided.

Bernard Geissler
June 30, 1937

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Monday, July 12, 1937

Election Slated By Cheviot Vets

Legionaires Will Select New
Officers Tuesday Night,
Is Report

Bernard Geissler, historian of the Cheviot Hills Post No. 501, announced today that the post will hold election of officers for the fiscal year 1937-38 tomorrow night at a regular meeting to be held in the post headquarters in the Rancho Country Club with C. D. Asetine, commander, presiding.

Nominations for the various positions were made at a meeting on June 24th and additional names are expected to be proposed before the election tomorrow night.

The election and nomination will take up the majority of the meeting with little business discussed.



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