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Keller's Pharmacy Myrtle Avenue north of the Granite Bank

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A good turkey dinner at the Dew Drop Sunday. Don't miss it.

A LIBERAL OFFER

We believe that the *Planet* should go into many more homes and to that end have decided to make a most liberal offer for the purpose of enlarging our already rapidly increasing list of subscribers. Our subscription price is \$ 2 per year to anyone who will give us four new names with the cash in advance. We will give them the paper one-year free or \$1 in cash. Here is an excellent chance for old subscribers to receive the *Planet* for a year for nothing or for new ones either. Who'll be the first to send in a club list?

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There is no better exercise for the ladies than horseback riding. Buy your wife a saddle.
Holdzkom keeps them.

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A.O.U.W.

Attention Workmen! All who have their names to the petition to organize a lodge of the ancient order of united workmen in Monrovia are requested to report for examination to Dr. J. Taylor Stewart at their earliest convenience. Others desiring to join the order will find the petition at Dr. Stewart's office. You are respectfully solicited to join as a charter member.

J.W. Thompson
D.D.G.M.W. Azusa, Cal.

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Try the Inside View cigar, eastern goods, strictly Cuban, hand-made, sure to please you.
At Davis' Grocery (Iowa Store).

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C.S. Winters and wife have returned from their camp in the mountains near Clam Shell Canyon. It was too foggy up there and Mr. W. had to move. He thinks of going up Saw Pit Canyon and camping near Emerson's house.

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Prescriptions carefully compounded at Keller's Pharmacy.

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Mr. McCully's family arrived from Philadelphia this week.

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Choice roll butter at Davis' Grocery store next door to the *Planet* office.

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Harness can be bought at Holdzkom's at less than Los Angeles prices. Call and inspect them also everything pertaining to the harness business.

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Carriage sponges and chamois at Keller's Pharmacy.

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A specialty made of home-made work at Holdzkom's Harness Shop .

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City engineer McDonald is establishing street grades.

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J.R. Davis has the finest grade on N.O. Molasses in town. Try It!

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A.E. Cronenwett the jeweler has placed a fine large regulator in his store.

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Wyeth Liquid Extract of malt for tonic for sale at Keller's Pharmacy.

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S.E. Russell and family of Duarte are going east to visit friends and relatives.

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For tonic and indigestion use Hoff's Malt Extract for sale at Keller's Pharmacy.

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Decorate your horse with a fly net you can purchase them from Holdzkorn the harness
maker, Myrtle Avenue.

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Frank Chess has gone to San Francisco probably to remain during the summer. He took the boat at San Pedro.

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Cronenwett the jeweler put up an elegant Seth Thomas Calendar Regulator in the Granite Bank this week.

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All kinds of job printing of superior excellence can be obtained at reasonable rates on short notice at the *Planet* office.

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S. Bowerman has returned from his visit to San Pedro. He is thinking of going over to Catalina Island for the summer.

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Professor P.G. Hull and wife are on their way back to Monrovia from Arizona. They remained over a few days at Banning but will soon be here. It is getting rather hot in Arizona.

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Mrs. Fletcher and her little daughter Oliva have returned to Little Rock, Arkansas, where they will spend the summer. Mrs. Fletcher expects to return next fall bringing her mother and brother with her.

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Mr.s Alfred Hutchinson and family returned Thursday to their home in Danvers, Massachusetts. They have been guests of Rev. D. H. Colcord since the last of December '87 and have thoroughly enjoyed their stay in our beautiful town.

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George H. Peabody and family who have spent the past few months in Monrovia returned Thursday to their home in Danvers, Massachusetts. They are much pleased with Southern California and hope to return in the fall Mr. Peabody's business in the east and needed his attention.

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Reports are rife of gold being discovered in the bed of the river San Gabriel Canyon and a dollar being realized on each pan full. We have no doubt there is some truth in the statement but don't think it will pan out quite a much as reported as that would discount the best yields of '49.

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Charlie Morgan and wife who have lived in Monrovia for several months past will depart next week for Wilmington where Mr. M. has purchased a dairy farm. While living here they have made a host of friends who will be sorry that they are going away.

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A closely contested game of baseball was played here last Sunday between the Dew Drops of this place and the Puentea. It ended in a draw as the score at the ninth innings stood 3 to 3. It was a good game. A return match is announced for Tuesday next to be played at Puente.

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TIRED OF LIFE

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You can get your harness cleaned, oiled and repaired at Holdzkom.

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A better road should be built up San Gabriel Canyon to the silver mines.

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We notice Elder A.B. Tomlinson is able to be around again but not sufficiently well to attend to business.

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J.R. Davis received this week a stock of the popular Inside View cigars. Direct from Baltimore, Maryland. They are fine.

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On Wednesday J.F. Twitchell a native of Canada and a citizen of Monrovia and became an American citizen.

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M.S. Monroe informs us that he met Mr. Estes the shoe man while on the steamer to San Francisco and that he gave assurances of coming to Monrovia. It will soon be time to hear from him as he should have arrived at his Maine home _____this.

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It is said that a new comet may be seen in the south between the hours of three and four in the morning. If we should happen to get up that early some morning we will probably see if there is any truth in the statement or not.

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NEWSPAPER

A newspaper is an experience institution to run. It needs much money to meet its weekly bills. It has only two sources of income what it gets for papers and what it gets for advertising. A large number of worthy people however imagine that they are doing a newspaper a favor by asking for the use of its columns for their announcements of one kind or another. If asked to pay therefore they feel hurt as we said before the columns of a newspaper are its only stock-in-trade and those who wish to use them ought to bill them.

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OBITUARY

Mrs. Laura J. Glenny Nee Fiddick was born in Cape Town, South Africa, April 12 1862 removed with her parents to Calstock, England, and from thence she came to Rockford, Illinois. Her next home was Green Butler County, Iowa. Here she made a profession of religion and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church of which she remained a member until her death, which occurred after an illness of 2 weeks at Duarte, April 24, 1888. Mrs. Glenny was a woman of more than ordinary stamp of character her religious character was uniform and consistent. She loved her home her husband and children and found her chief delight in ministering to their wants. Her sufferings during her illness were great but were endured with Christian fortitude. She rests from her labors and her works follow her. A deeply stricken husband 3 little children and a bereaved sister are left to mourn but not as those who have any hope.

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D.S. Shrode and wife left Duarte Tuesday for an extended trip to Texas, Indiana and Minnesota in which states they will visit friends.

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As the rainy season is over dust will soon be flying. Call on Holdzkorn the harness maker and buy one of his Dusters. He has them at all prices.

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Maje Shrode has returned to Duarte and is prepared to shoe your horses in first class style shop on Buena Vista Avenue, near the schoolhouse. Call and see him.

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Attorney William Young of this place took part in the laying of the corner stone of the courthouse in Los Angeles. This week the ceremony was performed by the Grand Master of the Masonic Order.

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M.S. Monroe and wife and J.B. Yates returned a few days ago from their pleasure trip. They first visited Santa Catalina Island where they spent a few days after a few days there they came over and took the boat to San Pedro and went up to San Francisco. At Sacramento they took the stage for the Yosemite. It is reported as a very enjoyable trip.

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Use Nicholson's Liquid Bread for a weak stomach. For sale at Keller's Pharmacy.

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R.A. Blair and wife left the city Thursday for their Ohio home. They have spent 2 or 3 winters here and find that Southern California suits them much better than Ohio. During this summer Mr. Balir will wind up his business affairs and next fall will start for California "bag and baggage." He says that if a person lives 6 months here and 6 months in the east they never can have a home. So gives Monrovia the preference. Sensible man.

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K.T. Hotchkiss, of the Monrovia Lumber Co., with his wife and family, arrived from Iowa this week. They were accompanied by L.R. Hotchkiss and wife, and Ed and Howard Hotchkiss, the latter two brothers of Charlie, of the Grand View.

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We notice G.W. McCabe, of the Monrovia House, has made a reduction in the price of board. He only charges \$4 per week for day board, and \$5 for board and lodging. Single meals 25 cents. He has a commodious and comfortable house on Orange avenue and sets as good a table as any \$2 a day house.

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Falling Leaf Avenue is being opened up all through Duarte, and it is to be continued through the Azusa country. Now what is wanted is a bridge over the San Gabriel wash. County money placed into its construction would be well spent.

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City engineers McDonald is establishing street grades.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLE CANNERY

For some time past the Planet has been endeavoring to induce men of capital to start a cannery in this city. It is with pleasure that we can announce that one is about to be establishment. C.W. Seiwel, of Danville, Illinois, (a son-in-law of Dr. Stevenson) spent considerable time here during the past winter and was impressed with the idea that money invested in a cannery would yield very liberal returns. He has associated other gentlemen of capital with him and they have decided to start a cannery here. As yet they have decided upon no location, but in all probability it will be somewhere near the depot, so as to avail themselves of the best possible facilities in the matter of shipping the goods away by rail. No doubt parties interested in land in the neighborhood of the depot would be ready and willing to donate two or three acres of land for the privilege of having the cannery in that neighborhood. Neither has the size of the building been decided upon, as the gentlemen are waiting to hear from a gentleman in Tennessee, who has had large experience in this line of business. The company wants to get a thoroughly competent manger for the cannery and to that end has been in communication with a gentleman from whom they expect to hear soon. The matter of overseeing the construction of the building will be left entirely to him. It is expected that the building and the plant will cost about \$10,000 to start off with, but machinery will be added as the business increases. It is rather a pity, that it was not decided to start this enterprise a little sooner in the season, as they will hardly be ready for the apricot crop, which comes in June and July. It would have been a good send-off for them if they could have obtained that crop, as nearly every year a large portion of it is necessarily allowed to spoil for want of a market. However, they expect to be in completed operation to handle the peach crop, which is also large in this locality; also pears. The company intends not only to put up all kinds of fruit, but also vegetables such as tomatoes, peas, corn, beans, etc. A large trade in this latter could easily be worked up, as vegetables in California are at their prime during the winter months, when the frozen east has none.

The starting of an industry such as this in our midst means more than would at first appear. A large number of hands would have to be employed in the business nearly the whole year; perhaps not more that twenty-five to start with, but it would not be long before the number would be increased to one or even two hundred, according to the supply of fruit and vegetables obtainable. It will increase the population of the town considerably and constantly keep money in circulation, thus benefiting our merchants. New houses will have to be built to accommodate the new people. A market will be secured for all the fruit that can be raised within a radius of ten miles, which would bring farmers here with their fruit and they would naturally trade with our merchants. The area of fruit trees would soon be increased, as others would go into the business. Numbers of persons would go into the business of raising vegetables, having made previous arrangements with the cannery to make all they can produce; thus would more people

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find profitable employment. It is almost impossible to estimate the great benefits to a town in the establishment of a fruit and vegetable cannery, but we give you our word that you will appreciate the enterprise of these gentlemen after you have once seen what a boom it will create.

Not only will the business be good for the town, but also the company will be well repaid for the outlay of their money. This is a business that has been almost entirely untried in Southern California. It can be greatly extended. Colton has a very fine cannery, which shipped a large quantity of goods during the past season, but the managers say they could have sold fifty times as much, and not ship it farther than Arizona. Transportation is becoming cheaper now and eastern people have found out that they can afford to eat our canned goods. As competition increases on the transcontinental roads, freight rates will become lighter and more goods will be consumed accordingly.

We can safely predict that this enterprise, in conjunction with the expected establishment of the boot and shoe business, will inaugurate a new era of business in the city of Monrovia.

FUTURE WATER SUPPLY

There are large tracts of land in this valley on which nothing is grown but barley, corn, wheat, etc., which if it was what is termed "under water" – that is, having water for irrigation purposes – would be excellent land for our best varieties of fruit. It would appear that there is not enough water to go round, and that therefore the area for fruit trees was limited. A trip up the San Gabriel canyon would dispel this idea. A *Planet* representative took a trip up there last week and found that some three or four miles up the canyon the water supply was much greater than down near the mouth of the canyon. This is easily accounted for when it is known that the soil in the bottom of the riverbed is of such a sandy nature that the water easily seeps through and is therefore lost. Mr. Defty, the superintendent of the Victoria mines, says that a large body of water runs past the mining locations all summer. He has been there three years and thinks that there is water enough coming down the canyon to irrigate the whole valley. It would indeed seem as if this were so if there is anything like the amount running in the summer that there is now. The water companies, which take their water from this canyon, do not go farther than its mouth for their supply, and it is well known that large quantities of water are wasted. No doubt the day will yet come when the water supply will be taken from at least three or four miles up the canyon, and carried in cement or iron pipes to this fertile valley. It will cost money, but what of that? It will have to be done. The valley is destined to be thickly populated, and if the higher class of farming is to be carried on, water for irrigation purposes will be required. The water is there; all it wants is for capital to be invested and the water will be brought down and distributed over our rich soil which. Instead of yielding only cereals, will be made to produce the best varieties of citrus and deciduous fruits, thereby bringing more revenue to the farmer and a great degree of posterity to the whole valley. Our hopes are placed in what we can produce, and the more we produce the better it will be for us. Let us look to the future.

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SHCOOL TAXES

The question of voting a tax to maintain the public schools of Monrovia will be submitted to the electors on the 15th day of may, the polls will be open at Justice Norman's office from 6 o'clock in the morning until 7 o'clock in the evening, with the following gentlemen as judges: W.C. Badeau, E.T. Hargrave, John Mushrush. It is necessary to raise the sum of \$1,200 to pay teachers salaries and other expenses.

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BICYCLE RACE

There will be a bicycle race start from Pasadena today at 2 o'clock. The course is to Monrovia and return. The cyclists will come in on White Oak to Ivy, down Ivy to Lemon, down Lemon to Myrtle, up Myrtle to White Oak and back to Pasadena.

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MISS RICHARDSON

Monrovia is to be treated to a lyric and Shakespearean entertainment in Barnes' Hall on the evening of Wednesday, May 24th. Her entertainments are considered immensely popular whenever she appears, and she is said to have an excellent reputation in San Francisco. The press speaks very highly of her and says that she is a whole troupe in herself, is decidedly versatile and deserving of a good house. Admission 50 cents; children at half price. Tickets for sale at Barnes'.

SAN GABRIEL GOLD

There is great excitement at present in San Gabriel canyon over recent discoveries of gold made there. The San Gabriel Mining Company has been making some excavations for preliminary work in developing their property, which is some distance up the canyon. Day before yesterday Mr. J.F. Burns took a pan, and to amuse himself went to work. The first result netted the miner about \$1 worth of bullion. He immediately peeled off his coat and vest and went to work for profit, the results being the same at every wash and from all accounts has not stopped yet, for the superintendent of the mine sent word into the city yesterday that he did not know what to do with burns, for he was working himself out washing all the time, not stopping even for his meals or his sleep. As a man can wash from fifteen to twenty-five pans an hour, it can easily be estimated how much Mr. burns had made by his three-day's labor.

COUNTRY CENTRAL COMMITTEE

The following is a complete list up-to-date, of the Republican County Central Committee, but there were several precincts entitled to committee-men, which were represented in the convention:

Anaheim	John Landelle
Artesia	L.C. Mason
Azusa	O.W. Huber
Alhambra	D.P. Walter
Burbank	R.A. Marshal
Ballona	J.O. Lamb
Cahuenga	Seward Cole
Cienega	J.C. Barron
Compton	J.J. Morton
Downey	D.P. Stuart
Duarte	William Chippendale
Fair Oaks	S.K. Sewall
Fruitland	J.W. Batcheller
Garvanza	P.E. King
Gladstone	D.W. Hamlin
Glendora	E.P. Humphrey
Laguna	G.W. Woods
Long Beach	C.S. Hussey
Lordsburg	W.P. Rose
Monrovia	W.N. Monroe
Newhall	John Matter
Newport	H. Salter
Orange	O.P. Chubb
Pasadena	H.J. Vail, W.E. Arthur
Pomona	C.D. Ambrose
Ravenna	D.A. Wagoner
San Fernando	F.M. Wright
San Gabriel	John R. Dobbins
San Juan	M.A. Forster
San Perdo	J.H. Goldsmith
Santa Ana	M.D. Halladay, W.S. Taylor
Santa Monica	R.R. Tanner
Sierra Madre	S.D. Hawks
Silverado	Thomas Harris
South Pasadena	O.R. Dougherty

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Spadra	H.T. Collins	
Trabuco	Walter robinson	
Tustin	Henry Young	
Westminister	R.T. Harris	
Wilmington	P.H. Downing	
Inglewood	F.B. Mitchell	
The Palms	W.G. Holton	
Los Angeles City	First Ward	D. Gilbert Dexter, H.V. Van Dusen
Los Angeles City	Second Ward	G.P. McLain, Theodore Summerland
Los Angeles City	Third Ward	F.J. Gilmore, W.H. Seamans
Los Angeles City	Fourth Ward	S. M. Perry, J.J. Gosper
Los Angeles City	Fifth Ward	W.P. McIntosh, J.M. Damron

The Los Angeles Tribune says, of the citizens, in speaking of the convention at Los Angeles the other day:

General W.A. Pile, of Monrovia, made one of the most graceful and telling speeches of the day.

J.M. Thomas, one of the old wheel horses, hailed from Monrovia instead of from the First Ward, as of old.

Hon. E.F. Spence was in favor of harmony, even if he had to fight for it.

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