

THE TUSTIN NEWS
THURSDAY
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Push-Mataha, Chippewa featured at Costa Mesa's Ranch, was the featured at the Tustin Lions' Club meeting held at the KP Tuesday September 13. chief, a graduate of Car university, told the local of the habits of the buf- range, how the in- depended on the bisons, to the local buffalo ranch ginated. The program was d by Ralph Paulson.

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Caladobe Brought To Orange County By M and M Company

The charm of ancient adobe picturesque "Caladobe", is being the M & M Company, 17001 E. Waterproofing of soil for building purposes is another of the multitudinous contributions to human welfare made possible by the development of crude oil products in the 20th Century.

Down through the ages, from ancient Babylon to the California missions, in Egypt, England or China, the most fundamental building art has been construction with soil in one form or another. Elaborate structures and homes have been built from just plain earth. All had one weakness in common. They required constant protection against disintegration by moisture.

About 15 years ago the American Bitumink Company, a subsidiary of Standard Oil Company of California, discovered the way to effectively "stabilize" soil by mixing it with an emulsion of petroleum asphalt and water. The asphalt is held in suspension in almost microscopic droplets and resumes its natural form upon evaporation. It can thus be applied without heating and to surfaces and substances that are modernized with practical and introduced to Orange County by 17th Street.

water-absorbent.

Hundreds of uses have been developed, water repellent highways, dams, tennis courts and the like. But one of the most fascinating and far reaching is in the manufacture of water-resistant adobe-type bricks for homes, garden walls, barbecue pits, patios, and fences.

Deep window openings are a feature that is typical in structural or steel-frame adobe. Molded texture of adobe complements broad-axled redwood timbers for interior walls. Post - adobe construction, combining redwood frame with stabilized adobe, unpainted, gives durability and charm.

Versatility of post-adobe design is used with Chinese finishings.

Rosewood and a touch of copper in a dining room complements the Caladobe walls. The floor of a living room are made of stabilized adobe tile can be waxed for easy cleaning. Kitchen walls of adobe readily take enamel for permanent washable finish. A lanai with fireplace set in adobe, invites informal living.

Modern wide corner windows are possible with adobe on welded pipe frame. Terrace and barbecue of Caladobe provide pleasant setting for outdoor family life. Dry wall of broken adobe brick can be used in outdoor hearths. Corner fireplaces enhanced by adobe, wood, and metal fixtures are decorative and distinctive. Veneer adobe permits wide range in wall surface treatment. Genuine half-timber construction with stabilized adobe bricks (Caladobe) adds to old World character of attractive homes.

Walls of asphalt stabilized bricks (Caladobe), when laid with waterproof mortar, form the driest masonry known. They provide excellent insulation against heat, cold and sound. They resist fire, termites and dryrot. The brick surface has a pleasing natural texture, or may be painted, or plastered in a variety of finishes. No other building material, except glass or metal, absorbs less moisture.

Architects, designers and builders, taking advantage of the freedom of design made possible by the inherent qualities in this new material, are creating an infinite variety of wall textures and structural methods. All styles of architecture are represented; traditional Spanish-California, Monterey, California ranch, Pueblo, Bermuda, half-timber and contemporary Modern.

Caladobe fences are becoming very popular in this area, fitting in with all types of home building. Its beauty and distinctiveness adds charm and individuality to any home. As a "do-it-yourself" project, it's very appealing to the homeowner both economically and a feeling of pride and accomplishment when finished. It's easy to work with; thus, the amateur can succeed in erecting a professional-looking fence, retaining wall, patio, planter, or terrace.

Caladobe bricks range in size from 4x4x16, 4x5 1/4x16, 4x8x16, 4x12x16, to 4x12x19 1/2. Caladobe bricks can be used wherever concrete block or red bricks are used. The neutral or natural color of Caladobe bricks fits in with any color schemes surrounding the home. Mother Nature's plants and flowers with Caladobe forming the background, is very picturesque.

The durability and other distinctive qualities of Caladobe, plus its effective architectural aspects, promises an expanding future for this most ancient of building materials—a rebirth made possible by modern petroleum chemistry.

Heart Association To Meet Sept 27

The first of what promises to be an annual meeting of board members and some two hundred volunteer workers of the Orange County Heart Assn, will be held at 12:30 p. m. September 27 in Irvine Coast Country Club. It was announced today by Mile K. Tedstrom, M. D. president of the association.

The luncheon will feté committee members, Heart Fund chairman from Orange County municipalities, members of the press, women's organizations and other volunteer groups who have served in a voluntary capacity since the incorporation of the association in January, 1954.

A report on the voluntary health agency's activities since that time will be given to the guests in written form. It was announced, and a brief talk by Frederick Kellogg, M.D. president of the California Heart Assn., will tell them "What A Heart Association Can Do."

During a short business meeting, new officers and members of the Board of Directors will be voted upon. Dr. Tedstrom announced.

Before the county group was organized last year volunteer members of a Heart Fund committee conducted the campaign which pays for the association's research, education and community service operations. The Orange County Heart Assn. recently moved to new quarters at 17th and Olive Streets in Santa Ana.

Boy Scout Troop of the El Toro Marine School will hold their first meeting of the year in the Cafetorium on September 29, under the leadership of new Scoutmaster Chief George Shildlar. Meeting time is 7:30 p.m.

Eighty-three percent of the vacation trips taken in the United States in 1953 were taken by automobile.

About 70 percent of all the rubber used in the United States today is synthetic rubber made from crude oil or natural gas.

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