

HOLLYWOOD. SCHOOL-BOND ELECTION.

HOLLYWOOD, March 14.—Another meeting of the citizens on the school-bond question was held this week. The Trustees, through Gen. J. L. Beveridge, reported the selection of two sites for public school buildings. They had secured to hold an option on the old site, adding to it another acre, at a value of \$1500. The action of the trustees was ratified by a vote of 741 to 32. One of the sites is the corner of Western avenue and Sunset boulevard, comprising an acre of land, and valued at \$3500. The other, consisting of an acre and a half, near Cahuenga avenue and Sunset boulevard, is valued at \$7000. The first is owned by William Beesmeyer, and the second by Mrs. P. J. Beveridge. The estimate of the cost of both schools, made by the trustees, is \$32,000. It was thought best to issue bonds for this amount, giving a twenty-year limit for payment. The trustees had issued a call for a school-bond election, to be held April 4. These bonds will be of the denomination of \$1000 each, to bear 5 per cent. interest. They will be issued in thirty-two series. The first and second series will run five years, and each double series thereafter payable each year for the balance of the twenty years. W. C. Fay is appointed inspector of the election, and J. F. Grass and F. Z. Byram judges. It will require a vote of two-thirds majority to carry these bonds. There is some opposition to this, as it is held that the price of the property is too high; but it is to be hoped that the importance of the speedy completion of these buildings to accommodate the rapidly-increasing school population, will overcome this objection.

VALLEY ITEMS.

The Hollywood Memorial Methodist Church has probably secured a desirable location for the building for which the plans have for some time been prepared. This enterprising congregation has the funds raised for a fine building, which will be a credit to the community. The pastor, Rev. E. A. Stellar, has been untiring in his efforts to secure the speedy erection of the building.

C. C. Hodgson has begun building a fine residence.

A. J. DeBerry is building a fine residence on Hudson avenue.

Hudson avenue is just being opened between Prospect avenue and Sunset boulevard.

H. J. Whitley is building a two-story brick block on the property adjoining the Lohman Block, which will be a fine addition to the business part of town. The two storerooms have already been rented.

H. J. Whitley sold a slightly lot to Co. J. J. Steadman, a wealthy cattleman of Iowa. Mr. Steadman will locate permanently in Hollywood, where he will build an elegant residence.

Mrs. S. L. Flood, wife of Rev. T. L. Flood, editor of the Chautauquan, Meadville, Pa., has been visiting at Hotel Hollywood during the week.

Mrs. M. C. Grower and sister, and Miss S. B. Crowell of Los Angeles were visiting Hawaiian friends here this week.

A. R. White and family have moved to Los Angeles.

Mr. Newton, who has been severely afflicted with pneumonia at the Hotel Hollywood, is able to be out.

Mr. Irving, organizer of the Order of Washington, will institute a lodge in Hollywood Monday night.

Rev. J. N. Marsh and sister of Los Angeles were interested visitors in Hollywood on Tuesday, looking at property.

G. W. Hoover and family of Los Angeles have become permanent residents of Hollywood. Mr. Hoover built and owns the new Hotel Hollywood, and he has also a beautiful home on Prospect avenue.

Mrs. Bartlett will entertain the Hollywood Monday Card Club at the home of Mrs. McKeeble, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Boyle will give an at home at her residence Tuesday evening, to eastern friends, who have been visiting her during the winter.