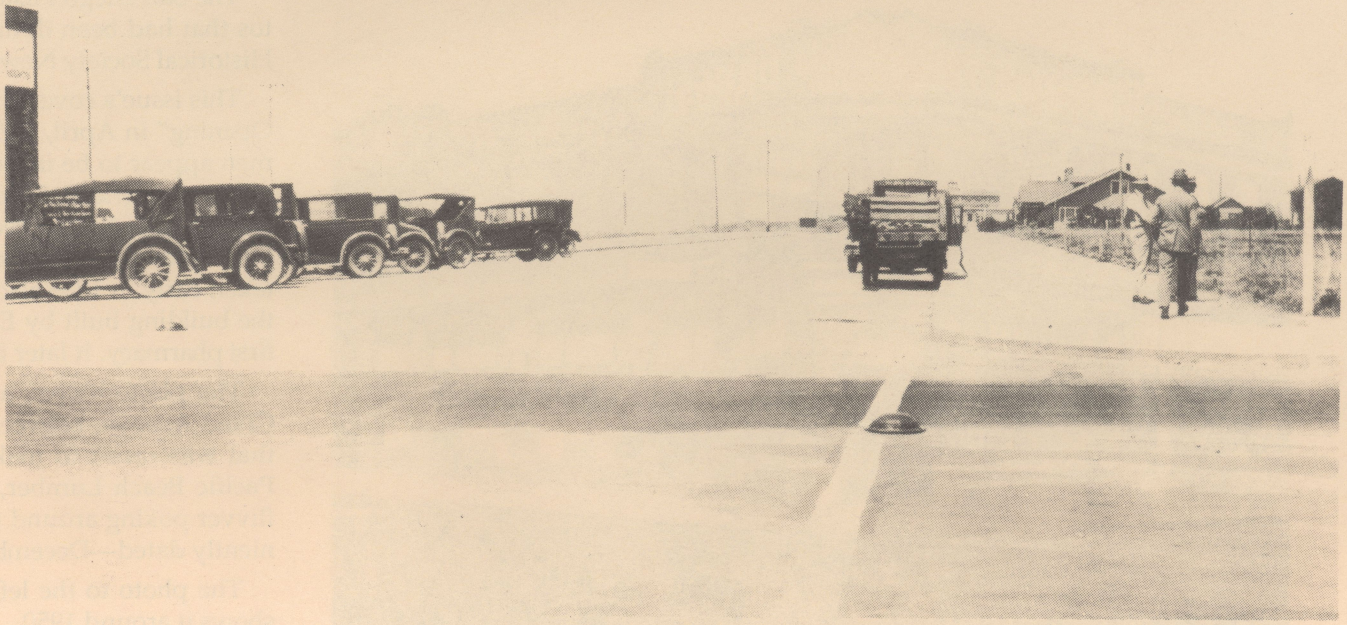
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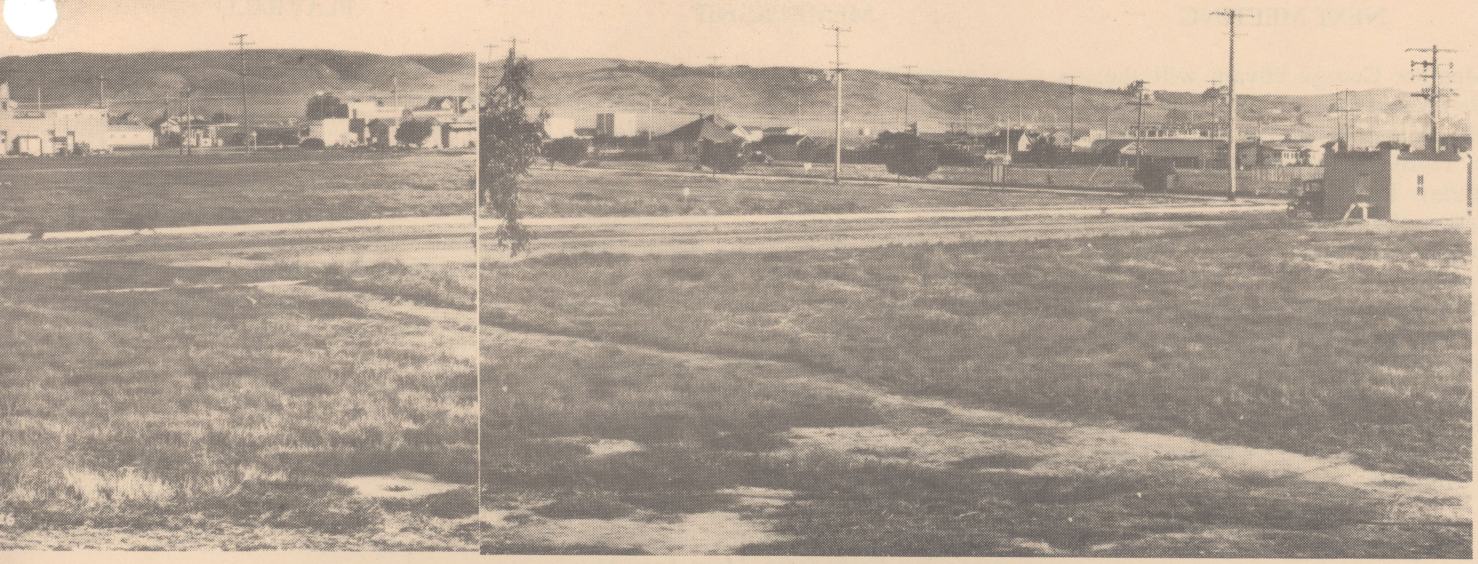


The San Diego Historical Society
tos that had been donated by Sam I
Historical Society Newsletter is show

This issue's cover shows Crystal I
Opening" in April, 1926. The pier its
men appear to be inspecting the sur
ing his "surfriding" exhibition in 19
Garnet from Cass Street. Crystal Pie
but Dunaway Drugs has not begun c
taken early in 1926 also. Barely visib
the building built by Earl Taylor, wh
first pharmacy. It later became Hill's

The photo above, a three-plate p
Grand Avenue, between Bayard and
that was razed to make room for I
Pacific Beach Lumber, where McDo
flivver poking around the side
niently dated—December 1, 1926.

The photo to the left is Dunaway
shows it around 1950.



er 1, 1926

cently uncovered a packet of pho-
naway in 1961. The Pacific Beach
g them for the first time.

r, possibly just before the "Grand
didn't open until July, 1927. Two
oard used by Charles Wright dur-
The bottom photo looks west on
s visible at the end of the street,
struction, so this shot is probably
at the left is Favel's Meats, part of
n also contained Sam Dunaway's
arket.

noramic shot, looks north across
awes. At the far left is the house
ego's parking lot. At the right is
is today. Can you spot the
g? The middle plate is conve-



rugstore in 1948; the right photo

NEXT MEETING

Member George Silvani will show a slide presentation on Tent City in Coronado. It is particularly appropriate, as the Hotel is celebrating its 100th birthday. Those who saw George's presentation of the Point Loma road rase will certainly be in attendance for this show. Saturday, March 5, 1 p.m. PLEASE NOTE! The Copper Skillet Restaurant has been sold, and will reopen as the China Inn. The new owners have assured us that we can continue to meet there. We have no word yet on the menu, but reliable sources indicate that it is probably Chinese.

MEMBERSHIP

Joining the society since our last newsletter were the following: Winifred Fleming, James Olmstead, and Joseph Ritz.

Renewing their memberships were: Florence LaRochelle, Estelle Bergman, N.E. Wallace, Agnes MacLennan, Linda Johnson, Guy Fulkerson, Colin & Barbara Oveland, PACIFIC BEACH TRAVELODGE, Henri & Susan Guyader, Don Redfern, Dr. Barbara Yates, Eugenia Estil, Harrell Hurt, Dee Scherrer, Dick Murphy, Richmond & Artha Barbour, Carl & June Hovland, Jim & Sandy Hingeley, Cliff & Marylou Guidry, Clara Goodloe, Sarellen Morgan Wuest, Andrew & Margaret Brydon, M&M Leonard Clay, Carol Stern, Msgr. Sean Murray, Anita Smith, and Arthur & Shirley Pena.

PLAY BALL!

Member Bob O'Regan reminds us that reserved seats in the loge section at $7.50 each for Opening Nite, Tuesday, April 12, are still available through the Town Council Office, or call Bob at 483-7041. Who's playing? Why, the LA Dodgers against our own San Diego Padres. Come one, come all! This is the 20th anniversary for the Padres. Let's have a great showing from Pacific Beach!

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