

Jan 16<sup>th</sup>. Fine was over in the Park afternoon & down town in the morning. Received Sat <sup>Jan</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> night Herald this afternoon, only 4 days. Mrs Brown asked us in to hear the Radde Concert at night. Heard music at Pasadena, Los Angeles & Hollywood, also heard Upton at Portland Oregon. say machine cost \$125 without horn

Jan 17<sup>th</sup> Weather warm. over in the Park afternoon had a talk with the gardener. says we was a fruit grower. says one of the sights are apriots in blossom at Banning in about 3 weeks says they only got from \$35 to \$50 a ton from the canner. Walnuts all right he says price down this year only

got from 16<sup>th</sup> to 18 & lb. seem to have a lot of disease, Curcullio's bad here he says sprayed his peach trees and other trees last week for San Jose scale.

Jan 18<sup>th</sup>. Got talking to an old resident here (20 years) he thinks more money in hens than anything. He says lots of almonds at Banning 30 miles away and Peaches & apriots at Hemet. lots of apriots not picked last year, oranges a lot of work. and chance crop. may make a lot one year and nothing next year

Jan 14<sup>th</sup>. walked to Post Office in the morning & mailed some letters. we are getting our