

**ORDINANCE COMPELS
USE OF LOCAL LABOR**

VISALIA, June 27. (Exclusive)—Employment of local laborers is compulsory for building of structures here financed by city money, as result of an ordinance recently passed by the City Council. The ordinance prohibits out-of-town contractors from importing laborers, unless it be for specialized work.

**APARTMENTS ABOVE
GARAGES COMPLETED**

HUNTINGTON PARK, June 27. (Exclusive)—Contractor John C. Flick has finished two eight-room garages with apartments above, one for Arthur Weiss and the other for George E. Bigelo, both of this city, the apartments being at Sunset Beach. The contractor has started another eight-room residence for Bigelo at Palo Alto.

**SALES FOR
SIX MONTHS
COMPUTED**

*Properties Purchased
From Company Valued at
\$1,014,651*

Sales of J. B. Ransom Corporation East Side properties totaled \$1,014,651.75 during the period from January 1, 1931, to the 20th inst., according to a report released yesterday by C. M. Hamilton, director of sales for the Ransom organization.

"These figures, which reflect the sales activity on the East Side during the first six months," declared Hamilton, "do not include more than \$200,000 in reservations of additional business.

"Based upon the figures for the first 171 days of the present year, the first six months' sales should be increased by approximately \$60,000 before the end of the current month, while a corresponding increase in reservations should result."

In celebration of the sales record members of the Ransom sales organization, together with their families, friends and prospective salespeople will attend a celebration at Bicknell Park tomorrow evening.

**Homes to Rise
on Lots Bought**

Fred W. Forrester, exclusive agent for Monte Mar Vista, located on the ridge between the Hillcrest, Rancho and California Country clubs, reports transfers for the past thirty days totaling \$56,250. A. T. Schaber, owner of a cafeteria at 620 South Broadway, bought 180 feet fronting on Monte Mar Terrace on the rim of the ridge south of the Fox studios. An eight-room home of the Mediterranean type from plans by Austin Whittlesey is being built for Schaber by Fred C. Snell of Beverly Hills. Claud Fisher, capitalist, acquired 150 feet adjoining, and is preparing plans for the immediate erection of a fourteen-room residence. Total investment will be \$50,000. E. J. Campbell of the Bluebird Laundry bought a ninety-foot corner at McConnell and Cresta. He will build a ten-room home of the Spanish type. Total investment will be \$30,000.

PIONEER SELLS HOME

RESEDA, June 27. (Exclusive)—Henry Harwood, pioneer citizen, real-estate dealer and rancher, has sold his home on Etiwanda avenue and moved with his family to Santa Monica. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lockwood of Bakersfield purchased the Harwood home.

