

## The Sentiments of a Gentleman Guest

Written While at The Willows

If you really like the mountains
And want to take a rest,
I can tell you where to find it—
The Bestest of the Best.

You'll find ten little Bungalows,
All nestled 'neath the trees,
With rocking chairs to welcome you
To sit and take your ease.

You'll find each one so spic and span,
"Twill make you feel at home.
I know you'll find none better,
No matter where you roam.

You'll find your bed so comfy, When you turn in at night, You're gone for good till morning, If you keep your eyes shut tight.

You'll find your sleep so restful,
You get up from your couch,
And go right through the live-long day
And never feel a grouch.

You'll find, when dressed and ready, You'll be waiting for the gong, To call you to your breakfast And meet the happy throng.

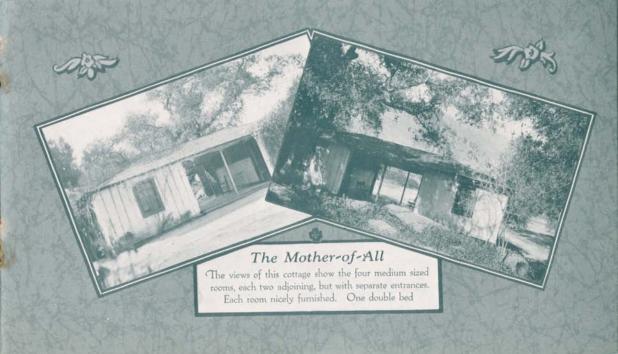
You'll find a lady waiting there
To show you to your place,
And you'll not need a second look
To see a smiling face.

You'll find things on the table I'm sure that you'll enjoy— Things just like Mother made When you were quite a boy.

So if you want to take a rest To drive dull care away, Just pack up for The Willows I know you'll want to stay.















Oakleigh Cottage Shady, vine-clad and wide-porched. Contains two large rooms and bath. Very comfortable quarters for a family party of two or more. The brook provides lots of pleasure, particularly for the children





THE WILLOWS is an all-year-round mountain resort at an elevation of 2200 feet, thirty-three miles from San Diego, on the paved State highway from San Diego to the Imperial Valley.

It consists of detached cottages and bungalows, set among the live oak and willow trees at the base of Viejas Mountain, one of the foothills of the Cuyamacas in the Incopah range.

The Willows is not a hotel, but a place for folks who seek restful recreation, solid comfort, modern conveniences and good wholesome food. For many years, the Walker family have kept open house, developing the resort from their own home, and continually enlarging and adding to it, to meet the demands of its increasing popularity.

The cooking is strictly home cooking, being supervised by one of the family. The table is supplied by The Willows' own dairy, poultry plant, vegetable and fruit gardens. The fame of its delicious meals has made it a mecca for recreationists who enjoy the fresh milk, newly garnered vegetables and fruits, the home made jellies and jams.

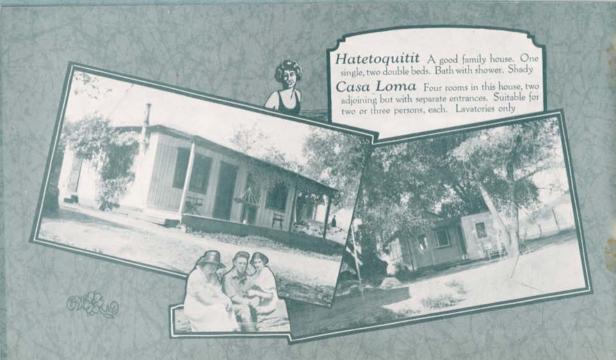
UNDER the live oaks and among the willows along the brook are-easy chairs and hammocks. Nightly and on cooler days the guests gather in the lobby before the cheerful stone fireplace. The lobby is also known as the Indian room, having many baskets, rugs and pieces of pottery, made by the local tribe of Conejo (Cotton Tail) Indians. The library and music rooms adjoin.

A number of public automobile stages pass The Willows at various hours, so that those dependent on this means of transportation will find it easy to reach The Willows from San Diego or the Imperial Valley. The map on back cover shows routes leading to The Willows.

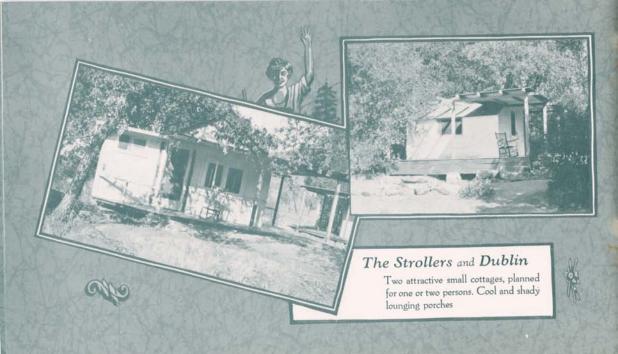
A special feature has been made of the children's playground. Recent years have greatly changed the size and course of the brook which runs through the property, forming an extensive sandy beach. The brook and the beach furnish the little folks with all the enjoyments of the seashore without the attendant dangers of the latter. A shady playground is equipped with swings, slides, teeters, hammocks, swinging rings, etc.















RIDING animals are kept for those who prefer to explore neighboring mountains in the saddle rather than on foot. Good saddle horses for "experts" and gentle ponies for the children.

Gas lights in every room. Plumbing connected with septic tanks, and abundance of water, make it possible to keep the place sanitary and free from dust.

We have no accommodations for people desiring to do their own housekeeping.

The drinking water is from a well, supplied by a mountain spring, cold and clear as crystal.

Running water with bath or showers in most cottages. Guests occupying rooms without bath have access to general bath without extra charge.

Rates per day are \$4.00 and up, according to house occupied and number in party. Rates per week, \$20.00 and up. All rates include room and board.

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