

\$17,000,000 of Equipment for Colorado Aqueduct

W. P. Whitsett, president of the board of directors of the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California, talked to the Construction Industries Committee of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce Wednesday noon emphasizing the great need for construction of the Colorado river aqueduct to provide for the continued growth and development of Los Angeles and all Southern California. Speaking particularly of the construction of the aqueduct, he said that it would mean the purchase of \$17,000,000 worth of new equipment as it would not be profitable to start with any except new equipment because of the long period it would be in use.