



HOBBIES DESTROYED—Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. G. Nelson had two attractive hobbies until San Jose was visited by dazzling and destructive thunder storm yesterday afternoon. They grew orchids and Nelson was radio "ham" operator. Lightning hit radio antenna, ruined station, virtually destroyed garage, demolished hot house containing some \$2500 worth of rare plants. Above, Nelson stands midst orchid room wreckage, showing only blossom which escaped. In lower photo he inspects charred remains of his radio station. He values its loss at about \$1500.

