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Cloze Reading 1 - Historic Building: The Old Bonita Store

E. P. Walters established the original Bonita Store in _____ (1). Similar to a _____ (2) post, it sold groceries, hardware, tack, hay, feed, grain, men's clothing, boots, hats, Levi's and later, when the need arose, _____ (3). The store became a meeting place in the valley, and a train stop for the "Otay Limited" (National City & Otay Railroad). On November 19, 1898, it became the site of the first Bonita _____ (4) Office with Mrs. Ilda L. Walters as postmaster.

Originally on the _____ (5) side of Bonita Road, the store was moved across the road after the 1916 _____ (6) caused a fair amount of damage. The store was replaced in the 1920's with a _____ (7) building on the south side on Bonita Road. Wood and Howard _____ (8) owned and ran the store until C.A. Haffley took over the store in 1921. When a new Bonita Store was built (still on the South side), the _____ (9) fixed up the old building and rented it out as a _____ (10).

1891	trading	gasoline	Post	north
flood	stucco	Berkey	Haffleys	residence

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Cloze Reading 2 - Historic Building: The Old Bonita Store

E. P. _____ (1) established the original Bonita Store in 1891. Similar to a trading post, it sold _____ (2), hardware, tack, hay, feed, grain, men's clothing, boots, hats, Levi's and later, when the need arose, gasoline. The store became a _____ (3) place in the valley, and a train stop for the "Otay Limited" (National City & Otay Railroad). On November 19, 1898, it became the site of the first Bonita Post Office with Mrs. _____ (4) L. Walters as postmaster.

Originally on the north side of Bonita _____ (5), the store was moved across the road after the 1916 flood caused a fair amount of damage. The store was replaced in the _____ (6) with a stucco building on the south side on Bonita Road. _____ (7) and Howard Berkey owned and ran the store until C.A. _____ (8) took over the store in 1921. When a new Bonita Store was built (still on the South side), the Haffleys fixed up the old building and _____ (9) it out as a _____ (10).

Walters	groceries	meeting	Ilda	Road
1920's	Wood	Haffley	rented	residence

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Cloze Reading 3 - Historic Building: The Old Bonita Store

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Originally on the north side of _____ (6) Road, the store was moved across the road after the 1916 flood caused a fair amount of _____ (7). The store was replaced in the 1920's with a _____ (8) building on the south side on Bonita Road. Wood and Howard Berkey owned and ran the store until _____ (9) took over the store in 1921. When a new Bonita Store was built (still on the South side), the Haffleys fixed up the old building and rented it out as a _____ (10).

hardware	Levi's	valley	Otay	1898
Bonita	damage	stucco	C.A. Haffley	residence