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A Weekly Publication of the Rotary Club of Richmond, California

FOR FRIDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1986

AND

FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 1987

"FELLOWSHIP MEETING - ANYTHING GOES"

(Attendance is recorded)

Since the next two Fridays are not legal holidays, our Club has scheduled meetings and attendance will count. The Board has reluctantly made this arrangement, even though two-thirds of us traditionally take four-day holidays. (PRESIDENT DON comments that he hopes Rotary International will eventually recognize the merit of clubs "going dark" on such general holiday occasions.)

So - - - if you are in town on these days plan to attend the luncheon meetings and enjoy an INFORMAL, NO-PROGRAM, FELLOWSHIP where anything goes and usually does!

Otherwise before or after, remember to make-up your attendance at another Club.

PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 9, 1987

"SO YOU'RE IN THE NEW TAX YEAR"

John Rubin

With the old year behind us, which may have been good or bad depending on your income situation, let's give a thought to how we handle the so-called tax Reform Act in the new year. Is there a way to save or make a buck under the new regulations in 1987?

HOLIDAY PARTY A SUCCESS



Even though this was the night of a crucial 49er game, we had a good turnout for Richmond Rotary's annual Holiday Party. For the die-hards, a TV was turned on during the cocktail hour. Everyone enjoyed the delicious hors d'oeuvres arranged for by Betty Hardison and our official photographer, CHARLIE WONG, made sure the event was well covered.

Designating this an official Rotary meeting, PRES. DON started things off after dinner with the announcement that there would be no fines this evening. TOM MALSBARY was thanked for the beautiful center pieces (which were later raffled off to a lucky lady at each table) and the entire party committee was given a round of applause. Betty presented bouquets of roses to Louise Hyland, Rotary Ann of P.D.G. Dick, Nancy Lugo for her and OSCAR's donation of a necklace (won by Carmen Granberg) and Hazel Boyd for her and BOB's participation in many of Rotary's projects over the past 8 years. BOB and Hazel will soon be relocating Golden West Equipment to San Leandro.

A pleasant surprise for all of us was the entertainment provided by Vice President BILL SHIELDS and his lovely and talented Rotary Ann, Ruby. They sang Christmas Carols and persuaded most of us to join in a sing-a-long. Dancing to a lively band followed the entertainment and a good time was had by all.

DAN READY AND MERV DAVIS ON THE MEND

It is a pleasure to report that both Vice President Elect DAN READY and MERV DAVIS are now at home recovering satisfactorily from major surgery. They would certainly appreciate cards.

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1986 CONTRIBUTIONS FOR ROTARY FUND

IT'S NOT TOO LATE!

While the Auction was very successful in raising funds for the Rotary (International) Foundation, the Club's Fund for local projects and charities has been neglected. Recent special meetings have made it difficult for PRESIDENT DON to find the time to appropriately "recognize" or "fine" worthy members for outstanding events in their lives. However, all is not lost. DON reminds us that a check made out to the RICHMOND ROTARY CLUB/FUND and dated in 1986 may receive more favorable tax treatment than in 1987. Further, he promises due recognition of any such generosity at a future meeting. GIVE!

PRESIDENT'S YEAR-END MESSAGE

As the first half of my Rotary Year comes to a close, I want to take this opportunity of thanking the many members who have helped make our meetings and activities so successful. Betty joins me in expressing particular appreciation to the many Rotary couples who pitched in to create the unusually festive Holiday

Party last Friday evening. Without all of you it could not have happened.

May this Season be a great time of reunion with family and friends for everyone. Here's wishing you a very - - -

"MERRY CHRISTMAS OR HAPPY HANNAKUH
AND

A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL"

President Don

THE FLYWHEEL WILL NOT BE PUBLISHED NEXT
WEEK FOR THE JANUARY 2, 1987 MEETING

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THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

We know the joy of Christmas when we see the happiness of children...except when a set of drums is involved.

NORM FOLEY
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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 9, 1987

WHO AM I?



JOHN FRIEL / RUSS JACKSON / DAVE SMITH

Wherein the above new members will share with the Club their most significant, exciting and humorous autobiographical data.

Chairman of the Day: DAN TANITA

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 1987

HONORABLE HENRY RAMSEY

Presiding Judge

Superior Court, Alameda County

In recognition of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day this prominent jurist, former Richmond attorney and member of the Redevelopment Agency, and later a Berkeley City Councilman, has accepted an invitation to address our Club. This meeting promises to be outstanding.

LAST WEEK

With PRES. DON out of town for this informal meeting, Vice President BILL SHIELDS took over and handled all the jobs himself; pledge to the flag, invocation, welcoming visiting Rotarians and guests and finemaster.

RUDY LOEBLEIN, who is still home recovering from a long illness, sent in \$600.00 to complete his Paul Harris Fellowship and BILL WAHBEH followed suit with \$700.00 to complete his. JOE NUSBAUM offered \$50.00 for his anniversary and showed a huge picture of himself he gave to his wife and JOHN SHERIDAN, feeling left out, put up \$60.00 for a missed birthday in October. HANK COVELL, celebrating his 28th anniversary, offered to put \$25.00 on the craps table at Reno for 3 rolls but BILL settled for \$25.00 now and another \$25.00 at Reno. KUMAR BELUR added another \$100.00 to his Paul Harris Sustaining Membership and DAN YEE was asked why he didn't complete his 1986 resolution to lose as much weight as LLOYD HENRY.

JOE NUSBAUM was asked to pull the winning ticket for free lunches for a month and managed to find his own in the bucket.

RENO TRIP

JOHN NICOL advises that there will be a pre-train get-together at Richmond Sanitary Service, 205-41st Street, starting at about 6:00 AM. Following is the train schedule:

SUNDAY: 1/11/87

LV Oakland-----7:00 AM
(16th Street)

LV Richmond-----7:15 AM

LV Martinez-----7:40 AM

LV Sacramento-----8:40 AM

AR RENO-----2:00 PM

MONDAY: 1/12/87

LV Reno-----2:45 PM

AR Sacramento -8:05 PM

AR Martinez---9:05 PM

AR Richmond---9:35 PM

AR Oakland---9:55 PM

SAVE THESE DATES

Jan. 23 - "Homecoming in China", CHARLIE WONG

Jan. 30 - "Richmond Update",

City Manager Jim Fales

Feb. 6 - "Who's in Charge in Washington"

Ambassador David S. Newsom

Feb. 13 - Ladies Day/"Valentines"

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ACTION BY BOARD

At its regular meeting on December 18th
your Board of Directors:

- Received the following reports:
 - Attendance for November: 86.7%
 - Members on roll: 117
- Took action on the following matters:
 - Received and accepted with regret the resignations of: Jack Almeida, Bob Boyd and Bob McDonald.
 - Placed on leave: Alan Pittman
 - Reinstated from leave: Mike Harr
- Took no action on four members, who have been delinquent in attendance, because each indicated that he will henceforth attend regularly or make-up.
- Took action to make contributions as follows:
 - Richmond Police Christmas Fund: \$100.00
 - Rotary Camp Royal Scholarships: \$1200.00
(Four at \$300.00 each for students from high schools in Richmond)

EVERYONE WILL MISS BOB BOYD

As PRESIDENT DON indicated at the Holiday Party, the community and our Club has suffered a great loss in the resignation of BOB BOYD, caused by the move of his Golden West Equipment Company to San Leandro. In his good natured manner, BOB has given freely of his time to assure the success of many Rotary programs, including International Service, Student Exchange and club meetings too numerous to recount. An indispensable ally in these efforts has been his wife and office manager, Hazel, who surely must have created an equal loss to the Richmond Soroptimists. Since they will continue to live in El Sobrante, we hope that we will see them from time to time.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

With interest rates coming down you can now borrow enough money to get completely out of debt.

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"Martin Luther King, Jr.,
the Unfinished Agenda"

Honorable Henry Ramsey, Jr.
Presiding Judge
Superior Court, Alameda County

In recognition of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, this prominent jurist and former Richmond attorney has accepted an invitation to address our Club.

Born in South Carolina, he did his undergraduate work at U.C. Riverside and graduate studies at U.C.'s Boalt Hall of Law, Berkeley. He was admitted to the California State Bar in 1964, after which he served as a Deputy District Attorney in Contra Costa County and later as a private practitioner at Point Richmond. From 1971 to 1980 he was Professor of Law at Boalt Hall, and during this time he was also a visiting Professor at the Universities of Texas, Colorado and New Mexico.

His numerous professional and civic activities included serving on the Board of Directors of the Richmond Redevelopment Agency between 1967 and 1970 and later a full term on the Berkeley City Council. In 1980 Mr. Ramsey was appointed judge of the Superior Court of Alameda County, and since last January he has been the Presiding Judge.

He and his wife, Eleanor Anne, a Ph.D., have six children. All of the foregoing background suggest that Mr. Ramsey is very qualified to speak to us on this important subject. Don't miss it. Bring a guest.

Chairman of the Day: DOUG STRAUS

LAST WEEK

The invocation was by MARKKU PELANNE and BILL REID welcomed visiting Rotarians and a number of interesting guests. Visiting us were former State Senator, John Nejedly, Richmond Public Information Officer, Paul Richardson, Past President Jerry Stanley and a lady dentist from Brazil who was here as the guest of DAN TANITA. STAN TEADERMAN brought his "Shadow" with him, Kennedy Senior Mark Barfield who is president of the Senior Class, on the football team and a member of M.A.D.D. Mark thanked Rotary for the opportunity to see business in action.

HANK COVELL announced that the Boys Club Crab Feed was on January 22nd but first you should buy a ticket to the Salesian High School Crab Feed on January 16 & 17.

Newly appointed Sergeant at Arms, TROY GROVE had a busy time of it for his first day of duty. Recognitions were extracted from recently returned sickees DAN READY and CHARLIE PEICK for a birthday and anniversary and ELOF GRANBERG offered \$100.00 for a missed anniversary. HAL GREENLEE had a birthday and DAVE ALMEIDA volunteered \$2.00 a year for his father-in-law BUD MARTIN's anniversary. We don't know the outcome of HANS SHAPER's birthday offer of \$1.00 a year now or \$100.00 in two weeks because PRES. DON is still trying to figure out which offer is the most but in the meanwhile, MARKKU PELANNE announced the birth of a baby boy, Matci (Mathew). CHARLIE WONG donated to both the Rotary Foundation and our community fund for missed meetings while in China.

Chairman of the Day, DAN TANITA, introduced three of our newer members for their Who Am I's. DAVE SMITH, at 24 possibly the youngest member we have ever had, was born and raised in Richmond and learned about Rotary at the first Camp Royal in 1979. After majoring in Political Science at S.F. State, DAVE went to work for Assemblyman Campbell, not as an aide but in Campbell's M.A. Hays Insurance Company. DAVE lives in

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LAST WEEK (cont'd)

Pinole with his wife, Mary Ruth, and two children.

RUSS JACKSON, who is manager of PG&E in Richmond, was born in Long Island and spent eight years in Quebec. After graduating from San Jose State, he went with PG&E but continued his education with a MBA from St. Mary's. RUSS is single and has racquetball and the martial arts as his hobbies.

JOHN FRIEL hails from Boston where he learned health care at Boston University and Tufts. His further education included Business Administration at Cal State, Sonoma and U.C.L.A. In 1978 JOHN came to Brookside Hospital and was recently named Chief Executive Officer. JOHN discussed the changing health care industry with its problems of providing all services and the possibility of merging many hospitals to handle these problems.

The raffle was won by TOM MALSBARY and frequent winner, KUMAR BELUR.

BOARD MEETING

On Thursday, January 15 at 7:30 AM the Board of Directors will hold its regular breakfast meeting at the PG&E Service Center on South 27th Street. All Club members are welcome, but reservations are necessary. Call PRES. DON if you plan to attend.

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- Jan. 30 - "Richmond Update"
City Manager Jim Fales
Feb. 6 - "Who's in Charge in Washington"
Ambassador David S. Newsom
Feb. 13 - Ladies Day Luncheon/in recognition of "Valentine's Day"
Feb. 20 - "China, Land of Wonder and Contrast"
Charlie Wong






Past President WERNER SCHWARZ was recently awarded Rotary International's Distinguished Service Award. Making the presentation are D.G. James Blackwood and P.D.G. Jack Pugh.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Don't put off for tomorrow what you can do today, because if you enjoy it today, you can do it again tomorrow.

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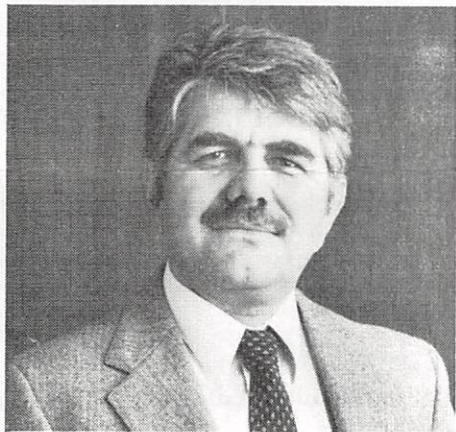
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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 23, 1987

"Putting AIDS in Proper Perspective"



Krosrow Afsari, M.D.

Our speaker this week is Khosrow Afsari, M.D., President and Chief of Staff at Brookside Hospital. He is Board Certified in internal medicine with subspecialty in infectious diseases. He is a frequent pre-sentor on AIDS and related diseases.

Dr. Afsari interned at Baltimore City Hospital, graduated from Pahlavi, Iran Medical School in 1970 and has been on the Brookside Medical Staff since 1977.

Chairman of the Day: FRASER FELTER

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 30, 1987

"Richmond Update"

Jim Fales

In his first report to our Rotary Club, Jim Fales, the hard working City Manager of the City of Richmond will review the great opportunities and corresponding important decisions that are before the public and private leadership of this community.

LAST WEEK

With our president still out with the flu, Vice President BILL SHIELDS started things off by leading us in the salute to the flag. Past President GEORGE WACKER gave the invocation and JOHN SHERIDAN welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests. OSCAR LUGO's "Shadow" was a lovely girl from Richmond High School who is interested in art and design. (OSCAR was fined \$10.00 for not remembering her last name and I can't remember her first.)

HANK COVELL reminded us of a couple of Crab Feeds with Salesian High coming up on January 16-17 and Richmond Boys Club on January 22nd. HANK then reported that the \$25.00 he put for Rotary on the table at Reno for 3 rolls only lasted two. JOHN NICOL thanked everybody who helped make the Reno Trip a success but stated that no one admitted to winning anything.

Vice President BILL, acting as his own Finemaster, took \$1.00 off all the members without pins and then accepted \$500.00 from generous JOHN STEWART towards his Paul Harris Fellowship. DEAN BARBIERI celebrated his 6th wedding anniversary with a donation and RUSS SCHULZE put up \$100.00 for his 60th birthday and 33rd anniversary. CHRIS JUDGE offered \$25.00 for his anniversary and CHUCK WRIGHT, who wants to hold at age 39, included his anniversary and donated \$100.00. MIKE WINTER, feeling left out, put up 51 for 51 and JOHN NICOL offered 50 for sixty something.

The raffle was won by DAN TANITA and BILL REID.

Chairman of the Day, DOUG STRAUS, introduced the Honorable Henry Ramsey, Jr., Presiding Judge of the Superior Court, Alameda County. In recognition of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Judge Ramsey spoke on King's "Unfinished Agenda". He stated that the good thing about King's death is that we had the benefit of his life. A lot of progress has been made since then because many of the blacks of this generation do not know what the term "Jim Crow" means. Not

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too long ago it was our own brand of Apartheid. Because of segregation in jobs and education, we were denied the talents of a whole race of people. Judge Ramsey compared King's crusade to the unpopular Viet Nam War with King being more dedicated to human rights than civil rights.

Ramsey closed with a review of the crime and prison problems and the need for better education and employment to solve these problems.

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Ambassador David S. Newsom
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Narrative Continued Women In Rotary

By GOVERNOR JIM

I have run a couple of stories in my newsletter to keep you posted on this subject as it progressed. These were reportage only. Now you can read the pros and cons as put forth by two eminent Rotarians. See the January 1987 "Rotarian" magazine for two excellent articles by Jim Bomar and George Uhlig. (You will remember George, of course. He was the superb personal rep. sent to us by Ed Cadman for Jack Pugh's Reno Conference.)

By the time you read this, the clubs will have voted in response to the inquiry the Secretariat was directed to make by the Board of Directors in their November-December meeting. I will look forward to reading about the results, if the clubs elect to report such in their bulletins.




You should be advised, too, that the R.I. Board of Directors, at the same meeting, directed one of its committees to develop a report on the impact of admitting women on a "local option" basis and to draft an appropriate amendment to the constitutional documents, including the committee's opinion on the advisability thereof.

By the way, note (you did read the articles, didn't you?) the invitation to write letters to the magazine.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

A vegetarian never worries about making both ends meat.

NORM FOLEY,
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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 30, 1987

"Richmond Up-date"

Jim Fales
City Manager, City of Richmond

In 1983, shortly after his appointment as City Manager, Jim Fales addressed our Club on his view of the many opportunities that lay before the City of Richmond. Now, almost four years later, he is in an excellent position to give us a realistic up-date of where the community has been and where it might be expected to go as we approach the Nineties.

Born in San Francisco, and a graduate of U.S.F., Mr. Fales received his graduate degree in Public Administration at U.C. Berkeley in 1955. His professional career has included: Research Assistant for the League of California Cities, Assistant to the City Manager of Berkeley, and City Manager of both Pleasanton and Redwood City.

He has been active in professional organizations, having served as Vice President of the Western Region of the ICMA, and on the Board of Directors of the League of California Cities and as President of its City Managers Department.

Chairman of the Day: TOM AMESS

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1987

"Who's in Charge in Washington"

David Dunlop Newsom

A career diplomat, whose appointments under seven Presidents have included three ambassadorships and Under-Secretary of State, Ambassador Newsom will bring to us his personal insights into the politics of Washington and U.S. foreign policy. Currently Associate Dean of the Georgetown University School of Foreign Service of Washington D.C., he was born in Richmond and is a graduate of U.C. Berkeley and Columbia University School of

Journalism. Following graduation he was the recipient of a Pulitzer Traveling Fellowship.

Be sure to bring a guest for what promises to be one of the outstanding programs of this Rotary year.

LAST WEEK

In MARKKU PELANNE's invocation there was a brief mention of overcoming the issue of women in Rotary so we will leave it up to the Almighty. DUANE MERRILL welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests and recognized (for 5.00) BOB BROWN of Kaiser Hospital who is back with us after a short leave of absence. PRES. DON thanked BILL SHIELDS for handling things while he was fighting the flu and then handed out blue badges to TOM AMESS and TIM THOMASON who have joined the ranks of the regulars.

DON tried to get someone to admit to winning at Reno so finally DICK NELSON offered to donate the \$5.00 he came out ahead. SID FIELD went on a cruise and attended a service club meeting on board ship but SECRETARY CARL won't accept that kind of make-up. In other recognitions, TOM AMESS admitted to being over 35 and DON MILLER put up an amount commensurate with his age.

FRASER FELTER introduced our speaker for the day, Dr. Krosrow Afsari, Chief of Staff at Brookside Hospital. Dr. Afsari, who was here to speak to us on AIDS, is from Iran but denies giving aid to the Contras. This disease was first diagnosed in 1981 and over half of the 28,000 victims have died. Even though there are 2 million Americans infected with the AIDS virus, there is no evidence of spreading the disease through casual contact outside of sex. Seventy-five percent of those infected are gays, 20% drug addicts, 2% hemophiliacs and the rest heterosexuals who are in contact with the rest causing the spread to prostitutes. The best preven-

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tion is not to be a homosexual, have only one sexual partner, have all other prospective partners checked out (this may take a little time and money) and use disease preventives.

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Program by the Berkeley Club

GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE

Our District has arranged an exchange with Sweden in April and May and this time it's going to be four young business and professional women accompanied by a Swedish Rotarian and his wife.




The first part of their tour will be in our area so housing will be needed for them from April 9 to the 19th. For the next four weeks after that they visit other parts of District 516 including attendance at the District Assembly in Redding, May 7-10.

If any of you can house a young lady from Sweden or the Rotary couple, please contact REN PARTRIDGE at 233-1152. We have an architect, a policewoman, a pediatric nurse, a communications specialist and the Rotarian is an industrial physician.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Many of us are in the middle income bracket...we earn too much to buy food stamps and not enough to buy postage stamps.

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Ambassador David D. Newsom



A career diplomat who has served seven Presidents, from Truman in 1947 through Reagan until 1981. His appointments have included: Undersecretary of State for Political Affairs from 1978 until his retirement; Ambassador to the Philippines in 1977; Ambassador to Indonesia in 1974; Assistant Secretary of State for

African Affairs; and Ambassador to Lybia in 1965. Mr. Newsom is currently Director, Institute for the Study of Diplomacy and Associate Dean of the Georgetown University School of Foreign Service in Washington D.C.

Born in Richmond of a newspaper family associated with the Independent, he graduated from local school and U.C., Berkeley. After receiving a Masters Degree at the School of Journalism, Columbia University, he was awarded a Pulitzer Traveling Fellowship, and in 1946-47 was publisher of the Walnut Creek Courier Journal. He lives in Georgetown with his wife, Jean, who is also a native of Richmond. They have three sons and two daughters.

A strong advocate of the diplomatic process in U.S. foreign affairs, Mr. Newsom is a seasoned observer of the Washington scene; and fortunately for us, he enjoys telling about it with a marvelous mix of frankness and good humor.

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Chairman of the Day: WALTER WOLFFS

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TOM MALSBARY gave us a spirited invocation and then introduced his wife's uncle, Frank Charlston from Scotland. LOREN STRAUGHN welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests and PRES. DON, after presenting blue badges to KUMAR BELUR and JESSE HALL, gave a pitch for more new members.

For recognitions, TED SMITH paid \$10.00 for an article and picture in the publication "Waste Age" and PETE BRAY was proud to announce that he is now a grandfather. It was good to see MERV DAVIS back after his operation and he was actually able to stand and be recognized for a missed birthday to the tune of \$100.00.

Chairman of the Day, TOM AMESS, introduced and welcomed our speaker, Jim Fales, Richmond's City Manager. Jim started out by giving us the good news that Richmond's budget is balanced and the city is living within its means. Federally funded programs however, are a big question mark at the present time and several in the city might be affected by cutbacks. Future plans call for a study of the whole shoreline with B.C.D.C., land uses along the new Knox Freeway where

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values are skyrocketing and a beautification program for Cutting Blvd.

Abandoned vehicle and litter programs have been beefed up and drug enforcement and crime prevention are the most sophisticated in Bay Area. Auto import has increased and the worldwide drop in container business has changed the function of our port to more bulk goods. There are 500 more units coming into Marina Bay and 1000 planned at Hilltop. All of this expansion will be topped off with a Price Club near Safeway.

The raffle was won by DAN SANDERS and CARL REHFUSS.

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LOCAL BOY MAKES GOOD







We are pleased to announce that Richmond Rotary's own WERNER SCHWARZ has been selected for Governor of District 516 for the Rotary year 1988-89. WERNER was put in nomination by our club several months ago and selected at a meeting of Past District Governors last month.

WERNER was our president 1980-81 and has been very active in numerous District committees during his 24 years in Rotary. Congratulations WERNER!

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

A great social asset is the ability to sleep undetected.

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Enjoy a bit of culinary fun and instruction from this distinguished Food Editor whose handsome column appears each Sunday in Image Magazine. He will good-naturedly instruct us on the culinary arts, including the preparation and presentation of recipes. Further, he will remind us of the joy of dining at special Bay Area restaurants.

Jim Wood has always been a journalist, but his interest in good food started with his own cooking and the results so impressed the Examiner editors that they promoted him to Food Editor. In this capacity he has compared notes with almost all of the great chefs of the world. But, he likes best to shop for ingredients with chefs here at home and then hang around their kitchens watching them work. Jim says, "Being a Food Editor in San Francisco is fantastic. It's like being a music critic in Vienna."

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1987

"China, Land of Wonder and Contrast"

CHARLIE WONG

In October Charlie and Jean Wong returned to the land of their ancestors, and the title of Charlie's talk suggests that they were very impressed by what they saw. During a twenty-seven day trek across Mainland China, they visited seven major cities. If you want to learn more about this great country in transition - plan on hearing our past president at his best.

LAST WEEK

The meeting was opened with an invocation by MARKKU PELANNE. DEAN BARBIERI then introduced a number of guests which included Warren Brown, Jr., former publisher of The Independent.

President DON then urged everyone to read an article in the January issue of The Rotarian in which a past president and first vice-president of Rotary International debated the issue: "Do Women Belong in Rotary". DON indicated that he will shortly appoint a select committee, representing various viewpoints, to better prepare us to deal with a first proposal, when and if submitted, to admit a woman into our Club. He invited those interested in serving on such a committee to let him know.

DAVE KUCHENTHAL reported that RUDY LOEBLEIN is back working part-time and that he should be able to attend Club meetings again soon. Immediately thereafter, SAM SARKISSIAN, as Sergeant-at-Arms, collected from DAVE a \$100 Sustaining Paul Harris Fellowship for his wife, Janet, in recognition of his being named West C.C. Realtor-Associate of the Year.

Chairman WALTER WOLFFS introduced our speaker, Ambassador David D. Newsom, who was born in Richmond and who, prior to his retirement in 1981, served under eight presidents as a career foreign service officer, including three years as Under-secretary of State for Political Affairs. Currently, Associate Dean of the Georgetown University School of Foreign Service, he opened his subject of "Who's in Charge in Washington" by stating that our Constitution was devised to assure that no one person could be in charge. He described the politics of Washington as such "a cauldron of contests for power and influence that some of the real problems of government are obscured." The President is supposed to be in charge and actually has many more responsibilities than any leader under a parliamentary form of government. However, he is

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under the influence of so many advisors and groups that the impression sometimes emerges that he is not in control. Originally the National Security Council was intended as a coordinating unit, but in the 1960's the focus of U.S. international relations shifted from the State Department to the National Security Council in the White House. Congress, too, is an increasingly important player in the decision-making process. In response to questions, Mr. Newsom observed that during his career the State Department probably performed in its advisory role to the President most effectively during the Nixon Administration. As to the current situation in the Middle East, he feels that the Administration misjudged the significance of supporting the Israelis when they invaded southern Lebanon, leaving that unfortunate country without a single leader with whom to deal.

The Raffle was won by GEORGE WACKER and DEAN BARBIERI and a month of free lunches by DON MILLER.

SAVE THESE DATES





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THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

One of the least popular items on today's menu is food for thought.

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1987

"China, Land of Wonder and Contrast"
Charlie Wong

Past President Charlie and his wife, Jean, returned to the land of their ancestors in October. During a twenty-seven day trek across Mainland China, they visited seven major cities and were very impressed with what they saw. After some urging Charlie has agreed to tell us just how impressed he was and has suggested an intriguing title for his talk.

He has been an important member of the Richmond Club since 1960, served as its president in 1974-75 and continues to make a contribution to the Club in many significant ways.

Born in San Francisco, Charlie attended Oregon State, courtesy of the U.S. Navy, and completed his education at U.C. Berkeley with a Masters in Business Administration and a speciality in Marketing. This has led him to a very successful career in groceries and supermarkets. He and Jean are the parents of five children, all of whom have completed college, are now involved in a variety of professions, and to date have produced seven grandchildren.

Since Jean is his partner in almost everything, we hope that he will ask her to come as his guest. We can then be assured that Charlie will be less inclined to exaggerate. As Pres. Don indicated last Friday, fellows are welcome to bring their wives to keep Jean company.

Chairman of the Day: PETE BRAY

PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1987

"Chemical Dependency in Today's World"
Patty Brooks

Our speaker, representing the Merritt-Peralta Institute, will speak on the increasing chemical dependency by all ages of our society, with particular emphasis on alcohol abuse and cocaine addiction.

LAST WEEK

The Valentine's Ladies Day got off to a great start by a very appropriate thought for the day, something about love that could only be the creation of a bachelor like DON LAU. The introduction of visiting Rotarians and guests was made by LEM WASHINGTON, who had quite a task because of the large number of wives, daughters and friends who were present. In fact, some members and guests ended up at tables in the "annex". The tables had been decorated in a Valentine theme by the Club's First Lady, and included a beautiful rose at each place, generously provided by Past President DAVE NINOMIYA. PRES. DON presented new member DAVE SMITH, Classification-Insurance, with a blue badge in exchange for a red one. It was reported that FRANK CORTESE has just had successful surgery on his second knee and should be back with us in a week or two.

At "recognition time" PRES. DON seemed first to unfairly fine those fellows who actually enjoy cooking; then compounded it by catching those whose wives acknowledged that they enjoyed their husbands' culinary skill. It just proves there is no justice in the Rotary recognition system. DON LAU and FRAN WILSON both paid freely in exchange for their bachelorhood, and JIM SCOTT paid, stating that his single status was not by choice. LLOYD HENRY paid \$50 toward the Charity Fund for so romantically scheduling Kathy and his anniversary to coincide with Valentine's Day.

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Chairman of the day, DAVE KUCHENTHAL, introduced our speaker, Jim Wood, Food Editor of the San Francisco Examiner. He started with a bit of history by indicating that the last time he had been at the Mira Vista Club was during the Goldwater presidential campaign, when as a reporter for the Independent, he heard Ronald Reagan (before he ran for governor). Mr. Wood then proceeded to discuss the common but inconsistent attitude toward the role of a man cooking at home. He presented a number of anecdotes from his own experience that illustrated that some women are just not comfortable when a man assumes, what they consider, this untraditional role. Taking phone inquiries, even as a food editor, he often finds that the caller is reluctant to take advice from a male voice. He and his wife have broken from this attitude and enjoy a very satisfactory arrangement whereby as part of his maintaining the household, he makes his contribution in the kitchen.

In response to questions, Mr. Wood made several additional observations, including the importance of simplicity in the success of his recipes, particularly in the view of the time constraints we all face. He is impressed with the number of quality restaurants that are now located on Solano Avenue in Berkeley, such as Christopher's, and in

Oakland, The Gulf Coast and Olivettos. As to how a fellow starts a culinary avocation, he suggested referring to a good book, such as "How to Cook", or read his column in the Sunday Examiner Image Magazine, and then, simply follow the directions.

Marty Miller won a box of candy in the Ladies Raffle, while FRAN WILSON and KUMAR BELUR each won a ham in the regular drawing.





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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 1987

"Investment Strategy for 1987"
John Rubin, C.F.P.F.

John Rubin is a graduate of Stanford University and the Harvard School of Business. Prior to heading the Financial Planning Department of the Mechanics Bank of Richmond, he was a CPA for 15 years and experienced in advising clients on their investment portfolios. He is a member of the Institute of Certified Financial Planners and the International Association of Financial Planning.

Now that we are well into 1987, it is appropriate to hear a qualified speaker remind us of the different approaches and opportunities for investments that are now available under the 1986 Tax Reform Act.

Chairman of the Day: KEVIN DOLAN

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 1987

"Garbage to Energy - a Community Question"
Larry A. Burch

A very timely discussion of the potential for converting solid waste (more commonly known as garbage!) to energy will be presented by the Director of Energy for the Richmond Sanitary Service. He will review current Bay Area projects, the technology available, as well as the environmental and economic factors involved in such operations.

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LAST WEEK

CHARLIE FENDER gave a spur of the moment invocation for whomever was supposed to give it and CHUCK EVANS introduced visiting Rotarians and guests. It was good to see past president Bob Graham of Los Altos here for his annual visit to pay for his bulletin mailing. SAM SARKISSIAN introduced his "Shadow", Michele Farian of Kennedy High School, who will be attending San Francisco State in the fall. DON GRECO passed around a sign-up sheet for members who would like to participate in the Shadow Program on Friday.

FRANK CORTESE came hobbling back after a recent knee operation and BART WALLACE became one of the regulars when he accepted a blue badge from PRES. DON. DON LAU was recognized for a picture in the paper, JIM SCOTT had a birthday for \$20.00 and NORM JACKSON took his bride of 25 years on a Caribbean cruise and returned with \$25.00 for Rotary.

Chairman of the Day, blue badger BART WALLACE, welcomed our speaker, former alcoholic, Patricia Brooks. Ms. Brooks, a Clinical Therapist of the Chemical Dependency Recovery Hospital at Merritt Peralta Institute, states that many people cannot tolerate alcohol or drugs and that because their bodies become dependent on them, the problem must be treated as a disease. People blame stresses on the job for their problem when actually it is the chemical use that caused the stress. There is often an hereditary predisposition to addiction and an addict can never be cured of his dependency but can only control the problem through complete abstention.

Most auto accidents, suicides, child abuse and domestic problems are drug related and at Merritt the illness is treated through medical management, psychiatric counseling and education. Their program motivates people to improve the quality of their lives.

After the talk there was a spirited question and answer period.

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DEAN BARBIERI gets free lunches for a month.

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ON TO REDDING

On-to-Redding Chairman, WALT ZERA, and Amy invite all Rotarians and their wives to the District 516 Conference in Redding May 7-10. WALT says it will be an action-packed weekend of good fellowship, inspiration, sports and special events. If you didn't receive your registration packet in the mail, call him. Join the delegation to be led by PRESIDENT DON and Betty as well as our own D.G. Nominee for 1988-89, WERNER SCHWARZ and Lea.




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After returning from Chicago, imagine DOUG STRAUS' surprise in reading the Flywheel that the Club Board had accepted his "resignation with regret". The only problem was---he hadn't resigned! Actually, it was another DOUG, Superior Court Judge SWAGER, who has reluctantly resigned to comply with the "Private Club Amendment" of the Cannons of Ethics of the California Judges Association.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

A woman's place is in the kitchen...right after she gets home from work.

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"Garbage to Energy-a Community Question"

Larry A. Burch

To burn or not to burn---that is a current community question. One side of that issue, the potential for converting solid waste (more commonly known as garbage!) to energy will be presented by the Director of Energy for the Richmond Sanitary Service.

Residents and commercial enterprises in California throw away tons of solid waste, which is currently placed in sanitary land fills. While these limited fills are being consumed at an alarming rate, extensive environmental interest and detailed reviews have caused proposed waste-to-energy plants to move very slowly. Our speaker will summarize considerations that impinge on the development of such energy sources.

Mr. Burch is a private consultant with over twenty years experience in waste management planning and the development of new land fills and waste-to-energy plants. He is a graduate of Washington State University in Civil Engineering and the recipient of a Master's Degree in Environmental Engineering.

Chairman of the Day: JIM CLAUSEN

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY MARCH 20, 1987

"The State of San Francisco Bay Waters"

Steve Richie

Our speaker is the Manager of the Regional Water Quality Control Board and thus eminently qualified to provide a timely update of how this agency enforces the regulations that assure the quality of water on the Bay.

LAST WEEK

CHUCK WRIGHT gave us an Irish proverb for the invocation and NORM LUNDBERG welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests. WALT ZERA gave a pitch for the District 516 Conference scheduled for May 7-9 in Redding and TOM BUTT is selling tickets to the GSE Welcoming Banquet on April 14 (see separate announcement). REN PARTRIDGE informed us that we still have one lady from Sweden left to place in a home April 9-19.

CHARLIE WONG finished his program of a couple weeks ago telling us that as the only surviving male member of his family he owns a piece of property in Red China. He visited his ancestral village and the only structure left on his land is a chicken coop but it's all his.

DAVE NINOMIYA's picture was in the paper showing the thorny problems of rose growing but after his hard luck story he said he would borrow \$50.00 from Mechanics Bank to pay his fine. TROY GROVE was recognized for a recent trip to the Himalayas and BARRY MARTIN paid \$50.00 for missing a birthday and the bachelor's Valentine recognition. Vice President BILL SHIELDS went 51 for 51 and claims he still doesn't feel 50 and ERLE BROWN also came up with 1.00 a year.

Sunshine Chairman DAVE KUCHENTHAL reported that GRANT CALHOUN had been in the hospital 5 days with an infection but should be out soon.

Chairman of the Day, KEVIN DOLAN, introduced our speaker, John Rubin, head of the Financial Planning Department of Mechanics Bank. Mr. Rubin stated he was mildly optimistic in September of '85 when the Dow went through 1500 but never thought it would increase another 50%. He predicts the economy moving ahead through next year because of low inflation and a lot of money available. Stocks should level out soon because corporate earnings have not been enough to sustain market. Investors are getting nervous and might be pulling back soon.

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RICHMOND BOYS CLUB RECEIVES ROTARY GRANT

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President of the Richmond Boys Club, with a
\$2,000 check from the local charity fund of
our Club. It was received with great appre-
ciation and Rotarian SHERMAN TEALS, Executive
Director of the Boys Club, indicated that it
will be used for tables and chairs which are
badly needed for meetings and activities.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

God invented whiskey so the Irish wouldn't
rule the world.

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"The State of San Francisco Bay Waters"
Steve Ritchie

Our speaker is the Manager of the Industrial Division of the Regional Water Quality Control Board. As a State regulatory body this Board is primarily concerned with the prevention of toxic waste entering the Bay. It holds monthly meetings, at which it establishes requirements, hears applications for dredging and land fills, and upon approval, issues permits. In the event of violations, it levies fines. As a recognized planner of the Bay Area Basin and with eight and one half years of service with this agency, Mr. Ritchie is eminently qualified to update us on the subject.

Chairman of the Day: CHRIS JUDGE

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INTERCITY MEETING WITH THE BERKELEY CLUB
"The Cultural Arts Climate
in the Bay Area"
Stephen Goldstine

A delegation of Rotarians from Berkeley, led by President Fil Humphreys, assisted by Scott Sherman and Steve Oliver, will be joining us to present an outstanding speaker. Chairman of the California Arts Council and former President of the San Francisco Arts Institute, Mr. Goldstine will update us on the state of the arts in the Bay Area. Since Richmond, through the years, has made a real contribution, the subject should be most informative. Plan on bringing a guest.

LAST WEEK

Vice President-elect DAN READY gave an assist to MARKKU PELANNE's invocation by putting in a word for the Irish and the visiting Rotarians welcomed by DAN SANDERS included Al Freit of Columbus, Missouri.

DAVE SMITH brought his "Shadow", Yolanda Granberry of De Anza High School and NORM JACKSON brought a "Shadow", Michele Short also of De Anza High School.

PRES. DON reminded officers, directors and committee chairmen of the District Assembly on April 4th, our own Board Meeting on March 19 and the joint meeting with the Soroptimists which was corrected to April 10th. WALT ZERA gave a pitch for the District Conference in Redding, May 7-9 (see separate announcement). LEM WASHINGTON announced a crab feed for March 27 to raise scholarships in the name of the late judge, Pat McKinley. Call 236-8869 for tickets.

Before starting on recognitions, PRES. DON was unsuccessful in finding someone in our fearsome group who had TRISKAIDEKAPHOBIA. Most of our group don't know the meaning of the word fear, let alone the meaning of the above word. DON finally translated it as a fear of Friday the 13th.

JOHN FRIEL was recognized for his publicized contract with Brookside Hospital, TIM THOMASON offered a dollar a year for his birthday and HANK KELMAN celebrated an anniversary. After DON came up with several erroneous dates, BILLY WRIGHT offered him \$10.00 just to forget the whole thing. DON's fine to himself for a picture in the paper was so light that TED SMITH offered to pay it.

Chairman of the Day, JIM CLAUSEN, welcomed Larry Burch, Director of Energy for the Richmond Sanitary Service. Since 80% of all garbage is burnable, the Waste Energy Board was named in 1975 to find ways of creating energy and better use of land. Plants are almost ready to start up in Redding and Southern California and one in the Valley will burn old tires.

Modern plants have state of the art filters that remove acid gasses and microprocessors

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to control air pollution. With available land fills being cut back drastically, burning will have to be considered in the near future. Unfortunately, this form of energy is no longer cost effective because fuel prices are down.

The raffle was won by ELOF GRANBERG and JOHN NICOL.

BOARD MEETING

The regular March Breakfast Meeting of the Board of Directors is scheduled for Thursday, March 19, at 7:30 a.m. at the PG&E Service Center on South 27th Street. Committee Chairmen and Members are welcome.

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THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

After all is said and done, there is usually more said than done.

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After studying under such great artists as Herbert Jaffe, piano, at the S.F. Conservatory of Music; Ansel Adams, photography, at the S.F. Art Institute; David Park, painting, and Peter Voulkos, ceramics, at U.C. Berkeley; he received his doctorate in Philosophy at Berkeley. Mr. Goldstine, who has just completed ten years as President of the San Francisco Art Institute, was obviously well prepared for his busy life of community service and education in the arts. While he has counseled and led many programs throughout the country, it is San Francisco that has been the principal beneficiary of his creative efforts to bring meaningful art to neighborhood centers.

A delegation of Rotarians from the Berkeley Club, led by President Fil Humphreys and Scott Sherman, will be joining us to present this outstanding speaker. Bring a guest.

Chairman of the Day: PP Steve Oliver,
Berkeley Club

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 1987

"Life in the Bush as a Peace Corps Volunteer"
Catherine Bowman

Our speaker, daughter of Past President WIN BOWMAN, has just returned from three years of service with the Peace Corps in (??). Lest you may believe that the Peace Corps is history, be sure to hear Miss Bowman tell how

alive it really is in this its 25th year of existence. You are welcome to bring your lady as a guest. She will enjoy it too.

LAST WEEK

Our favorite invocator, MARKKU PELANNE, gave us an inspirational message to start the meeting and Vice President elect, DAN READY, welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests. HAL HOLT had a host of guests from both Chevron and West County Times. DON LAU was accompanied by his "Shadow" for the day, Sharon Lawrence of Gompers High School. Sharon thanked Rotary for the opportunity to participate in the vocational program.

DON reminded us of the District Assembly on April 4 in Davis and the District Conference in Redding, May 7-10, 1987 (see separate announcement).

In the recognition department, PRES. DON fined himself for a birthday on March 23 which happens to coincide with the birthday of the University of California. He started the new Richmond Rotary Fund for our own community with a donation of \$100.00 and also put \$100.00 towards a Paul Harris Sustaining Membership which helps fund Rotary Foundation of Rotary International. BOB MORRIS celebrated his 40th birthday with \$100.00 Sustaining Membership and RUSS JACKSON offered \$1.00 a year for his birthday.

Chairman of the Day, CHRIS JUDGE, introduced our speaker Steve Ritchie, Manager of the Industrial Division of the Regional Water Quality Control Board. This State regulatory body monitors 53 sewage treatment plants and 200 major industries discharging waste into the Bay. 95% of the Bay shoreline has been filled in the last 100 years significantly reducing the size of the Bay. In 1972 Congress set minimum standards to clean up bodies of water but now oil refineries are again under attack because monitoring of levels has improved.

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diverting Santa Rosa sewage to the Bay and sending of water from Delta area to Southern California. A balance must be maintained between best use of the Bay and how much can be dumped here.

The raffle was won by RALPH HILL and guest Vince McCloud.

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Ms. Bowman has just returned from six months in India, Nepal, Burma and Thailand, following her two year assignment as a Peace Corps Volunteer in Niger, West Africa. She will relate observations and experiences she encountered in this far away place as a teacher of English.

Following her graduation from El Cerrito High School, Ms. Bowman received a degree in Political Science from the University of California, Santa Barbara, and worked as a reporter for the Bay City News in San Francisco. She now intends to pursue her interest in art and writing.

Started twenty-five years ago, the Peace Corps remains an important human resource for the benefit of developing countries of the world. This update from a dedicated volunteer will be most timely. Guests are welcome including, of course, our ladies.

Chairman of the Day (and proud Father):

WIN BOWMAN

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, APRIL 10, 1987

JOINT MEETING WITH THE SOROPTIMISTS

Speaker: Candy Riese, President
Contra Costa College

This is our annual meeting with the Richmond Soroptimist Club, led by President Frieda Dotson. Plan now to join with these ladies, who are some of the most outstanding leaders of our business and professional community.

LAST WEEK

In his invocation, MARKKU PELANNE gave a special remembrance to the wife of a nearby Rotary Club president who died at the age of 38 in pregnancy. This being our annual Inter-City Meeting with Berkeley, President-Elect Scott Sherman of that Club was here to greet their 67 year old offspring. (Berkeley Rotary sponsored Richmond Rotary in 1920.) Other visiting Rotarians, as introduced by our President-Elect, BILL SHIELDS, included Harold Jackson of Walla Walla, Washington. Also on hand was Jack Mahshi, who with his Rotary Anne, Karen, will be leading a GSE team of young women to Sweden in May.

For recognitions NORM LUNDBERG came up with \$1.00 each year for a birthday and an anniversary and DAVE TROUGHTON put up \$54.00 for 27 years of wedded bliss.

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Events coming up include a show on July 22nd by the Oakland Performing Arts Center and a Tokyo Exhibit through May 3rd at the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art that depicts the culture behind the art forms in the city itself.

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Dr. Candy Rose

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This year they are bringing the program, an address by Dr. Candy Rose, who since 1984 has served as President of Contra Costa College. Prior to this position she was the President of Mission College in Santa Clara. After graduating from U.C. Berkeley, she received a Masters Degree from Hayward State University followed by her Doctorate in Higher Education from the University of Southern California.

Dr. Rose heads an institution that is providing students with an opportunity for higher education and our business and professional community with a resource for qualified young people.

Chairman of the Day: Audrey Nieman

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 1987

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LAST WEEK

Past President RALPH HILL gave the invocation and BOB BROWN welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests. Norm Smith was here from Reading, Pennsylvania and a Rotarian from Doncaster, St. Leger, England brought us a flag from that club.



Sponsor DAVE LEIBEL introduced and welcomed to our club, SID BAUM, who is a jewelry consultant and lives in Richmond with his wife, Marty. PRES. DON presented SID with his survival kit.

For recognitions, DAVE LEIBEL offered \$50.00 for many years of happy marriage, FRANK CORTESE, who was a month late on his birthday, put \$100.00 towards a Paul Harris Sustaining Membership and RALPH HILL celebrated an anniversary with a donation of \$50.00 for our new Richmond Rotary Fund which has been set up by PRES. DON for projects in our own community.

PRES. DON announced that on Friday, April 17, being Good Friday, we would have a Club Assembly and Board Meeting in place of a regular speaker.

Chairman of the Day, WIN BOWMAN, had the pleasure of introducing his daughter, Catherine, who had recently returned from Niger, West Africa where she was a Peace Corps Volunteer for two years. Catherine described Niger as a small and dusty country where everything is measured by how much rain and crops they get. As a teacher of English, she found that the people are

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hungry for any type of education. Schools are based on the French system which requires a qualifying examination every four years in order to stay. With most of the people being of the Moslem religion they feel that Allah determines everything and few help themselves even when faced with death. There are still a few shamen (medicine men) around who are supposed to help people possessed by spirits.

Garbage is no problem since nothing is thrown away and running water does not exist even in streams. Catherine closed by encouraging people of all ages to join the Peace Corps.

The raffle was won by guest Jim Powell, who was here for his second bottle of booze in two weeks and CARL REHFUSS.

SAVE THESE DATES

- April 14 - Tuesday Eveing, GSE Welcoming Banquet for the four Group Study Exchange ladies from Sweden. LAST CHANCE - GET YOUR TICKETS!!
- April 24 - Friday, "Earthquakes, Past, Present, Future" - Floyd S. Cluff, Manager, Geoscience, PG&E
- May 7-10 - District 516 Conference - Redding

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

The sound is much nicer if you let someone else blow your horn.

NORM FOLEY, Editor

GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE WELCOMING BANQUET

Tuesday Evening, April 14, 1987
honoring
GSE Team from District 239, Sweden
Mira Vista Golf and Country Club

Donation: \$20.00 per person
Be on hand to welcome this group of young business and professional women from Sweden as they begin their 5 week tour of District 516.

Tickets now available from TOM BUTT.
This Rotary event will count as a make-up!

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A large contingent of Soroptimists was on hand for our annual joint meeting and Audrey Nieman, First Vice President of that club, gave us a quotation from Kahlil Gabran for the invocation. DAN READY welcomed visiting Rotarians from the local area and then had all the Soroptimists introduce themselves giving their classification.

Here for an unofficial visit was District Governor Jim Blackwood and his Rotary Ann,

Frances, and GSE Chairman, Noble Streeter. Noble said a few words about the Group Study Exchange team that has just arrived from Sweden and then presented District Governor Nominee (1988-89) WERNER SCHWARZ with a 5-speed walking stick that has no neutral.

In a special presentation, DG Jim Blackwood awarded Paul Harris Fellowships to WES SEAPY and BILL WAHBEH. The Paul Harris Fellowship Award represents \$1000.00 donated to Rotary International to further worldwide goodwill and understanding. Along that line, TOM BUTT announced that it was the last chance to get tickets for the GSE Banquet Tuesday evening welcoming the team from Sweden.

Soroptimist President, Frieda Dotson, described what their club is doing for the community following this year's theme "Reach Out With Interest". She then presented PRES. DON with a card index to help him get his dates straight.

Chairman of the Day, Audrey Nieman, introduced our speaker, Dr. Candy Rose, President of Contra Costa College who spoke on female power in the workplace. Starting with articles stating that women are still discriminated against in most businesses, Dr. Rose did admit that Playboy Magazine recently featured a 34 year old sex symbol executive. Just because Aristotle claimed that women never got bald because they never used the contents of their heads does not mean that women cannot handle the demands of top management. Over 50% of all women work but they are still earning less than men and few are in executive positions.

After all this condemnation of the male attitude, Dr. Rose stated that the outlook is brighter and she loves her work in the top position at Contra Costa College.

DAVE NINOMIYA presented Dr. Rose with a bouquet of roses and also gave a rose to each lady.

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Past President Bob Graham with his Rotary Ann, Adie, Past President of the Richmond Soroptimists.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

To err is human...to really screw things up you need a computer.

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RESCHEDULED CLUB ASSEMBLY

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NOTE: Due to a relatively small attendance on Good Friday, the Club Assembly has been rescheduled for today.

There will be an opportunity for members to bring their concerns and suggestions before the Board of Directors. Officers and Directors will report their accomplishments to date. Then, Pres-Elect BILL and his New Board will relate their goals for next year (starting in July) and HOW YOU CAN HELP. It should be fast paced and interesting for all Richmond Rotarians.

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, MAY 1, 1987

"HOMELESSNESS IN AMERICA"

Steven Berger

To address us on a very difficult issue facing this country is the President of the International Union of Gospel Missions, Steven Berger. He is an active member of the Rotary Club of Seattle and a nephew of Chief Justice Warren Berger of the U.S. Supreme Court. Plan on bringing a guest.

LAST WEEK

MARKKU PELANNE gave the invocation for this special Good Friday meeting and visiting Rotarians, as introduced by LLOYD HENRY, included Vern Friend, Jr., of the new Dungeness Valley Club in Sequim, Washington. There was no formal program scheduled and the attendance was so small the Club Assembly will be held next week.



Past President GEORGE WACKER, introduced and welcomed to our club, DENNIS EDMONDSON, manager of Home Savings of America at Hilltop. DENNIS lives in Antioch with his wife, Phyllis.

For recognitions, MARK WILSON celebrated a birthday with a donation, WALT ZERA put another hundred towards a Paul Harris Sustaining Membership for his birthday and JACK HORTON got off easy since PRES. DON's dates were a little off again.

We were saddened to learn that former member, Tony Davis, passed away recently.

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Speakers from Cal Trans:
Richard Giegling & Hilmer Forsen
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Speaker: Catcher Mike Sadek

GSE TEAM COMPLETES FIRST PART OF VISIT

Arriving on Thursday evening, April 9th, the six member team of four women and a Rotary couple from Sweden were given a day of rest on Friday then went on a 60' sailing yacht for a tour of the Bay before attending a reception in San Francisco at the Swedish Consul General's mansion. On Monday they saw Marineland in Vallejo and then visited Chevron Research and Chevron Refinery on Tuesday. Tuesday evening they were greeted by nearly 100 Rotarians and guests at a Welcoming Banquet at Mira Vista. Wednesday was U.C. Berkeley and Lawrence Lab, Thursday,

Maritime Academy and wine tour and Friday saw them riding BART, a cable car and lunching at St. Francis Yacht Club. WERNER and Lea SCHWARZ provided a barbecue dinner Friday evening at their home in San Rafael for our guests, committee members and hosts.




For the next four weeks the team will visit other parts of District 516 and be in attendance at the District Conference, May 8-10.

Our special thanks to hosts CHARLIE and Clavel FENDER, ELOF and Carmen GRANBERG, SAM and Sandra SARKISSIAN and RUSS and Fimi SCHULZE.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Thousands of things we can't live without have yet to be invented.

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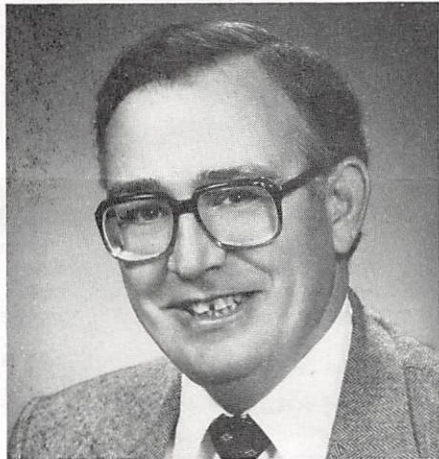
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"Homelessness in America"



Steven Berger

Mr. Berger is the Executive Director of the Union Gospel Mission of Seattle. As the President of the International Union of Gospel Missions, representing 225 missions in eight countries, he travels extensively. During the last two years he has spoken in 80 cities. He is concerned about the increase in the number of young people, women and children among the homeless, and calls the treatment of the mentally ill "a national disaster".

During his career, Mr. Berger has served on numerous community boards, councils and commissions throughout the States. He is currently a member of the Board of Directors of the Rotary Club of Seattle, which is the 2nd largest and 4th oldest club in all of Rotary. He is a nephew of Chief Justice Warren Berger (retired) of the U.S. Supreme Court.

BRING A GUEST.

Chairman of the Day: DAN YEE

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, MAY 8, 1987

* NOTE * MEETING PLACE * This Week Only *
PG&E Service Center
So. 27th St., Richmond

"Freeways In and About Richmond"
Richard Giegling

&
Hilmer 'Ace' Forsen

As Supervising and Senior Transportation Engineers, respectively, with the office of the State Department of Transportation in San Francisco, our speakers, Mr. Giegling and Mr. Forsen, are very knowledgeable about the two major freeway projects that are in progress in the City of Richmond. With another four years of work ahead on both the John T. Knox and the I-80 Corridor, there are many aspects of the work that will affect those of us who live and work in West County.

LEA SCHWARZ BECOMES PAUL HARRIS FELLOW

During the Rotary Foundation Alumni Dinner in Walnut Creek last Friday evening Lea Schwarz was surprised when District Governor Jim Blackwood presented her with the medallion and plaque in recognition of her very own Paul Harris Fellowship. She has been a Sustaining Fellow, and the full Fellowship was made possible by a joint contribution of her husband, D.G. Nominee WERNER, and the Richmond Club.

A heart warming evening at which bright, young Foundation Scholars expressed appreciation and told of their international experiences, both here and abroad, was enjoyed by an audience that included from Richmond: the Fenders, Hardisons, Schwarz' and Shapers.

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HAL HOLT was recognized for all the recent good publicity on Chevron...they are now showing a profit and their sewage is referred to as "Deep Water Discharge". HAL threw in a plug for an upcoming golf tournament honoring the beautification of Richmond and then came up with \$100.00 for our local community fund. PRES. DON is closing in fast on his birth dates being only 1 day off on GRANT CALHOUN's. GRANT still offered \$50.00 for years unknown and DAN TANITA celebrated his birthday with \$100.00 towards a Paul Harris Sustaining Membership.

For the program we had a Club Assembly with reports from our Officers, Directors and Committee Chairmen. Vice President BILL SHIELDS started things off with some inspirational ideas to bring back the spirit in our club after describing the President's Training Session as being like Boot Camp. OSCAR LUGO described the Camp Royal and Dictionary programs and TERRY CLARK introduced our three

Camp Royal candidates from Kennedy and Richmond High Schools; Jose Garcia, Laticia Bradford and Andrew Mandipat. On hand were their Counselors, David Ozano and Frank Banducci. A big thanks came from SHERMAN TEALS for our help to the Boys Club.

WALT WALLACE reported on Club Service with REN PARTRIDGE covering Membership Development and Vocational Director HANK KELMAN described B.O.O.S.T. and the Shadow Program. International Director, BILL WAHBEH gave us an update on G.S.E., Polio Plus, Mulege and India.

The Raffle was won by HANS SHAPER, KEVIN DOLAN and RALPH HILL with FRASER FELTER getting free lunches for a month.





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- June 5 - "Old Timers & Ladies Day"

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Inheriting a farm can now be considered suffering a financial setback.

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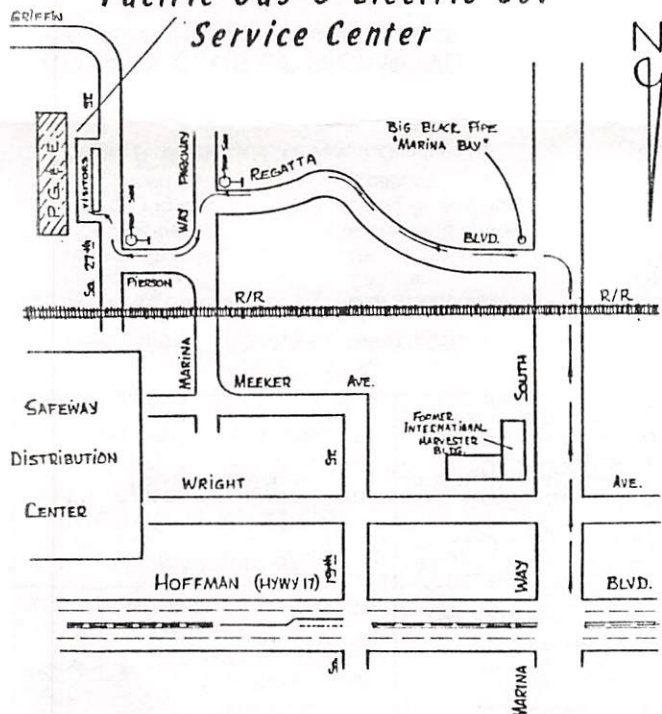
PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, MAY 8, 1987

*NOTE*MEETING PLACE*THIS WEEK ONLY*

PG&E Service Center

So. 27th St., Richmond (See Map Below)

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Service Center**



"Freeways In and About Richmond"

Dick Giegling and Ace Forsen

Our speakers are Supervising and Senior Transportation Engineers, respectively, for Project Development in the North Bay Counties, the office of the State Department of Transportation. They are very knowledgeable about the funding, progress and schedules of the two major freeway projects that are currently under construction in the City of Richmond.

With another four years of work ahead on both the John T. Knox and the I-80 Corridor, there are many aspects of the projects that will affect those of us who live and work in West County. Mr. Giegling and Mr. Forsen will also be showing us plans and features of the work, following which they will be prepared to answer questions. Come, bring a friend, and be informed.

Chairman of the Day: TIM THOMASON

PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, MAY 15, 1987

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"The San Francisco Giants"

Mike Sadek

With the Giants off to a great start this season, we will have the privilege of hearing from Catcher Mike Sadek. Originally starting his professional career with the Minnesota Twins in 1967, Mike was signed on with the Giants in 1972. A right hander, he served many seasons as a backup receiver. From his experience on the diamond, he will give us a run down of the players and their potential.

LAST WEEK

It was appropriate that attorney DOUG STRAUS give the invocation on this May Day which is also known as "Law Day". BART WALLACE welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests included Malcolm Lee, director of the Richmond Rescue Mission.

District Governor Nominee (1988-89) WERNER SCHWARZ thanked all who had worked so hard on the Swedish Group Study Exchange for their first 11 days in this area. Committeemen and hosts thanked were: TOM BUTT, REN PARTRIDGE, JOHN PALAZZOTTO, CHARLIE FENDER, ELOF GRANBERG, SAM SARKISSIAN, RUSS SCHULZE and yours truly.

PRES. DON gave the last pitch for the District Conference, May 7-10, and announced that CHARLIE WONG would officiate in his absence for the May 8 meeting to be held at PG&E Service Center.

SAM SARKISSIAN will be the Sgt.-at-Arms for May and he got off to a good start by collecting a fine from himself and WERNER for some episode with the Group Study Exchange. BILL REID celebrated his being named President of Mechanics Bank by putting \$100.00 towards a Paul Harris Sustaining Membership and it was announced that CHARLIE PEICK's Rotary Ann, Ruth, put in the remaining \$700.00 for CHARLIE's Paul Harris Fellowship. WALT WALLACE got away scot free because of another wrong date and

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JOHN NICOL came up with \$1.00 a year for his 34th wedding anniversary. DAVE KUCHENTHAL offered \$20.00 for 4 years of marriage and DAVE CALFEE is celebrating 44 years with his own Swedish girl.

Chairman of the Day, DAN YEE, introduced our speaker, Steven Burger, President of the International Union of Gospel Missions and grandfather of one week. Mr. Burger told how our homeless stereotype of an old man at a soup kitchen has now changed where most are now young people with many in their early teens. Many are from middle and upper class suburbia because the American family is falling apart. Missions are inundated with mentally ill because treatment is now voluntary and only the dangerous are incarcerated. Young people have to be taught how to work because they have always been in the street or on welfare.

Mr. Burger closed by asking all of us to serve and show that we care.

The raffle was won by WALT WALLACE and DAVE KUCHENTHAL.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

From your note in the Flywheel of May 8 it appears that my inspirational message of April 24 did not come across.

I tried to convey the absolute necessity to confront prejudice, injustice and evil whenever we encounter them to prevent cata-

strophic consequences to ourselves and society and illustrated this idea by quoting the words of Pastor Niemoeller, a man who became a victim of religious persecution having ignored this principle.

Involvement in Rotary was not mentioned. As the message is timely and important I would appreciate your printing this "Letter to the Editor" in the Flywheel.

(Signed) HANS SHAPER

MEMBERS AT DISTRICT CONFERENCE

PRES. DON will be missing today, since he, along with a delegation of members and their ladies from our Club, is attending the District Conference in Redding. Lucky for you, he has appointed Past President CHARLIE WONG to preside in his absence. So, except for the new meeting place, it will be like old times again! Also, if you miss the Club banner, DON has "borrowed" it to show the Club to proper advantage in Redding.

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THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK - If the devil makes work for idle hands, he should be appointed Secretary of Labor. NORM FOLEY, Editor

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BRING A FRIEND WHO ENJOYS BASEBALL

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, MAY 22, 1987

"The Yountville State Veterans Home"
Charles H. Pedri

If you have wondered about what life may be like in this facility for 1500 Veterans, located on a beautiful site in the Napa Valley, come this Friday. Our speaker, Chuck Pedri, was appointed Administrator in 1986 and is very dedicated to serving those who have served us.

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DISTRICT 516 CONFERENCE, REDDING

A great time of Rotary Fellowship was enjoyed by all of those attending the Conference at the handsome Redding Convention Center on the Sacramento River. The Richmond Club was well represented by JIM SCOTT, the WALT ZERAS, HANS SHAPERS, WERNER SCHWARZ', and the DON HARDISONS. The events were highlighted by a sports day, entertainment, good food and excellent speakers that included the Swedish and District 516 Group Study Exchange ladies and Rotary Scholars from many lands. Governor Jim Blackwood, having completed an outstanding year, passed the reins to D.G. Ian Hamilton of the El Cerrito Club. Our own D.G. Nominee, WERNER, is now standing in the wings (with plenty of support from Lea), looking forward to the '88 Conference in Concord when he will assume his arduous duties. Incidentally, WERNER won a bench saw as a door prize, and is so concerned about losing fingers that he is contributing it to the Club for a raffle or an auction.

LAST WEEK

With Past President CHARLIE WONG conducting the meeting at the PG&E Service Center (designed by our own TOM BUTT) things got off to a good start with an inspirational message by MARKKU PELANNE. Visitors were welcomed by PG&E's RUSS JACKSON and guests included former member Capt. Tom Eddy. New member DENNIS EDMONDSON reported on a recent joint meeting of the Antioch, Pittsburg, Brentwood and Rio Vista clubs honoring the GSE Team from Sweden.

Birthdays were celebrated with donations by TOM TROUGHTON, DAVE NINOMIYA, TROY GROVE, LLOYD "Skinny" HENRY and CHUCK EVANS while RALPH HILL said he would rather give his fine to our real president, DON.

Chairman of the Day, TIM THOMASON, introduced our speakers, Dick Giegling and Ace Forsen, both engineers for the State Department of Transportation. Dick started first with an overview of the 200 million dollar Knox Freeway which will have its final phase completed by 1990. Ace reported on the

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20 mile I-80 "Operational Improvement" project from the Bay Bridge to Rodeo. High occupancy vehicle lanes will be added and 16 interchanges will be completely rebuilt. This 230 million dollar project will take until 1995 with a minimum of residential upheaval. The North Richmond Bypass is not in any immediate plans.

The raffle was won by PETE BRAY and CHARLIE FENDER. CHARLIE was also recognized for seconding the motion at the Chevron stockholders meeting asking Chevron to quit South Africa.

WOMEN IN ROTARY

The Supreme Court has ruled, and Rotary will no longer be an all-male organization in those states that have statutes similar to California. In a communication that our Club has just received, R.I. President states: "Rotary did not expect the Supreme Court to hand down this decision. However, its constitution provides for operating within the laws of all the countries in which there are clubs, so Rotary will, of course, abide by the decision of the court. Rotary will continue to follow all its admission requirements for members, other than the male-only provision in those places where this provision is determined to be contrary to law. Membership will continue to be by invitation

with the intention of continuing to have within each club a cross section of the business, organizational and professional leadership of the community who believe and practice Rotary's motto, 'Service above Self'. Members must be of good character and reputation, and must hold some professional, proprietary, executive or managerial position in their business or profession."




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- June 7-11 - Rotary International Convention, Munich, Germany

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A graduate of the University of San Francisco in Economics, Mr. Pedri received an MBA from N.W. Missouri State in 1976, and later attended various officer training schools. His 20 year military career has taken him to bases throughout the States. Prior to his retirement from the Service, he was the Medical Service Corps Officer and Administrator of the Air Force Base at Barksdale, Louisiana and Langley, Virginia, respectively. He was appointed Administrator of the Yountville Home in 1986.

Chairman of the Day: FRANK CORTESE

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, MAY 29, 1987

"The Constitution of the United States:
Teaching Religion in Public Schools"
Jesse Choper, Dean, U.C. Boalt Hall

On this 200th Anniversary of our Constitution, it is most appropriate that we hear an address on a significant Constitutional issue by one of the outstanding legal minds in the Country. Mr. Choper is Professor of Law and Dean of the Boalt Hall School of Law.

LAST WEEK

The invocation was by MARKKU PELANNE and BILL REID welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests. PRES. DON thanked CHARLIE WONG for presiding at last week's meeting at PG&E Service Center (courtesy of SID FIELD) and also thanked JOHN NICOL, HANK COVELL and DICK NELSON for handling the bar. DON gave a report on the District Conference and asked us to seek out candidates for scholarships and next year's GSE team. Because DON claimed a sore arm, JIM SCOTT had to sub for him in the cow chip throwing contest at the conference. Although JIM is an expert at spreading that stuff around, he didn't toss it too well.

DON LAU reported on the dictionaries we have been buying for the high schools (funded by the jars you put money in each week) and could use some help in getting them out to the schools. HANK COVELL announced Rotary Day at the A's on July 31 and the Masquers Playhouse on September 3 preceded by Dinner at the Hotel Mac - \$25.00 per person.

WHO AM I?

RICK HILL, who is Assistant Manager of the Berkeley Marina Marriott Hotel, grew up in Rhode Island with a family of 10 and studied in New Hampshire. After learning the hotel business in New England he was transferred to California and now lives in San Pablo with his wife, Anita.



Sponsor HAL HOLT introduced and welcomed to our club, RAY STAFFORD, General Manager of the West County Times. RAY, who was a former Rotarian in Texas and Oroville, was given his survival kit by PRES. DON.

Chairman of the Day, FRANK CORTESE, introduced our speaker, Mike Sadek, former catcher for the S.F. Giants and now handling their public relations. Having lost 100 games last year with an inexperienced infield, the whole team has really shaped up and hopefully they can stay healthy. Mike praised Roger Craig for more

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than his ability to steal signs from the other team and then recited many passages from the Bible pertaining to baseball. He closed by stating emphatically that the Giants will take it all this year and will still be at Candlestick for awhile.

The raffle was won by REN PARTRIDGE and RALPH HILL.

POLIO PLUS

At its meeting scheduled for Thursday (after this Flywheel goes to press) our Board will consider the establishment of a 5-year Club budget as its contribution toward Polio-Plus. This bold plan of the Rotary Foundation is intended, by the year 2005, to eradicate the suffering and death caused by Polio among children of the Earth. From this time forward Rotarians of the Richmond Club will be hearing a lot about plans for raising a share of the 120 million dollars required to do this vast international project. Many clubs are selectively soliciting funds from outside their membership. More later!

OLD TIMERS DAY & LADIES DAY - JUNE 5

Once again that day is upon us when all former Rotarians, young and old, return to the old stamping ground for a reunion, a lot of fun, and an outstanding program. This year promises to be the best ever, and we hope a new tradition of inviting our ladies

will have been established. Our guest, one of the most interesting speakers to hail from these parts is Wayne Thompson, former City Manager of Richmond (and later of Oakland). In his remarks, with clarity and good humor, he will draw upon his memories of those years in Richmond after WWII. All Rotarians are encouraged to invite Rotary Widows and retired Rotarians. Since this is Ladies Day, bring your lady.





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- June 5 - Old Timers & Ladies Day
"Richmond's Post War Years",
Wayne Thompson
- June 19 - "The Napa Wine Train",
John C. McCormack
- June 26 - "Throw the Rascal Out", Pres. Don Demotion
- July 3 - Start of '87-'88 - Pres. Bill's Era

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

If at first you don't succeed, you'll get a lot of advice.

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, MAY 29, 1987

"The Constitution of the United States:
Teaching Religion in Public Schools"
Jesse Choper, Dean, U.C. Boalt Hall



On this 200th Anniversary of our Constitution, it is most appropriate that we hear an address on a significant Constitutional issue by one of the outstanding legal minds in the Country. Professor Choper is Dean of the School of Law at U.C.

Berkeley and teaches in the fields of Constitutional Law and Corporations.

Our speaker served as Law Clerk to Chief Justice Earl Warren during 1960-61, and was Associate Professor of Law at the University of Minnesota Law School prior to coming to Berkeley as a full Professor in 1965. He has been visiting Professor at the Law Schools of Catholic University, Harvard University and Syracuse University, respectively, and has lectured at numerous other universities throughout the Country. Professor Choper has authored five books, including two widely used casebooks in his field and numerous monographs and articles. **BRING A GUEST.**

Chairman of the Day: **MARKKU PELANNE**

PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JUNE 5, 1987

OLD TIMERS AND LADIES DAY
"Richmond's Post War Years"
Wayne Thompson

The last time our distinguished speaker addressed Richmond Rotary, he was City Manager of Oakland, and our Club was meeting in the long abandoned Hotel Don. As the Richmond City Manager, during the years between 1944 and 1954, he was considered an innovator and a valuable contributor to the City's growth and development during the critical Post War years. Good natured and gifted with a memory for the significant and having fun with the

trivia, he will make this luncheon memorable for members, old or new.

HEAR YE! Invite a former Rotarian and his spouse or the widow of a Rotarian to join you and your lady on this once-in-a-year occasion.

LAST WEEK

WALT ZERA, Past President of the Navy League, led us in the pledge to the flag on this pre-Memorial Day meeting and former Navy Commander **FRANK CORTESE** paid homage to the 37 men lost on the frigate Stark in his invocation. **DEAN BARBIERI** welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests included former member **Russ Stillwell**.

MARK WILSON brought his "Shadow" for the day, **Jerome Hancock** of Richmond High School, and **DON LAU** still needs help distributing dictionaries to the schools. **PRES. DON** told about RI's Polio Plus campaign to end polio throughout the world by the year 2005.



We had a triple header today with Sponsor **CHARLIE WONG** welcoming **LEN COX** who is in the trucking business; sponsor **GEORGE WACKER** welcoming **FRANK LA BONTE**, administrator of East Bay Hospital and **BILL SHIELDS** (subbing for sponsor **REN PARTRIDGE**) welcoming **HANK GREEN** who is with the Association of Retired Persons. **PRES. DON** told them of the benefits and obligations of belonging to Rotary.

SID FIELD celebrated a birthday and an anniversary for \$100.00, **DENNIS EDMONDSON** started out with \$25.00 for his 45th birthday but **PRES. DON** thought \$45.00 sounded better. **BILL WAHBEH** put \$50 toward the community fund for his birthday and **DARROL DAVIS**, after arguing about it for awhile, came up with a donation for his birthday.

Chairman of the Day, **DAN READY**, welcomed our speaker, **Charles Pedri**, Director of the Yountville Veterans Home. Also on hand was **Mrs. Jane Smith**, Communications Coordinator at the Home. The Home offers quality health

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care to veterans in their waning years and the levels of assistance range from living quarters in a beautiful setting to 24 hour intensive care. There is now a \$64 million expansion project underway which will offer a little more privacy than the large wards and spouses can now live there with the veterans.

Mrs. Smith told us of the early history when 900 acres was purchased in the Napa Valley for \$17,000.00. Veterans from all wars can go there and there are still 150 from WWI.

The raffle was won by BART WALLACE and WALT ZERA and the prizes included wine donated by RICK HILL of the Berkeley Marriott.

HONORARY MEMBERSHIP TO RAY MARTIN

On May 21 your Board unanimously elected RAY MARTIN to Honorary Membership in recognition of his 21 years of service as Sergeant-at-Arms. Joining the Club in 1959, RAY also served a term as Director. Health has prevented him from attending regularly in recent years, but he showed his characteristic enthusiasm during the meeting Friday, when he received the applause he so richly deserves. Under Rotary rules he may continue to remain an active member by paying dues, or at his discretion, become inactive and enjoy his Honorary status.



Honorary Member RAY MARTIN with PRES. DON.






WES SEAPY receives Paul Harris Fellowship from DG Jim and Frances Blackwood.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Behind every successful man stands a surprised mother-in-law.

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"Richmond's Post War Years"
Wayne Thompson

As City Manager of Richmond between 1944 and 1954, our speaker's leadership was critical in the emergence of the City from a pre-war community of 35,000 to the major industrial city it has become. Mr. Thompson is considered the innovator of many of the municipal policies and programs that are still in place today, and the handsome Civic Center and the Richmond-San Rafael Bridge became realities largely through his professional efforts.

He served as City Manager of Oakland until 1965 when he became Senior Vice President of the Dayton Hudson Corporation in Minneapolis. Later he was CEO of the Dayton Hudson Foundation, and in 1981 returned to Oakland as CEO of the Merritt Peralta Medical Center. He has served on numerous boards and commissions for corporations, public agencies, and the Federal Government. Recently, he was appointed Chairman of the National Park Service Task Force.

After receiving a B.A. from U.C. Berkeley in Political Science and Public Administration in 1938, Mr. Thompson graduated from the U.S. Navy Midshipman School at Northwestern University and was commissioned an Ensign. He is the recipient of honorary doctorates from both the University of Pacific and the College of Arts and Crafts. He and his wife, Ann, make their home in Oakland.

Good natured and gifted with a talent for remembering the significant as well as the trivial, he will make this luncheon memorable for members, young and old. Invite a former Rotarian and his spouse or the widow of a Rotarian to join you and your lady on this memorable occasion.

Chairman of the Day: RALPH HILL

PLEASE CAR POOL IF POSSIBLE as parking will be at a premium at Mira Vista Country Club due to a Men's Invitational.

PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JUNE 12, 1987

"Who Am I"

This meeting will be that always pleasant opportunity to hear from an outstanding group of new Club members, who will be giving us a brief biographical sketch of their respective roots.

LAST WEEK

Past President GRANT CALHOUN gave us the inspirational message to start the meeting and CHARLES EVANS welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests. RUSS SCHULZE brought along two scholarship candidates from the local area.

PRES. DON jumped right into recognitions fining TIM THOMASON \$50.00 for an article in the West County Times about his success at Alvarado Bank. DOUG STRAUS paid \$10.00 for being in Oklahoma instead of Texas (?) and KUMAR BELUR corrected DON's information when he said that his birthday listed as three months ago was wrong but in a way, correct (?).

In a special auction, four Giants tickets good for any date went to KUMAR for \$55.00 and DAN TANITA got the table saw (donated by WERNER SCHWARZ) for \$135.00.

Chairman of the Day, MARKKU PELANNE, introduced and welcomed to our club, Jesse Choper, Dean at U.C. Boalt Hall, speaking on Constitutional Law regarding religion in Public Schools. The first test of our Bill of Rights regarding separation of church and state came in 1947 when the issue of public busing of parochial students came up. Later the courts decided that religious classes in public schools were unlawful but O.K. if off school grounds. Next they did away with the opening prayer and recent problems have involved any posting of religious articles such as the Ten Commandments. We can now interpret a "Moment of Silence" as being for religious

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purposes and, on the other side of the coin, any teaching of Darwin should be balanced with "Creation Science".

The raffle was won by ELOF GRANBERG and visitor John Taylor and BART WALLACE gets free lunches for a month.

DON AND WERNER OFF TO MUNICH

The Richmond Club will be represented at the Rotary International Convention in Munich, Germany, June 7-10, by PRESIDENT DON and Betty and District Governor Nominee WERNER SCHWARZ and Lea. Some 23,000 Rotarians and their guests are expected. WERNER is so fluent in German that his well known humor is expected to go international on a large scale!

It is traditional for the President-Elect to represent our Club at the Convention, but when BILL SHIELDS recently decided that the press of business would prevent him from making the trip, he talked PRESIDENT DON into taking his place. Since DON did not attend last year, BILL didn't have to argue too hard. In addition to attending the Convention, DON and Betty are planning a tour of parts of Austria, Switzerland and France with other Rotarians, led by Dick Erickson of the Berkeley Club. DON will be returning on June 25th, just barely in time to be demoted from his high office on Friday the 26th.

SAVE THESE DATES

June 19 - "The Napa Wine Train"
John C. McCormack

June 26 - "Throw the Rascal Out"
PRES. DON'S Demotion

July 3 - Start of '87-'88 PRES. BILL's Era





July 10 - The "GAIN" Work Program
State & County Departments of
Social Services

July 31 - An Evening with the A's
Get your tickets early from
HANK COVELL.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Work hard and save your money and when you are old you will be able to buy the things only the young can enjoy.

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DAN READY, Presiding
(PRES. DON in Germany)

WHO AM I?



(Note: Four of the following, depending upon their availability)

SID BAUM, DENNIS EDMUNDSON, HENRY GREEN,
FRANK LaBONTE, RAY STAFFORD

This meeting will provide us with a pleasant opportunity to hear from an outstanding group of new members, who will be giving us a brief biographical sketch of their respective roots.

It may include a description of just what they are doing these days, perhaps even a bit of advertising that, for just this once, will be immune from the pain of a fine.

Chairman of the Day: REN PARTRIDGE

PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 1987

"The Napa Wine Train"
John C. McCormack

Come and hear the fascinating story of the creation of a private railroad on what remains of the old Southern Pacific right-of-way between Napa and St. Helena. Beautifully restored trains will provide a nostalgic means of wine tasting and reaching numerous wineries on its route through the Napa Valley. Our speaker is the prime mover and financial genius behind these ambitious and very real plans.

LAST WEEK

A big crowd was on hand for "Old Timers Day" including WALTER WOLFFS who has been in Richmond Rotary for 51 years. MARKKU PELANNE gave the invocation and Past President GEORGE JOHNSTON (in Richmond Rotary only 49 years) welcomed visiting Rotarians, former Rotarians and guests. Former Mayor Ed McKeegan (1953-54) was present along with PDG DORR ETZLER who is now a member of Moraga Rotary and an Honorary Member of our club.

PRES. DON announced that long time Secretary CARL REHFUSS has been named Secretary Emeritus for the coming Rotary year. CARL was our president 1952-53 and District Governor 1967-68.



PRES. DON, subbing for sponsor HAL HOLT, introduced and welcomed to our club DAVE MITCHELL who is manager at Chevron Land Co. at Hilltop. DAVE lives in San Rafael with his wife Joan.

Chairman of the Day, RALPH HILL (a member since 1948), introduced our speaker, Wayne Thompson, who was Richmond's City Manager in the troubled post war years of 1944-54. Mr. Thompson started off by praising Richmond (and Betty Hardison) for the high priority placed on the arts with the success of the 50 year old Richmond Art Center. Stating that every city should perpetuate its traditions, Wayne feels we have all the essentials for success with good industry and talent. Now all we need is some more philanthropists and our own TV station.

Mr. Thompson covered his early days at Kaiser Shipyards when workers from all over the country descended on Richmond to build 750 merchant ships. Richmond played a major part in winning World War II and for this reason Wayne was able to get an appropriation from Washington D.C. to help Richmond through the post war years.

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Wayne Thompson and his wife with Don and Betty.

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ROSTER CHANGES

We will be adding new members and making changes in the roster book for the coming Rotary year so please return the enclosed card with any new information you have.





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- July 3 - Start of '87-'88 Pres. Bill's Era
- July 10 - "The 'Gain' Work Program"
State and County Departments of Social Services
- July 17 - "Earthquakes, Past, Present, Future" - Lloyd Cluff, Mgr.,
Geoscience, PG&E
- July 31 - An Evening with the A's
Get your tickets early from Hank Covell
- Sept. 3 - Dinner-Theatre Party
Hotel Mac and Masquers Playhouse

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Show me a man with bugs on his teeth and I'll show you a happy motorcycle rider.

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"The Napa Wine Train"
John C. McCormack

Aside from the proliferation of numerous new wineries, the most interesting and controversial notion to hit the Napa Valley in years is the development of a private railroad on what remains of the old Southern Pacific right-of-way between Napa and St. Helena. Beautifully restored trains will provide a nostalgic means of wine tasting and reaching numerous wineries on its route through the Valley. Our speaker is the prime mover and financial genius behind this ambitious development.

During the twenty-five years prior to his involvement with the 'Train', Mr. McCormack served as co-founder and/or CEO of many companies, including American Honda Motor Company, U.S. Suzuki Motor Corporation, American Eagle Products, the Ventana Group and the Hirsch Electronics Corporation. He has been recognized nationally for his start-up and management expertise by such publications as Time Magazine, Sales Management and the Los Angeles Times.

Chairman of the Day: FRANK CORTESE

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 1987

THE DEMOTION OF PRESIDENT DON

It's time to throw this rascal out! This is particularly obvious after he had the gall to miss the meeting last Friday and will not be here this Friday either. Presumably, this failure of duty is because of only a four-day Rotary International Convention in Munich. Fortunately for the Club, President Elect BILL is able to preside in his stead.

LAST WEEK

In the absence of PRES. DON, who is in Munich, our upcoming Vice President, DAN READY, conducted the meeting. Our thought from the day came from philosopher JOHN NICOL who told us about the silent tear. Introduction of visiting Rotarians and guests by MARK WILSON. HANK COVELL made an announcement about the Rotary Baseball Night on July 31, and the meeting at the Masquer's Playhouse on September 3, 1987. The baseball game is \$4.75 per ticket with a \$6.00 ticket for the Pinole Rotary barbecue. The Playhouse is for \$25 per person, including dinner at Hotel Mac.

The Sunshine Committee, consisting of DAVID KUCHENTHAL, reported that RUDY LOEBLEIN was taking his pills and hopes to get back to Rotary soon.

JIM SCOTT 'fessed up that he will be getting married soon to Marjorie Ward. WES SEAPY contributed a dollar a year for his birthday and GRANT CALHOUN contributed \$50 for his birthday.

The Chairman of the "Who Am I" Committee was REN PARTRIDGE who introduced first, SID BAUM, whose classification is jewelry/wholesale. SID mentioned that he was born and raised in Houston. He was the manager of Milen's Jewelry Store for many years. He opened the store at Hilltop Mall in August of 1976. He retired last year and now has some time to attend Rotary meetings at noon on Friday. He states that he does some work in retirement as a broker.

The second "Who Am I" was by DENNIS EDMONDSON, who was born in the New York area. He came to California and attended Chabot College. He states that one of his unique occupations was working for the Southern Pacific Railroad. They provided quarters on the second floor of the Livermore train station for him. Incidentally, the station is still standing. He works now as the manager of the Home Savings of America at Hilltop.

The third "Who Am I" was FRANK LA BONTE.

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LAST WEEK (cont'd)

He is the administrator of East Bay Hospital, formerly Richmond Hospital, a psychiatric hospital. He accepted the challenge at East Bay Hospital before realizing what a challenge it was. The hospital cares for approximately 50 patients a day. It specializes in psychiatric care. He even intimates that there might be some Rotarians who could benefit from care at East Bay Hospital. He states that they are undergoing an extensive renovation of the hospital. He has the title of Vice President of Psychiatric Health Services.

The fourth "Who Am I" was given by RAY STAFFORD, who is general manager of the West County Times. A native of Pecos, Texas, he graduated from the University of Texas in journalism, was a reporter in Pecos and then came to Oroville. He joined Rotary in Oroville and is now continuing here in our area. He states that he switched from reporting to management. This was part of his maturation. Friends in Texas ask him about California and friends in California ask him about Texas. He states that he carries a green card for each state. He states that he is pleased to be on a newspaper that provides considerable local news. He is happy to be working with Dean Leshner, a man who is very sensitive to what the public needs.

The fifth and last "Who Am I" was by HANK GREEN who has the classification Senior

Employment Services. He works in partnership with the American Assoc. of Retired People and the Federal Government. He states that he is a native Californian and has learned that it takes two Texans to stand up to one Californian (no aspersions to SID BAUM and RAY STAFFORD). He graduated from USC. He spent considerable time in the Air Force and was a part of the CIA and the organization of American states in Central America. He is on the Board of Directors of the Oakland YMCA. His job is to help the 55-year old and older men who want to get back into the work force to find a way, to help them regain their confidence and to develop work skills.





DAN READY fined SID BAUM for a diamond or a sapphire or an emerald for his birthday, but could only get \$50.

JOHN NICOL, our resident philosopher, then read a small note about how papers can misconstrue the news.

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Vice President BILL, in the absence of PRES. DON, will preside at the regular meeting of the Board of Directors on a new date, time and location: FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 10:00 AM at the MIRA VISTA COUNTRY CLUB. All members, particularly new "Red Badgers", are welcome to attend and participate in the business of the Club.

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41 Years of Service Above Self

"Mr. Interlocutor", GEORGE WACKER and his end men, DARROL DAVIS, RUSS SCHULZE and CHARLIE WONG, have prepared a proper send-off for PRES. DON and will make certain that his term ends as per custom.

Be on hand to hear the life and times of PRES. DON before and during his Rotary year.

ROTARY ANNS ARE INVITED.

Chairman of the Day: GEORGE WACKER

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JULY 3, 1987

INDEPENDENCE DAY PROGRAM

Incoming President BILL SHIELDS will handle the program himself for this holiday before the July 4 celebration. At this writing it is still a mystery but knowing BILL, it will be entertaining.

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LAST WEEK

The invocation was by MARKKU PELANNE and Past President GEORGE WACKER welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests. Past President HANK COVELL announced that tickets are going fast for the Masquers play on September 3 and you must get reservations in now. Also, the tickets for Rotary Night at the A's on July 31 should be purchased by next Friday. (See separate announcement.)

Rick Betts of the Berkeley Club, who is also area coordinator for Polio Plus, was on hand to tell us about Rotary International's campaign to eradicate polio in the whole world by the year 2005, which is Rotary's Centennial. The target is 120 million dollars and this calls for a 5 year commitment of \$100.00 for each Rotarian. Rotary can do it because of its involvement at the local level in all countries.

Vice President BILL SHIELDS, subbing for DON who is at the R.I. Convention in Munich, decided to do DON's dirty work and catch up on all the fines before the end of the Rotary year. Those caught for birthdays were MARKKU PELANNE, 40 for 40; DON GRECO, 52 for 52; LEN COX, 57 for 57; AL SILVA, 65 for 65; yours truly, 62 for 62; JOHN PALOZZOTTO, 50 for whatever and GERRY CULLEN, a bundle for 76. Anniversaries were celebrated by DOUG STRAUS, 30 for 2; NICK PETSAS, 40 for 40; BILL WAHBEH, 18 years and DAN TANITA, 9 years. CHARLIE WONG put another \$100 towards Jean's Paul Harris Fellowship for their 38th anniversary and RICK HILL decided at the last minute to report his 30th birthday and donate \$30.00.

Chairman of the Day, FRANK CORTESE, introduced our speaker, John C. McCormack, co-founder and CEO of many large corporations. Mr. McCormack is now the prime mover and financial genius behind the planned Napa Wine Train. The train will make an 18 mile round trip to St. Helena from Napa and stop at about 6 wineries along the way. Some of the existing Southern Pacific track is being replaced and they are still in the process

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of buying back some of the right-of-way. Both steam and diesel engines will be used and old passenger and Pullman cars are being refurbished into parlor cars for wine tasting. Plans call for 2 trains a day with an evening dinner train and hopefully this will all be in operation by next Spring.

The raffle was won by BILL REID and SID FIELD.

COMING EVENTS

July 3 - Start of '87-'88 PRES. BILL's Era

July 10 - "The 'GAIN' Work Program"

State & County Departments of
Social Services

July 17 - "Earthquakes, Past, Present, Future"

Lloyd Cluff, Mgr., Geoscience, PG&E

July 31 - An Evening with the A's

Get your tickets early from HANK
COVELL.

Sept. 3 - Dinner at the Hotel Mac and a
Masquers Play



ROTARY NIGHT AT THE A's

Friday, July 31, 1987

Chairman HANK COVELL has tickets at only \$4.25 apiece and asks that all orders and money be in by this Friday. Pinole Rotary will again provide the tailgate party for only \$6 apiece. Hamburgers, hot dogs, beer & wine. Sign up now!

ROTARY NOW IN 161 LANDS

The familiar cogwheel emblem indicating "Rotary Meets Here" has rolled into one more country. Rotary International has admitted the first Rotary Club in the Pacific Ocean nation of Solomon Islands. The familiar symbol is now part of the landscape in 161 countries and geographical regions around the world.

The first Rotary Club in the Solomon Islands is Honiara, Guadalcanal. Its 30 charter members are led by Derrin Davis and the club was sponsored by the Rotary Club of Aspley, Queensland, Australia.

This expansion into another nation merely emphasizes that Rotary is the world's first and most international service club association. There are currently more than 22,700 Rotary clubs with more than one million members worldwide. After its founding in Chicago in 1905, Rotary spread to all continents except Antarctica by the 1920's. Today, more than two-thirds of the world's Rotary clubs are located outside the United States.

In the past two years, Rotary International has admitted an average of more than two clubs a day. It admitted a record 968 clubs in 1984-85, in 1985-86 824 clubs joined the association.

Each new club becomes part of a global network, enabling the organization to conduct effective international exchange and humanitarian projects. These projects range from clubs in one country sending supplies for a club project in another land to national immunization campaigns funded through the PolioPlus Campaign.

Wherever it appears around the globe, the cogwheel emblem has become an international symbol of service to others.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

An expert is a person who will know tomorrow why the things he predicted yesterday didn't happen today.

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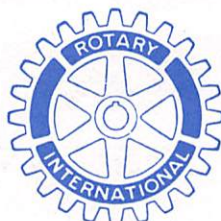
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INDEPENDENCE DAY PROGRAM

New President Takes Over!



Incoming President BILL SHIELDS will handle the program himself for this holiday before the July 4 celebration. At this writing we do not know if it will be informational, instructional or historical but knowing BILL, it will be entertaining.

Chairman of the Day: BILL (himself) SHIELDS

PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JULY 10, 1987

"The 'GAIN' Work Program"

Come and hear how our State and County Departments of Social Services are handling this innovative welfare work plan

LAST WEEK

PRES. DON and Betty returned from Europe and the R.I. Convention at Munich just in time for his demotion program so in MARKKU PELANNE's invocation he asked that we "be merciful". BILL REID introduced visiting Rotarians along with a host of guests and these included DON's Rotary Ann, Betty, and his daughter, Jan Brown. Also on hand was Incoming President BILL's Rotary Ann, Ruby.

DON reported that 26,000 Rotarians were rained on constantly at the Convention and that R.I. President Caparas stated Rotary would adhere to the law in the United States regarding women but that it would not apply to other countries. CHARLIE FENDER brought us a flag from Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, and Sunshine Chairman, DAVE KUCHENTHAL, reported that, happily, he had no report.

At this point, Past President GEORGE WACKER took over and called on the first of his End Men, DARROL DAVIS, who filled us in on a little of PRES. DON's past history. DON was born in Fillmore, California (wherever that is) and after attending schools there, majored in architecture at U.C. Berkeley. The next End Man, RUSS SCHULZE, covered DON's career in the Design Division at Mare Island (where he met Betty), the Kaiser Shipyards, then in business in Richmond. DON was responsible for the design of the Richmond Memorial Youth Center, Richmond High School and the Student Center at U.C. which held up quite well during the Free Speech riots. CHARLIE WONG hit on "DON the Man" describing him as a real 4-Way Test Rotarian being guilty only of feeding tons of material to directors from his Macintosh computer. CHARLIE praised DON's roster and classification list and congratulated him for his contribution to Rotary especially in our own community. After his favorite meal of lima beans and coconut cream pie, WERNER SCHWARZ presented him with a tile coaster from Munich and Past President GEORGE WACKER presented him with a Past President's pin, badge and plaque with gavel. To conclude the ceremony, DON presented

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BILL SHIELDS with a President's pin and in a short acceptance speech, BILL said he would become "your humble servant".

The raffle was won by DON LAU and DAVE LEIBEL and RUSS SCHULZE gets free lunches for a month.

IN MEMORIAM

We were saddened to learn of the passing of DR. ED RUTLEDGE on Sunday, June 28, 1987. ED had been a valued member of our club for 50 years being President in 1943-44 and Governor of District 157 in 1951-52.

As the President of the Richmond YMCA for 19 years, ED was the force behind the building of the Richmond Youth Center and in his profession, helped create the first insurance program for dental patients.

We will remember him for his great storytelling and sense of humor.

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July 10 - "The 'GAIN' Work Program"
State & County Departments of
Social Services

July 17 - "Earthquakes, Past, Present, Future" - Lloyd Cluff, Mgr., Geoscience, PG&E
July 24 - Liposuction
July 31 - Rotary Night at the A's - Get your tickets early from HANK COVELL.
Aug. 7 - West CCC YMCA
Aug. 21 - "Tough Love"
Sept. 3 - Dinner at the Hotel Mac and a Masquers Play

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Chairman OSCAR LUGO could use some burlap bags, bats & gloves and a large rope.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK - The biggest job facing Congress is getting money from the taxpayer without upsetting the voter.

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"The 'GAIN' Work Program

Manuel Caro

Manuel Caro was recently hired by the State Department of Social Services as a contract consultant for the Greater Avenues for Independence (GAIN) program. In this capacity, he is a statewide spokesperson for the GAIN program. His responsibilities include providing GAIN-related information and support to legislators, community-based organizations, other governmental and public agencies and the business community. Mr. Caro has had a varied and distinguished career in both the public and private sector. He is a former consultant to the White House, Domestic Policy staff. Other previous positions include: Deputy Director of the Sacramento/Yolo Employment and Training Agency; manager of Client Services for the City of Boston's Employment and Economic Policy Administration; and a supervising Product Manager in the Marketing Division of Pacific Bell in San Francisco.

Chairman of the Day: HAL GREENLEE

PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JULY 17, 1987

"Earthquakes, Past, Present and Future"

Lloyd S. Cluff

Lloyd S. Cluff is Manager of the Geosciences Department for PG&E and Vice Chairman of the California Seismic Safety Commission. He has been investigating destructive earthquakes for more than 25 years to better understand earthquake causes, their effects and how we can learn to live with them.

LAST WEEK

Our Pisces President, BILL SHIELDS, announced he will be himself from now on; split personality and all. "S.O.B.", Sweet Old Bill, shocked all present when he let the cat out of the bag as to his real name of "WILLY MATT SHIELDS, SR.", of which he will be addressed; of course, unless you prefer "BILL".

Smiling BILL wishes to let all members be aware of the guidelines for starting our Friday meeting. He will ring the bell at 12:25, the 5 Minute Warning; and at 12:30 he wishes to see all smiles in the chow line or seated.

"Fines" will be assessed for the traditional Rotary infractions; failure to wear Rotary pins, not knowing the ways of Rotary and leaving a Rotary meeting early.

Fund raising was off to a good start with 7 members pledging \$1,000.00 each and 9 pledging \$500.00 each for the next 5 years. This will be toward the Club goal of \$40,000.00 over the next 5 years for Polio Plus.

Opening ceremonies were dedicated to remembrance of the 4th of July. PRESIDENT BILL reminded everyone of the 211th Anniversary of the Declaration of Independence. God Bless America was sung in place of the usual benediction. JOE NUSBAUM gave a reflection of the significance of the 200th Anniversary of our Constitution.

Former President DON gave a heart warming travelogue of the trip to the International Rotary Convention in Munich, Germany. It appeared to be a very busy schedule. He did not get lost in the 26,000 crowd. Ted Turner's theme of "Harnessing Technology for World Peace" tied right into the theme and well reflected the Ideals of Rotary. The potential at the convention toward achieving that goal was not lost on most members present.

The mystery is where is the door from that Limo which picked up PRES. DON, courtesy of District Governor Elect WERNER; no one is talking. Also, what did PRES. DON eat?

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District Governor Elect WERNER SCHWARZ was deeply impressed by the presentation of former German Chancellor Helmut Schmidt. The 20 points of Peace in the World and the 4 points of Rotary were tied together in such a strong manner as to generate a 10 minute standing ovation.

Recognitions: DAN YEE had his anniversary, and his wife has endured 17 years, DAN felt it was a good investment also. SHERMAN TEALS admitted to being one year older, and wiser.

DON brought back a flag from Valencia, Spain, for the Club. And HANS has returned from his European junket.

Congratulations to TED SMITH on his appointment to the Board of Directors of the Contra Costa County Fair.

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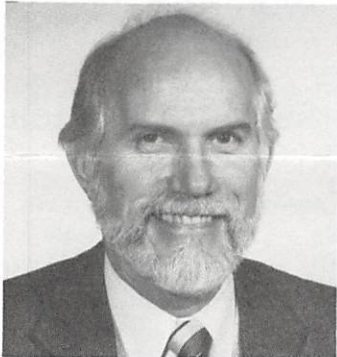
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"Earthquakes, Past, Present and Future"
Lloyd S. Cluff



Lloyd S. Cluff is Manager of the Geosciences Department for PG&E Co., and Vice Chairman of the California Seismic Safety Commission. He has been investigating destructive earthquakes for more than 25 years to better understand

earthquake causes, their effects, and how we can learn to live with them.

At PG&E, Mr. Cluff is Program Manager of the Long Term Seismic Program for the Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant, and is responsible for making seismic reviews of other PG&E facilities and, together with other PG&E departments, assessing their ability to accommodate earthquakes.

Mr. Cluff is a member of the National Academy of Engineering, and has served as President of both the Seismological Society of America and the Association of Engineering Geologists, and as a member of the Board of Directors of the Earthquake Engineering Research Institute.

Chairman of the Day: DON HARDISON

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JULY 24, 1987

"Liposuction"
Mark N. Saberman, M.D., F.A.C.S.

Dr. Saberman has been in private practice since 1970 at East Bay Center for Cosmetic Surgery in Pinole where a full range of services are provided, including an operating suite for ambulatory surgical procedures. He will explain "Liposuction" and its relationship to Cosmetic Surgery.

LAST WEEK

This day was declared Dr. C. EDWARD RUTLEDGE day by President BILL to commemorate the many years of unselfish service of ED RUTLEDGE. A moment of silence was observed.

Our visiting Rotarians were from Ocello Ohio and Bad Wildungen, Germany. Mr. Klaus Schreive of Bad Wildungen expressed a desire to see the exchange program his sister is involved with, expanded to involve Rotarians of each of our respective cities.

Our "Who Am I" for this week was LEONARD COX. He admits to 37 years of marriage. After serving in the Navy in World War II he worked for the NWP Railroad. Born in Kansas, LEONARD inherited his parents farm but the economy dictated his return to the transportation field. He is with Budway Trucking and Warehouse. LEONARD has 2 sons and a daughter, all teachers back in Kansas.

Recognitions went to HENRY KELMAN who celebrated a birthday and LEM WASHINGTON, who celebrated a birthday and anniversary. Also past president DON HARDISON celebrated 45 years of bliss on June 14th.

The Rotarian of the week is DGN WERNER J. SCHWARZ for his dedication to Rotary since 1963, which included a term as our club president.

PolioPlus has a goal of \$120 million. Our club has been asked to contribute \$40,000. The first week we had pledges of \$12,000. President BILL desires to be able to present our total pledge to the District Governor during his next area visit. President BILL knows you have what it takes to reach that goal.

The program for last week was presented by Program Chairman HAROLD GREENLEE. The guest speaker was Karem Shepard. Karem gave an interesting talk on GAIN (Greater Avenues for Independence). This program is geared toward AFDC (Aid for Dependent Children). The goal is to get parents off the welfare rolls by a comprehensive training program. A primary goal is to make the public aware of the program and get aid from all organizations, not just public institutions. This

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 program has a legislative mandate to secure community involvement.

The ROP (Regional Occupation Program) presently in place at the schools will be assisting in skills training. This is a comprehensive effort to break the welfare cycle which can span to subsequent generations.

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Dr. Howard Lee, prominent Pinole plastic surgeon, will describe the latest fat reduction technique called liposuction.

Dr. Lee graduated from the University of Buffalo Medical School in 1962 and spent four years of post graduate surgical training in Boston before studying plastic surgery at the University of Syracuse.

He is a Board Certified Plastic Surgeon and member of the American Aesthetic Society.

Ladies Invited!

Chairman of the Day: RUSS SCHULZE

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Past President DON HARDISON took over the meeting as PRES. BILL was unable to be here due to Ruby's surgery at Brookside Hospital. JOE NUSBAUM gave us an invocation that included some thoughts on the recent hearings and DEAN BARBIERI welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests.

OSCAR LUGO gave a pitch for the Rotary Picnic (see separate announcement) and thanked SID BAUM and AL SILVA for helping on the committee. Director of International Service, BILL WAHBEH, reporting on Polio Plus announced that we have now received 12 pledges for \$1000 and over 20 for \$500 totaling over \$22,000 so far. He managed to pick up a couple more pledges while on the rostrum. PRES. BILL's goal is \$40,000 over the next 5 years to be reached by our District Governor's visit on August 28. Once Polio is eradicated throughout the world, the Polio Plus fund will cover other childhood diseases.

For recognitions, OSCAR "Picnic" LUGO was the only victim with \$50.00 for a birthday and an anniversary.

Chairman of the Day, DON HARDISON introduced our speaker, Lloyd S. Cluff, Manager of the Geosciences Department for PG&E and Chairman of the California Seismic Safety Commission. Mr. Cluff, speaking on earthquake safety, was in Mexico City on that fateful morning in 1985 when a big one hit. Fortunately, it was early in the morning and not many people were in the office buildings that collapsed.

It wasn't until the 60's that the geologic world really knew what caused earthquakes and planned to reduce earthquake risk by proper construction and possible warning. Slippage along a fault line is the basic cause but variations can include ground failure due to liquifaction, volcanic activity and tidal waves from vertical displacement under the ocean.

Mr. Cluff closed with the statement that 50% of San Francisco buildings are at high

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Among the honors he has received is an award from the United Negro College Fund for furthering the cause of Black Higher Education (1980). Two high schools in his Raleigh, North Carolina District were chosen by President Reagan's staff as Schools of Excellence (1983 & 1984).

Dr. Marks is married and has 10 children.

Chairman of the Day: DON LAU

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, AUGUST 7, 1987



Ken Stein, Executive Director of the West Contra Costa YMCA will give us a look at the activities going on in our area and an update on the planned center at Hilltop.

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With PRES. BILL still unable to be here, Vice President DAN READY took over and led us in the pledge to the flag. The invocation was by JOE NUSBAUM and HENRY KELMAN welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests. We were honored to have present our first visiting lady Rotarian, Diane Porter of the Pinole Club. Also on hand was Judge Bessie Drebelbeis.

SID BAUM reminded us that we should all plan to attend Richmond Rotary's own picnic on Sunday, August 9 and HANK COVELL announced that there are only 24 tickets left for the Masquers play and dinner on September 3. BILL WAHBEH brought us up to date on the PolioPlus campaign and collected a few more pledges toward our goal of \$40,000.

In the recognition department, STAN TEADERMAN volunteered the news that DAVE TROUGHTON had caught a 17 lb. salmon while they were on a fishing trip in Alaska. DAVE paid several dollars a pound for it. MERV DAVIS couldn't make the meeting but sent in \$50.00 for a birthday or something.

Very new Secretary, JIM SCOTT, asked all members to please return the info cards so we can bring our roster up to date.

Chairman of the Day, RUSS SCHULZE, introduced our speaker, Howard Lee, M.D., a doctor who lives off the fat of the land. Dr. Lee told us about liposuction, a method of reducing fat contours which was first introduced about 9 years ago. The Greeks first influenced our idea of the ideal female figure with their statues of Aphrodite and Venus de Milo 2500 years ago but the Cro Magnon female cave dweller of 25000 years ago was dumpy and shapeless looking. Before liposuction, fat removal meant surgery with long scars. Now a small tube is put under the skin and the loose fat cells sucked out. The method is for local contouring only and is not meant for major weight reduction.

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The raffle was won by DON HARDISON and REN PARTRIDGE.

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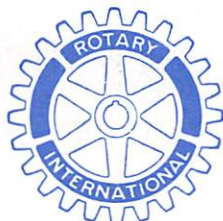
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"West Contra Costa County YMCA"

Ken Stein



Ken Stein, Executive Director of the West Contra Costa County YMCA will give us a look at the activities going on in our area and an update on the planned center at Hilltop. The land was donated by Chevron, now the fundraising for the buildings and playfields are taking place. There will be two large recreation rooms at the Hilltop facility along with small offices for the staff. An outdoor camping area and three softball fields are also planned on the large plot.

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Dr. Sato is certified by the National Board of Medical Examiners and the American Board of Plastic Surgery and has membership in numerous professional societies. He is the author or co-author of 20 publications, 4 films and 9 sound-slide programs.

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PRES. BILL opened the meeting by reminding us that now over 1 million Rotarians are being guided by the 4-Way Test. LEM WASHINGTON gave the invocation and HAL GREENLEE welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests. HANK COVELL announced that 18 spots were still left for the Masquers Play. OSCAR LUGO plugged Sunday's picnic and FRANK CORTESE pitched the Rotary Golf Tournament (see separate announcements).

Three of our reasonably new members became regulars when REN PARTRIDGE presented them with their blue badges. LEO COX, DENNIS EDMONDSON and HANK GREEN met the qualifications by becoming a committee member, attending a board meeting and giving a "Who Am I" talk.

For recognitions, BUD MARTIN had a birthday and a granddaughter for \$100.00, HANS SHAPER celebrated his and Lore's 49th anniversary for \$100.00 and MIKE WINTER paid \$27.00 for 27 years of wedded bliss. FRASER FELTER was going to get by with being fined for a birthday and anniversary but TOM BUTT suggested that FRASER also be fined for advertising Brookside Hospital. He paid \$100.00 for displaying a cast on a broken leg suffered in a fall at Tahoe.

"Rotarian of the Week" selection was WALTER WOLFFS, who has been a valued member of Richmond Rotary for 51 years. WALTER expressed his special feeling for Rotary for all those years and presented PRES. BILL with a check for \$500.00.

Chairman of the Day, DON LAU introduced our speaker, Ken Stein, Executive Director of the West Contra Costa YMCA and President of the Personnel Board of Richmond. Ken described how the "Y" has had many locations in the community and now has an office at 39th and Macdonald. They had to leave the Youth Center several years ago because the City kept raising the rent and it was badly in need of renovation. They then decentralized activities and now have 18 program locations handling 600 children per day.

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In 1956 they bought Camp Ravencliff from the Eureka YMCA located in the redwoods near Garberville and in 1969 Richmond Rotary purchased and donated the adjoining 52 acres to the Y. A new facility is planned at Hilltop on 25 acres of land donated by Chevron and they are in the process of raising 1.5 million through donations. There will be a state allocation for portable classrooms for child care.

The raffle was won by HANK GREEN and DAN SANDERS and HANK repeated on the free lunches for a month. JOHN NICOL thanked Pinole Rotary for their tailgate party at Rotary Night at the A's.

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"TOUGHLOVE" means that we allow our young people to experience the results of their behavior no matter how much we want to protect them. 'TOUGHLOVE' means a willingness to allow our teenagers to pay fines for acts they have committed whether we think they have money or not. 'TOUGHLOVE' means not protecting our adolescents from legal problems they have incurred whether we think they are guilty or not. 'TOUGHLOVE' means not allowing our runaways to return home until some real resolution of our living-together problem has been made. 'TOUGHLOVE' means getting tough with

ourselves and not being so quick to give away our T.L.C. This is hard medicine for parents to give and get. We would much rather avoid our own responsibility. This is why 'TOUGHLOVE' is so tough and why we need support from others in order to do what we know is right and loving. Most parents help their teenagers avoid consequences, particularly when the outcome seems beyond our expectations of what we or they can handle. Soft love, however, often becomes part of the problem that keeps our teenagers and us from experiencing the real consequences of unacceptable behavior.

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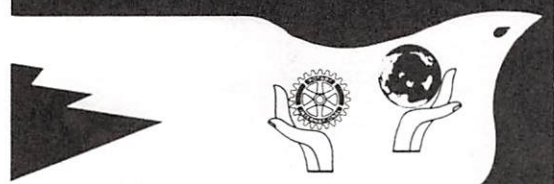
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Those of you who showed up will be given attendance credit.

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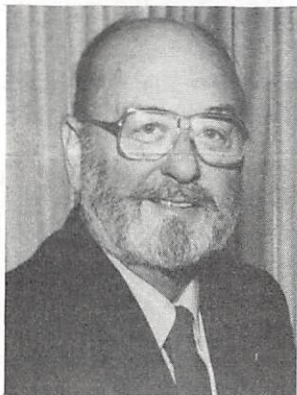
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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, AUGUST 28, 1987

OFFICIAL VISIT OF IAN HAMILTON
GOVERNOR, DISTRICT 516



Born and educated in Australia, Ian served in that country's Armed Forces in the Western Pacific during World War II.

It was while on the staff of the Australian Consulate General in San Francisco that he decided to take permanent residence in the

U.S. and since 1965 has been an independent insurance agent and broker in El Cerrito.

Ian joined the Rotary Club of El Cerrito in 1973 and served as its President in 1978/79. The following year, he was the District Governor's Group Representative and in subsequent years, served on the District Youth Exchange Committee, including three years as its Chairman. In 1983 he was named a Paul Harris Fellow and in 1985 received the District 516 Rotarian of the Year award.

In addition to his Rotary activities, Ian served as President of the El Cerrito Chamber of Commerce, local President and later State Director of the Independent Insurance Agents and Brokers of California and as President of Aahmes Shrine Medical Corps.

Married to Lorraine in 1956, they live in Kensington, have a grown son, Alan and daughter, Teri, both of whom are married and living in the Bay Area.

Ian will speak to us on International President Charles Keller's theme:

**ROTARIANS--
UNITED IN SERVICE--DEDICATED TO PEACE**



A Club Assembly will be held at 11:00 AM with the District Governor preceding the regular meeting. All Officers, Directors and Committee Chairmen are asked to have their reports ready for this meeting.

Chairman of the Day: D.G.N. WERNER SCHWARZ

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1987

"New Beginnings"

A speaker from Doctors Hospital will tell us about their Chemical Dependency Program.

LAST WEEK

PRESIDENT BILL started things rolling with a thoughtful analogy of the Rotary symbol, The Wheel. LEM WASHINGTON presented the thought of the day.

Reports indicate that the Picnic was a success and was enjoyed by all attendees.

Belated congratulations to all the Merit Award winners of GEORGE WACKER's tenure as president. These members exemplify the principles of the Four-Way Test.

SID BAUM reluctantly ceded his red badge for a blue at our last meeting. He could hide no longer.

Welcome to BILL REESE, our newest member, with the classification "Title Insurance", Additional Active. His father-in-law, Rotarian Bill Oram of Brownsville, Texas, did the honors of pinning the Rotarians Pin on BILL.

Condolences to DON HARDISON on the loss of his mother.

DON HARDISON had the honor of presenting CHARLIE PEICK as a Paul Harris Fellow by an \$800.00 donation from Ruth Peick.

Membership attendance was 115 or 74.6. Secretary JIM SCOTT reminded all members of the importance of weekly attendance and requested everyone's support.

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Visitors included Norman Neal of Petaluma with the classification "Farming"; Bill Oram, Brownsville, Texas, "Senior Active"; Joe Pena, Berkeley, "Newspaper"; and Jules Mayor, Berkeley, "Senior Active".

Recognitions: DAVE ALMEIDA, anniversary, \$100.00 for PolioPlus; WARREN "BUD" MARTIN, anniversary, \$2.00 per year (31 years=\$62.00); DAN SANDERS, birthday, \$50.00.

Rotarian of the Week HANS SHAPER asked for our support in keeping the Scholarship Program strong and viable.

The Masquers Play is a sellout. Thanks to HANK COVELL. We netted \$940.00 for Rotary projects.

The raffle was won by Demetrio (?) and GEORGE WACKER. Drink hearty men.

DAN TANITA, Program Chairman, introduced Joan Drees who gave a thought provoking presentation on TOUCHLOVE. The founders of this organization found the permissive environment in which their children were being raised did not produce the desired results; instead their daughter was caught up in drugs leading to robbery to support the habit.

TOUCHLOVE was founded to be a support group to the parents. Parents who set standards in the home and expect the standards to be complied with. Children were having problems with substance abuse and this, in many cases,






was resulting in disruptive behavior in the home. TOUCHLOVE is a parental support group who aid parents in sticking to their guns. This group makes suggestions only. It is not a quick fix solution, but a resource and support group. It involves parents making a change. Joan gave the five steps recommended to the parent which you may find of interest: 1) Define the problem; 2) Take a stand; 3) Get to the bottom line; 4) Make a plan; 5) Arrange support. These principles may sound very familiar.

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Assistant Editor

RICHMOND CAPTURES GOLF TROPHY

A 6-man team from Richmond Rotary Club beat out fourteen other Rotary clubs for first place honors in the Rotary Golf Tournament played at Richmond Country Club last Friday. The team consisted of ERLE BROWN, DEAN BARBIERI, LLOYD HENRY, SID FIELD, NORM FOLEY and former member Al Pittman. We will have our name put on a perpetual trophy and defend the title at Richmond Country Club next year.

Individual honors went to ERLE BROWN for best low net and SID FIELD and NORM FOLEY for fifth and sixth low net. Al Pittman got 2 bottles of wine for somewhere near the hole on the 11th.

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Chairman of the Day: GEORGE WACKER

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1987

"Brookside Hospital and its Services to the Community"

JOHN FRIEL

Our own JOHN FRIEL, currently Chief Executive Officer of Brookside Hospital, will be the speaker giving us an update of Brookside Hospital. He also served as Assistant Administrator of Brookside from 1978 to 1982.

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LAST WEEK

PRESIDENT BILL led with a "Labor" tribute to acknowledge the coming weekend celebration. This incorporated the Four-Way Test. LEM WASHINGTON led the pledge to the flag and MARKKU PELANNE gave the "Thought for the Day" with a special thought for the firefighters battling the forest fires. Visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced.

REN PARTRIDGE exchanged SID BAUM's red badge for a blue one. BILL WAHBEH made a special plea for any dentists interested in going to Mexico with the El Sobrante Club to please contact him as soon as possible. Medical assistance is needed.

PRESIDENT BILL advised us that DG Hamilton would like to see this club achieve the Presidential Citation. One goal which must be achieved is a 10% increase in the Paul Harris Fellow Sustaining Membership. Toward that goal, our Board has agreed to a matching fund program for any member who contributes to their Paul Harris Fellow and will be awarded the Paul Harris Fellow pin.

DON LAU was awarded his Paul Harris Fellow by Past President HANS SHAPER, with a donation from an anonymous benefactor. DON's benefactor felt he exemplified the creed of Rotary "Service Above Self".

Past President ELOF GRANBERG was the Rotarian of the Week for August 17th. In addition, ELOF celebrated a birthday in August. DICK NELSON had a double header with a birthday and an anniversary. BOB BROWN, not to be outdone, had an anniversary, a birthday and a new baby in August. Congratulations to ERLE BROWN on his August 29th anniversary, LEN COX for 38 years of marriage and DON GRECO for 25 years.

Raffle winners were DOUG STRAUS and WALT ZERA.

DAN TANITA, as Program Chairman, introduced our guest speaker Robert Faulk. Mr. Faulk is associated with the "New Beginnings" program at Doctor's Hospital. This program is, in turn, associated with the national "Recovery Centers of America".

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Mr. Faulk discussed the controversy surrounding drug testing in business. Many trials and tribulations surround the usage of drug testing in companies. Studies indicate that the company goals are two fold: Aid the employee and enhance productivity. One of the most common signs which indicate a potential dependency problem is absenteeism, the average is a 16% increase.

Dependency has been determined to be an inherited tendency, e.g. a family history of alcoholics. Those with a family history have a stronger disposition to get the disease of substance dependency, the most common being alcohol. \$670,000 was spent in the State of California on alcohol problems alone. It was noted that those people who have a low tolerance for alcohol will not usually be predisposed to become alcoholics.

A major growing problem in this country is cocaine; in particular a purer variation called "crack". Crack excites the brain to a point of euphoria, and the person wants to maintain that state at all costs. The down side to Crack is a state of paranoia in the individual. A sign of a potential Crack user is tiredness for no apparent reason. To help combat this growing problem companies have sent approximately 3000 employees to training sessions on how to recognize the potential






problem and guide the user toward professional help.

Doctor's Hospital has a 16 bed Detox unit under "New Beginnings", yet this only scratches the surface of the need. Alcoholics continue to drink to maintain the state which they are in; experts have noted the alcoholic's tolerance level is much higher than average. There was a case where the person had a 5.0 alcohol level when picked up for driving while under the influence (DWI). Compare this to the legal definition of DWI of .10 and you have an understanding of the magnitude of the problem.

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PRESIDENT BILL with Rotarian of the Week, Past President HANK COVELL.

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The meeting was led off with PRESIDENT BILL giving an analogy of the letters in ROTARY. LEM WASHINGTON gave the thought for the day, which was followed by a hearty rendition of "God Bless America".

HAL GREENLEE gave the introductions of visiting Rotarians. GERRY CULLEN was honored as Rotarian of the week for 45 years of dedicated service with 100% attendance.

Recognized were DENNIS EDMONDSON who celebrated 14 years of marriage as of August 25 and contributed \$2.00 per year, and JOHN PALAZZOTTO who entered into matrimony on August 30, 1959 for 28 years.

WERNER SCHWARZ served as Program Chairman for the visit of District Governor Ian Hamilton. DG Ian Hamilton reviewed his tenure as District Governor. The District is 3rd in the United States and 39th in the world in program participation. There are 13 Scholarships available in the District and 43 extraordinary candidates. (HANS SHAPER and company have their work cut out for them.)

The G.S.E. (Group Study Exchange) Program was a success with the visit of the women from Sweden. The next exchange will be 5 men from our district to District 204 in Italy. Their trip will be in May, 1988. The Italian trip will be for 5 weeks. A Group leader is needed and DG Hamilton is extending an invitation for any interested Rotarians to contact him.

Service to Youth programs are viable and supporting 300 youths in the United States, and 9000 worldwide; the age is 16 to 18. RYLA, with its involvement with the high school youth enable participation in the Rotary Camp Royal.

A Freedom Leadership Scholarship will allow one candidate from our district to attend this year's conference.

Rotaract - Interact program is going strong with Rotary supplying counselors in substance abuse. A much needed program in an age when 20% of deaths and 50% of injuries in youth vehicle accidents are related to

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substance abuse.

An adult oriented program attacking Adult Illiteracy is another program undertaken by Rotary. The district committee could use your voluntary support for this worthwhile effort.

World Community Service is an ongoing effort which is exemplified by the Island of Fiji.

Special programs include Polio Plus, a concerted effort worldwide, to irradiate polio and related diseases. The fund goal is \$120 million worldwide and \$1.2 million in District 516, a major commitment to the world. Another special program is The Friendship Exchange with the City of Chelsea which has resulted in a sister city and sister club relationship. Melbourne, Australia, has made an offer for a District to District exchange in 1988. District 918 will be visiting our District in May, 1988.

This year's Theme, as you may have seen in the newsletter, is "United in Service-Dedicated to Peace". The key words for Rotarians to keep in mind are "Tolerance" and "Understanding". These two words can be used to our common goal of Peace.

DG Hamilton closed with a challenge, "Make a commitment and have fun doing it."






DENNIS EDMONDSON, Assistant Editor



PRES. BILL with District Governor, Ian Hamilton.



GERRY CULLEN receives "Rotarian of the Week" plaque from PRES. BILL.

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JOHN received his Registered Nurse License from Lynn Hospital School of Nursing in Lynn, Massachusetts. He received his B.A. degree at California State University, Sonoma, and received his Master of Public Health degree from U.C.L.A. School of Public Health.

JOHN's previous experience includes that of Assistant Director of Nursing at Marin General Hospital, Senior Vice President at Herrick Hospital in Berkeley, and Senior Vice President at Alta Bates Hospital.

He is affiliated with many professional organizations which include the American College of Hospital Administrators, and the Health Care Executives of Northern California. He also is a member of the National Eagle Scout Association and serves on the Eagle Board of Review for the Mt. Diablo Council of Boy Scouts of America.

Chairman of the Day: DAN TANITA

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1987

"Chevron USA"

HAL HOLT will bring a speaker from Chevron USA to give us a look at present day operations in both the Richmond Plant and the company as a whole and the future of the oil industry.

LAST WEEK

MARKKU PELANNE gave the invocation and DARROL DAVIS welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests. Vice President DAN READY, filling in for our absent President, helped TOM AMESS celebrate his 8th anniversary and accepted a voluntary donation from DUANE MERRILL for 42 years of wedded bliss and 15 grandchildren. It should be noted here that Rotary Ann Hildred was present to pay DUANE's "voluntary" donation.

In a special presentation, Past President GEORGE WACKER handed out award certificates to several members who helped him during his year 1985-86.

Chairman of the Day, GEORGE WACKER introduced our speaker, Terry Yonemura, founder of the International Businessman Club in Japan. Mr. Yonemura bluntly stated that America should be more like Japan and even hire Japanese engineers to run our factories. He spends much time organizing business leaders for cooperation and feels there are still many opportunities for new business between our countries, despite past problems. Japan is the size of California but has 5 times as many people. With all new industry since WWII they need markets for their products just as badly as we do.

With the value of the yen soaring against our dollar, Japanese goods can remain competitive only if production costs are cut. With 95% of its oil being imported, fuel costs are very high and because of the oil glut, no more tankers are being built there.

Mr. Yonemura closed by criticizing our free enterprise system for having too many government projects and also suggests we should have fewer lawyers.

The raffle was won by BILL REESE and BART WALLACE.

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COMING EVENTS

- Oct. 2 - Assemblyman Bob Campbell
 Oct. 9 - Brookside Burn Center
 Oct. 23 - 90th Birthday Celebration for
 CARL REHFUSS at Treasure Island.
 See CHARLIE WONG for reservations.

COMING EVENTS

BOARD MEETING

A Board of Directors meeting will be held on Friday, September 18, 10:30 AM preceding the regular meeting at Mira Vista Country Club. All Officers, Directors and Committee Chairmen are asked to attend and members are welcome.






THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Jack-in-the-Box is owned by Ralston Purina. The food may not be very good but at least you'll have a shiny coat.

NORM FOLEY
 Editor



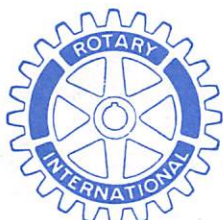
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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1987

"Chevron USA"

HAL HOLT will bring a speaker from Chevron USA to give us a look at present day operations in both the Richmond Plant and the company as a whole and the future of the oil industry.

Chairman of the Day: HAL HOLT

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1987

Assemblyman Bob Campbell

Giving us a political update will be Robert J. Campbell, Assemblyman for the Eleventh District, which sits entirely within Contra Costa County extending from Richmond to West Pittsburg. A native California, Bob has lived in Richmond since 1948 and attended local schools.

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LAST WEEK

PRESIDENT BILL led off with a tribute to our 200th Anniversary of the Constitution with the key opening of "We the People". SHERMAN TEALS led the thought for the day. DEAN BARBIERI introduced visiting Rotarians and guest.

CHARLIE WONG announced the October 23rd 90th birthday party for CARL REHFUSS. The cost is \$25.00 per person and the seating capacity is 200.

PRESIDENT BILL did a quick survey of subscribers to Rotary Magazine; a few hands were raised. The magazine is highly recommended, particularly when our own DG designate WERNER SCHWARZ had his photo in it. WERNER graciously

accepted a fine for the photo along with his birthday for \$98.02.

BILL WAHBEH announced a club donation of \$1000.00 to the North Madras Rotary Club in India towards support of a Vocational Training School.

DAVE SMITH gave an update of the Job Shadow Program. A list was sent around for signing up between October 2 and December 18, 1987. DON GRECO is the chairman of this committee. DON was also the Rotarian of the Week.

Recognitions: DAVID LEIBEL contributed \$50.00 for his September 11th birthday. Another DAVID also celebrated his birthday on September 11th for which he contributed \$50.00 toward Polio Plus. MARKKU PELANNE was recognized for his fine contribution as Director of Community Services 1986-87. LEN COX and JIM SCOTT were challenged on the two turkeys won at the transportation meeting.

DAN TANITA, Chairman of the Day, introduced our very own Rotarian JOHN FRIEL as the guest speaker. In attendance was JOHN's lovely wife Connie. JOHN gave some very interesting insight on problems facing not only Brookside but the entire Health Care industry.

Nation-wide health care represents 11 to 12 percent of the Gross National Product. With an operating cost of approximately \$375 million Brookside was born with a \$4 million bond in 1954; in fiscal '87-88, it has generated \$74 million in revenue. Twenty-four thousand people visit the Emergency Room at Brookside Hospital each year. Brookside is attempting to service not only the immediate area, but Northern California as well. This is being done by expanding its available services with specialties which include the Burn Unit and Cardiac Care. The Cardiac Care will eventually include open heart surgery in approximately 18 months.

Health Care has had a great impact on how Brookside, as well as other hospitals, conduct their business as 85% of patients are either Medicare or Medical. The hospital

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is located in an aging community. Presently the bed utilization is between 50 - 60% of capacity. The majority of patients today are on an outpatient status, approximately 80%.

Health Maintenance Organizations (HMOs) are impacting the manner in which hospitals do conduct business. Profits are being impacted by the rise of HMOs such as Kaiser. Kaiser has 38% of the health business in the Bay Area. To compete it is necessary to streamline operations. This includes developing a product line orientation. Brookside is concentrating its resources on Cardiac Services, Obstetrics and Outpatient Services programs. This will allow expansion into the community. Also being studied by the the Board of Directors is affiliations with other hospitals.

Winners of drawing were ELOF GRANBERG and HANK COVELL.

DENNIS EDMONDSON
Assistant Editor

PRESIDENT'S REPORT OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS
MEETING - September 18, 1987

Current Membership: 117, 2 honorary, our goal is 148. Attendance: 80.3% up from 74.8% last month.

MATCHING FUNDS awarded to new Paul Harris Sustaining Members is limited to \$1000; new members are urged to 'get yours' before funds

run out. NOTE: Donations to R.I. via Paul Harris may be designated to specific programs such as Polio Plus, Scholarships, etc.

VOCATIONAL SERVICE REPORT: Director, HENRY KELMAN - The JOB SHADOWING program will kick off Oct. 1st. The BOOST PROGRAM is requesting a donation of \$500 to co-sponsor their CAREER FAIR Oct. 31st.

MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT REPORT: Director REN PARTRIDGE - 3 or 4 new members are expected to be inducted by the end of Sept.






INTERNATIONAL SERVICE REPORT: Director BILL WAHBEH - Richmond Rotary donated \$1000 to North Madras Rotary Club for educational programs. More than \$30,000 has been pledged to date for Polio Plus; our goal \$40,000.

MARK WILSON, current President of YMCA, made an appeal to the Board for funds to support purchase of an additional 60 acres adjacent to Camp Ravencliff to expand the Y's camping facilities - request being studied.

We desperately need volunteers to fill COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS. Members are urged to pick your favorite avenue of service and call the appropriate director.

NEW BUSINESS: The BOARD approved a \$1,300 donation for Camp Royal, next year.

This report is intended to inform the membership of the internal operations of your Rotary Club and the outstanding job your elected officials are doing.

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1987



"Legislative Changes"

Robert J. Campbell,
Assemblyman

Our speaker this week will be Robert J. Campbell, Assemblyman, Eleventh District, which sits entirely within Contra Costa County extending from Richmond to West Pittsburg and includes approximately 300,000 people.

A native Californian, Bob has lived in Richmond since 1948 and attended local schools. He joined M.A. Hays Insurance Company in 1965, became a partner in 1967 and is currently President and chief stockholder.

Politically he worked in John F. Kennedy for President campaign 1959; was elected to the Richmond City Council 1975 and served to 1980; was elected to California State Assembly 1980 and re-elected in 1982 and is currently serving on many Assembly Committees and Commissions.

Bob is a member of the Richmond Exchange Club; Richmond, San Pablo, El Sobrante & Martinez Chambers of Commerce; Richmond & El Sobrante Boys Clubs; W.C.C. Girls Club; NAACP and the Japanese-American Citizens League.

Chairman of the Day: KUMAR BELUR

PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1987

Chairman FRANK CORTESE will bring us a special program on the observance of the Constitution Bicentennial. Also narrating will be Vice President DAN READY and Past President NORM FOLEY.

LAST WEEK

DAVE KUCHENTHAL started things off by leading us in the pledge to the flag and HANS SHAPER gave us an inspirational message on the Constitution and Bill of Rights. DARROL DAVIS welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests, including two ladies from Pinole, and CHARLES WRIGHT introduced his "Shadow" from De Anza High School. PRES. BILL wondered if the husbands of lady Rotarians are called Rotary Andys.

For recognitions, DAVE SMITH celebrated a birthday and an anniversary for \$50.00, RON ACQUISTAPACE accepted our club's offer to match his \$50.00 for a Sustaining Membership and BART WALLACE put up \$50.00 for his birthday. WALT ZERA volunteered his anniversary and \$100.00 and PRES. BILL tried to get his Rotary Ann, Ruby, to donate \$32.00 for 32 years of happiness. She brought \$2.00 for the two good years.

In a special presentation, DAVE CALFEE presented Ruby with a Paul Harris Fellowship and in turn was named Rotarian of the Week by PRES. BILL. Ruby gave us a little history on how she and BILL met and DAVE, who has been a Rotarian for 35 years and President 1983-84, told a timely pope joke.

The raffle was won by SHERMAN TEALS and RICK HILL and SID BAUM gets free lunches for a month.

Chairman of the Day, HAL HOLT, brought two speakers to tell us about the Community Bowl sponsored by Chevron and Mechanics Bank. First up was Tom Canard, football coach at Contra Costa College who brought with him Stephen Kelly, Most Valuable Player in last year's Community Bowl, won by Butte College over Contra Costa College. The caliber of J.C. football has so improved that all junior colleges are overwhelmed by recruiters and Contra Costa College has 25 players in major colleges. Tom came up with the idea for a bowl game instead of extensive playoffs for junior colleges and got help from Chevron and Mechanics Bank. The next one will be December 5, 1987. Next up was former 49er Dan Colquico, who gave us a

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little history of pro ball back in the 60's.
Dan, who played at Diablo Valley College,
lauded the Jr. College programs.

Before the close of the meeting, CHARLIE
WONG introduced Janette Lachterman, widow of
former member Milt Lachterman, who came all
the way from Houston to pay the remaining
\$900.00 for a Paul Harris Fellowship in
Milt's name.

CARL'S 90TH!

Be on hand to help PDG CARL REHFUSS
celebrate his 90th birthday at Fleet
Admiral Nimitz Officers Club on Treasure
Island, Friday, October 23rd.

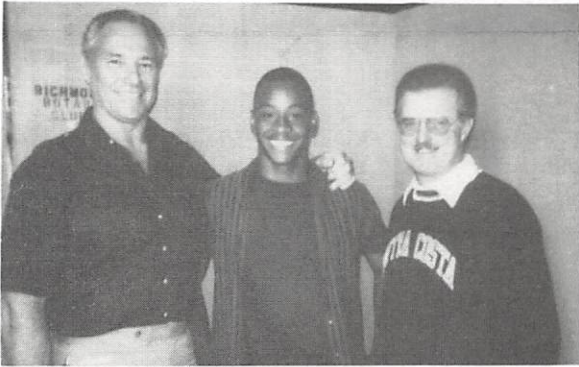
The event is sponsored by Richmond
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Tickets are \$25.00 per person

Contact CHARLIE WONG or JACK HORTON



Rotarian of the Week, DAVE CALFEE
receives his plaque from PRES. BILL.








Dan Colquico, Stephen Kelly and
Tom Canard.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

One of the quickest ways to meet new people
is to pick up the wrong ball on a golf course.

NORM FOLEY
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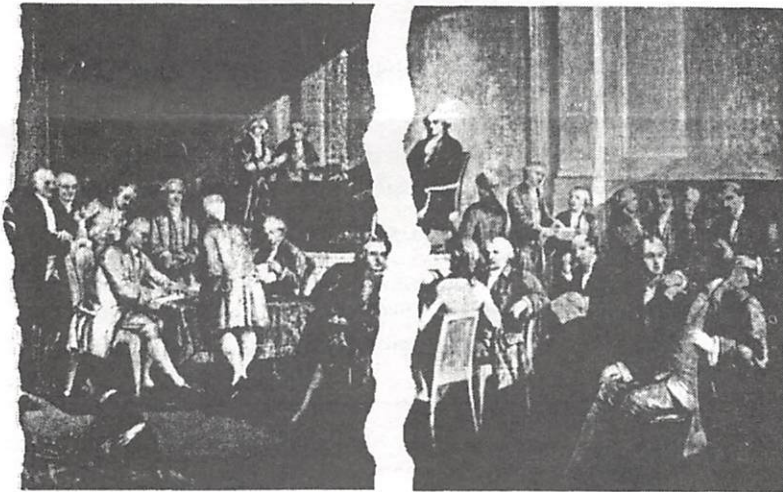
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A MORE PERFECT UNION

FRANK CORTESE, assisted by Vice President DAN READY and Past President NORM FOLEY will give us a look at how the drafting of the Constitution began in 1787 with representatives from twelve states gathering in Philadelphia. Although the Constitution was completed and signed in less than four months, it took another year for all of the original states to ratify it.

Chairman of the Day: FRANK CORTESE

PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, COTOBER 16, 1987

Mario Aquilino of the Landfill Department of the Richmond Sanitary Service will cover the problems involved in meeting all the requirements of the Army Corps of Engineers and B.C.D.C. in disposing of waste products near the Bay.

LAST WEEK

PRES. BILL welcomed all to Richmond Rotary, a club Committed to Community Understanding and Peace and then had LEM WASHINGTON lead us in the pledge to the flag. In deference to our speaker, FRASER FELTER gave a quote from a French writer on politicians for our inspirational message. Visiting Rotarians and guest were welcomed by RICHARD WYNECOFF.

FRANK CORTESE announced that he is planning a Richmond Rotary Invitational Golf Tournament for next May at Mira Vista with the idea of raising money for some of our projects.

While he was up, FRANK put another \$100.00 towards a Sustaining Paul Harris Membership for his 25th anniversary. MARKKU PELANNE celebrated his 13th anniversary with another \$100, JOHN PALAZZOTTO put 50 towards a Paul Harris Sustaining Membership for his birthday and HANK COVELL was recognized for his birthday to the tune of \$50 in the Community Fund.

Chairman of the Day, DAN TANITA, subbing for the ailing KUMAR BELUR, introduced our speaker, Assemblyman Robert J. Campbell. Bob, no stranger to Richmond Rotary, started off by defending the character of legislators stating that there are good and bad, just as in all occupations. He covered all the committees he is working on in Sacramento but focused mostly on the Ways and Means Subcommittee on Education. There is 7 billion in school construction needed right now plus 3 billion in other needs. With this staggering requirement in mind, Bob suggested that all of us should seriously consider giving our State Tax refund to the schools and support them in any other way we can.

In other areas of concern he discussed the cumulative effect of all toxics washing into the Bay and took the major insurance companies to task for charging losses in investments to customers and not using their own reserves.

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At the end of the program, the "Rotarian of the Week" award was presented to CHARLIE WONG by PRES. BILL for serving the club faithfully for 27 years.

The raffle was won by guest Maria from the Richmond Library and SAM SARKISSIAN.

CARL'S 90TH!

Be on hand to help PDG CARL REHFUSS celebrate his 90th birthday at Fleet Admiral Nimitz Officers Club on Treasure Island, Friday, October 23rd.

The event is sponsored by Richmond Rotary and Chevron USA.

Tickets are \$25.00 per person

Contact CHARLIE WONG or JACK HORTON







CHARLIE WONG is Rotarian of the Week.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

No one can make you feel more humble than the repairman who discovers you've been trying to fix it yourself.

NORM FOLEY
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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1987

"Waste Disposal"

Mario Aquilino

Mario Aquilino of the Landfill Department of the Richmond Sanitary Service will cover the problems involved in meeting all the requirements of the Army Corps of Engineers and B.C.D.C. in disposing of waste products near the Bay.

Chairman of the Day: KUMAR BELUR

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1987

"Richmond's Economic Development"

Patricia Sheehan,
Richmond Redevelopment

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LAST WEEK

PRES. BILL announced October as "Occupation/Vocation" month. LEM WASHINGTON led the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. JOE NUSBAUM gave the thought of the day.

CHARLIE WONG reminded the members of the upcoming CARL REHFUSS 90th Birthday Party on October 23rd.

JOHN NICOL reminded members of the Reno FunTrain Trip to Reno on January 10 & 11. The last day to sign up is November 6th. The cost is \$150.00 for a double room.

JIM SCOTT was given special acknowledgment for his coming wedding on October 10th. DOUG STRAUS acknowledged his 32 years on this planet with a \$50.00 donation. KEVIN DOLAN was recognized for his October 5th anniversary. Also, PRES. BILL recognized KEVIN DOLAN as the Rotarian of the Week.

FRANK CORTESE was the Program Chairman. He announced the idea for the Bicentennial Celebration came from a speakers bureau sponsored by the U.S. Government. In addition, DAN READY and NORM FOLEY each participated.

Of interest were some of the subjects undertaken by the framers of the Constitution. In particular, the idea of a National Currency and the issue of Slavery. As pointed out, the framers were sent to amend the Articles of Confederation, not draft a new Constitution. Of the two controversial issues mentioned the former was resolved, the latter took 76 years and a bloody Civil War to resolve. NORM noted that the delegates were comprised of 22 lawyers, 11 businessmen and 11 farmers/plantation owners. DAN READY pointed out that the Constitution is the oldest instrument of a National Government.

FRANK CORTESE noted that it did not take long after ratification for the United States to be in its first conflict, the War of 1812, against the British.

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BOARD MEETING

A Board of Directors meeting will be held on Friday, October 16, 10:30 AM preceding the regular meeting at Mira Vista Country Club. All Officers, Directors and Committee Chairmen are asked to attend and members are welcome.

COMING EVENTS

- Oct. 23 - "Richmond's Economic Development"
Patricia Sheehan, Redevelopment
Oct. 27 - Willie Monroe, Channel 7
Nov. 13 - Senator Daniel Boatwright
Nov. 20 - Mayor George Livingston
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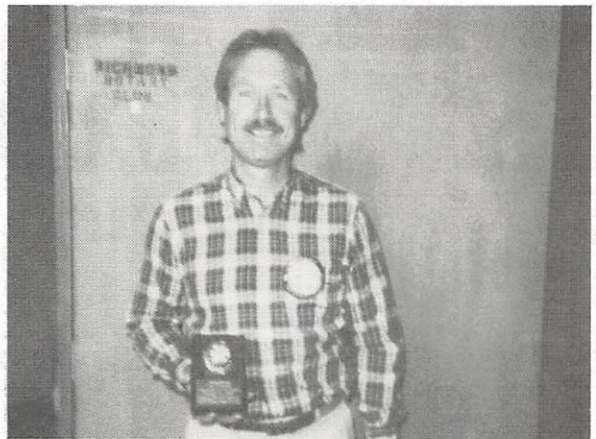
CARL'S 90th!

Be on hand to help PDG CARL REHFUSS celebrate his 90th birthday at Fleet Admiral Nimitz Officers Club on Treasure Island, Friday, October 23rd.

The event is sponsored by Richmond Rotary and Chevron USA.

Tickets are \$25.00 per person.

Contact CHARLIE WONG or JACK HORTON



KEVIN DOLAN is Rotarian of the Week.



DAN, NORM and FRANK gave us a history lesson on the drafting of the U.S. Constitution.

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1987

"Richmond's Economic Development"

Patricia Shean

Patricia Shean, filling a key position in the Redevelopment Agency, has been named Economic Development Administrator for the City of Richmond. "Richmond is tremendously unique," claims Shean. "There is 32 miles of shoreline and more raw available land than I've ever seen anywhere." Shean will be responsible for coordinating both economic development and redevelopment activities, including waterfront properties and city center projects. She will report to the Assistant City Manager but will work closely with the City Manager's office and other key staff to plan and develop Redevelopment Agency programs, activities and strategies.

Her experience includes a substantial business development background in the Bay Area and public agency experience. She most recently has been a development/management consultant for a variety of clients.

As Development Project Director for the City of Mountain View Shoreline Development, Shean acted as Contract Consultant and managed the \$6 million project from planning review through grand opening. The project included a 770 acre recreational and commercial facility on an experimental landfill site bordering the shoreline of San Francisco Bay.

Chairman of the Day: KUMAR BELUR

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1987

Willie Monroe of Channel 7 will tell us what it's like to be a newscaster on a major television station.

LAST WEEK

This being Vocational Service Month, PRES. BILL opened by suggesting that we use our occupation as a means to serve our community. LEN COX led us in the pledge to the flag, DAVE KUCHENTHAL gave a blessing to the S.F. Giants in his invocation and DAVE SMITH welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests. BILL REESE brought along a Kennedy High School basketball star as his "Shadow" for the day.

For the first time in the history of our club we welcomed three lovely ladies into our membership: Attorney LESLIE LEVY, School Administrator JUDITH COLEMAN and Judge BESSIE DREIBELBIS. Sponsors REN PARTRIDGE and DAVE CALFEE introduced them and gave them their survival kits. Each of the ladies thanked Richmond Rotary for giving them the opportunity to serve their community through Rotary.

In the recognition department, KUMAR BELUR celebrated 17 years of marriage with a donation to PolioPlus; JIM SCOTT is still celebrating his honeymoon; PETE BRAY purchased a Paul Harris Sustaining Membership for his 49th birthday and REN PARTRIDGE put \$100 towards PolioPlus for his birthday. Our new members sang "Happy Birthday to PETE and REN. STAN TEADERMAN tried to nail his dad, Herb, for being responsible for his birthday but finally came up with \$100. REN proposed an "ounce" pool for LESLIE LEVY's upcoming blessed event and WES SEAPY volunteered another \$100 towards his Sustaining Membership.

The raffle was won by SAM SARKISSIAN and FRAN WILSON.

Chairman of the Day, KUMAR BELUR, welcomed our speaker, Mario Aquilino of the Landfill Department of Richmond Sanitary Service. Mario introduced his father, Caesar, who has been in the garbage business for 45 years. Garbage has been a problem since history began with it originally being thrown out windows for the animals to eat. Later it was collected and burned in piles but now it

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must be covered over. With 27 government agencies to go through, it is becoming increasingly difficult to find landfill sites. Richmond will last about six more years and Martinez about two. Several sites in east Contra Costa County are being considered with all drawing protests from distant neighbors. The best possibility is a narrow valley near the old coal mines of Sommersville and Stewartsville which could last over 60 years with no chance of contaminating surrounding areas. Burn plants are proving successful in solving part of the problem but, again, too many protests.

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BOARD HILITES

The following items were discussed or acted on at the last Board of Directors meeting:

-Membership has increased to 122 but attendance has dropped from a poor 80.3% to a dismal 72.5% (looks like the stock market).

- \$500 donated to the Seaman's Center to help purchase a new computer.
- \$3000 donated to the West Contra Costa YMCA for several of their community programs.
- We have 12 new Paul Harris Sustaining Members and 3 new Paul Harris Fellows.
- Programs under consideration are: Drug and Alcohol Abuse; L.E.T.A. (aging in the community) and sponsoring tutoring to combat illiteracy.

ROTARY RENO TRIP

The Annual Intercity meeting in Reno is set for January 10-11, 1988 and deadline for reservations is November 6, 1987.

The special chartered train will arrive in Richmond at 7:15 AM, Sunday, January 10; Martinez at 7:40 AM and Sacramento at 8:40 AM.

A Kick-Off Fizz Party will be held at the Richmond Sanitary Service offices at 5:30 AM, Sunday morning.





Cost: \$150.00 double & \$160 single

Contact Chairman JOHN NICOL.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Money isn't everything...but it does tend to keep the children in touch.

NORM FOLEY
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"TV Newscasting"

Willie Monroe

Willie Monroe joined CHANNEL 7 NEWS as a reporter in April, 1985. Before coming to KGO-TV, he spent 3 years as a reporter/anchor of the 5:00 PM weekday and weekend newscasts for the NBC affiliate, KYW-TV in Philadelphia. He was also a reporter for the station's "I-Team" investigative unit, which received a local Emmy in 1983 and awards for enterprising reporting from both the Pennsylvania Associated Press in 1983 and the Philadelphia Press Association in 1984.

Willie began his broadcasting career in 1972 as a reporter and weekend anchor for KXAS-TV in Fort Worth, Texas. He then spent a year reporting for KBTB in Denver before returning to KXAS-TV in Texas. Back at KXAS in 1978, he produced and hosted a weekly news interview program and anchored the weekend news broadcast. In 1979 Willie became a network correspondent for NBC operating out of the Southwest Bureau in Houston, Texas, and the Northeast Bureau in New York.

Willie graduated in 1971 with a degree in communications and public policy from U.C. Berkeley. In 1972, he attended a summer program at Columbia University Graduate School of Journalism.

A native of Arizona, Willie was reared in Los Angeles. He has traveled extensively throughout Europe and North Africa and developed interests in photography and music. He lives in the Bay Area with his wife Gail and their daughter Samantha.

Chairman of the Day: LEM WASHINGTON
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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1987

"Environment Impact in the Bay Area"

Mary Lee Guinon

LAST WEEK

LEM WASHINGTON led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. TOM BUTT elaborated on PRESIDENT BILL's Four Way Test. TOM discussed "Truth" with quotes from famous authors; a great deal of food for thought by both PRESIDENT BILL and TOM BUTT on the significance of being a Rotarian.

DEAN BARBIERI chaired the introduction of visiting Rotarians and guests.

DAVE KUCHENTHAL reported that our latest Rotarian, Judge BESSIE DREIBELBIS, is recovering from surgery as is fellow Rotarian FRANK CORTESE. We wish them both a speedy recovery and await the return of their smiling faces.

JOHN NICOL reminded all that the Reno Train Trip is fast approaching and you must get your reservations in as soon as possible.

JOE NUSBAUM presented Frank Davis of "BOOST" a check for \$500.00 toward continuation of that commendable project on behalf of the Richmond Rotary Club.

PRES. BILL highlighted the last Club Board Meeting. A goal of "100%" attendance for the November 20th meeting was set by PRESIDENT BILL. Hopefully this will offset the decline in attendance from 80.3% to 70.25% experienced over the past two months.

Recognitions:

Birthdays: CHARLIE WONG celebrated 62 years; CARL REHFUSS 90 years with a special Birthday Party that evening; and RAY STAFFORD celebrating 40 years on October 7th.

Rotarian of the Week: GEORGE WACKER, former Club President and Senior Active was recognized by PRESIDENT BILL as the Rotarian of the Week.

KUMAR BELUR served as the Program Chairman. He introduced Patricia Shean who, with associates Donna McCain and Nancy Kauffman, gave a presentation on the present status of the Downtown Redevelopment. It was pointed out that a fresh approach is being undertaken in the redevelopment of downtown with the Memorial Park site the centerpiece of the project. The design and development is being packaged in such a way as to be capable of

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presentation on a national scale. A mixture of residential and commerce is being planned with the expectation one will compliment the other. The non-residential will consist of both governmental and private enterprises. Richmond is a city which is very progressive toward revitalization of its city.

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CARL'S 90TH BIRTHDAY PARTY - by RUSS SCHULZE

Last Friday Eve at the Officers Club Treasure Island, Richmond Rotary and Chevron USA paid tribute to CARL REHFUSS. DON HARDISON gave the invocation and DAVE CALFEE listed and lauded all of CARL's activities as an outstanding citizen over the years. He has been a working Rotarians for 44 years.






Robert Proctor, representing Chevron USA, told of coming to work at the refinery as a young engineer. Unlike those of us in Rotary who've been told by CARL that "This is something you can't do" CARL always told him, "Why can't you do it?".

Congressman George Miller's representative presented a proclamation entered into the Congressional Record on CARL's behalf. It was very positive and made all of us in the audience realize what an effective community leader he has been. He presented him with

a wallet containing \$9. The tenth will be given on the condition that Stanford (CARL's Alma Mater) beats Oregon State. District Governor Ian Hamilton brought greetings from the president of Rotary International and WERNER SCHWARZ introduced the past district governors in attendance. BILL SHIELDS, the Master of Ceremonies, stated that the City of Richmond had made October 23, 1987 "CARL REHFUSS Day". He introduced CARL's family and CHARLIE WONG and JACK HORTON who organized the birthday celebration. The Club gave CARL a fancy antique chair (with a plaque containing his name) which only he can use while attending Rotary. It was a wonderful evening in honor of a wonderful guy.



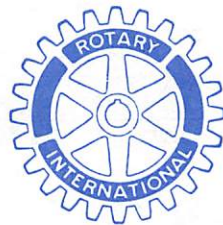
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"Environmental Impact"

Mary Lee Guinon

Our speaker this Friday will be Mary Lee Guinon of L.S.A., an environmental restoration and assessment company. Her company recently moved from Berkeley to Point Richmond.

Ms. Guinon graduated from the University of California at Berkeley majoring in Forest Genetics and did graduate studies at North Carolina State. She later worked in Germany studying giant Sequoias.

Her talk will cover LSA's involvement with environmental impact in the Bay Area.

Chairman of the Day: OSCAR LUGO

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1987

SENATOR DANIEL E. BOATWRIGHT
7th Senate District
Contra Costa County

First elected to California State Legislature in 1972, Senator Boatwright is currently serving his second term in the State Senate. Newspaper and magazine profiles describe him as one of the most powerful and effective members of the Legislature. A Contra Costa Times political columnist has written that Senator Boatwright is "amazingly skillful at getting bills passed and money in the budget for things in Contra Costa County. He has served as Assembly Ways and Means Committee chairman and as chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee and is the only legislator to have chaired the top finance committees of both houses of the State Legislature. Don't miss his political update of Contra Costa County.

LAST WEEK

PRESIDENT BILL welcomed all the Rotarians on All Hallows Day better known as Halloween. A convoluted invocation by DARROL DAVIS was given concerning the first part of the 4-Way Test. Is it fair to all concerned? He quoted Shakespeare, Emerson, MacArthur and others about what is right and fair.

PRESIDENT BILL got into the spirit by attempting to put on a mask with a large nose and spectacles. Fortunately, it wouldn't stay on. He had us raise our left hand and swear to some untruths, then he had us put our right hand in our pockets and take out five dollars as a fine to cover our sins.

DAVE SMITH introduced guests and visiting Rotarians.

NORM FOLEY attended lunch at Oakland Rotary where he accepted the golf trophy for first place won by Richmond Rotary. ERLE BROWN was awarded low net. NORM, substituting for BILL WAHBEH, gave a report on the International Service Committee; PolioPlus, scholarships, Group Study Exchange and we learned that our next group exchange will be with Italy.

DICK NELSON generously contributed three sustaining memberships to our newest women members.

JUDITH COLEMAN is well on her way to converting her red badge to a blue badge by giving her "Who Am I?". She told us of her roots in Maine, her coming to California via seminary school and her work in the Richmond Unified School District Children's Program as teacher and administrator. She also serves on the Board of Trustees at Brookside Hospital.

We celebrated STAN GRYDYK's birthday. The best card he got was one that said "Screw the Golden Years". BART WALLACE had a birthday and made a sizeable contribution.

PRESIDENT BILL made NORM FOLEY Rotarian of the Week and gave him an appropriate plaque. NORM responded with a quotation by W.C. Fields: "Every man should believe in something. I believe I'll have another drink."

LEM WASHINGTON introduced our speaker Willie Monroe from the newsroom of KGO,

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Channel 7 News. He explained how he's in the business of communications. Basically they are trying to tell people something that means something. The 11:00 PM news report competes against video tapes, cable TV and the audience going to bed early. In order to be competitive they have to avoid rehashing old news. They have to do research and they must know their audience and what they want. There's no way that TV news can cover everything.

The raffle was won by BESSIE DREIBELBIS and another lucky Rotarian.






RUSS SCHULZE
Acting Editor



GEORGE WACKER, "Rotarian of the Week", Oct. 23.



NORM FOLEY, "Rotarian of the Week", Oct. 30.

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1987

SENATOR DANIEL E. BOATWRIGHT
7th Senate District
Contra Costa County

First elected to the California State Legislature in 1972, Senator Boatwright is currently serving his second term in the State Senate. Newspaper and Magazine profiles describe him as one of the most powerful and effective members of the Legislature. A Contra Costa Times political columnist has written that Senator Boatwright is "amazingly skillful at getting bills passed and money in the budget for things in Contra Costa County."

A moderate Democrat characterized by many as the Legislature's only true "populist", Boatwright has served as chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee. The former Assembly Ways and Means Committee chairman is the only legislator to have chaired the top finance committees of both houses of the State Legislature.

Boatwright chairs a Senate panel on fiscal oversight, the Select Committee on State Procurement and Expenditure Practices, which investigates tips of waste, fraud and corruption in state-funded programs. He is a member of the Senate Committees on Appropriations, Revenue and Taxation, Banking and Commerce, and Elections. He also serves on the Joint Committee on Prison Construction and Operations.

Chairman of the Day: KUMAR BELUR

PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1987

MAYOR GEORGE L. LIVINGSTON

Mayor Livingston was elected to the City Council in 1965 and served as Mayor in 1969-1970. In 1979 he was again elected to the Council serving as Mayor on two occasions.

In a special election November 5, 1985 to fill a vacancy created by the death of Thomas J. Corcoran, George L. Livingston was elected Mayor of Richmond--the first directly elected black mayor of the city.

LAST WEEK

PRES. BILL opened the meeting with a Veteran's Day tribute to all the men who have lost their lives in defense of their country followed by LEN COX leading us in the pledge to the flag. SID FIELD gave the invocation and visiting Rotarians, as welcomed by PETE BRAY, included Bob Tyne of Clayton, Victoria, Australia. SAM SARKISSIAN brought along his "Shadow", Nicki Wong of Richmond High School. PRES. BILL showed us a plaque presented to Richmond Rotary by B.O.O.S.T. president, HAL HOLT. Our club has continued to boost B.O.O.S.T. for its vocational training program in the community.

"Who Am I?"

BESSIE DREIBELBIS was born and raised in Pinole, attended Richmond schools and graduated from U.C. Berkeley. While working as a legal secretary in Martinez and Richmond, she studied law at night and after receiving her law degree, worked as an attorney for the same firm. In 1973 BESSIE was appointed Judge of the Bay Municipal Court by then Governor Reagan and she continues in that capacity today.

PRES. BILL matched \$250.00 collected in the Community Fund last week and presented Richmond Rescue Mission Director, Malcolm Lee, \$500.00 for Thanksgiving meals. Malcolm thanked the club and told us of the 147,000 meals the Mission is serving this year in addition to housing 20 families every night.

MARKKU PELANNE accepted a check for \$500.00 for the Seaman's Center and presented BILL with flags from the Atlanta and Decatur, Georgia Rotary Clubs collected during his recent travels to the Southeast and Great

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Smokies. MARK WILSON also accepted a check for \$3,000.00 for the new Y.M.C.A. being constructed at Hilltop.

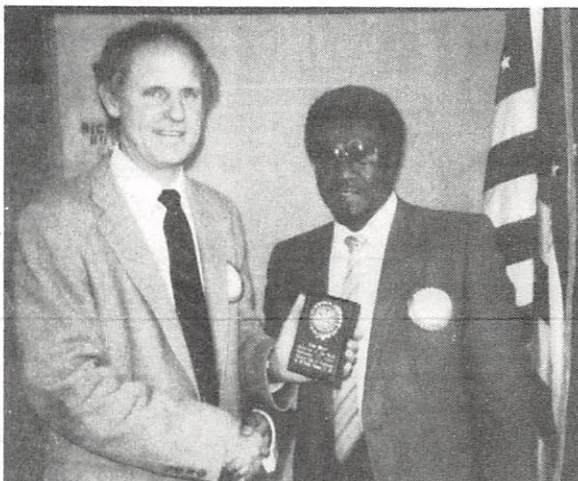
For recognitions, JOHN FRIEL of Brookside Hospital celebrated an anniversary but had to put up an extra \$20.00 because PRES. BILL couldn't read the name and address on some correspondence from the hospital. BILL REID offered \$50.00 for his first anniversary, TED SMITH put \$100.00 towards PolioPlus for his anniversary and GEORGE WACKER celebrated 40 years of wedded bliss with another \$100.00 for his Sustaining Paul Harris Membership. Former Director TOM BUTT was named "Rotarian of the Week" by PRES. BILL.

Chairman of the Day, OSCAR LUGO, introduced our speaker, Mary Lee Guinon of L.S.A., an environmental restoration company. Their job is to rebuild what mankind has done to the environment as well as help companies with their Environmental Impact Reports. Ms. Guinon showed slides of projects involving the transplanting of former growth destroyed by large scale developments and the actual restoration of sand dunes at the new Spanish Bay Golf Links that had been sand and rock quarries.

The raffle was won by BILL REID and BILL WAHBEH and DENNIS EDMONDSON gets free lunches for a month.

COMING EVENTS

Nov. 27 - Round Table
Dec. 4 - Annual Auction
Dec. 11 - "Financial Planning"
Dec. 18 - El Cerrito High Christmas Program
Jan. 10-11, 1988 - Rotary Reno Trip








"Rotarian of the Week", TOM BUTT, receives his plaque from PRES. BILL.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

The best time to buy anything is last year.

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"Rotary Scholarship"

Leslie Pannell

Leslie Pannell will be our speaker for this Friday's meeting. She will be speaking on her experiences as a Rotary scholar in Geneva, Switzerland.

Leslie is a native of the San Francisco Bay Area, having grown up in Walnut Creek. She has lived in the Marina Bay development in Richmond for five years. After having received her B.A. degree from Stanford and spending five years working in sales and marketing, Ms. Pannell applied for and received a Rotary Graduate Scholarship for 1986-87.

She attended and received her MBA degree from the International Management Institute in Geneva, Switzerland through the auspices of the Rotary Foundation.

Chairman of the Day: WIN BOWMAN

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1987



A regular meeting is planned for the Friday after Thanksgiving but instead of a program with speaker we will have an informal round table.

Come join the fun.

LAST WEEK

After PRES. BILL opened the meeting with a poem about red roses and serving your fellow man, LLOYD HENRY gave us another poem for the inspirational message. TOM AMESS welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests and DAN TANITA introduced his "Shadow", Dana Haraguchi, a senior at De Anza High School.

CHARLIE FENDER told us about his recent trip to Europe where he stayed two nights in Lund, Sweden with his GSE guest of last April and also visited East Germany. PRES. BILL had been waiting for his return to nail him for his anniversary and being named "Rotarian of the Week" while gone. CHARLIE put another \$100.00 towards his Paul Harris Sustaining Membership.

The "ounce" pool for LESLIE LEVY's baby was won by TOM AMESS and visitor Blair Burton at 116 ounces. They won a total of \$155.00 which they both donated to PolioPlus. DAVE ALMEIDA announced that the Christmas Party would be held on Saturday, December 19, at Mira Vista and Past President RUSS SCHULZE was named "Rotarian of the Week".

A couple of weeks ago, DGN WERNER SCHWARZ put up \$60.00 for a really big birthday plus another \$40.00 for having his picture in the August Rotarian Magazine. Our club matched his \$100.00 so he purchased Paul Harris Sustaining Memberships for his two children, Ron and Donna.

Chairman of the Day, KUMAR BELUR, introduced our speaker, State Senator Daniel Boatwright of the 7th District, Contra Costa County. Senator Boatwright, who saved the Richmond Job Training Program and kept the George Miller Centers for Handicapped open, described how the State surplus funds had to go back to the taxpayer because no decision was made on them by June 30. He is for all the surplus going to schools because our governor did not properly fund the schools this year. California is last in size of classes and nearly last in per capita spending.

In addition to a bill to provide proper funding for schools, Senator Boatwright has authorized bills to require full terms for violent crimes, improve shorelines and a

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a 10 year project to improve levees.

The raffle was won by SID BAUM and guest Jim Powell.

BOARD MEETING

A Board of Directors meeting will be held on Friday, November 20, 10:30 AM preceding the regular meeting at Mira Vista Country Club. All Officers, Directors and Committee Chairmen are asked to attend and members are welcome.

COMING EVENTS

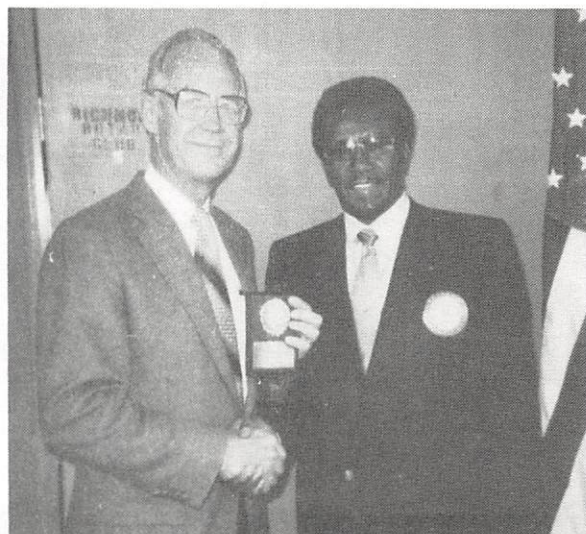
Dec. 4 - Annual Auction

Dec. 11 - Mayor George Livingston

Dec. 18 - El Cerrito High Christmas Program

Jan. 8, 1988 - High Altitude Nuclear Explosion





Jan. 10-11, 1988 - Rotary Reno Trip



RUSS SCHULZE is "Rotarian of the Week"

If a cluttered desk is a sign of a cluttered mind, what does an empty desk indicate?

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1987

RICHMOND ROTARY'S ANNUAL AUCTION

AUCTION



Start gathering gifts and donations now to be auctioned off at our regular Friday meeting. All proceeds go to Rotary Foundation. Balloting for officers and directors for the coming Rotary year will precede the auction.

LAST WEEK

On this designated 100% Attendance Day there was a good crowd to join MARKKU PELANNE in the pledge to the flag. For the invocation, HANK COVELL repeated an essay from a Vietnamese student first read a few years ago when the young boy had so much praise for his new country. That young man has now graduated from U.C. and looks forward to a good life in the U.S.A. HENRY KELLMAN introduced visiting Rotarians and guests included Joe Kanard, new C.E.O. of the Richmond Chamber of Commerce. SHERMAN TEALS had with him his "Shadow", Lisa, from El Cerrito High School.



Vice President DAN READY, chairman of the Nominating Committee, put in nomination for Secretary, JIM SCOTT; Treasurer, DAVE ALMEIDA and the following six candidates to fill three slots on the Board of Directors: DEAN BARBIERI, KUMAR BELUR, ERLE BROWN, LLOYD HENRY, SAM SARKISSIAN and DOUG STRAUS.

Past President DON HARDISON, chairman of the President's Nominating Committee, put in nomination DAN READY for President and JOE NUSBAUM for Vice President. Balloting will take place before the Annual Auction on Friday, December 4.

In recognition of the Big Game, Old Blue CHARLIE FENDER played part of a tape from the Stanford Band and DAVE CALFEE, resplendent in a red hat, issued his annual challenge for alumni of the losing school to donate \$10.00 to Rotary Foundation. JOE NUSBAUM came up with his perennial condemnation of the whole Big Game fiasco.

It was good to see RUDY LOEBLEIN back after a lengthy illness. RUDY had a few events to make up for so he offered \$200.00 for 100 years total anniversary and age. All smokers had to pay \$1.00 for each cigarette smoked on Smoke Out Day.

In a special presentation, JOHN NICOL awarded a Paul Harris Fellowship to DICK NELSON who has had 32 years of perfect attendance. Pres. BILL named Past President

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(1973-74) JIM CLAUSEN as Rotarian of the Week.

Chairman of the Day, WIN BOWMAN, introduced our speaker, Leslie Pannell, a Rotary graduate scholar who earned her MBA in the oldest management institute in Europe in Geneva, Switzerland.

Leslie was assigned to Rotary sponsors in a small club outside of Geneva and was fortunate to be included in many family activities. It was a cultural as well as learning experience for her and she thanked Rotary for the opportunity to study in a foreign land.

The raffle was won by DARROL DAVIS and guest Bob Aguilar.

BELL RINGERS NEEDED!

Volunteers are needed for the next 5 weekends to man the Salvation Army Kettles at K Mart (San Pablo & Pinole), Mervyns and Capwells. Contact PETE BRAY at 237-8900 if you can spare an hour or two.

ROTARY CHRISTMAS PARTY

Saturday evening, December 19

Mira Vista Golf and Country Club



Sign up now for an evening of fun and good cheer.

See Judy Coleman, Bessie Dreibelbis or Dave Almeida for reservations.






\$35.00 per person includes wine with dinner and dancing to the music of Manny Gutierrez.

No Host Cocktails 6:30 PM
Dinner & Dancing 7:30 PM - 11:30 PM

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

The third day of a diet isn't too bad. By then you're off it.

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RICHMOND ROTARY'S ANNUAL AUCTION

AUCTION



Bring your gifts and donations to be auctioned off at Friday's meeting. All proceeds go to Rotary Foundation.

Balloting for Officers and Directors for the coming Rotary year will precede the auction.

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by the death of Thomas J. Corcoran, George L. Livingston was elected Mayor of Richmond--the first directly elected black mayor of the city.

LAST WEEK

Vice President DAN READY led the small but enthusiastic group in the Pledge and the Thought for the Day. DAN suggested we reflect on the many things which are right about the United States and give thanks. PETE BRAY supplemented Vice President DAN's Thought for the Day with a Thanksgiving thought of his own.

TIM THOMASON introduced the visiting Rotarian, former club member Paul Wengel, who is now with the Clear Lake Club. Paul shared a fund raising idea with Club members.

Angelica Almeida, the middle daughter of DAVID ALMEIDA, was given a resounding rendition of Happy Birthday by all present.

The club Rotary Christmas Party is being held on December 19th, Saturday evening at the Mira Vista Golf and Country Club.

There are spaces available on the Rotary Reno Trip through the El Sobrante Club; the point of contact for our club is still JOHN NICOL.

The Auction will be on the 4th of December. Bring your items. The minimum value of the prizes should be \$5.00. The bids are already coming in for the prized bottle of Muscatel. The first bid is already \$100.00. Expect some fierce bidding.

Please note the change of telephone number for member DENNIS EDMONDSON. His new home phone number is 754-9168.

Quote of the Week - "When people share their fears with you, share your courage with them."

DENNIS EDMONDSON
Assistant Editor

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Mayor Livingston has held the following offices: Vice Chairman of the Southside Democratic Club, Chairman of the C.C.C. Mayors Conference and President of the Richmond Boys Club, John F. Kennedy PTA and the Coronado Neighborhood Council.

Mayor Livingston is a Thirty-second degree Mason and Deacon of St. John's Baptist Church. He is married and has two children and two grandchildren.

Chairman of the Day: KUMAR BELUR

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PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1987

"EL CERRITO HIGH

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM"

LAST WEEK

PRES. BILL led the Pledge of Allegiance and JOE NUSBAUM gave the Thought for the Day. TOM AMESS introduced visiting Rotarians and guests.

Welcome back to FRANK CORTESE from his illness. New member ROGER FLOYD, General manager of the Hilltop Mall, was inducted into our club by REN PARTRIDGE. Welcome aboard ROGER.

Past President DON HARDISON reviewed the slate of contenders for the 1988 Club Officers. Ballots were cast and the results are to be announced at the next meeting.

Cal Alumni members came up with their last wager of \$10.00 each.

JOE NUSBAUM presented Jeanette Lochterman with a Paul Harris Fellow award on behalf of Milton Lochterman. JOHN NICOL presented the Paul Harris Fellow award to fellow member Dr. FRAN WILSON.

PETE BRAY introduced a special guest, Capt. Carol Anderson of the Salvation Army. Capt. Anderson requested the Club's assistance in bell ringing at the Hilltop Mall on December 19th. We could use another 6 to 8 people for 2 hour increments. The Bell ringing competition has been resurrected after a several years hiatus. Let's beat the San Pablo Club and reclaim the coveted Bell.

RALPH HILL reclaimed the infamous bottle of Muscatel at a price tag of \$125.00. RALPH is a second time winner of this cherished prize. The Auction proceeds this year will go to the Richmond Community Fund. This sum was \$2,079.00.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK:

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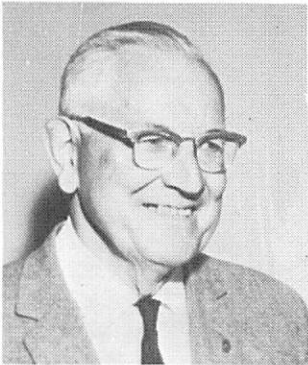
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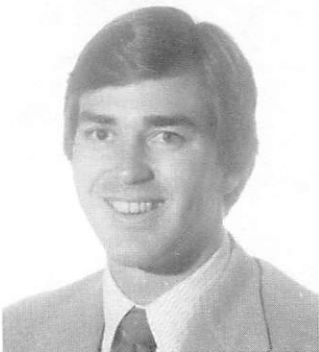
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"El Cerrito High Christmas Program"



The El Cerrito High School Vocal Jazz Ensemble will serenade us with traditional Christmas songs and many other selections. The ensemble, which sings at retirement and senior citizen centers every Christmas, was formed thirteen years ago by our own TERRY CLARK.

Chairman of the Day: TERRY CLARK

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NO MEETINGS ON CHRISTMAS DAY
AND NEW YEAR'S DAY

PROGRAM FOR FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1988

"Affect of High Altitude Nuclear Explosions"

Dr. D. V. Giri

High altitude nuclear explosions can adversely impact the performance of electronic systems hundreds of miles away, without resulting in any threat to life and property. Considerable progress has been made in recent years, in understanding such effects, their damaging potential and ways of safeguarding the electronic systems. An overview of this subject will be presented by Dr. D. V. Giri.

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LAST WEEK

PRES. BILL opened the meeting with a plea for peace followed by DON MILLER giving the invocation. DENNIS EDMONDSON welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests and two "Shadows" were introduced by DON LAU and TOM BUTT.

Past President DON HARDISON announced the results of last week's election (see separate insert) and then presented RUDY LOEBLEIN with a Paul Harris Fellowship Award. It's good to see RUDY back on a regular basis after a lengthy illness. Along that line, DAVE KUCHENTHAL announced that DARROL DAVIS is recovering from a recent heart attack with the help of a new miracle drug, GRANT CALHOUN is suffering from a mild infection and Vice President DAN READY is ailing.

For recognitions, SAM SARKISSIAN paid off his whole \$500.00 PolioPlus pledge, REN PARTRIDGE came up with \$100.00 towards PolioPlus for his anniversary, DON MILLER went 50 for 30 years of wedded bliss and yours truly donated 30 for an anniversary. PETE BRAY celebrated his anniversary with \$50.00 for the Richmond Fund, TOM BUTT put some towards PolioPlus, JIM CLAUSEN paid \$200.00 of his PolioPlus pledge and DAVE MITCHELL offered a little something for 23 years of marriage.

In a special presentation, JOE NUSBAUM, newly elected Vice President, was named Rotarian of the Week. PRES. BILL announced that we would try again for a 100% Attendance Day on January 15, 1988. This meeting will be preceded by a Club Assembly.

The raffle was won by REN PARTRIDGE and KUMAR BELUR.

Chairman of the Day, KUMAR BELUR, introduced our speaker, Mayor George Livingston, who recently returned from a Mayor's Conference in Tokyo, Japan. Mr. Livingston started off by talking of the days of old in Richmond when there was a lively downtown and then went back 102 years when Augustus Macdonald came to this area to hunt ducks and liked what he saw.

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Richmond has survived many crises since World War II and with the decline of the downtown we were able to develop a new "downtown" at Hilltop accessible from the freeway. The job of a black mayor is still not easy but George tries not to say different things to different people wanting all groups to pull together.

Mayor Livingston closed by assuring us that we all have a sound investment in Richmond as we are no longer the back door to San Francisco.





THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Marriage is the alliance of two people, one who never remembers birthdays and the other who never forgets them.

NORM FOLEY
Editor



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