

## ROTARY SPOKE

## ROTARY CLUB of REDWOOD CITY CALIFORNIA

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CHARTERED APRIL 22, 1946 DISTRICT 513

JULY 5, 1988

PENINSULA COVENANT CHURCH

TODAY: It's finally over and finally begun. What's over is the reign of Cowboy BILL. What's begun is the new Rotary year of '88-'89 with Pres. BOB at the helm and Pres-Elect BOB (this can get confusing) starting his year of indoctrination.

Hail and farewell. The hat tricks are over and a new course to be charted. It's been a good year! And now Pres. BOB is ready to give his dead reckoning on an even gooder one to come - that's the way it's been at R.C. Rotary each successive year for the past forty two now. What a wonderful system it is - this Rotary way.

Bit it can't work without your help and that's why we are starting this new Rotary year with Pres. BOB's first Club Assembly, Pay 'tention now, It really matters.

LAST WEEK: WAHOO! Back in the saddle again .... It's billed as the Annual Installation Dinner and so it was but it's the fun part, the debunking that we all really look forward to. And what a great bunch of good looking Rotarians, spouses and visitors did indeed assemble to wine, dine and enjoy at the Foster City Holiday Inn and, of course, to participate in the necessary formalities as well as the unecessary but delightful informalities of the evening. With Past Pres. PETE HUGHES wandering around somewhere in China, Past Pres. ROY FRANK offered his shining countenance as Master of Ceremonies - something he's a pretty good master at.

In the usual order of things, DR. GRUMAN led the assembled chorus in song, DENNIS D. led the pledge and District Governor this past year, ALDO J. SIMONETTI gave the invocation. How nice that he could honor our gathering by sharing in this happy occasion.

Now Past Pres. BILL took his final official trips to the podium for the last time. Announcements, there were none. Awards: 'a plenty - with special jackets for the Cowboy BILL's team, the club's directors and officers this past year and those very special people who supported BILL so well: Lisa and Sean and Barbara's parents Pete and Nancy Kuchinos.

And then the presentation of those very special awards PAUL HARRIS FELLOWSHIPS to the following; Tom Delfs, Pete Hodgson, Mario Ercolini, Mary Koslosky, Peter

Kuchinos, Nancy Kuchinos, Carolyn Rutherford, and last but not least, Pres. BILL passed on Barbara's P.H. Fellowship to her mother Nancy.

Then an appropriate recognition for those many whose special support helped the Polio Plus campaign reach its outstanding success. Too many to list but you know.

Along the way JOHN WOOLEY did his thing as finemaster, a thing he's really a master at. Guess it's because he's just so naturally nasty. Don't know why we think of Santa when we look at him - not with his better to get philosophy, albiet for good causes most often.

Past District Governor, SID did the honors in handling the formal installation of new officers and directors. And with that booming resonance you know it's official.

And then -- WAHOO! A Texas Roast for WILLIAM RANDOLPH CONKLIN with the branding done by Past Pres. BOB DOOLEY and friends.

A trial no less with Judge LYLE EDSON presiding over the pleadings of a devil of a prosecutor DAVE SCHRICKER and the angelic defense of defender DAVE SCHUTZ - and you'd better have some high connections to defend this cowboy. The evidence piled up with mounting slides of hats, fast cars and furtive glances (at anything and anyone - he was practicing to be an attorney before he was three).

But in the end justice of sorts prevailed and Cowboy BILL was permitted to join the PPC (Past President's Club). He even got back his missing hat and gavel - though how he'll get at them is not clear. Well, it is clear, but not certain.

Then with BILL's final remarks, new Pres. BOB adjourned another big event in our Rotary year.

NEXT WEEK: N.B. The next three meeting will not be here at the church.

Next week, July 12, is the annual BBQ - at the picnic area of St. Pius Church Valota Road and Woodside Road, Redwood City.

July 19: It will be R.C. Mayor Greenalch at the Sequoia Yacht Club.

July 26: The District Governor's Annual Visit - again we'll be at the Sequoia Yacht Club.

NAME AND CLASSIFICATION **ROTARY ADDRESS** BUS. Rotary PHONE Spouse Anniv. 3/84 Anisman, Melvin (Mel) - Real Estate, Investment Management 1/80 Armstrong, Msgr. Peter G. (Pete) - Religion, Roman Catholicism Baker, Howard A. (Howie) – Law Enforcement (Additional Active) Bechtel, Donald E. (Don) – Insurance, Casualty 4/87 6/82 3/85 Bell, Kay, Jr. (Kay) - Dredging, Sand and Gravel Bennett, David M. (Dave) - Food Product, Groceries Retail 8/87 Bergler, Harold Wm. (Bill) - Senior Active (Funeral Directing) 9/68 Berlin (Fishback), Elizabeth S. - Travel Agent 3/87 5/68 Berlin, Sidney L. (Sid) - Senior Active (Law Practice, General) 4/87 Boland, Robert A. (Bob) - Law Practice, Real Property 10/52 Bostwick, Dr. Alan M. (Alan) - Senior Active (Adult Education) 4/46 Brown, Dr. Robert G. (Bob) - Senior Active (Gynecology) Bulanti, B. J. Charles (Charlie) - Real Estate, Residential 10/81 7/65 Chaffey, Dr. George P. (George) - Senior Active (Educ. Admin.) Conklin, William (Bill) - Law Practice, Business 5/78 Dafnis, Stamatios V. (Sam) - Building Maint. 4/810 Delfs, Thomas E. (Tom) - County Govt. Juvenile Probation 9/87 Detch, Steven (Steven) - Audio/Video Systems 3/88 Distefano Robert (Bob) - Publishing/Newspaper 12/87 Dodge, Richard A. (Dick) - Office Supplies 11/78 Dooley, Robert E. (Bob) - Senior Active (Financial Planning) 12/74 Durkin, Dennis J. (Dennis) - Law, General Practice 10/84 Durkin, Dr. Robert W. (Bob) - Senior Active (Dentistry) 9/70 Easter, Stanley E. (Stan) - Honorary/Rotaract Advisor 11/59 Edson, Judge Lyle R. (Lyle) - Sr. Active (Judiciary, Superior Court) Enomoto, William H. (Bill) - Senior Active (Nurseries, Growing) 12/65 Ercolini, Mario (Mario) - Microfilm 3/84 Fox, C. Warren (C.W.) - Real Estate Appraisal 1/84 Frank, Roy J. (Roy) - Title Insurance 10/81 Fruehling, Merle D. (Merle) - Educ. Secondary Administration 1/78 Gerfen, Max E. (Max) - Honorary 2/50 Glenn, Ernest A. (Ernie) – Banking, Loans Graves, Orval C. (Orv) – Senior Active (YMCA) Greenwell, Dr. James O. (Jim) – Senior Active (Sanatoriums) 7/84 11/53 4/46 Gruman, Dr. Allen J. (Allen) - Education, Research 10/76 Guardino, Anthony L. (Tony) - Law Enforcement 7/82 Hack, Donald C. (Don) Paving 9/78 Haga, Roland N.V. (Roland) - Engineering, Civil 2/86 Hatch, Richard E. (Dick) - Banking, General 6/87 Helbush, Donald (Don) - Sr. Active (County Govt., Adult Probation) 8/60 Hjertberg, Harold (Hal) - Senior Active (Corp. Counseling) 6/67 Hodgson, Peter (Pete) - General Contractor 1/84 Hoff, Dr. John D. (John) - Physician, Gynecology 3/87 Hughes, Peter I. (Pete) - Plastics Fabrication 5/73 Jennings, William K. (Bill) - Education, County Administration 8/79 Keckley, Paul C., Jr. (Paul) - Senior Active (Physical Therapy) 11/54 Kemp, Judge Margaret (Margaret) - Superior Court Judge 11/87 Kever, Carolyn (Carolyn) - Hospital Administration 2/88 Koon, Dr. William (Bill) - Senior Active (Physician, Internal Medicine) 2/60 Koslosky, Walter E. (Walt) - Senior Active (Real Estate, Income Property) 8/70 Koster, Dr. Ronald W. (Ron) - Senior Active (Orthodontics) 8/60 Kreiss, Stephen H. (Mike) - Senior Active (Building Inspection) 7/57 Laos, Alfonso R., Jr. (Al) - Savings & Loan 9/85 Law, Arthur W. (Art) - Senior Active (Stationary Retail) 3/85 Lewis, Lloyd G. (Lloyd) - Heat Treating, Metal Products Lobree, C. David (Dave) - Consultant, Power Engineering 8/87 · 9/76 Long, Charles R. (Chuck) - Senior Active (Tech. Electronic Comp., Import) 11/59 MacLeod, Norman (Norm) - Film/Audio Comm., Prod./Dist. 8/74 Mertens, Jerry W. (Jerry) - Chemicals, Wholesale 4/80 Mikulic, Stephen A. (Steve) - Dentistry 7/86 Mitchell, Delbert (Del) - Senior Active (Shoe Retailing) 3/55 Newell, James W. (Jim) - Senior Active (CPA) 2/65 Nguyen, Duc Marcel (Duc) - Physician/Orthopedics 5/88 Nissan, Edward (Ed) - Tile Imports, Wholesale/Retail 11/720 Norris, W. Charles (Charles) - Salvation Army 9/85 Orozco, Oscar M. (Oscar) - Banking, Commercial 8/87● Parcell, Frank C., Jr. (Frank) – Senior Active (Air Conditioning) Pearson, Francis W., Jr. (Fran) – Senior Active (Tax Service) Pellizzari, Richard G. (Rich) – Electrical Contractor 4/63 3/49 3/81 • Pierce, Robert L. (Bob) - Sr. Active (Waterproof Chemicals Mfg.) 6/65 Poore, Dr. Thomas N. (Tom) - Senior Active (Surgery) 2/51 Raddavero, Mario - Food Services, Catering 7/87 Rausch, Lyle J. (Lyle) - Physician, Dermatology 2/85 Rutherford, Robert E. (Bob) - Senior Active (Marine Ecology) 6/76 Sanchez, Abel (Abel) - Photography
San Filippo, Steven (Steve) - Certified Public Accounting 2/88 9/81 Schricker, David E. (Dave) - Senior Active (Municipal Government, Law) 9/68 Schutz, David N. (Dave) - Senior Active (Newspaper Publishing) 4/46 Shelton, Floyd (Floyd) - Port Services 3/88 Silverstein, Stan L. (Stan) - Senior Active (Real Estate, Investment Counseling) 10/70 Souza, C. Joseph (Joe) – Senior Active (Food Products, Retailing) Stangel, William J. (Bill) – Jewelry, Retail Stevens, Maggie (Maggie) – U.S. Gov't/Postal Service 5/68 6/73 4/88 Stiff, D. Robert (Bob) - Education, College Administration 10/83 Strathdee, Frederick R. (Fred) - Architecture 10/81 Summey, Lemuel (Lem) - Senior Active (County Government, Law) 5/73 Szpotek, George F., Jr. (George) – Flowers, Retailing Thompson, Guy (Guy) – Automobile 4/73 2/86 Wall, Dr. Austin A. (Doc) - Dentistry, Implant 4/86 Wooley, John H. (John) - Senior Active (YMCA) 9/81 Young, Dr. Paul L. (Paul) - (Senior Active Podiatry)

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BBQ - ST PIUS CHURCH

TODAY: A BBQ at the picnic grounds of St. Pius Church - it being a joint meet of the Redwood City, Redwood Shores and Peninsula Sunrise Rotary Clubs. Enjoy!

LAST WEEK: Pres. BOB's first official stand at the podium and except for his wandering gavel, he looked pretty well in command. Through the good offices of Past. Pres. Msgr. PETE and Chief GUARDINO he not once but twice had that elusive gavel restored to his grateful grab - but what will the future hold with a start like this. Little wonder Cowboy BILL kept his in a holster.

PDG SID led the chorus in a "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" salute to our new Pres. BOB with the pledge led by former area representative and Belmont Rotarian Fred West. Pres. BOB followed with a very fine Rotary invocation - quoting from an inspirational message delivered before the S.F. Rotary Club not long ago.

And continuing to get his feet wet, Pres. BOB did himself take on the chore of finemaster, albiet it seemed more of a pleasure (to him) than a chore.

Starting the new year in fine fashion, CHARLIE BULANTI, as sponsor, did the honors in inducting as a new member a young old acquaintance of his, chiropractor DR. HERB BELL. We missed getting a biographical sketch from Past. Sec'y AL so you'll just have to wait for HERB's icebreaker to learn more about himself and his Rotariann: Julie. Meantime, get it first hand by getting to know him. Welcome HERB!

Club Assembly was the program as Pres. BOB presented to the club three important documents: a white paper listing officer's directors, committee assignments and most importantly, a list of goals and objectives for '88-89; a green paper listing all of the committee goals along with all the names of the committee chairpersons; and a pink paper seeking from each member his/her input on a number of questions on which Pres. BOB would appreciate your comments.

Be sure to attend to the last one. It means a great deal to any club president and even more importantly, to any club, to have a meaningful flow of thoughts and concerns from <u>all</u>. Without such representations, Presidents can unwittingly be cast in a role of dictator - and you don't want that and he don't want that.

Among the items discussed, Pres. BOB stated that he intends to implement the oft discussed change in "duck-out" policy whereby all are to be told, in effect, that

if you cannot stay for the full meeting it is suggested that you not stay at all and make up instead.

OTHER NEWS AND NOTES: From PDG SID we have very encouraging and inspirational reports on the progress in establishing the Eye Camp Project in Nigeria.

SID and Dr. Stanley Golden of Stanford will be going to Nigeria later this month to prepare for the transport of the full team of medical personnel to follow. It's easy to sense from SID's enthusiasm his great anticipation and thrill in making this wonderful project come to fruition - from night to day and sightless to sight for so many fellow humans in what can indeed be a very dark continent.

You've heard the news. JOHN WOOLEY is retiring. And that means leaving R.C. Rotary. Not fair - unless, of course, you remind yourselves that he'll no longer be around as a finemaster. The press has given all the details. For the rest of us it's good luck, God speed and drop around whenever you've got the time - and nerve.

DR. JIM GREENWELL - to surgery again. We're lacking news but not affection.

Dues notices are out. Please don't dally and delay. Get that check off right now to Club Treas. ERNIE GLENN.

And once again, those Committee Reports for the District Governor's visit, get them in. You've only one thing to do. Pres. BOB has a zillion. Don't throw the burden all on him.

NEXT WEEK: We'll be at the Sequoia Yacht Club to hear new R.C. Mayor Greenalch. For any not familiar, the club is on the same entry road you take off of Seaport Boulevard to reach Charlie Brown's.

COWBOY BILL'S CORNER (Final Edition with Bye-Bye Line) Set forth below are the goals set by our now PDG Aldo way back in July of 1987. Redwood City met six of the eight goals and would have had seven except for the District Conference. No way we could exceed the '87 Conference total. In '87 we as host club, had 75% of our members in attendance. In 88 the hotel could not have accommodated us all. Not too bad. We'll ask for the award.

#### DISTRICT 513 Goals & Objectives 1987-88

- \*1. Achieve a 3% net gain of members.
- \*2. Sponsor a new Rotary Club
- 3. Sponsor a new Interact Club, Rotaract Club or Rotary Village Corps.
- \*4. Initiate at least one new service project in Vocational, Community or International Service during the year.
- \*5. Participation by Club President and Secretary in the District Assembly.
- 6. Increase Club representation at the District Conference by 10% over last year's representation.
- \*7. Increase Contributions to the Rotary Foundation over last year's contributions.
- \*8. Meet the PolioPlus goal.

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TODAY: We expect to be hearing from Redwood City's new Mayor Jack Greenalch who, as most of you well know, spends most of his regular working day as Vice President of Canada College. With all that's going on and all that's actively being worked upon here in Redwood City there should be no shortage of vital and interesting subjects open to coverage by our new "Hizzoner" and, hopefully, open to question and discussion.

As in most new Rotary years, finemaster lists and coming programs are in process of getting put into place. We do not yet have the word but have no fear, finemasters and programs will always be hear. It just makes it hard not knowing who to butter up. Cheers!

LAST WEEK: A BBQ at St. Pius and joint meeting with the new Sunrise Club and Redwood Shores. A good turnout, indeed, albiet the shores were rather bore.

Pres. BOB, sans gavel, of course, presided over a fine "munchin" meeting with the "munchins" in charge of our own "hold the table cloths down" caterer MARIO RADDEVERO.

Songmaster ALLEN GRUMAN led the chorus, Sunrise P.E. DOROTHY PHELAN led the pledge and Shores Pres. BILL SANFORD gave the invocation.

On the low side of things finemasters RON SMIRNOFF (a San Carlos Rotarian but honorary member of the Sunrise Club for his part in helping out in its founding) and BILL JENNINGS (RC's finemaster-in-charge for the year) took turns in filling SAM DAFNIS' collection stradiverus - with no strings attached, of course.

On the high side we had a fine and fitting farewell to R.C. Rotary's exchange student for the past year from our sister club in La Paz, MARCO ANTONIO.

And what a year it was for this fine young man, thanks to great, great generosity, kindness and love of Past. Pres. PETE HUGHES, GINNY and their family.

Still, no support can take away from the fine-even outstanding performance of MARCO. Now relatively fluent in english, 4 inches taller they say and a letterman in basketball and tennis at Menlo-Atherton, among other fine accomplishments, MARCO did his best to leave a fine "MARC" as indeed he did.

And how nice it was that his father-another of the same name (MARCO) and a past president of the La Paz Club could be present to join in this fond farewell and

bid welcome to some future exchange by a member of the R.C. Rotary family in La Paz.

What a fine program. Give PETE his due for all he's done - and GINNY and all the HUGHES for all they've given and done.

Hilites over? No way. PDG SID introduced Dr. Stanley Golden who has done so much in helping SID put together the Nigerian Eye Camp Project. SID and Dr. Golden are now in Nigeria finalizing preparations for the transport of the full team of Opthamologists and all who will be on their way to the bush this early fall to bring light to so many in this, what can be, so dark a continent.

Isn't it wonderful! Be proud and take inspiration. R.C. Rotary can do and will do. So look at who's doing - Pres. BOB, DENNIS and our Adopt-a-School program, new auction chairman GUY THOMPSON and all the many new important committee chairpersons and members - they are all doers, just as you are or can be. Step forward. It takes so little when it involves so many. There is something so important that each of us can do.

NEWS & NOTES: Did you see PETE HODGSON without that cast? So it's a cane for now but it's wood in his hand and not the leg that counts.

And from all we hear, DR. JIM GREENWELL, bless our missing maestro, is progressing well following surgery to correct some of the problems occasioned by what we understand has been successful radiation treatment. Give a call - or maybe Lily deserves it more.

#### DUES ARE DUE. DO IT!!! Get your checks to ERNIE.

Committee Reports for the District Governor's visit next week. Now, now, now.... there's no time left. Do it!

And the pink sheets - your input to new Pres. BOB. Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid if their new Prexy. Lunch you enjoy. Now let's talk service - the heart of Rotary.

Let's see now - oh yes, don't forget the All Star football game in S.M. July 30 for the benefit of all the boys and girls clubs of S.M. Co. DENNIS DURKIN has all the details.

And, from former mayor BILL STANGEL, there's a concours and car show coming to downtown R.C. on August 6. A Mid-Peninsula and Western States Corvettes car show - the "American Dream" sponsored also by Menlo Park's Anderson (formerly Ely) Chevrolet. Sounds like quite a show - good way to have fun on an August 6 Saturday.

NB Redwood Shores Rotary is moving its meeting place from Clarks (out by Seaport Village) to the Gypsy Cellar at Jefferson and Middlefield. That's on Thursday noons so make a note.

NEXT WEEK: THE DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S VISIT: Be ready. Be There. We'll be at the Sequoia Yacht Club again to receive new D.G. BOB KANE. For you officers, directors and committee chairpersons it means being there early. Block out the time and if you have any questions at all call Pres. BOB. Just be sure to make sure R.C. Rotary puts its best foot forward. Pres. BOB needs all of you. Just ask Cowboy BILL and all who've gone before.

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TODAY: Aboard the Inland Seas or here at the Yacht Club it looks like it's a nautical welcome for District Governor BOB KANE on this day of his visitation to R.C. Rotary. Well, why not? It is the port city of Redwood City. We sit here with Seaport Village to the east of us, Seaport Centre across the lagoon to the west and beyond that the Marina Redevelopment area just across the Bayshore from the "Boardwalk" Shopping Center. So pipe the Army aboard and give a hearty R.C. Rotary welcome to our distinguished new District Governor BOB KANE!

Yesterday evening Pres. BOB and CAROLYN entertained Governor BOB and his wife, EDIE along with members of our club's Board and officers at Pres. BOB and CAROLYN's home in Palo Alto.

And today, after a morning of in-depth discussions of our club's goals, programs and activities with D.G. BOB, Pres. BOB and your officers, Directors and Committee Chairpersons, we're going to hear from our new District Governor something about the goals, programs, and prospects for what may be the last year for District 513 as we have known it for so many years past.

LAST WEEK: Pres. BOB, gavel firmly tucked under his belt, called on DR. GRUMAN to lead the song, MEL ANISEMAN to lead the pledge and DICK HATCH the invocation.

NORM MACLEOD took care of the fining but as one of his victims - and on a charge almost a year old - his elephantine memory will get no copy here. Poof!

But on to the bright side. Three new members inducted. What a pleasure!

DR. HARRIETT BROWN ARNOLD, Director of Staff Development for the Sequoia Union High School District, sponsored by MERLE FRUEHLING.

Former R.C. Rotarian RONALD A. KINSMAN, Financial Planning and Insurance consultant, sponsored by TOM DELFS, and

STEPHEN M. FURGUSON, Manager of the California State Automobile Association District Office in R.C., sponsored by Past. Pres. PETE HUGHES.

Outstanding additions to our proud roster of R.C. Rotarians. We look forward to hearing from them personally in their icebreaker talks. Meantime, get to know them and they to know you.

Our speaker was R.C. Mayor Jack Greenalch. Program Chairman BOB STIFF introduced Jack with a reminder that he (Jack) spends not just "most" of his regular day but "all" of his regular day as Vice President of Canada College. And you know who's boss up there.

With budget balanced and revenues up, R.C. is apparently looking to a bright future of Substantial Continued growth and redevelopment. Project by project, our new Mayor took us on an in depth tour of each of the major redevelopment areas in work or pending. Clear evidence of success lies in such facts as a 26% increase in building permits this past year to a new high of \$116 million along with an increase of 24% in property tax revenues realized from that growth.

An upbeat report, indeed, but not without warnings that these fine increases have probably peaked and looking ahead, some tight budget control will be needed to create and maintain the infrastructure required to support this growth.

NEWS & NOTES: BETH FISHBACK says that our three visiting Japanese students - continuing our long standing exchange program with the Hiratsuka club - will be arriving August 2nd and will be here for three weeks. Homes for the trio, ages 15, 16 and 21, have been arranged but help is still needed in providing for their entertainment and travels hereabout. Think of what you can do, as for example, their joining you and your family on a trip or outing already planned or that can be arranged. You've got the idea. Now get with BETH.

#### Some reminders:

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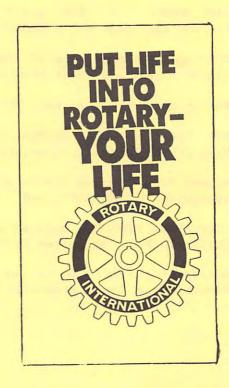
Don't forget the All Star Football game on the 30th in San Mateo. DENNIS has all the info. It deserves your support.

And then there's the concours and car show in downtown R.C. on August 6th.

Remember too, to get your thoughts and suggestions for this new Rotary year to Pres. BOB.

Be sure to read the articles about and by new R.I. President ROYCE ABBEY In the July issue of <u>The Rotarian</u>. This years theme from Pres. ROYCE: => => => => =>

NEXT WEEK: We will be back at the church where JERRY MERTENS will entertain you with the new '49ers Hilites film, provided, of course, that NORM MACLEOD is good enough to remember to bring along that fine projector.



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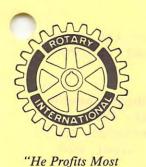
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PENINSULA COVENANT CHURCH

TODAY: JERRY MERTENS will be entertaining you with a presentation of the latest '49ers "Hilites" film - an annual treat and preview, perhaps, of all that will be worth seeing on TV this fall.

This year's finemaster-in-charge, BILL JENNINGS, says that this week's finemaster will be MEL ANISMAN. Be nice if the new schedule could hold for at least one week. Is that you MEL?

LAST WEEK: After a morning session with District Governor BOB KANE aboard Pres. BOB's flagship, the <a href="Inland Seas">Inland Seas</a>, the club's officers, directors and all the "group" joined in welcoming our new District Governor and his wife EDIE at our last away from home luncheon at the Sequoia Yacht Club.

A beautiful day, indeed, with PDG SID leading the chorus in a salute to DG BOB former RC Rotarian BOB FRIEBERTSHAUSER, visiting from Alaska, led the pledge and past prexy BOB DOOLEY gave the invocation.

With Rotarianns CAROLYN and EDIE gracing the head table, Pres BOB called on Past Pres BILL to do the honors in presenting to TOM DELFS his Paul Harris Fellowship. Congratulations!

On the lighter side, Cowboy BILL also presented a pair of extra large Cowboy BILL team jackets to Pres. BOB and Treas. ERNIE ("there's just more of me to love") GLENN.

Just returned from Nigeria, PDG SID presented Pres. BOB with banners from some of the club he visited - having spoken to five clubs in just four days. With great enthusiasm, SID spoke briefly of his visit there with Dr. Golden in connection with the Eye Clinic project and Medical Exchange being established - particularly of the apparent equal enthusiasm expressed by the Nigerian government and all others concerned and involved with this great undertaking. We will be receiving a more complete report from SID in the near future. Meantime, for SID it's on with the substantial work of arranging for the sourcing, transporting and funding of the supplies and equipment required along with the human resources involved.

But on to the hilight of the day - our visit from District Governor BOB KANE. Contrary to his own quips, DG BOB is hardly "dry and windy".

A warm and inspiring Rotarian, Governor BOB melded his own theme for the year of "Have fun and get things done" with R.I. Pres ROYCE ABBEY's theme of "Put Life Into Rotary - Your Life".

D.G. BOB then went on to discuss in detail the how to do it aspect of these themes in each of the four avenues of service in Rotary - Club Service, Community Service, Vocational Service and International Service. Point by point he related the objectives of this service to our own clubs projects and undertaking along with other examples from the doings of other clubs in the district.

D.G. BOB also put particular emphasis on the matter of getting back to basics in the need for an ever ongoing support of the R.I. FOundation, noting how the wonderfully successful Polio Plus campaign has unfortunately put a great strain on funds available for all the many usual and diverse other objectives and purposes of the Foundation.

And in this connection he reminded all of the upcoming Foundation Dinner to be held on October 15 at the Marin Civic Center. Sounds like another great event is in the offing so be sure to reserve time on your busy calendars.

In the net, Governor BOB was very gracious and generous in his complimentary remarks on R.C. Rotary. You should all be proud and all the more determined to make this another great year for both R.C. Rotary and District 513.

Many thanks to D.G. BOB for this fine visitation and all he is and will be doing this Rotary year in behalf of all of us in District 513.

OTHER MATTERS: Our three visiting students from Hiratsuka are due to arrive today, making it even that more urgent that all who possibly can be sure to get with BETH and let her know what you can do to help out in their entertainment and other experiences during their visit over these next 3 weeks. Even if you don't have something specific in mind, at least let her know you're ready and willing and maybe some ideas can be exchanged that will lead to a specific.

NEXT WEEK: August Prog. Chm. DAVE SHUTZ says we'll be hearing from Menlo Park Rotarian JOHN O'CONNOR who will give what we understand to be a very fascinating accounting of his experiences in making a solo sailing trip from San Francisco to Hawaii.

And from the finemaster's schedule it says that DON BECHTEL will put the bite on you - even if he does seem too nice for that sort of thing.

COMMITTEES: Our Rotary Club operates through committees which have the task of devising and putting into effect plans that guide and assist the members of the club in discharging their responsibilities in the following areas of Service:

Community Service, International Service, Vocational Service & Club Service

Each of these avenues of service has a director as its chairman. We have working committees within each of these areas of service and generally attempt to provide for service terms sufficiently long to ensure continuity.

The appointment of committees is done by the president, subject to the approval of the board of Directors. The president sits ex-officio on all committees.

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PENINSULA COVENANT CHURCH

TODAY: Menlo Park Rotarian JOHN O'CONNOR will be sharing his experiences on the high seas and his solo sailing trip from San Francisco to Hawaii. The many sailing enthusiasts within our group should really enjoy his accountings.

The finemaster's schedule states that DON BECHTEL is our finemaster. No doubt he will put the bite on you - even if he does seem too nice for that sort of thing.

NEXT WEEK: Billy Burden who is listed as America's "foremost memory training authority" will speak on "Remembering with ease" his teaching has been discussed in Readers Digest and Time, among other magazines.

According to schedule, this week's finemaster was to have been a member of the Rotary Club of Redwood City, however, the member who was supposed to be finemaster isn't going to be finemaster and instead another member of the Rotary club of Redwood City namely, Mario (I have your whole history on microfilm) Ercolini, will be finemaster for today's fine fine session!

LAST WEEK: ALLEN GRUMAN led a rousing chorus. RWC is still the best singing club in all 162 (or is it 163 now) countries of Rotary. Visiting Rotarian hissonor Judge Phrasel Shelton led the pledge and Past Pres. Norm MacLeod gave the invocation.

We were entertained by the new NFL San Francisco 49ers movie for 1988. It came complete with ads for New York Life Insurance Co. Jerry Mertens, a very knowledgeable ex-49er and long term member gave some insightful answers to the penetrating question about the local NFL franchise owned by Past Pres PETER G's traveling companion Eddie De B.

Members Dick Dodge and the afore-mentioned PETE were both on hand in London to watch the Niners loose the pre-season opener to Miami

on a last minute nap by the defense.

Beth Fishback introduced our three young Japanese visitors from the Hiratsuka Rotary Club. Their nicknames are Mar, Tomo and Yoshio.

STUDENT EXCHANGE: More about our Japanese Venture: Mar is 21 and understands some english. Tomo and Yoshio are brothers who presently communicate with a translation book. Two years ago Tomo and Yoshio's sister was one of our visiting students. She too knew little English upon arrival, but communicated well by the time she left for home.

We still have a need to provide these young people with a smashing time during their stay. When our sons and daughters go to Japan they are treated like royalty, so.... should we do any less? Contact Beth and make a point of spending at least a half a day with the boys the reward will be yours!

THE NEW R.I. POLICY ON VOCATIONAL SERVICE is the way Rotary fosters and supports the application of the ideal of service in pursuit of all vocations.

Inherent in the Vocational Service ideal are:

- 1) Adherence to, and promotion of, the highest ethical standards in all occupations, including faithfulness and fidelity to employers, employees, and associates, fair treatment of them and of competitors, the public, and all those with whom one has any business or professional relationships;
- 2) The recognition of the worthiness to society of all useful occupations, not just one's own or those which are pursued by Rotarians;
- 3) The contribution of one's vocational talents to the problems and needs of society.

Vocational Service is both the responsibility of a Rotary Club and of its members. The role of the Club is to implement and encourage the objective by frequent demonstration, by application to its own actions, by example, and by development of projects that help members contribute their vocational talents. The role of Members is to conduct themselves, their businesses, and their professions in accordance with Rotary principles and to respond to projects which the club has developed.

To reinforce the new emphasis on collective club efforts in this Avenue of Service, clubs are encouraged to set up subcommittees under the Vocational Service Committee in the following categories: 1) Career Development, 2) Vocation at Work, 3) Vocational Awareness; and 4) Vocational Awards.

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PENINSULA COVENANT CHURCH

TODAY: Billy Burden, who is listed as America's "foremost memory training expert", will be speaking on "Remembering with ease". His teaching methods have been discussed in articles in Readers Digest and Time, among others.

Who knows who the finemaster will be. Last week it was scheduled to be DON BECHTEL and turned out to be MARIO ERCOLINI, who, incidentally, also won the drawing.

NEXT WEEK: We are scheduled to have four (4) icebreakers by new members. Alphabetically, they will be DUC NGUYEN, ABEL SANCHEZ, MAGGIE STEVENS and BRADLEY WOOD. Come, learn more about these enthusiastic neophyte Rotarians as each gives a 6 1/2 minute autobiographical sketch of him or her self.

LAST WEEK: John O'Conner, owner of Menlo Colonial Chapel in Menlo Park and a member of the Menlo Park Kiwanis Club, gave a graphic description of his one-man sailing trip from San Francisco Bay to Hilo, Hawaii. O'Connor's exciting experience was told in a humorous manner, such as staring eye-to-eye with a school of sharks, outlasting three storms, eating cold canned food, sleeping in wet sleeping bags and going without a shower for a month. (There was probably more than the smell of fish wafting in the air!) O'Conner referred to the 25-day journey (one-way) and 34-days (the other way) as the "ultimate" trip.

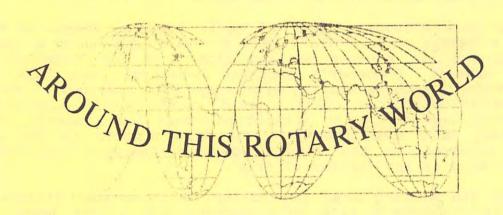
The August 9th meeting was, in reality, a three-star affair. In addition to O'Connor's talk club members and guests heard from Alex Berlin, a commissioner in the European Economic Community from Luxembourg, who gave a 10-minute summary of that body's work in bringing about unity on that continent. Also, AL LAOS introduced four of the six winners of \$1,000 scholarships from our club this year. They are: Terrance Michael Thompson, Matthew James Donnelly, Kathleen Ann Renal, Katherine Ann Schnieder, Ricardo Rivas and Theodore Tyler Ting.

Terrence, a graduate of Serra High School, will be attending Cal Poly at San Luis Obispo; Matthew, a graduate of Woodside High School, also will attend Cal Poly; Kathleen, a graduate of Woodside, will be attending UC Davis; Ricardo, a graduate of Sequoia High School, will be attending either UC Berkeley or Stanford; Theodore, a graduate of Carlmont High School, will be attending UC Berkeley as well.

Once again, the club was pleased to have as guests the three young Japanese visitors from the Hiratsuka Rotary Club. The trio are known as Mar, Tomo, and Yoshio. The visitors are part of what immediate past pres. COWBOY BILL refers to as our "Japanese Venture", a pleasant taste of international friendships.

Also, last week, it was noted that longtime member Orval Graves was celebrating his 80th birthday and the club joined in singing the "Happy Birthday" song in his honor. Another longtime (in fact, a charter member) JIM GREENWELL continues to recuperate at home from major surgery in July.

NOTES & NEWS: For the past two weeks PAST PRES. COWBOY BILL has been enjoying and will enjoy this next week, the company of two of our Japanese guests. This has been such a wonderful time of exchanging culture and friendships. We encourage the rest of the club to make arrangements to take any or all of our three guests out and share some of our country and culture with them, or have them over for dinner. It is a time to experience Rotary's International Outreach in your own home. Give BETH FISHBACK a call and make arrangements.



#### IMPOLITE TO POINT

The pointing finger has been removed from the logo designed to illustrate President Royce Abbey's theme for 1988-89. Clubs are, therfore, asked to refrain from using the old logo that appears on the cover of President Royce's theme folder. The new logo sheet (without the pointing finger) will be available to your club gratis upon request from the office of our district secretary.

#### **NEW ROTARY COUNTRY**

The island country of Mayotte, located in the Mozambique Channel between Mozambique and Madagascar, has become the newest Rotary country. The admission of the Rotary Club of Mayotte in district 921 has increased the number of Rotary countries and geographical regions to 162.

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PENINSULA COVENANT CHURCH

TODAY: "Icebreakers" and from past experiences we know they typically turn out to be among the best of all programs. This time we expect to be hearing from DUC NGUYEN, ABEL SANCHEZ, MAGGIE STEVENS and BRAD WOOD.

The finemaster schedule says that BOB BOLAND is due up to pick your pockets.

LAST WEEK: Pres. BOB called on Canada College music director STAN EASTER to lead the chorus and lead it he did. Visiting rotarian SUSANA MUNDELL, of the Sunrise Club led the pledge and DICK HATCH gave the invocation.

New member HARRIET ARNOLD presented Pres. BOB with a club pennant from the Nassau (Bahamas) Rotary club and Past Pres. BILL presented another past prexy, PETE HUGHES, with a certificate in recognition of his major contribution to the Polio Plus Fund along with his Cowboy Bill's team jacket. This time our mad hatter sported a chapeau not only big enough to cover his hand but ample to cover not just a rabbit, but a cheshire cat as well.

Finemaster BILL BERGLER "was here" as those who often point that out will well remember.

August Program Chairman DAVE SCHUTZ introduced our speaker, Billy Burden. Listed as America's foremost memory training authority, Burden convincingly displayed his own incredible memory capabilities in a number of ways, one of the most striking of which was his identifying and addressing by name every single member of the club present at the meeting - that substantial feat arising out of his simply having arranged to meet and greet each member as they arrived for the days meeting.

We lack the memory to summarize his rapid fire delivery but for those present the impression will most likely be lasting. And we look forward to seeing the results of his memory training from those who stepped foward at the end of the meeting to procure a set of his course material.

And if you wonder about the term "rapid fire", just consider Mr. Burden's

statement that he has delivered this program to some 950 Rotary Clubs!

NEWS & NOTES & VARIA: A sad note - former R.C. Rotarian and San Carlos Rotarian ED HUSSONG passed away a week ago this past Wednesday.

DON HELBUSH says it's blood bank time again. This time it's Friday, August 26 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Kaiser Hospital. As in the past, DON reminds that you can also donate any Tuesday morning at Sequoia Hospital. As DON aptly puts it:..."it will only take a few minutes of your time to save or extend someone's life and is consistant with promoting one of the cornerstones of Rotary's FOUR-WAY TEST". Take it seriously and take that time.

Handling our Special Events this year, Judge MARGARET KEMP notes that she has some 30 tickets for the Giant's Dodgers game Sunday afternoon, September 25 at Candlestick. Should be a great get together and by then who knows who may be #1. Hum baby... check with her for info and tickets.

N.B. Pres BOB says that starting this week our meetings are going to start at 12:15 with the initial ceremonies of song, pledge and prayer and then break for the luncheon socializing before resuming the formal part of the schedule including the day's program, etc. What does it mean? It means getting here on time! We've been drifting later and later and being a Rotary Club and not just a luncheon club you just can't run the business that way.

From ALLEN GRUMAN, some important remarks concerning the Annual Foundation Dinner coming up in October.

Circle the date of October 15 for the Annual Rotary Foundation Dinner at the Marin Civic Center. The theme will be "The 50's", and plans include a display of cars belonging to Rotarians -- not just form the 50's, but any special or unusual car you may have kicking around the garage! The dinner committee is also looking for prizes you might be willing to donate, such as dinners, cases of wine, week-end recreation trips or homes, etc. If you have a car to display or a prize to donate, please contact Allen Gruman, Tom Delfs, or Al Loas, our local Foundation Committee.

NEXT WEEK: Past Pres. PETE HUGHES will discuss his recent trip to China in which he was a guest of government, political and business leaders in that most populous of all nations. Should be a very interesting talk especially in view of the growing importance of our "Pacific Rim" economy.

From the serious to the ???? your finemaster will be CHARLIE BULANTI. At's a gonna be fun you betcha. Love those polish jokes.

COMMUNITY SERVICE: Where our money goes. Our Board of Directors, finishing up on last years business, has approved the following gifts to organizations which serve our community. These contributions are derived from our fund raisers throughout the year and comprise about 20% of our charities budget: Redwood City Public Library - \$400.00; Amigo De Las Americas - \$400.00; Peninsula Oral School for the Deaf - \$400.00; Fair Oaks Community Center - \$400.00; The Emergency Hunger Fund - \$400.00; Service League of San Mateo County - \$400.00; Marine Ecological Institute - \$400.00; Boy Scouts of America - \$400.00; County of San Mateo Childs Playroom - \$200.00; Girl Scouts of America - \$200.00; and Herber Hoover Memorial Boys and Girls Club - \$200.00.

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CHARTERED APRIL 22, 1946 DISTRICT 513

AUGUST 30, 1988

PENINSULA COVENANT CHURCH

TODAY: Past Pres. PETE HUGHES will be sharing with us some of his impressions and experiences from his recent trip to the Peoples Republic of China where he was a guest of government, political and business leaders in that most populous of all nations. A first hand look at the state of affairs in this awakening giant of the east.

Your finemaster will be CHARLIE (don't start laughing yet) BULANTI ('cause he may leave you crying).

LAST WEEK: Pres. BOB did indeed call the meeting to order at 12:15 sharp albiet the tardy arrivals were still straggling in. Even so, songmaster ALLEN G. nonetheless managed to raise some rousing sound from out the chorus.

Pres. BOB led the pledge himself with ROLAND HAGA following with the invocation.

Board member BOB BOLAND conducted the fining session with recognition for enough "fivers" to please Treas. ERNIE.

BFTH FISHBACK received a cuddly little bear from Pres. BOB for her work arranging for the scheduling of our three Japanese student visitors who were here for the first three weeks of August.

Past Pres. BILL, who did a lion's share of the housing and feed of our guests from Hiratsuka, had some harsh words for the club on the lack of participation and support by the membership in contributing towards the entertainment and hosting of these guests. The entire burden was picked up by little more than half a dozen out of a roster of over eighty - and that is, indeed, a pretty poor showing. It's not much of a Rotarian who just figures that other guy will do it.

Some chiding too from Attendance Chairman ALAN BOSTWICK. July attendance was up only slightly to a shade over 83%, well short of the 90% range a club like ours

should achieve. The make up opportunities are just so abundant that there really is no excuse especially when you can do it before or after the meeting you've missed. It's just a matter of remembering and a little self-discipline.

But on to the days program - "Icebreakers" and we weren't disappointed. It's been said over and over that these are among the best of all programs and the four given last week held true to tradition.

Those new members baring their souls this time included DR. DUC NGUYEN, ABEN SANCHEZ, MAGGIE STEVENS and DR. BRAD WOOD.

DUC spoke of his background from North Vietnam to the south to Montreal and to the Bay area, and a good part of the UC system - Santa Cruz, Berkeley and med school at Davis. Then it was off to Emory in Atlanta for internship before returning home to specialize in spinal surgery. DUC and his wife and two daughters make their home in Menlo Park.

For ABEL the road wound from Carlsbad N.M. to San Jose to a small college in Nebraska and photography in Lubbock, Texas before returning to the bay area. ABEL opened his studio here in RC 3 1/2 years ago and he and his wife of just one year just purchased a new home in Fremont.

MAGGIE traced her roots to a small town in Mississippi. After graduating from Alcorn State she migrated to S.F. where she then attended S.F. State. Capping a long and notable career in the Postal Service that carried here throughout the west and even back to D.C. MAGGIE was appointed Postmaster here in R.C. The first black, the first woman. Now living in S.F. MAGGIE has 2 grown sons and a daughter.

Born in the Catskill Mountains in NY BRAD is practically a native Californian, having lived most of his life next door in Belmont and San Carlos. After graduating from S.C. High in '71 and S.F. State in '76 BRAD went on to get his degree in dentistry from U.O.P. in '79. After 6 years of general practice in Benecia and Vallejo he returned to U.O.P. for graduate work in Orthodontry the field in which he now practices here in R.C. with RON KOSTER who was - you guessed it - his orthodontist.

NEWS & NOTES: Unhappy news. Resignations have been recorded from KAY BELL, BOB BROWN, BILL KOON, TOM POORE and LYLE RAUSCH. We understand that KAY has indicated he hopes to return at a future date.

\*\*\*Remember\*\*\* the Giants/Dodgers game on September 25th. It's fan appreciation day with lots of major prizes to be awarded. MARGARET KEMP has 30 seats available. The tab is \$12.00 and includes a pre-game tailgate party. Call her to make your reservation(s).

The All Star football game reportedly raised over \$4,000.00 for the boys and girls clubs of S.M. County. Thanks to all who participated.

Sec'y STEVE says he now has the new International Directory for R.I. Any of you interested world travellers can get a copy for \$7.00 STEVE also has the new "Meeting Days of California and Nevada Rotary Clubs". It's for free - just ask him. Should make your make ups even easier.

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CALIFORNIA

SEPTEMBER 6, 1988

PENINSULA COVENANT CHURCH

TODAY: We're going to be hearing from Lyle (Pat) Kingery and Jerry Edwards something about "Friendship Force", a people to people foreign exchange program promoting understanding and peace.

BILL JENNING's finemaster list says that DICK DODGE will be having it at you today, but don't count on dodging this Trojan.

LAST WEEK: Pres. BOB called on CHARLIE BULANTI to mislead the chorus. Does anyone have a pitch pipe to get us out of this high "C" country? The pledge was led by PETE HODGSON with the invocation given by MAGGIE STEVENS.

And just so you don't forget the name, that same PETE was presented with his Paul Harris Fellowship by Pres. BOB. Congratulations - of course!

Recognizing some of the many fine organizations which receive substantial supporting donations from R.C. Rotary, Pres. BOB presented checks to representatives of the YMCA, Kainos, the R.C. public library, the Fair Oaks Community Center, the Emergency Hunger Fund, the Service League of San Mateo County, the Boy Scouts of America and Herbert Hoover Memorial Boys and Girls Clubs. Expressing their gratitude for our support, each of those representing these fine activities gave a brief accounting of how those funds would be utilized in the conduct of their much needed programs.

And now back to the sourcing of some of these funds your club disperses. Your finemaster for the day was that same checkered roman who thought Caesar was spelled "Sieze her" and that he did as well as siezing your bucks and mine. BULANTI - that's the name of this pick pocket without shame.

Our speaker was Past. Pres. PETE HUGHES, who with the help of a carousel of slides, gave a rapid fire accounting of his recent trip to the Peoples Republic of China as a guest of that country's government, political and business leaders. As one of a group of 800 U.S. corporate executives (according to PETE, the heads of companies in the one to fifty million sales range), PETE received a most imposing reception - wining, dining, touring and entertaining from a most imposing array of the top leaders of China. Point of it all was to assist

the manufacturing and business sector of the Chinese economy in its attempted revitalization through embracing the U.S. philosophy of entrepreneurship and free enterprise.

A very interesting and enlightening session it was and with all there was to tell it would seem that PETE could well have used the time of two or three programs to cover all the ground he did. He did note that right in line with the Chinese government's objectives, he has indeed laid the groundwork for a joint venture for HUGHES PLASTICS in Shanghai and expects to be returning there before long.

NEWS & NOTES: According to DAVE SCHUTZ, our much missed maestro DR. JIM GREENWELL had to return to sequoia for some corrective follow-up surgery Thursday a week ago and suffered a heart attack while on the operating table. As of last tuesday JIM was still in ICU but given that old vigor and fight was expecting to be released from ICU in a day or two. Let's hope this great guy can stay on track to a full recovery.

Are you remembering the date? It's Saturday October 15th. Our Annual Rotary Foundation Dinner for District 513 will be held at the Marin Civic Center. There'll be an excellent dinner, exciting drawings for numerous great prizes and dancing to Mike Vax's Great American Dance Band. Tickets for the dinner are \$65.00 per person with \$30.00 of that to apply to the Foundation or Polio Plus as you may designate.

\$10.00 raffle tickets are available today for the drawings to be held at the dinner. You need not be present to win and can designate whether the donation goes towards your sustaining Paul Harris Fellowship or Polio Plus pledge. Buy lots of tickets. Get lots of credit and be eligible for lots of prizes! ALLEN GRUMAN, AL LAOS and TOM DELFS are the committee for this big event and will happily supply you with the tickets.

On October 4, the Port of R.C. has arranged a luncheon cruise on the grand Hornblower yacht "City of San Francisco". It will depart the port at 11:30 and return at 2:00 p.m. The tab is \$40.00 per and Pres BOB has indicated that if enough interest is shown, consideration may be given to having that event count as our regular Tuesday meeting. Let your wishes be known.

NEXT WEEK: Program Chairman PAUL YOUNG says you'll be enjoying a program on Ampex - Redwood City's pioneer and giant in Audio and Video reproduction. Amepex's Charles Anderson, one of those pioneers, will be our speaker.

Your finemaster that day - DENNIS DURKIN, a master at swelling the club's treasury.

THE ANNUAL DIXIELAND JAZZ JAMBOREE: Put the annual DIXIELAND JAZZ JAMBOREE on your schedule to have a great time and support Rotary at the same time. The date is Saturday, September 10th from 11:00 a.m. to midnight. For tickets, send \$15.00 each to Community Services, Inc. (F. Marcussen, 1160 Industrial Road #13, San Carlos 94070) or call 415/593-8898. Location is the San Mateo County Fairgrounds.

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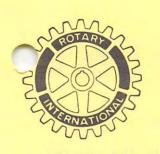
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PENINSULA COVENANT CHURCH

TODAY: We expect to be hearing from HAL SEBRING of the U.S. Forest Service on the subject of "Operation Phoenix" which has to do with the "what to do" after the lands have been scorched by such devestating fires as have been experienced especially in the last few years.

The finemaster schedule has not held up of late so it's a bit of a guess as to whether we'll be picked over by PETE HODGSON or the dodging DODGE.

LAST WEEK: With attendance slimmed a bit by the annual Port luncheon, Pres. BOB called on PDG SID to exhort the chorus - and, after all, he is a bit of a chorus all by himself. And just to keep things "bubbing", el presidente then led the pledge and wrapped up the formalities with an invocation by BOB BOLAND.

You thought that was it - no way. Once again missing a finemaster, Pres. BOB took over that chore himself as "summer times" turned into fall fines.

Before turning the podium over to our speakers, Pres. BOB took a few moments out to hear from the Peninsula Oral School for the Deaf to whom he presented a check from your club as a contribution towards the remarkable and good work they are performing.

Pres. Elect BOB STIFF introduced our speakers, two fine young Rotary Foundation scholars from Japan. AKIKO ASAI and YASUO TAKEHARA, studying at S.F. State and U.C. Berkeley respectively, thereupon proceeded to present and comment upon a carousel of slides showing that part of Japan from whence they came.

Pointing to some shops at a street corner in his home city of Hamamatsu - shops with some familiar symbols, the likes of a Mac Donalds and Seven-Eleven, YASUO commented in all seriousness that Japanese visitors to our country express surprise - on seeing these same symbols here - that they (the Japanese) are also exporting these things to America. At this rate we'll soon learn that they invented the lightbulb.

So much for the lighter side, AKIKO and YASUO did their very best to show and tell where they were from, including pies of familiar Rotary Club meetings' in their home towns. Good show.

Thanks again to FRED WEST of Belmont Rotary for arranging this program.

NEWS & NOTES: Last week's program was, of course, intended to amplify the meaning and importance of the Annual Rotary Foundation Dinner and Dance being held this year at the Marin Civic Center this Saturday evening.

It's a grand affair and an inspiring event. You have all the details. You can still go, you know. And you can still get those potentially rewarding raffle tickets from Messrs. GRUMAN, DELFS or LAOS.

And what better a reminder of what Rotary and the Rotary Foundation does than to hear from PDG SID about the eye and dental clinic he and your club have just completed in the bush of Nigeria. SID will be presenting a program on this subject at our meeting on October 25 so be sure to set that time aside. Past Pres. BILL was also on this trip and with his luggage missing must have felt like he too was from the bush. We should be getting lots of views of a great undertaking.

One of last year's major auction items included an evening cruise aboard Pres. BOB's "MV Inland Seas" with dinner to follow. By great good fortune we were able to participate in this wonderful event Friday a week ago. And a fascinating experience it was at the hands of the instructors from Pres. BOB's Marine Ecological Institute. If it comes up again be sure to join in the bidding.

NEXT WEEK: Program Chair CAROLYN KEVER says we'll be hearing from JIM STEIDEL of Canada College who will be speaking on "Latin American Issues".

If the FM schedule holds, you'll be at the mercy of Judge MARGARET KEMP. What was it that Shakespeare said? You wouldn't do that again would you MARGARET? Oh you would. 10-4.

A REMINDER: School is back in session and we have a contract, if you will, and by any definition an obligation and grand opportunity to make a meaningful contribution in making our part of our Adopt-a-school Program with Hawes Shool a real and viable undertaking. Those young people need you. You can help them. And don't you forget that the time will soon come when you will need them. Don't wait to be asked. Ask to be asked. You are the difference.

NIGERIA EYE CAMP: The Rotary Club of Redwood City can be proud of one of its most significant international service projects, the Nigerian Eye camp. PDG SID conceived the project along with the PDG of District 913 (Nigeria) Kola Olafinihan when they were in the training session for District Governors. It has taken since then (2 1/2 years) to bring to fruition. Sid proposed the project to our club for sponsorship during the term of Past Pres. BILL. Both BILL and SID took time off to provide the logistical and administrative elements of the project. In addition, countless hours were spent in preparation prior to the actual trip.

The project was a success with more than 200 cataract surgeries performed and more than 1000 eyeglasses dispensed. The goodwill generated for District 513 and Rotary in general cannot be evaluated. In addition to the surgeries at least two Nigerian Opthomologists were trained in microscopic surgery techniques and two surgical microscopes were donated to the Nigerias. One of the 'Scopes remains at the University of Ibaden and is equipped for teaching other Nigerian surgeons in the intricate art of microscopic interocular surgery. Well done RWC!

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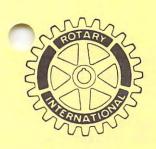
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PENINSULA COVENANT CHURCH

TODAY: Our speaker is DR. JAMES STEIDEL, a History Instructor at Canada College, who will speak on "Latin American issues".

Judge MARGARET KEMP will be your finemaster but it's likely that you'll find little comfort in the justice that will prevail.

LAST WEEK: Pres. Elect BOB STIFF took over for this year's Pres. BOB and called on ALLEN GRUMAN to lead the song, PETE HODGSON to lead the pledge and ALAN BOSTWICK to give the invocation.

While still gimpy afoot, PETE HODGSON's crutches surely didn't hobble his attack as the day's finemaster.

Before turning the podium over to our speaker, Pres. Elect BOB recognized Hawes School Principal NANCY HENDRY who once again expressed her hope and anticipation towards R.C. Rotary's participation in our Adopt-a-School program with Hawes Elementary. On a current matter she invited all of us to come view and help vote upon anti-drug posters drawn by Hawes students in a district-wide competition. The students are quite proud of their work and excited about participating in this anti-drug program. Your taking a look and offering praise will give them a big boost. Take time.

Pres. Elect BOB also acknowledged Past. Pres. BILL who stepped up to present a club flag from one of the Rotary Clubs he visited in Nigeria during his recent participation in the Nigerian Eye Camp with PDG SID and others of whom you'll hear more about next week.

Program Chairman CAROLYN KEVER introduced our speaker for the day, Mr. HAL SEBRING of the U.S. Forest Service.

Mr. SEBRING described in considerable detail, with the help of an accompanying slide presentation, the devestating results of 1987's massive array of forest fires that spread throughout virtually the entire state of California when on August 30, 1987 almost 14,000 lightening strikes started over 1200 fires.

In the ensuing two months almost 800,000 acres had burned destroying some 1.9 billion board-feet of timber - enough to build homes for a city the size of San Francisco.

HAL then went on to describe "Operation Phoenix", the resource recovery program designed to assist in the renewal of the lands and resources ravaged by these great fires, and here we are once again, desperately praying for rain.

NEWS & NOTES: Congratulations to DICK DODGE on his recent election as President of the Pacific Coast Association of Port Authorities. A nice way to add further visibility to our own resurgent Port of Redwood City.

Foster City Rotarian BILL STONE says that the Samaritan House, an organization helping the needy, is looking for musical instruments stashed away in closets and attics that might be used to help school children who can't afford such things have a chance to learn to play. BILL notes that the Samaritan House can provide tax deductible receipts for any items so donated. If you can help, call him at 349-2311.

As the fall season sets in it's time to remind yourselves of your obligations and responsibilities as R.C. Rotarians. You all have committee appointments and while each committee has a chairperson, goals will never be met if everyone just sits back and waits to be asked to participate. Develop your own ideas and get involved. As R.I. Pres. ROYCE ABBEY so eloquently pleads, "Put Life Into Rotary - Your Life".

NEXT WEEK: PDG SID will give a talk entitled "My African Safari". We've all been hearing bits and pieces about the Nigerian Eye Camp. Here's your chance to get the full and exciting story of this great undertaking.

RON KOSTER is due up as finemaster. He's a man who appreciates a proper bite.

ROTARY FOUNDATION BENEFIT DINNER DANCE: The 513 District Annual Dinner Dance was held at the Marin Civic Center last Saturday. The theme for this year's bash was a 50's-60's party - white coats & pink carnations. The Rotarians from our Distric had a fun filled evening for a splendid cause. About 500 dinner tickets were sold to generate funds to support the Rotary Foundation and to have FUN!

YOUR CLASSIFICATION'S HEALTH: We know that Rotary loaned you your classification and it's only natural that you want to protect it from becoming worn out while it's in your care, but your classification is much sturdier than you think. To insure its good health until it's time to return it, keep in mind the following:

\* Vocational Service is the best exercise your classification can get, and it needs to be exercised regularly.

\*Attend all of our club's meetings. Not just for your sake, but so your classification doesn't get lonely. It likes to be around other classifications.

Follow these suggestions and your classification will stay healthy forever.



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The following candidates have been approved by the Membership Committee for membership in our Club. In accordance with the Bv-Laws, the Board of Directors has directed that their names be submitted to the General Membership. If no comments are received by the President or Secretary in ten days from October 18. 1988, they will be offered membership and will be inducted shortly thereafter. Any and all comments will be submitted to the Board. which will make a decision at it's next regular meeting. Their decision will be final.

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PENINSULA COVENANT CHURCH

TODAY: Our own Past District Governor SID BERLIN is our speaker. His topic: "My African Safari". SID will be talking about the Nigerian Eye Camp and we expect this presentation will be only the first of many he will likely be delivering to other interested Rotary clubs in the weeks and months ahead.

RON KOSTER is due up as finemaster and although the schedule of finemasters has been somewhat riddled in recent weeks, we're inclined to bet he'll show.

LAST WEEK: After a week off, this year's Pres. BOB resumed his familiar post at the podium. Songmaster ALLEN GRUMAN led a vocal salute to the World Series, Past Pres. BILL led the pledge and BOB DOOLEY followed with the invocation.

How about those "Say No to Drugs" posters by the Hawes School students we all had to vote on - pretty clever, you'd have to say!

And speaking of Hawes, isn't it nice to hear, that DAVE LOBREE will be leading a contingent of clowns for some Halloween entertainment at the school on October 31st. Now how about the rest of you clowns getting busy in making some contribution to our Adopt-A-School program with Hawes Elementary.

Once again Pres. BOB filled in as finemaster and once again drew some interesting bits and pieces from the assembled throng - the green pieces being of most interest to Club Treas. ERNIE, of course - even helped the cause himself.

Program Chair CAROLYN KEVER introduced our speaker from the Canada College faculty, DR. JAMES STEIDEL. An expert on Latin American affairs, DR. STEIDEL directed his remarks primarily towards Peru, it's peoples and present traumas in almost all areas of social, economic and political life.

With the added insight of having lived there and recently re-visiting the area, DR. STEIDEL conveyed a devastating picture of economic and political (including military) chaos and violence for which there is apparently little hope for improvement. The number one producer of the plant from which cocaine is derived (the processing taking place primarily in Columbia), that crop is now sadly a principal mainstay of Peru's ragged and fragile economy. An interesting talk and further evidence of our substantial ignorance of Latin American affairs and problems.

OTHER VARIA: Pres. BOB says that Pres. Elect BOB STIFF will be heading up our delegation to this Rotary year's R.I. convention in Seoul May 21-24, 1989.

Registration and Housing request forms are included in the latest issue (October) of The Rotarian.

The next Peninsula Rotary Council dinner meeting will be held tomarrow evening the 26th at the Iron Gate in Belmont. For those attending it's cocktails at 5:30 and dinner at 6:30.

And that reminds us that the Belmont Rotary Club will be holding its first Annual Dinner and Auction on November 4. And who's in charge - of course, that great guy who does so much for our own auctions, Belmont Rotarian and auctioneer, JOHN WEINMAN. Would be nice to return the support.

And speaking of auctions, Pres. BOB says that DICK HATCH has accepted the great responsibility of chairman for our own club auction this year. Don't forget, it's never too early to start thinking about that very important event. This is one case where everyone must get involved.

NEXT WEEK: November Program Chairman PETE HUGHES says we'll be hearing from a high flying Rotarian, DR. JOHN GRANT, whose topic will be "Life as a Skydiver".

LLOYD LEWIS will be your finemaster - one way to keep the heat on - though you may not think of it as much of a treat.

The October Rotarian has a nice article on the Baja for you interested travelers. A good time to remember that we have a sister club arrangement with the La Paz Rotary Club and if you're ever down that way you're sure to get a warm welcome if you drop in.

October has been Vocational Service Month and while October may be coming to a close, the importance and ongoing need for attention to vocational service is not. This is one of the most vital aspects of our Rotary life.

And if you do nothing else, just never forget the importance of living and promoting ethical conduct in all your affairs. Without it the future of mankind is bleak.

PAST PRES. BILL D.G. AREA REP: The following is a reprint of the DG's Newsletter interview with our Past Pres. BILL CONKLIN as to his current job as Area Rep:

IN THE LEAD: Rotary is important because it offers a possible chance to save the world. Things can happen because Rotary transcends politics and international boundaries. Through Rotary we can promote world peace. We can't do everything all at once. We can't save the world with one turn of the flapjack, but by doing little things, we can work toward understanding between nations. It's like a pebble that's thrown into a lake.... it causes just one little ripple, but it goes on and on.

I want to be an effective liaison to the district governor for the six clubs in my area, to help the established clubs remain strong - the best in the district - and to assist the two new clubs grow strong through increased membership, fundraising and committee operations. My experience should help, I've attended the last eight international conferences and dealt with some of the legislation. In the last five years I've been very active at district level, participating in assemblies, working on committees, and I have served as club chairman for the Foundation. These are experiences that members of a new club wouldn't have.

I would like to get the message across that the president-elect is probably the most important job in Rotary. the president has little time to do anything but to be the administrator of the club, run and prepare meetings, handle paperwork and coordinate the committees. the president-elect can do the little things that make the president look good, function as ombudsman, fill in wherever he sees a weakness.

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PENINSULA COVENANT CHURCH

TODAY: We're going to start the first of November's five meetings by hearing from Dr. JOHN GRANT, a fellow Rotarian from Foster City, who will talk on the subject of "Life as a skydiver".

LLOYD LEWIS is due up as finemaster and while the tricks may be over the treating may not. Have a hot time but don't lose your temper. (How's that for a "Chaffenian"!)

LAST WEEK: Pres. BOB called on ALLEN GRUMAN to lead the song and LLOYD LEWIS to give the invocation and, just to keep busy led the pledge himself.

For an extra treat, Past. Pres PETE introduced a vivacious and gracious Olympic Gold Medal winner, Redwood City's own DANA HEE. Hard to picture someone who looks more like a model being such a master of martial arts. No question about getting a kick out of her!

DR. RON KOSTER took to the podium as finemaster and showed what a good bite can do.

Highpoint of the day, of course, was our own PDG SID giving a fascinating and moving accounting of the history, development and finally the actual execution of the recent Nigerian Eye Camp.

A labor of love and mercy for which SID must take - and deserve - full credit, this grand undertaking included the generous participation of more than we have space to grant accolades, with contributions of great note in skills, materials, services and monies from so many individuals, organizations and corporations.

Starting from conversations between SID and Nigerian doctor some two years ago at the District Governor's training assembly in Nashville, discussions of a great need grew from dream to reality through the exercise of a great talent for organization, research and drive - yes, most of all that great indefatigable push - an unyielding energy to go forward and make things happen.

Great quantities of valuable medical supplies including costly lenses (for implant into the eye as a final step in cateract surgery) from a So. Calif.

foundation at just the cost of refurbishing, repacking and preparing for shipment; expensive operating microscopes at almost a tenth of normal cost from a firm in Alabama; operating "drapes" at no cost from 3M Corp.; transport of over 2300 lbs. of equipment and supplies at no cost by British Airways; matching grants of dollars from the R.I. Foundation to go with District funds, air tickets at cost arranged by Past. Pres. BILL - and on and on it goes - and finally, the direct participation of 9 including SID, BILL and 7 professionals such as R.C. Opthamologist DR. STANLEY GOLDEN in addition to Stanford's top eye surgeon, a Rotary Dentist and his wife as an assistant, a Rotary Optometrist and others all of whom will be gratefully acknowledged in the days and months ahead.

And, of course, financial support from our club as well.

A partial score: 213 operations - blind who can now see; 231 dental patients treated; 869 seen by an optometrist and 747 fitted with glasses from the stock of 2800 pairs taken over there.

Aren't you proud of the doings of all these magnificent people. You betcha!

NEXT WEEK: November Prog. Chm. PETE HUGHES says our speaker will be JIM MC CULLER of the Peninsula Sunrise Club. President of the Homesmith Co., JIM will discuss cleaning up with asbestos.

DEL MITCHELL will be due up as finemaster and were he not retired we might say that should be a fitting time.

OTHER VARIA: This Friday, November 4 is the Belmont Club's first Annual Auction and dinner. Make it if you can with JOHN WEINMAN and that bunch you know it'll be a great time.

An added note, the Belmont Club will be meeting at the Two Guys from Italy restaurant instead of the Iron Gate on the 7th and 14th.

DR. JIM GREENWELL, we hear, has so improved that he's now able to take phone calls so how about taking a few minutes out to reach out and say hi.

Next Tuesday's not that far off - time to make all those ballot indecisions into decisions. Don't take it lightly or you'll wake up and find you've been taken.

Attendance report - Dr. ALAN BOSTWICK. We hope you've taken careful note of all the facts and figures put together by ALAN - good time, by the way, to say thanks for all the work, and it is work, he does to keep us in compliance with Rotary rules.

August was a "bummer" (77%) and September a "comer" (91%). With all the make up opportunities hereabouts there's just no excuse for not fullfilling your obligation to Rotary and your fellow Rotarians.

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PENINSULA COVENANT CHURCH

### DON'T FORGET TO VOTE!

TODAY: We're going to be hearing from Peninsula Sunrise Club Rotarian JIM McCULLER, President of the Homesmith Co. who will be speaking on the subject of cleaning up with asbestos.

Our latest word is that BETH BERLIN FISHBACK will be your finemaster this day. So this week it's trip or treat.

LAST WEEK: To take care of the formalities Pres. BOB called on PDG SID to lead the chorus - and that's great 'cause when SID's up there I can sing without hearing me; Menlo Rotarian FRAN MAC LEOD to lead the pledge and this writer for the invocation.

Finemaster LLOYD LEWIS had a grab bag full of interesting and clever handouts to give to all his many finees. Those bent nails or spikes that PETE HODGSON paid for - would you believe, they're going to have even a third life as traditional awards in PETE's own corporation. Great show!

Among the guests, Past Dist. Governor ALDO SIMONETTI, who stepped to the podium to present to our club a special Presidential Citation from Past R.I. President KELLER for being just 1 of 9 of the 65 clubs in District 513 which achieved at least 5 of the 8 goals put forth for each Rotary Club during Pres. KELLER's term. Pres. BOB gratefully accepted the awardon behalf of Past Prexy BILL CONKLIN during whose term these achievements were accomplished.

And speaking of awards brings us to make note of some rewards. Can you imagine - from four Dist. 513 Annual Foundation Dinner lottery tickets LEM SUMMEY picked up three substantial prizes. You can be sure he got fined - and with what pleasure!

And now that we're back on the subject of fining it should be noted that finemaster - in - chief BILL JENNINGS has two points to make. First, each months' list of finemasters will be put in envelopes with your name on it at the sign-in table and second, if you can't make it when your turn comes up it's up to you to arrange for a substitute. Don't call BILL - you're the guy to do it - no on else!

Back to our program - and wasn't it fascinating! Prog. Chm. PETE HUGHES introduced our speaker Foster City Rotarian DR. JOHN GRANT who discussed his own experiences as well as narrating a great film on Skydiving.

They say a picture's worth a thousand words and when it comes to sky diving we're convinced there are no words we could conjure up that could possibly convey what there was to see on film.

Except for that twinkle in his eye it's hard to believe that this really normal appearing dentist could have been one of these - what can we say - nuts? Perhaps it's just another form of sports enthusiasm but whooee!

Having survived 3 malfunctions in 300 jumps he's retired now - from sky diving, that is, and that's nice 'cause he seems like a really nice guy to have around.

Our program schedule says that November 15 will be a Club Assembly and when you hear of such great doings as the Nigerian Eye Camp you should be ready and eager to take part in this updating of where we are and where we are going. No, this is not a time for a make up. This is a time to make it here! Come join the band!

AND BEYOND... On the 22nd STEVE DETCH will be speaking to us on "The Confederate Air Force and other Funky Air Stories" and, then...
On the 29th ART LOBATO, from the marketing department of Bay Meadows, will discuss "An insider's View of Racing".

NOVEMBER IS ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH. If we understand about the Foundation we are better able to tell its story to the rest of the world. The next few issues of the Spoke will focus on the Foundation and the great work it performs.

We all know of the tremendous success of Polio-Plus, whose intent is to remove the dread scourge of this horrible disease from the world. This splendid program evolved from the Foundation's 3-H Program which stands for Health, Hunger and Humanity. It provides funding for a series of large scale, long term projects, ranging from tuberculosis prevention in the Philippines to vocational training in Portugal. Since 3-H began 10 years ago, projects have been designated to encourage self help rather than a quick fix.

Similar to 3-H is the Special Grants Program, whereby matching funds are provided for a club's financial gift earmarked for a specific international project. Such projects funded include health care stations and equipment, sanitation facilities and agricultural programs.

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SEQUOIA YACHT CLUB

TODAY: It's a CLUB ASSEMBLY and Pres. BOB will most likely give you an updating on where we've been, where we are and where we're going this Rotary year. And, of course, it's also your chance to speak up with any of your concerns - comments, suggestions or questions on matters of interest to you in R.C. Rotary.

Today is also on opportunity for you to further evaluate the facilities here at the Sequoia Yacht Club as your House committee under BOB DOOLEY prepares to present to the membership their annual reassessment of alternate meeting sites.

Sorry we don't have the word on this week's finemaster - all the more reason for you to be even more considerate and attentive to whomever you're lunching with this day.

AST WEEK: Pres. Elect BOB STIFF took over the podium in the absence of Pres. BOB who, we understand, recently experienced the passing of his father. We all extend our heartfelt sympathy and well wishes to BOB and his family.

Wearing dark glasses to conceal the tear in his eye following the prior Sunday's 49er tragedy, Pres-Elect BOB called on song leader ALLEN GRUMAN to rouse the chorus, DAVE SCHRICKER to lead the pledge and ROY FRANK for the invocation.

Another happy day of inductions as TOM DELFS handled the induction of new members ORLEY ANDERSON whose sponsor, BOB PIERCE, unfortunately could not attend and BILL REINHARD whose father-in-law, TOM, was quite naturally his sponsor. And then it was sponsor RON KOSTER's turn to induct A.J. (ABE) BASSETT.

ORLIE, now retired from the Fuller Paint Corp. is now engaged in his own sales consulting business (Color Commun. Inc.) here in R.C.

BILL, who helps to bring down our average age considerably is, Ass't V.P. at the Redwood Bank in San Mateo. BILL and his wife make their home here in R.C.

ABE BASSETT as you can tell from that familiar uniform is the new Commanding Officer of R.C. Salvation Army Corps. A native of Canada, ABE and his family spent the last six years commanding the corps in Roswell, New Mexico and for obvious reasons are delighted with the transfer to the Bay Area.

Make sure you meet and get to know these fine new members. Welcome!

or election day finemaster was BETH BERLIN FISHBACK who, with a card holding assist from ABEL SANCHEZ, presented a word puzzle game that while as confusing was at least more entertaining and clever than most of the political puzzles we've all recently

struggled with - and just as tricky.

Our speaker, JIM McCULLER of the Peninsula Sunrise Rotary Club, was introduced by November Prog. Chm. PETE HUGHES. President of the Homesmith Co., JIM gave an in-depth and rather frightening picture of the problems this country has experienced and is still coping with in the use and now attempted removal of asbestos from so many products, involved in the construction of the Nation's schools, commercial buildings and homes. The dangers have now long since been recognized but the problems and costs of removing or encapsulating this hazardous to public health material are staggering. An interesting and valuable lesson.

NEWS & NOTES: As most of you know, we were all saddened to learn of the passing on Monday November 7, of DR. BILL KOON, a member of R.C. Rotary for the past 28 years. Memorial Services, attended by many of you were held this past Thursday. A well loved "family doctor" of the old school, BILL was truly a kind and gentle man whom we shall all miss dearly.

On a happier note, attending the services was DR. JIM GREENWELL and LILY - his first time out following his last bit of surgery and hospitalization, according to JIM.

NORM MAC LEOD, we hear, has recently been hospitalized for surgery as has also been DON HACK for some foot work, we understand, our good wishes to all.

DON HELBUSH says it's time once again to roll up your sleeves and be prepared to be a blood donor as the mobile unit of the blood bank will be at Kaiser Hospital on Friday November 25th from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. And, of course, you can also give at Sequoia Hospital any Tuesday Morning before our Rotary luncheon. The supply is short and the need is great. Please give if you can - and have your family members join in as well.

NEXT WEEK: STEVE DETCH will be talking on "The Confederate Air Force and other Funky Air Stories", sounds like fun.

BIG STEP FOR GSE TEAMS: In 1988-89 Australia will send a special Group Study Exchange team to Poland; the United States and Britain will each send a team to the Soviet Union. Sponsored by the Rotary Foundation, these teams will be among the 332 teams traveling to some 60 countries this year. Three million will be provided by the Foundation to fund these exchanges.

GSE Teams are composed of Non-Rotarian business and professional men and women between the ages of 25 and 35 who spend four to six weeks studying their host countries' economic, cultural and social life. The GSE program begain in 1965. Since then, 13,000 team members have visited more than 100 host countries.

THE SPIRIT OF ROTARY: The spirit of Rotary is in the very essence of its soul. It is invisible, intengible, indefinable. It changes casual contacts into growing friendships and transforms dull duties into inspiring privileges. It sets us free from prejudice and bigotry, binding us all together with ties of brotherhood and understanding. It is like the gentle rain from heaven, cleaning away selfishness, melting down barriers that separate us, dissolving discord into harmony, changing competition into cooperation, revealing the beauty of life and the inherent nobility of each person.

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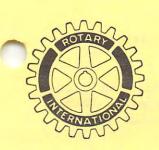
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NOVEMBER 22, 1988

PENINSULA COVENANT CHURCH

TODAY: Fellow Rotarian STEVE DETCH is our speaker. His topic: "The Confederate Air Force and other Funky Air Stories". And as to what that may be all about - well, stick around and hear.

Your finemaster has also spent quite some time in the air and on the water (no, he doesn't walk on it) and on the land - he likes taking title to that. Who else but one of those past prexies, ROY FRANK. Bye, bye - to your greenery, that is.

LAST WEEK: Pres. BOB skippered a trial meeting at the Sequoia Yacht Club. PDG SID led the song, SAM DAFNIS led the pledge and Pres. BOB followed with the invocation.

For reasons your editor is not aware, the week's issue of the SPOKE failed to appear but to our delight, two of those noted as hospitalized in that issue did indeed appear - NORM MACLEOD and DON HACK. A pleasant surprise.

BILL JENNINGS, our finemaster-in-chief stepped up to sub for whomever it was who should have been there and, in need of either new glasses or a remedial reading course, tagged those whose "finee" records are lagging a bit.

We apologize for missing the details of an acknowledgement to JOE SOUZA for a contribution made to some significant function. Guess we were just LUCKY for what he did.

Back to the meeting. It was a <u>Club Assembly</u> and among the matters Pres. BOB put forth for discussion were:

Meeting place: The House COmmittee and our Chairman BOB DOOLEY is asking that consideration be given to determining whether our regular meeting place should be changed from here at the church to the Yacht Club. Factors involved: convenience/distance, capacity, table size/shape and arrangement, drinking/smoking, etcetera, etcetera.

Meeting Time: Pres. BOB has been formally starting our meetings at 12:15 (food service continuing to start at 12:00). Problem is and has been that the average arrival time of our members is not in sync - or more directly, quite tardy. Conclusion: for the present, at least, the 12:15 start will continue. As to you late arrivals - chop, chop! Where there is good reason for being late, of course, there's no problem. But where it's just a case of simply being lax - shape up!

Membership (new) processing time: There's a problem. It's been embarrassingly slow but this problem is hopefully being cured.

District Committees: According to PDG SID our new District will be #515 and lots of opportunities are available to those who are interested and able to serve Rotary at the District level. There's so much to be done, and so much satisfaction in doing - call SID if you would like to consider this extension of Rotary service.

Attendance: The good DR. ALAN BOSTWICK has done so much to show the way. And when all the details are over and done, it remains a fact that it's up to each of you to fulfill your Rotary committment. Rotary is an obligation and here on the Peninsula we are indeed fortunate in having such ease in fulfilling our attendance obligations given the proximity and frequency of near by Rotary Club Meetings.

And so the discussions went. And among the comments, one, in particular, was a strong reminder that we should consider having our regular meeting programs focus on Rotary and its, and our, Rotary programs on some regular basis - at least every one or two months.

LOOKING AHEAD: Our annual Christmas party will be on Tuesday evening December 6th at Past Pres. BILL CONKLIN's home. Won't that be nice. Mark your calendar right now. BETH FISHBACK is the one to contact to make your reservations. Call her at 365-6292 (ofc.) or 960-1043 (home).

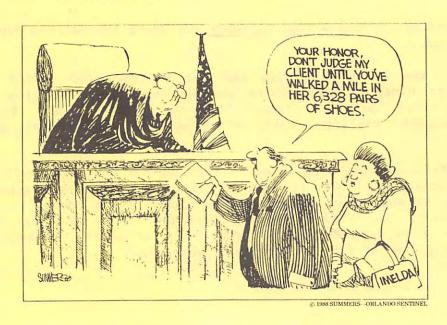
Just for the record, our big annual club auction will be held this Rotary year on April 8 - that's a Saturday - at St. Pius. DICK HATCH is this year's chairman.

The times and places have not yet been set but be ready to sign up for your turn on the Christmas bell ringing curcuit for the Salvation Army.

There's also a program for delivering meals to shut-ins on Christmas morning - a wonderfully satisfying experience.

NEXT WEEK: ART LOBATO, from the marketing department of Bay Meadows, will discuss "An Insider's view of Racing".

Club Sec'y STEVE M. will take his turn as finemaster and for this All-American - well, he only knows how to make hits.



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PENINSULA COVENANT CHURCH

TODAY: November Program Chairman PETE HUGHES will wind up his months tour with the introduction of ART LOBATO from the marketing department of Bay Meadows who will be speaking on the subject of "An Insider's View of Racing".

Predicting finemasters is getting to be as chancy as buying a lottery ticket but at last word STEVE MIKULIC will come to bat today, that is, unless....

LAST WEEK: Pres. BOB called on PDG SID to rouse the chorus and my oh my how he does do it. Menlo's PHIL SCHNIEDER led the pledge with the invocation thoughtfully given by DON HACK.

Messr's BERLIN and SCHNEIDER there upon did double duty by joining hands as a pinch hit finemaster team and a masterful job they did at that. Good show!

With House Committee Chairman BOB DOOLEY and Pres. BOB describing the status of matters regarding the evaluation of the Sequoia Yacht Club as a possible new meeting site, ballots were passed out on the question of whether the Board should be given authority or not to negotiate with the Yacht Club on the terms of such a relocation.

A subsequent tally of the balloting as announced by Pres. BOB showed the "Nays" as prevailing and so far now that is that.

Our speaker for the day was our own fellow R.C. Rotarian STEVE DETCH whose topic was "The Confederate Air Force and other Funky Air Stories".

And wasn't that a fine, fun and interesting show! Too bad for you who missed it. With the help of a full carousel of slides, STEVE covered the history of his hobby of restoring and flying antique aircraft - and that whole field as well - with particular emphasis on World War II Craft.

A concentration of those planes at a field in Texas, by the way, is what makes up that so called "Confederate Air Force". Allowing (in response to a later question) that he has restored and owned as many as 100 such planes STEVE described many of the aircraft pictured including his own B-17 Flying Fortress that he flew in the filming of "Toro Toro".

How one manages and survives a hobby such as this for twenty years is hard to imagine. Part of his recounting included pictorial coverage of his flying an ancient tri motor (I think it was) to Alaska last summer where it will be finally museumed.

Done with lots of facts and humor - a good show indeed.

LOOKING AHEAD: Our Annual Christmas Party is set for next Tuesday evening, December 6 at Past Pres. BILL CONKLIN's home at 275 Ridgeway Road, Woodside Hills. Cocktails at 6:30, dinner at 7:30. BETH BERLIN FISHBACK is handling and if you haven't yet signed up you must RSVP by December 2 (365-6292). This year's tab is \$40.00 per couple. An evening you don't want to miss.

N.B: Please take note, there will be no regular meeting at lunch on December 6. The party will be in lieu of such a meeting. So - if for any reason you don't or can't attend the party, remember that you've got a make-up due.

Now note your calendar for one month beyond, Thursday, January 5, 1989 to be specific. According to RON KOSTER that's the date of a Rotary International Presidential Dinner honoring R.I. Pres. ROYCE ABBEY and his wife JEAN to be held at the San Francisco Airport Marriot Hotel. Dinner will be at 7:30 p.m. following an open reception at 6:30 p.m. Reservations will be for tables of 10 only at a very modest price of \$22.50 per.

Contact RON to join in on what should be a very festive and inspiring evening of great Rotary Fellowship. And respond early as this wonderful occasion includes participation by R.I. Districts 513, 16, 17, 19, 22 and 23.

Hope you all had a very happy Thanksgiving and now it's on to December, Rotary's Religious month. It's also a good time to remember to catch up on those Polio Plus and other Foundation committments you may have from a tax planning standpoint.

And as we enter this holiday season be sure to remind yourselves of the many and wonderful blessings we enjoy and of the many opportunities for service that do exist. To payback and putback something of what we have received is, after all, a pretty good idea.

ROTARIAN MAGAZINE: The current issue of the Rotarian is filled with familiar faces.

A feature article about our District 513 GSE exchange with New Zealand shows Half Moon Bay Rotarian Shirley Olea with her all woman team during their recent visit. We don't often receive this kind of World wide attention in 513 even though we deserve more of it.

Shirley and her team were truly the essence of what GSE is all about. They provided the Kiwis a sample of what is happening in the USA, especially where women are concerned. Shirley herself was the first woman Rotarian to visit several of the New Zealand "All boys" Rotary clubs. She describes her visits as successful examples of the good nature of Rotarians world wide.

A little further in the Rotarian is a picture of our Zone 7 RI Director - Elect Rick King. Rick has been working as a member of the USA Polio Plus campaign committee. He was instrumental in obtaining a grant of \$250,000 to Polio Plus from the church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. The grant was specifically for immunization in Kenya and the Ivory Coast and was the first by a church organization.

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#### REDWOOD CITY, CALIFORNIA

November 29, 1988

CONFIDENTIAL

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Stephen A. Mikulic Secretary

NAME:

Michael Peterson

Wayne R. Tatman

POSITION:

Captain in CHP

CEO of Sequoia YMCA

BUSINESS:

Cal. Highway Patrol

Sequoia YMCA

BUSINESS

ADDRESS:

355 Convention Way Redwood City CA

1445 Hudson Redwood City CA

HOME

ADDRESS:

Law Enforcement. CHP

YMCA.

PRIOR ROTARY:

CLASSIFICATION:

In Lakeport CA Club

10 years a Rotarian

SPONSOR:

Margarey Kemp

Paul Keckley



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December 2, 1988

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Stephen A. Mikulic Secretary

NAME:

Dr. Stanley Golden

POSITION:

Self employed

**BUSINESS:** 

Ophthalmologist

BUSINESS

93 Arch Street

ADDRESS:

Redwood City CA

HOME

ADDRESS:

CLASSIFICATION:

Physician, Ophthalmology

PRIOR ROTARY:

No

SPONSOR:

Sid Berlin



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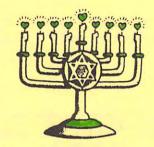
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A CELEBRATION - HAPPY HOLIDAYS

and here's to

CHRISTMASTIME AND HANUKKAH



And so you like this change in meeting place? Hear, hear!

Just remember to roll carefully down the hill, when the festivities come to a close and if you're still not sure which way the hill goes you can always start with a dip in the pool. Enjoy!

LAST WEEK: We've had back up finemasters more often than not but this time it was a backwards songmaster that Pres. BOB called on to lead the chorus. Who else but CHARLIE BULANTI to help us "Roma" about the music. Msgr. PETE led the pledge with invocator JERRY MERTENS giving an ode to the 49er's.

Club Secretary STEVE stepped up to do the fining right on schedule for a change - but scheduled or sub we're beginning to feel like the bull's eye of a dart board; already just one pick away from a bleeding heart.

We thought STEVE DETCH exhibited considerable wit in his program two weeks ago but that fine bit of humor paled in the face of last week's jock, ART LOBATO of the marketing department of Bay Meadows.

Wasn't that an interesting, informative and belly buckling description of "An Insider's View of Racing"!

You got it all from this ex-jockey - a really enlightening and fun filled exposition of what horse racing is all about. Wouldn't it be a kick if our politicians wore that many goggles in the face of all the muddy tracks they race in.

AND BEYOND: If you get this <u>SPOKE</u> by mail be sure you've got a make-up card in it's place. Attendance Chairman ALAN BOSTWICK says that

after September's fine showing, October dropped back to a middling 80.7% - well below a district average (for 65 clubs) of 86%. Get with it!

We trust you're remembering the fine opportunity you have for a unique experience of Rotary fellowship and inspiration at the January 5 dinner at the SFO Marriot honoring R.I. President ROYCE ABBEY and his wife JEAN. RON KOSTER's the one to contact - only \$22.50 per person for this occasion that only rarely comes along.

On the 13th our speaker will be DEBI SARGENT of BFI who will be talking about waste disposal and, in particular, about pending new local ordinances concerning the segregation of materials for recycling.

Then on the 20th we will be enjoying a holiday musical treat by the Canada College chorus. It's expected that spouses will also join the luncheon that day.

## CHRISTMAS COOKIES

Rolling, cutting, and decorating Christmas cookies is a wonderful family tradition when children and friends become the production line.



1. Bring the butter to room temperature and beat with confectioner's sugar in mixer bowl until light and fluffy.



2. With lightly floured hands, roll dough into 1/2-in.-thick ropes. Cut each rope into 11/2-in. lengths.



3. Shape dough into crescents on prepared cookie sheet by gently curving and tapering ends.



### WALNUT CRESCENTS

prep 20 minutes / cook 35 minutes plus 1 hour to chill (\*\*)

- 1 cup (2 sticks) unsalted butter, room temperature
- 1/2 cup confectioner's sugar
- 2 tsp. vanilla extract Pinch salt
- 13/4 cups all-purpose flour
- 1/2 tsp. ground cinnamon
- 1 cup finely chopped walnuts
- 1/2 cup granulated sugar
- 1. Beat butter and confectioner's sugar in mixer bowl until light and fluffy (see p. 42). Add vanilla and salt and beat until blended. Sift flour and cinnamon together over batter and add walnuts. Mix on lowest speed until blended. Shape dough into ball and transfer to large piece of aluminum foil or plastic wrap. Wrap tightly; refrigerate 1 hour.
- 2. Heat oven to 325°. Lightly butter cookie sheets.
- 3. Divide dough into 6 pieces. Lightly flour hands and work surface. Roll each piece of dough into ½-in.-thick rope. Cut ropes into 1½-in. lengths. Transfer to prepared cookie sheets and shape into crescents, tapering ends slightly (see p. 42).
- 4. Bake cookies until set, 15–18 minutes. Cool slightly on cookie sheets. Roll warm cookies in granulated sugar and let cool completely on wire racks.

Makes about 5 dozen

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TODAY: Our speaker is DEBI SARGENT of BFI who will be talking about waste disposal and pending new local ordinances concerning the segregation of materials for recycling.

Be cordial to all for anyone of them may be today's finemaster.

LAST WEEK: Many thanks from all to Past Pres. BILL who opened his Woodside Hills home to host this year's Christmas Party. And wasn't it a fine party at that! From a well stocked and open bar to MARIO RADDAVERO's catered morsels, hospitality abounded in abundance. Thanks too to BETH BERLIN FISHBACK and all others who helped put it together and make it work.

No business to report, of course, and that seemed just fine with Pres. BOB. Board members and any others of interest are reminded, however, that there is a Board meeting coming up this Friday, that's December 16, at the usual time and place, i.e. 7:30 a.m. at Pete's Harbor.

MOVING ALONG: Next week's meeting - that's luncheon here at the church on the 20th - will be a celebration of Christmas in music featuring the Canada College chorus. We understand that spouses will be welcome and as always on such occasions please let Pres. BOB or Sec'y STEVE know in advance so that the caterer will know what to expect in table settings and food preparation.

On the following week, the 27th, our program will be another one of those ever interesting sessions of "Ice Breakers" - always a treat.

Another reminder of the January 5 dinner at the SFO Marriot honoring R.I. President ROYCE ABBEY and his wife JEAN. Should be a great occasion and well worth the \$22.50 per person tab. Once again, RON KOSTER's the one to contact for reservations.

And for those of you participating in the preparation and delivery of Christmas dinners to shut-ins on Christmas morn, be sure to be coordinated with DUC NGUYEN.

In case you're not already aware, MARIO ERCOLINI found it necessary to resign from the club in view of the demands of his new business

across the Bay. Considering the outstanding job he did on new membership recruitment, it's a good time to remind all of the ongoing need for obtaining new members. It takes that little extra effort from each one of you to make it work.

Among the many faithful, Msgr. PETE and alumnus JERRY are sporting big grins over the Niner's Sunday Success. Now if only just one more time!

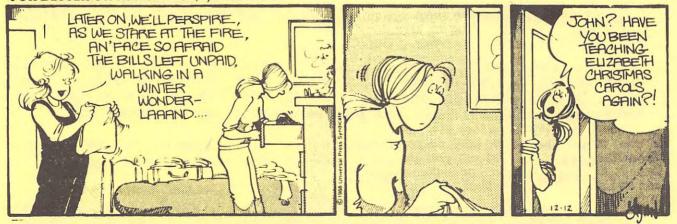
INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE: The time to consider the 1989 Rotary International Conference in Seoul Korea is NOW. Registration must be postmarked prior to January 1, 1989 in order to receive the discounted registration. Pres. Elect BOB STIFF will lead a contingent of Redwood City Rotarians. Air fare is approximately \$900.00 round trip and can be booked through BETH FISHBACK or Past. Pres BILL CONKLIN. The market on hotels has been cornered by R.I., however, we can send for group reservations if there is sufficient interest. Contact BILL CONKLIN if you are interested in joining our representation in Seoul. Bill has the applications for registration and will coordinate the hotel reservations.

DISTRICT DOINGS: BOB KANE, the last of the large district 513 governors has finally wrapped up his club visitations. Looking back at six months of running up and down the coast of California, BOB can attest to the need of the Division of 513 into North and South districts. BOB has consented to preside over the installation of officers at our annual dinner in June.

Our incoming Dist. 515 Governor, BILL STURGEN, will assume the reins on July 1 with some thirty-five clubs in Marin, San Francisco and San Mateo counties. BILL has promised to look seriously at further club extention within San Francisco. BILL is a past president (1987-88) of the Rotary club of San Francisco and should know of what he talks.

BILL is a trial attorney specializing in defense practice. He is married, has two children and lives with his family in Moraga.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

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TODAY: To celebrate this season of joy and inspiration we are going to be hearing the happy sounds of the Canada College Chorus. Many thanks to STAN EASTER and Pres Elect BOB STIFF and whoever else may be responsible for this joyous occasion.

And to enrich our club's own capacity for giving in this happy holiday season, finemaster ROY FRANK will ring the bell to collect a few Christmas greens the paper kind - from this notable and no place to hide assembly. Cheers!

LAST WEEK: Pres BOB called on song master DR. ALLEN GRUMAN who, appropriate to the season, passed out some real bells as he led the chorus in a rousing version of that sleighing song tonight.

Pres Elect BOB led the pledge with Pres. BOB giving the invocation with some special thoughts for fellow member WARREN FOX as he continues on the road to recovery from a massive coronary attack suffered a week ago this past friday.

On the happy side of things it was a day to enjoy: the induction of two fine new R.C. Rotarians.

And for this occasion our own Past. Dist. Governor SID stepped up to conduct the induction of DR. STANLEY GOLDEN who, as SID aptly noted, is one of those rare and outstanding persons who has already performed a great service in Rotary even before receiving his

badge. An opthomologist here in R.C. for many years, DR. GOLDEN obtained his B.S. from Ohio State and M.D. from N.Y. Medical College and served as a captain in the U.S. Air Force. STAN and his wife BARBARA make their home in Woodside Hills.

Past Prexy PAUL KECKLEY then took his turn to handle the induction of WAYNE TATMAN our new Director of the Sequoia YMCA.

Both WAYNE and his wife PATRICIA are natives of Wilmington, Delaware. After service in the U.S.A. and some years of administration in a legal firm, WAYNE found his interest and direction in the YMCA where he has served for some many years now. WAYNE and PAT come to us from San Antonio where he was a Rotarian for some years. They have two adult children, Richard (24) and Lynn

(22), the former already following his dad's interest in "Y" work, but in Florida.

A hearty welcome to these two fine new additions to R.C. Rotary.

Master finemaster BILL JENNINGS once again did the collecting as he noted the difficulties he has encountered in getting you FM's to-be to perform on schedule or at least get your own substitute. Com on now - let's share the load and not make BILL's task so tough!

ELECTION OF OFFICERS: Nominating Committee Chm. BILL CONKLIN presented and by unanimous ballot, happy is the word that for Rotary year '90-91 your club's slate of officers will be:

President: DENNIS DURKIN Secretary: STEVE MIKULIC Treasurer: DICK HATCH

Sounds great - even Past. Pres. BOB DURKIN agrees.

OTHER BUSINESS: On a separate note PDG SID noted that through the leadership of JACK ROBERTSON the Menlo Club has given us the opportunity and honor of joining as a co-sponsor in introducing a resolution at the Triennial Council on legislation in Singapore calling for solving or resolving of matters of International dispute through negotiation and arbitration - in a Rotary way, if you will. A unanimous vote supported our participation and endorsement in this matter.

Our speaker last week was MIK CALIGARI of BFI who discussed the status and problems of solid waste disposal in S.M. County. In particular, MIKE described the pending introduction in February of a new voluntary re-cycling system sponsored by the local communities and to be implemented by BFI using specially designed collection bins to be distributed to homeowners. A 3.5% surcharge will be added to local garbage collection billings to cover the cost of this new service.

COMING UP: According to Past Pres. BILL, D.G. BOB KANE has designated January 5 dinner meeting at the SFO Marriot in honor of R.I. Pres. ROYCE ABBEY an official make-up, just one more good reason to attend this wonderful affair. Remember, RON KOSTER's the one to contact for reservations - only \$22.50 per.

MATTERS OF GREAT NOTE: Be sure to give a hand in the program to deliver Christmas Dinners to shut-ins on Christmas morn being managed by DR. DUC NGUYEN. There's food preparation, there's food delivery and there's the contribution of non-perishable foods, the sum of all of which means so much to those who can't do anything by themselves to enjoy or make this the season of joy it should be.

And if you don't know what to do you can at least pick up the phone and call DUC and say "What can I do?"

NEXT WEEK: It's that wonderful time for "Ice Breakers". They've never been less than the best of programs so be sure not to miss it.

Your finemaster on the 27th - GEORGE SZPOTEK. So you won't come up roses. At least it'll be another deduction for '88

HAPPY HOLIDAYS AND A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL!

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Greenwell, Dr. James O. (Jim) - Senior Active (Sanatoriums) 4/46 Gruman, Dr. Allen J. (Allen) - Education, Research 10/76 Hack, Donald C. (Don) Paving 9/78 Haga, Roland N.V. (Roland) - Engineering, Civil 2/86 6/87 Hatch, Richard E. (Dick) - Banking, General 8/60 Helbush, Donald (Don) - Sr. Active (County Govt., Adult Probation) 6/67 Hjertberg, Harold (Hal) - Senior Active (Corp. Counseling) Hodgson, Peter (Pete) - General Contractor 1/84 Hoff, Dr. John D. (John) - Physician, Gynecology 3/87 Hughes, Peter I. (Pete) - Plastics Fabrication 5/73 Jennings, William K. (Bill) - Education, County Administration 8/79 Keckley, Paul C., Jr. (Paul) - Senior Active (Physical Therapy) 11/54 Kemp, Judge Margaret (Margaret) - Superior Court Judge 11/87 2/88 Kever, Carolyn (Carolyn) - Hospital Administration 7/78 Kinsman, Ronald A. (Ron) - Insurance, Commercial Koslosky, Walter E. (Walt) - Senior Active (Real Estate, Income Property) 8/70 Koster, Dr. Ronald W. (Ron) - Senior Active (Orthodontics) 8/60 Kreiss, Stephen H. (Mike) - Senior Active (Building Inspection) 7/57 Laos, Alfonso R., Jr. (Al) - Savings & Loan 9/85 3/85 Law, Arthur W. (Art) - Senior Active (Stationary Retail) 8/87 Lewis, Lloyd G. (Lloyd) – Heat Treating, Metal Products Lobree, C. David (Dave) – Consultant, Power Engineering 9/76 Long, Charles R. (Chuck) - Senior Active (Tech. Electronic Comp., Import) 11/59 MacLeod, Norman (Norm) - Film/Audio Comm., Prod./Dist. 8/74 Mertens, Jerry W. (Jerry) - Chemicals, Wholesale 4/80 Mikulic, Stephen A. (Mik) - Dentistry 7/86 Mitchell, Delbert (Del) - Senior Active (Shoe Retailing) 3/55 2/65 Newell, James W. (Jim) - Senior Active (CPA) 5/88 Nguyen, Duc Marcel (Duc) - Physician/Orthopedics 11/720 Nissan, Edward (Ed) - Tile Imports, Wholesale/Retail Parcell, Frank C., Jr. (Frank) - Senior Active (Air Conditioning) 4/63 Pearson, Francis W., Jr. (Fran) - Senior Active (Tax Service) 3/49 Pierce, Robert L. (Bob) - Sr. Active (Waterproof Chemicals Mfg.) 6/65 7/87 Raddavero, Mario - Food Services, Catering Reinhard, William A. (Bill) – Banking, Additional Active Rutherford, Robert E. (Bob) – Senior Active (Marine Ecology) 11/88 6/76 2/88 Sanchez, Abel (Abel) - Photography San Filippo, Steven (Steve) - Certified Public Accounting 9/81 Schricker, David E. (Dave) - Senior Active (Municipal Government, Law) 9/68 Schutz, David N. (Dave) - Senior Active (Newspaper Publishing) Shelton, Floyd (Floyd) - Port Services 4/46 3/88 Silverstein, Stan L. (Stan) - Senior Active (Real Estate, Investment Counseling) 10/70 Souza, C. Joseph (Joe) - Senior Active (Food Products, Retailing) 5/68 Stangel, William J. (Bill) - Jewelry, Retail 6/73 Stevens, Maggie (Maggie) - U.S. Gov't/Postal Service 4/88 10/83 Stiff, D. Robert (Bob) - Education, College Administration Strathdee, Frederick R. (Fred) - Architecture 10/81 Summey, Lemuel (Lem) - Senior Active (County Government, Law) 5/73 4/73 Szpotek, George F., Jr. (George) - Flowers, Retailing Tatman, Wayne R. (T) - YMCA 12/88 Thompson, Guy (Guy) - Automobile 2/86 Wall, Dr. Austin A. (Doc) - Dentistry, Implant Wood, H. Bradley (Brad) - Orthodontics 4/86 6/88 Wooley, John H. (John) - Honorary 9/81 6/65 Young, Dr. Paul L. (Paul) - (Senior Active Podiatry)

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