

The Times Greater Peninsula News

C. of C. Plans Political Night For San Bruno

SAN BRUNO, April 1.—The San Bruno Chamber of Commerce completed plans today, it was announced by M. Ross, chairman of the event, for a public meeting Wednesday night, April 7, at which free coffee and doughnuts will be served, valuable awards distributed, no collection or admission charge made, and office seekers will have a chance to state their policies. The meeting will be held at the auditorium of the North Brae school, San Mateo avenue.

Question and Answer Period
Ten candidates have been invited to attend and state their policies. The formal program will take exactly two hours so that if all 10 candidates are present each will be allocated 10 minutes of time, including time for a very brief introduction.

There will be no general "question and answer" session after the formal meeting, because experience shows that such questions are usually addressed to incumbents only, placing the burden on them. However, all 10 candidates will be urged to make themselves available on the floor during the "coffee and discussion" period for informal questions and discussion.

Good Government Idea
In announcing the meeting Chairman Ross said: "The chamber of commerce desires to emphasize the point that it does not take sides in any political situation in any manner, shape or form. In fact, in many cases it has even dropped matters in which it was vitally interested because there were indirect political implications. The chamber is holding this rally merely as a public service. Names of the 10 candidates will be drawn from a hat to determine the order in which they speak, so as to eliminate the possibility of the chamber being considered biased or unfair in the matter. Introductions of candidates will be worded identically so that the chamber has no opportunity to present one candidate more favorably than the rest. "The chamber sincerely hopes that in sponsoring this rally, it is helping to make the citizens of San Bruno more conscious of the importance of good city government and the necessity of voting in municipal as well as federal elections."

H.M.B. Students Attend Conference

HALF MOON BAY, April 1.—A group of Half Moon Bay Union High school students attended the recent spring conference in San Jose. The conference is held to discuss school problems, ranging from sports, dances, school spirit and grades.

Attending from the Half Moon Bay High school were: Leonard Marsh, Janie Di Vecchio, Craig Kenschler, Dixie Carter, Larry Rotha, Carolee Aldrich, Jean Bradshaw, Mike Fox, Susan Borley, Rosalie Perruquer, Paula Gravance, Shirley Biagini, Beverly Marsh, Ronnie Cattich, Ralph and Carl Green, Lorraine Gabrielle and Miss Flora Mancebo.



Two key women from Beta Lambda chapter of San Bruno, Delta Chi Sigma sorority, will be much in evidence when the sorority opens its province convention at the Santa Clara hotel in San Jose on Saturday. They are, right, Mrs. William Rigler, state vice-president and leading candidate for the state presidency, and, left, Mrs. Dorothy Weber, convention chairman. Beta Lambda chapter of San Bruno is the official hostess chapter for the annual conclave.

CAMP RALLY FOR GIRL SCOUTS ON SATURDAY

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—All Girl Scouts, their families and friends, are invited to the annual camp rally Saturday, April 3, from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Orange Avenue Recreation center, South San Francisco.

This includes not only those attending established camp, but also those attending any day or troop camp. The junior camp committee, composed of Girl Scouts elected at Camp Wasibo last summer, are in charge of the plans for the combined rally and reunion. Troops in the north county have been using the new camp at Sonora this year. These girls who have already visited the camp will answer the many questions about the new site.

Upon entering the recreation center visitors will be greeted by hostesses Frances White of Sharp Park and Mary Sallade of Daly City. These girls will start the guests on their visits to the various booths set up in the main hall. Booths featuring singing, equipment, games, camp information and refreshments will be presided over by Carole Springer, San Bruno; Nancy Mayneard, Millbrae senior aide; Judy Walcomb, San Mateo; Mary Beth O'Donnell, Sharp Park; Dede Ormado, San Bruno, and Sharon Plowright, Millbrae senior aide. In the games corner will be Liane Sarmiento, Millbrae, and

Charlene Taylor, Daly City senior aide. Answering questions will be Susan Damon, Colma, Ann McCarthy, chairman of the junior camp committee, is in charge of refreshments. There will be one booth, supervised by Mary Sulger, Burlingame, featuring a large box decorated with a question mark. It is hoped that the many parents and scouts will have original ideas for a name for the new Sonora camp. For the first year Sonora is operating without a camp name, as it is felt the girls themselves should have an opportunity to help in the selection.

Assisting the girls are Mrs. Margaret Damon, advisor to the group; Mrs. Ida Snarr, Mrs. Irene O'Donnell, Mrs. E. W. Sulger, Mrs. Thomas Haegerty and Miss Margaret Dady, North county executive director.

Camp folders were distributed to the neighborhood chairmen March 31, to be distributed to the girls through their troops.

Stampmen Yield to Other Hobbies Here

Stamp collectors will yield to other hobbies tonight at the meeting at the Burlingame Recreation center. Tonight's program will be "Other Tobbies Night" it was announced by Milton J. Richter, chairman. Anything but stamps can be exhibited. Richter said.

Additions to Las Lomitas Start Monday

(Times County News Service)
ATHERTON, April 1.—Construction of a \$232,500 addition to Las Lomitas school, including seven new classrooms and district administrative offices, will begin Monday, Peter J. Kump of Menlo Park, architect for the addition, has stated.

Contract for the addition, to be constructed in three units, was signed Tuesday night by the Las Lomitas district board of trustees and Vance M. Brown, Palo Alto contractor and low bidder for the job.

Construction of two units, one to include two classrooms, administrative offices, a nurse's office and a teachers' workroom, and the other to include four new classrooms, will be completed for the opening of school next September, Kump said. Work on the third wing will be delayed until after demolition of the original school building starting in June after school is out. The third unit will include home economics and arts and crafts rooms and a go-ahead room.

The go-ahead was signed Tuesday afternoon in action by the state allocation board in Sacramento which authorized a state loan of \$235,631 to the district for construction of the addition. Residents of the district voted last year to accept the state funds.

The only other school in the district is the Ladera school on La-Questa drive in Menlo Park.

Farm Adviser Tells Of Spray Program

HALF MOON BAY, April 1.—A new spray program for backyard fruit trees has been released by the University of California, according to R. H. Sciaroni, San Mateo county farm advisor, Half Moon Bay. The object of the leaflet is to simplify the problems of home orchard management by combining fruits in several groups for spraying purposes.

Sciaroni states that a home orchard consisting of one or more trees of one to several kinds has its special problems. There is no one spray which can be used on all fruit trees to obtain miraculous control of insects and diseases. Proper insecticides and fungicides must be used; thorough coverage is necessary, and proper timing of application is very important.

A copy of this leaflet, "How to Spray and Dust Your Home Orchard," is available without charge by writing the farm advisor's office, 524 Main street, Half Moon Bay.

San Carlos Building Permits on Increase

(Times County News Service)
SAN CARLOS, April 1.—Thirty-eight building permits valued at \$389,265 were issued by the office of Building Inspector Donald Lowe during March to bring the total for the first three months of 1954 to \$668,585.

Permits were issued for 17 new homes to account for \$218,000 of the March total. A \$55,000 permit was issued to Herman Christensen, for construction of a ten-unit apartment building at Laurel street and Hull drive; and a \$36,000 permit was issued to Henry Gramberg for construction of a six-unit apartment house at 1224 Belmont avenue.

Permits issued this year are nearly \$900,000 behind the total of \$1,557,880 for the first three months in 1953, records show.

New Textile Painting Classes to Open

A new series of textile painting classes will be held this spring, the San Mateo recreation department announced today. The classes will teach stencil painting on fabrics and will start next week, continuing for eight weeks. There are openings in the following classes: Monday night, beginning April 5, for beginners and advanced students; Thursday morning, starting April 8, for beginners. All registration must be made through the San Mateo recreation department before the classes begin.



VINTON P. BROCKHOUSE

Friends Honor V. Brockhouse

Vinton P. Brockhouse, veteran employe of the state board of equalization, was honored by recent luncheons at the Villa Chartier, San Mateo, and at the "3 Little Swisss" in San Francisco upon his retirement after twenty years of service with the state.

Brockhouse was supervising auditor, sales tax division, for San Mateo county with offices in both Burlingame and Redwood City. A native of Illinois, he majored in accounting at St. Louis university and had extensive experience in industrial and cost accounting before entering state service. He has been a resident of the Peninsula since 1925, and now resides in Redwood City. He is a registered public accountant of California and a member of the San Francisco chapter of the National Association of Cost Accountants and a past president of the chapter.

Residents Give Laureola Area Beautification

(Times County News Service)
SAN CARLOS, April 1.—The Laureola district was given another beauty treatment last Sunday through the efforts of eight members of the Laureola Improvement association who mowed two city trucks and took eight loads of garden clippings from the district to the dump.

This is the seventh time that the association has sponsored a cleanup drive in this area for the benefit of the residents. Following their three-hour stint the following members of the committee met at the home of beautifications chairman, Earl Haynes, for lunch. Attending were Grant Bringham, Robert Van Briggie, Jack Shipley, Jack Riley, Ray Owens and son, and Spence Bendle.

The association has invited members to attend a meeting of the Homeowners association tonight at 8 o'clock at the city hall to hear candidates for the San Carlos city council present their views. All San Carlos are urged to attend.

Little House Shows Film on Famed Area

REDWOOD CITY, April 1.—"Wilderness River Trail," a colored film with sound about a boat trip down the Yampa and Green rivers in the beautiful Dinosaur National Monument country, was the feature on the program this afternoon at Little House, Menlo Park.

Mrs. Russell Varian, a member of the conservation committee of the Sierra club, presented the film, and furnished additional commentary.

Tea was served, following the program. At 7 p. m. this evening Roy Innes, voice teacher of Menlo Park, and Marie deForest Emery, voice teacher at Castilleja school, will lead alternately the choral group at Little House which meets every Thursday evening. Mrs. Anna G. Mantz will be the accompanist.

Girls' State Candidate Picked at S.C.

(Times County News Service)
SAN CARLOS, April 1.—Madge Raymond, junior student at Carlmont High school, has been selected by faculty members to represent the school at Girls' State. Miss Raymond will be sponsored by the San Carlos American Legion auxiliary No. 585, and the Belmont Auxiliary No. 377.

The Girls' State program is sponsored each year by the American Legion auxiliaries of California, with outstanding junior students chosen to participate during the one week in citizenship training. Participants are informed on duties, privileges, rights and responsibilities of American citizenship, develop an understanding and have an opportunity for meaningful participation in the functions of government.

Miss Raymond is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Raymond of 574 Vista drive. She attended Central and Arundel elementary schools. As a freshman student at Sequoia High school she was an active member of the student council and of the school spirit committee. As a sophomore at Carlmont she served on the staff of the Carlmonitor, was a member of the girls' athletic board and the student government committee, the rally committee and was a "big sister." This year she is commissioner of school spirit and a member of the Girls' Block C association. Her future plans include attending Stanford and majoring in science or English.

The eleventh annual California Girls' State will be held at the California Junior High school in Sacramento from June 23 to July 1, with delegates from all California high schools participating.

On June 19 this year's delegates from the Peninsula area, and their mothers, together with last year's delegates, will attend a luncheon at the Villa Chartier as guests of the American Legion auxiliaries of the Peninsula.

Pre-Easter Bake Sale Scheduled

(Times County News Service)
SAN CARLOS, April 1.—A pre-Easter bake sale has been scheduled by members of the Women's guild of the Community church of San Carlos for Saturday on the corner of Laurel and Morse boulevard.

The guild's ways and means chairman, Mrs. J. M. Florh, has named Mrs. C. E. McMahon as general chairman of the sale. Working with her will be the Mesdames A. J. Saarinne, E. C. Dana, W. C. Harman, Thomas Milam, Donald Crumb, Elmer Matson and Russell Otto.

CARLMONT YMCA INSTALLS NEW CLUB

(Times County News Service)
SAN CARLOS, April 1.—Jack Lander, executive secretary of the Carlmont YMCA, conducted a formal induction and installation ceremony for members of the Cheyenne Gra-Y club, last night in the new Carlmont Y building. Parents of the boys were guests for the ceremony, which served to affiliate them with the National Gra-Y movement. Officers installed included James Larson, president; Stuart Struck, vice-president; Steven Rogers, secretary, and Jay Taylor, treasurer. Following the scheduled activities the boys were entertained with films, while parents attending participated in a group discussion of anticipated activities.

Tonight at 7 p.m. the same program will be followed for members of the Gold Cross Gra-Y and their parents. Officers of this group will be James McCord, president; Douglas Clark, vice-president; Ronald Stewart, secretary, and Nicky Wolfe, treasurer.

Forty boys and Y leaders will participate in the annual trip to Treasure Island scheduled for Saturday. The day will include a visit to the naval reserve training center, a tour of a navy ship and a swim. Lunch will be at the crew's mess. The first meeting of a newly formed Y-Indian Guide tribe will be held tonight at the home of Jerome Harris, 1435 Oakhurst. This is the fourth tribe for the White Oaks school area.

Another Y-Indian Guide group now being formed will meet tomorrow night at the home of Donald Crumb, 239 Ruby street. Vacancies still exist in this group. For further information on the father and son program for boys of six years and up call the Carlmont Y office.

The Sequoia Y-Indian Guide Longhouse will meet next Monday evening, 8 p.m., at the Carlmont Y building. The meeting, which is conducted by Oliver Eitzen, big chief, serves as a means for inter-tribe exchange of information on projects, activities and trips. Scheduled for discussion will be the spring week-end camping trip to Camp Tolowa, during the first week end in June.



GERALD HEARD

South County Lectures Set

(Times County News Service)
SAN CARLOS, April 1.—Gerald Heard, author, historian, philosopher and lecturer, will be presented in a series of two lectures, Friday evening April 2 and 9, by the Sequoia seminar. Heard will appear at 8 p.m., in the Palo Alto High school auditorium.

Subject for the series is "The Fulfillment of Modern Man." Subtopic for the first lecture to be "The Fulfillment of the Individual"; second lecture, "The Fulfillment of Society." Tickets are obtainable at the door; or in advance from the Peninsula box office in Palo Alto or San Mateo; at Paul Elders in San Francisco; or at the Canterbury book store, San Carlos.

Heard has been rated as one of the great minds of our times by H. G. Wells, Aldous Huxley and W. Somerset Maugham. By virtue of the extent of his learning and experience, he is at home in practically every field of knowledge. His intellect, with a perception peculiarly his own, moves down the long sweep of history, explores the sciences, anthropology, philosophy and metaphysics and emerges to present a pattern of meaning and fulfillment.

Carlos Firemen Save Young Roof Climber

(Times County News Service)
SAN CARLOS, April 1.—David Lane, 2½-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Lane, 1712 Howard avenue, was rescued from the roof of a neighbor's home yesterday by San Carlos firemen. The youngster climbed a trellis next to the R. B. Velp's residence, 1700 Howard avenue, to reach the roof, firemen said. He was discovered by Mrs. Velp, who called the fire department. He was rescued uninjured.

Future Farmers Preparing for Grand National

(Times County News Service)
BAYSHORE CITY, April 1.—On more than a thousand ranches in California, Oregon, Nevada and Utah, 1255 4-H club boys and girls and Future Farmers of America today were hard at work on the near-record number of entries in the forthcoming Grand National Junior Livestock Exposition and Arena show.

The Junior Grand National, nation's largest livestock exposition and arena show devoted exclusively to 4-H and FFA members and junior horsemen from both rural and urban areas, will be held at the San Mateo-San Francisco Cow Palace April 10 to 15.

Entries Pour In
As the huge livestock pavilion thundered with preparations for the great trek of youngsters from four states, J. W. Mailliard III, chairman of the exposition, announced that late arrival of entry forms had boosted the previously announced near-record total of animals which will be exhibited. A final count showed that 1255 youngsters had entered 3453 head of beef, dairy and dual-purpose cattle, hogs and lambs. This is a considerable increase over last year's entry list of 1082 exhibitors and 2960 animals, although it falls somewhat short of the 1932 record of 1315 exhibitors and 3701 animals.

Project Supported
Of this year's entry totals, Mailliard said: "The marked increase of exhibitors and animals entered in this year's Junior Grand National, as compared with last year, clearly indicates that the agricultural community of the Far West solidly supports this great educational project for rural youth. That the 1954 list almost reached the record of 1952 when the livestock market due to war-time conditions was much higher, indicates that the exposition will continue to grow in stature and prestige despite economic conditions."

The opening week end of the Junior Grand National, as usual, will be largely devoted to an arena entertainment show with a program of 13 thrill-packed events. Headline acts this year will be the Loloosa band of Indians from Oregon in colorful tribal rites and dances and the Mongrel Review, a troupe of performing dogs of doubtful antecedents in an amazing repertoire of tricks and antics. There will be three performances—matinee and evening, Saturday, April 10, and matinee, Sunday, April 11.

Pay Boosts at Belmont Approved

(Times County News Service)
BELMONT, April 1.—Merit pay increases for 12 of the city's 13 civil service employes have been approved by the city personnel board, Fred Nelson, city administrator and personnel officer, has revealed.

The pay boosts, effective July 1, range from \$13 to \$19 a month and will result in an increase of \$2300 to the salary budget for the 1954-55 fiscal year, Nelson said.

One city employe already has reached the maximum salary limit and is not included in the proposed increases. The police department will absorb most of the pay boost, with eight officers scheduled for raises.

The personnel board's recommendations will go to the city council for inclusion in the city budget requests.

Belmont Students Win Speech Awards

Among winners at the recent Catholic High School Speech congress held at St. Mary's college are Lynne Diedrichs and Carla Loeffler, of Notre Dame High school, Belmont.

The duo from Belmont captured third place award in debate. The topic for debate was "Resolved: That the President of the United States Should Be Elected by Direct Vote."

The congress, which attracted 120 Catholic high school students from as far distant as Bakerfield, was under the direction of Charles Riker, St. Mary's speech director.

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