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Will there be water when the new year comes?

A Red Letter Day for Lake Elsinore will be October 8. That is the day the Metropolitan Water District board is expected to approve the sale of water needed to fill Lake Elsinore. It is also hoped that by the 8th, final state approval of the contract between Western Municipal Water and Metropolitan Water District will be approved.

Western, according to latest reports, will buy the water from Metropolitan, which owns the Colorado River aqueduct, and sell it to the state, which owns Lake Elsinore. The state will take delivery of the water at Lakeview, not Lake Elsinore.

Western will build a large channel between an outlet on the Colorado River aqueduct near Lakeview and the San Jacinto River. Metropolitan will install two large valves, one in each barrel of its double barreled Lakeview siphon, to release the water from the aqueduct. The water will then flow about twelve miles down the river to Lake Elsinore passing through Railroad Canyon Reservoir en route. Only surplus water will be available to fill Lake Elsinore, but it is hoped that there will be enough water to keep it filled for a good many years.

If all goes according to the plans made, water will flow into Lake Elsinore by the first of 1964. It will take approximately 60 days to fill the lake.

With the water for the lake looking as positive as it does, what about the Lake Elsinore State Recreation Area? This area covers 2,954.40 acres of land

with twelve miles of lake frontage and it will play a great part in the future of Elsinore and surrounding towns.

Without water in the lake, the state park records show that during the month of August there were 1126 overnights and 1814 picnickers. All in all the total amount of persons taking advantage of the facilities offered by the state park in August were 10,410. In July, 9,044.

With the expected water one can easily expect these figures to double. The state park staff will patrol the lake when the water comes, along with local officers.

The park now offers 56 campsites, each having a barbecue stove, camp cupboards, portable 8-foot tables and a 20-foot wide black-topped parking spur. There are two restrooms with modern facilities and one with shower and laundry.

The park is open 24 hours per day and at present the use fee in the headquarters area is 50 cents per car and \$1 for overnight. Lyle Watson is park supervisor assisted by Walter Palmer. Park attendant is Al Schmitt and Park Aide seasonal is Lloyd Chandler. The state park area includes not only the site off of Riverside Drive, but the picnic area on Lakeshore Drive as well as the skating rink.

On the first weekend of each month model plane exhibits and races can be seen at the park. Model plane clubs from all over Southern California take advantage of the ideal conditions for this sport offered by the state park. ■



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And the walls came tumbling down. The Elsinore Elementary School building facing Langstaff Street is no more. Herb Younger of the B & Y House Movers completely demolished the condemned building. What once was a school is now just a memory.

New Chamber president for Perris

John R. Harrison, owner and operator of Dan's Feed and Seed in Perris, was elected president of the Perris Valley Chamber of Commerce for 1963-64. He succeeds Rev. Luther P. J. Steiner as president.

Serving with President Harrison will be Ed Sudik, vice president; Russell Stewart, secretary-treasurer and Harvey Goertzen and Charles Motte were elected to the president's executive committee. They will serve on this committee along with the other three top chamber officers.

Effective immediately the board will hold its regular first Thursday of the month meetings at 7 a.m. instead of 8 p.m. The meeting place will be announced prior to each session by President Harrison. The October 3 meeting will be held in the King Arthur Room of the Kings Inn, Sun City, at 7 a.m. ■

Hi-12 receives charter

Sun City's High Twelve Club became officially affiliated with the International Organization at a charter night banquet held in the Town Hall Auditorium on Saturday, September 7.

An audience of approximately 300 people, including a delegation of fifty officials of the Masonic Order, attended this occasion which marked the welcoming of the largest charter group in the history of the organization, 165 members.

State President Fred H. Doty of California Associated High Twelve Clubs presented the charter to local President H. A. Buchser and Vinton S. Malcolm, vice president of High Twelve International formally welcomed the new club into the parent organization.

During the meeting installation of officers was held. Serving with President Buchser will be Er-

Engagement announced

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Freeman of Murrieta announce the engagement of their daughter, Dianne, to Tony G. Rodriguez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Rodriguez of Elsinore.

Dianne was graduated from Elsinore Union High School in 1962 and is presently employed at the Pacific Telephone Company at Riverside.

Tony is also a graduate of the Elsinore school, class of 1961 and subsequently attended Fresno State College for one and one half years. He is presently employed in Corona at the Gladding-McBean Co.

The couple have chosen October 26 as their wedding date. ■

Police officer promoted

Officer Robert Brown, who has been a member of the Perris Police Department for the past two years, was promoted to sergeant recently after the Perris City Council approved establishment of the office.

Along with the promotion Sgt. Brown will also receive \$10 per month pay increase. He has been acting juvenile officer for the department for the past six months. ■

nest Harthun, secretary-treasurer; Paul S. Nill, A. G. Diefenbach and W. E. Evans, vice presidents; Cyrus K. Owrey, international representative; Alton D. Gilbert, sergeant-at-arms; Kenneth L. Smith, chaplain and directors Fenn C. Horton, Jack C. Bird and Earl L. Kurtz.

Meetings will be held on alternate Tuesdays at 9 a.m. at the Kings Inn. ■

Patricia Ann Rehrig and Ronald Milts united in marriage



Rudolph Ramos Photo

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Milts ... the former Patricia Ann Rehrig

"Will thee, Patricia Ann Rehrig, take this man, Ronald Arthur Milts, to be your lawful wedded husband?"

As the "I wills" were being said, another young couple of Elsinore were united in marriage.

Patricia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rehrig of Elsinore and Ronald, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Milts of Elsinore were united in marriage on Saturday, September 21, in an afternoon ceremony solemnized by Rev. Joe Thompson at the First Methodist Church of Elsinore.

The bride chose for her

wedding a full length gown of poie-de-soie over taffeta with a scooped neckline and quarter length sleeves. Her veil was drawn to the top by a crown of seed pearls. The bride carried a bouquet of white orchids and white carnations.

Miss Judy Chostner, maid of honor, wore a turquoise chiffon over taffeta sheath with short sleeves, matching shoes and veil and carried a bouquet of pink carnations and baby pink roses.

Helen Marie Quinn of Eureka, cousin of the bride, Mary Jo Nicolai of

Elsinore, Susan Fletcher of Anaheim and Virginia Chostner of Elsinore were the bridesmaids. They were identically gowned in white chiffon dresses with turquoise and carried bouquets of pink and white carnations.

Ray Milts of Arlington, brother of the groom, was best man. Roger Mayhall, brother-in-law to the groom, John Sipos of Elsinore, Fred Hildebrand and Jim Hildebrand, both of Corona, served as ushers. Melodee Rehrig, cousin of the bride, was the flower girl, dressed in white chiffon with a blue tipped pedal overskirt. Mark Leonard, cousin of the bride, was the ring bearer for the double-ring ceremony.

Mrs. Ruth Turner, soloist, sang the "Hawaiian Wedding Song" and "Oh, Promise Me," accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Ralph Boller.

Cheryl Lamberson of Elsinore was in charge of the guest book and Kathy Belinis and Joyce Smith of Corona were in charge of the gifts.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the church social hall where Mrs. Ronald Hall, Mrs. Nicolai, Mrs. Glenn Smith and Mrs. Joe Harrison served at the reception table.

Another reception for the couple was held at the Lucerne Street home of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mayhall, sister and brother-in-law of the groom, where a buffet dinner was served.

Both attended the Elsinore Union High School and Ronald is now employed as a letterpressman at the Mayhall Print Shop in Elsinore.

After a honeymoon to Trinity Alps and Lake Tahoe, the couple returned to their Sedco Hills home ■

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NUTTY YACHTS TO RACE AT

Elsinore's Diamond Jubilee

Since Elsinore's lake is void of water, the committee for the Diamond Jubilee of Elsinore is featuring a nutty yacht race. These yachts, now being constructed by the more venturesome type of persons, will race on wheels on a special tract being prepared on the dry lake bottom.

Sails and various other ridiculous items will be added to these yachts, for you see, the nuttiest, guttiest of them all will win.

Jim Francisco, retired naval architect, is offering his services, free of charge, to anyone who needs help in constructing a yacht to enter into the race.

Prizes in two classifications will be offered, one for yachts built along engineering principals that

will actually enter the race and the other for crazy yachts that will enter the parade drawn by a car or other means.

The nuttiest yachts will go on display in the Great American Mad, Mad Museum which will open its doors as a permanent tour-its attraction in Elsinore.

Along with the races the Mad Museum is conducting a contest for crazy inventions and gadgets. If you have a crazy gadget or invention, contact the Chamber of Commerce at 154 Main Street, headquarters for preliminary jubilee activities.

Most of the anniversary activities will take place under a canvas at the ball park off of Lakeshore Drive.

One of the inventions

going on exhibit is a rocking chair that operates a bicycle pump air conditioning system while being used. Think of how this idea could cut the cost of electricity at the White House!

During the three-day celebration that commemorates the 75th anniversary of the incorporation of the City of Elsinore there will be a parade, street dance, stage show, air show, carnival, world champion eating contest and of course the nutty yacht race.

In other words, plan to spend three days in Elsinore and join in the fun. If you can't make it, La Laguna Revue will have complete photo coverage of all of the events in the December issue.

See you at the Jubilee! ■

Ask Homer Hillebrand

Homer Hillebrand of Corydon Road in Elsinore can tell you what a real spitball is, the way it hesitated, dropped and when it hit his catcher's mitt how the impression of the stitches on the ball would sink into his mitt and one could actually see the imprint of those stitches in the mitt for a few split seconds.

Homer caught for Elmer Stricklett in the year 1903 when they played for Los Angeles of the Pacific Coast League. Elmer Stricklett is credited with being the first to use the spitball, but to this day this is a subject that is wide open to controversy.

Homer began his career as a ball player during the summer of 1899 when he played with the Flandreau



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Homer Hillebrand and his wife, Grace



The Pittsburgh Ball Club in the year 1905. Top row, left to right: Clarence Beaumont, Fred Carisch, Sam Leever, Otis Clymer, Charlie Case, Al McBride, George Lindamin and Good. Second row, l to r: Honus Wagner, Heine Peitz, Del Howard, Clancy, Mike Lynch, Deacon Phillipi, name unknown. First row, l to r: Pat Flaherty, Claude Ritchey, Captain Fred Clarke, Homer Hillebrand, Robataille and Tom Leach.

A DAY WITH THE FORESTRY



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Harvey French, Assistant State Forest Ranger

By DOLORES MAYHALL

A day with the forestry is about the most mis-leading head in the world.

Because there cannot ever be a day one could spend with this division of our state government and tell all about them.

I'd seen the sign "State of California, Department of Conservation, Division of Forestry, Elsinore Forest Fire Station" hundreds of times as I drive down Graham Avenue in Elsinore and have often wondered exactly what went on behind those doors.

I recently had an opportunity to see Harvey French, Assistant State Forest Ranger, and to ask him about the duties of himself and the men who work with him.

Between the telephone

ringing, people needing burning permits and a score of interruptions concerning the forestry, I finally pieced together a story.

The men do not only fight fires, although this is their primary job, they prevent them as well. John Ferguson is the inspector and his job is to check for fire hazards of any type, be it rubbish, weeds or debris of any kind. He in turn sees that the property owner is notified of the hazard and then makes certain something has been done about it.

The Elsinore Fire District covers 200 square miles and this station answers approximately one hundred calls within the district. They cover all the area outside of the city limits and in rural areas

outside of the U. S. Forest Service District's area. But they assist at any and all fires, no matter where. I recalled to Harvey the night of February 16, 1962, when the old Elsinore theatre burned and I saw Harvey tugging on the coat of a fireman pulling him out of the burning building and at the same time yelling, "Everybody out!" He pulled the man onto the sidewalk and seconds later the entire second floor of the theatre with the projection equipment on it came crashing down, just inches from where the men had stood. Harvey said he did not know what told him to get the men out at that time, but his instinct was accurate, and not one man was injured when that floor came down.



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Angel Beltrum, cook for the firemen

The station in Elsinore is classed as a resident station and the men live there as if it were their home. In fact, it is their home away from home. They keep the station clean, from floors to windows, and they have their own recreation room with television, a dining room and a well-equipped kitchen run by Angel Beltrum. Angel is the cook and his job is to see that three good meals a day are cooked and that the larder is well stocked.

His family of firemen consists of five crewmen, three drivers and one foreman. Each man puts in

104 hours per week on duty, whether it be out on a fire, keeping the trucks in order or cleaning the station. The drivers are responsible for their trucks and after each call the trucks are completely serviced, cleaned and made ready for the next time they are needed.

During a large fire, such as the well-remembered ones like the Stewart, Jameson, Decker or Morrell, not only the units from Elsinore go out to fight it but units from Temecula, Lakeland Village and other towns join in to put it out.

At Ryan Field in Hemet

two TBM planes are loaded with a fire retardant and give support to putting out fires from the air.

The communication system at the forestry is one of the finest in use. By the flick of a switch they are either in the Riverside communication area or state communication area or state communication area.

Along with being a forestry station, it is the U. S. Weather Bureau's official station for the area and the maximum and minimum temperatures are recorded and sent on to Burbank for permanent recording.

During our discussion on fire and the men who fight it I had an opportunity to ask Harvey about himself. He is a modest but very proud man. He began his career with the forestry in 1936 as crewman and from there he advanced to driver, foreman, and October 1, 1946 was given his present title and position. He will celebrate his 25th year with the state on November 13, 1963. The present forestry building and the residence in which Harvey and his wife, Cheryl, live was completed in June of 1951. Harvey is reluctant to talk of himself, but when it came to the forestry, and the men, and the job the team has done this was another matter. ■

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Standing by their trucks which are kept ready to roll at all times we have, l to r: Joe Vasquez, crewman; Ray Townsend, station foreman; Stewart Oburn, forest fire trucker; Jim Goins, crewman, and Ralph Swick, crewman. Not pictured are crewmen Larry Root and Tom Walker and drivers L. Daniels and Don Hedges. These are the men who man the Elsinore station.



In the Diamond Jubilee parade will be the American GI Forum Color Guard of Elsinore, in all their splendor. Raymond Sepulveda, Bernie Saenz, Charles Cox, Ralph Sepulveda, Ferman Martinez, and Florentino Perez.

A man among men

Time: Ten years ago.

Scene(Phone rings, John Harrison answers.)

Act One: (Voice on other end of telephone): Mr. Harrison, would you help junior show his calf at the Hemet Fair, we don't know who else can do it.

And the play opened, John Harrison of Dan's Feed and Seed in Perris, took his first step up the ladder of 4-H. This was to be his induction into a field of boys and eventually girls that lasted ten years, some of them full of joy as trophy after trophy was won by the members of his Perris Panthers 4-H group. Some of those years



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It all began with a potluck dinner prepared by all of the members' mothers. Ham, Swiss steak and spaghetti topped the menu.



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Back row, l to r: John Harrison, guest of honor; Nan Sanders, mistress of ceremonies; Richard Randolph, past president, Robert Sanders, Diamond-star. Front row, l to r: Kathleen Hanifin and Anna Smith.

were rough as they competed against other clubs, but to John Harrison, leader, they will always be the finest years of all.

On September 3 at the Perris Elementary School members celebrated the tenth anniversary of their organization with a potluck dinner and there they honored their founder and leader, John Harrison. Members, who are no longer with the club, attended the affair and paid their respects to this fine fellow. Robert Sanders, who was chosen Diamond Star in 1961-62, which is the 4-H representative for the entire state, presented John a scrapbook with photographs and clippings covering the club's activities for the past ten years. This book took many hours of work but those who compiled it received their reward when John expressed his gratitude for this gift.

This was a night for John. Over 100 people

watched as he accepted from Merle Zeiders the new 4-H leader, a desk and pen set with the emblem of the club attached to it and from Anna Jean Smith, president for the ensuing year, a plaque of appreciation for his services.

Nan Sanders was the mistress of ceremonies for the celebration and is one of the group's senior advisors. According to John, without Nan the club could not have succeeded. Her willingness to help with meetings, fair showings and her ability to arrange and organize every facet of each big or small event was the key point in making the club so successful.

In ten years the Perris club turned out three All-Stars, Bob Long, Robert Sanders and Anna Jean Smith. All-Stars are the top people in 4-H in the county of Riverside and the competition is great.

After the potluck dinner a cake with ten candles,

one for each year of the club's existence, was brought out and past officers and the incoming president, Carl Kelso, each lit one candle.

John attended college at San Luis Obispo and there he majored in Animal Husbandry. From college he came to Perris and worked for one year at the Perris Valley Grain and Produce Co. Nine years ago he became part owner and manager of Dan's Feed and Seed. He is an active Rotarian and the newly elected president of the Perris Valley Chamber of Commerce. John and his wife Jan and their two children Tammy, 6 and Dickie 3, live in Menifee Valley off Scott Road and 395.

This is Perris's John Harrison, a man among men. The 4-H is a success because of him and the effort he put forth. Will he ever go back? Only time, Tammy and Dickie can tell. ■



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Carl Kelso, incoming president; Katie Hanifin, Donna Smith, Norman Wolf, Dale Long, Anna Smith, Robert Sanders, Alan Young, Robert Long, Charlie Beeson and Richard Randolph. All of the above were or are officers of the club, many are no longer with the club, but joined in the farewell to John.



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Some of the present members of the Perris Panthers 4-H Club and their leaders.



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John's office at the Feed Store is a showroom of photos and trophies won by his club. Here is John and on the wall behind him is just a portion of his vast collection.

Commendation for Joe Seitz



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Joe Seitz receives scroll from Mayor Thomas C. Bartlett. Seated at far right is Councilman Ed Berry.

Joseph Seitz, owner and operator of Seitz Liquor Store on Main Street in Elsinore was presented a scroll from the officials of the City of Elsinore commending him for his work in Civil Defense.

Mr. Seitz, after twelve years work in that field, resigned from his position as Civil Defense Director recently.

Below is a copy of the hand painted scroll presented to Mr. Seitz by Mayor Thomas C. Bartlett on Monday evening, September 16.

A RESOLUTION of the City Council of Elsinore, California commending Joseph W. Seitz for twelve years of service as Civil Defense Director.

Whereas Joseph W. Seitz was appointed to be the first Director of Civil Defense for the City of Elsinore and

Whereas Mr. Seitz has served unselfishly and tirelessly for the past twelve years and

Whereas public apathy and gov-

ernmental indifference have made Civil Defense workers long sufferers of trying frustrations.

Where despite difficulties and lack of broad public support, Mr. Seitz persevered in his dedication to this urgent service and

Whereas all of these contributions to community betterment were performed without compensation or thought of reward.

Therefore let it be resolved, that the residents of this city show its appreciation to Mr. Seitz by this action of their elected officials and be it

Further resolved that an enscrolled copy of this resolution be presented to Mr. Seitz as a full official act of this City.

Whereunto we have set our hand this 16th day of September, 1963.

Signed: Thomas C. Bartlett,
Mayor of Elsinore
Thomas Yarborough, Oscar
Hitt, Edward Berry and
H. H. Stewart, Councilmen

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Celebrates two anniversaries

On October 20, 1963, Robert Mellon, better known as Bob, will celebrate two anniversaries, his wedding and first day on the job as a permanent bus driver for the Elsinore School District.

Twenty-two years ago Bob was placed on the payroll of the Elsinore School District and since that time approximately 500,000 children have been hauled to and from school by him.

In fact, Bob is now driving some of the children of students he carried as passengers during his time as a driver. Among them are the children of Mary and Lon Finnell of Meadowbrook and the James McGills of Machado Street in Elsinore.

In the many years he has served in this capacity Bob has not had any traffic tickets and as he said, "Thank God, not any accidents either." Few people can boast of this record.

He enjoys each and every student and when he speaks of them a twinkle comes to his eyes as he looks back on some of the more humorous incidents that took place on his bus. He has made numerous trips to the San Diego Zoo,



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Bob Mellon with one of the many busses he drives

Marineland and other places of interest when a class has gone on these excursions.

Football, baseball and basketball teams have been taken to their games with Bob in the driver's seat. And many times his words of encouragement have brought the boys up from the depths of despair at a loss.


Bob has been the owner and operator of Mellon's Trailer Court on Graham Avenue in Elsinore since 1933.

He and his wife, Allene were married on October 20, 1947. They had originally set the wedding date for October 6, but they ran

into a very serious problem. It seems that they are both avid fishermen and according to the fishing guide, the dark of the moon, an ideal time for fishing, would not be until the 20th of October and since they planned to spend their honeymoon at the Colorado River fishing the wedding date had to be changed.

So the Mellons were married on the 20th, and as they looked back those many years, they both figured it was worth waiting for because the fishing was good.

There he is, Elsinore's Bob Mellon, and his half-million children.



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Dick Connor, Elsinore Pharmacy

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We are going to introduce to you the men and women who sell the Revue. In their place of business is a stand and they will gladly take care of you when you need those extra copies of the magazine.

Below is a listing of all of the dealers, and photographs of two of them.

Each month hereafter we will introduce the Dealers of the Month.

Burnham's Market, 24741 Washington, Murrieta. Mel Miller.

Crossroads Drive Inn, 16830 Rice Road, Elsinore. Evelyn Roderick.

Duke's Corner, Quail Valley. Beulah Duke.

Elsinore Barber Shop, North Main St., Elsinore. Fred Dominguez and Bill Butler.

Elsinore Rexall Pharmacy, 141 N. Main St., Elsinore. Dick and Dwight Connor.

Elsinore Public Market, 159 N. Main, Elsinore. Harry and Kenny Lee and Harry Davis.

Farmer's Market, 16851 Rice Road, Elsinore. Earl Tate.

Gahagan's General Store, 14832 Lake St., Alberhill.

Grand Avenue Pharmacy, 17741 Grand Avenue, Elsinore. John Burke.

Guenther's Murrieta Hot Springs. Hugo and Bud Guenther.

King's Inn, 26901 Cherry Hills Bou-



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Bill Fraiser, Kirk's Variety, Perris

levard, Sun City. Hollis Hammond.

Kirk's Variety Store, 406 D Street, Perris. William Fraiser.

Lakeland Vista Market, 17623 Grand Avenue, Elsinore. Clayton Stocker.

M & M Market, 15987 Grand Avenue, Elsinore. Eddie Misner.

M & M Market, Temecula. Frank Farris.

Meadowbrook Market, Meadowbrook. Lon and Mary Fennell.

Ortega Oaks Market, 15887 Grand Avenue, Elsinore. Joe Jefferies and Joe Jefferies Jr.

Perris Rexall Pharmacy, 318 D St., Perris. Bob McCafferty.

Ray Bezanson's Cafe, Washington, Murrieta.

Rite Spot Cafe, Temecula.

Seitz Liquor Store, 142 N. Main, Elsinore. Joe Seitz.

Shipley's Market, Anza.

Sportsmans Cafe, 2088 Railroad Avenue, Elsinore. Lowell Henes and Dick Bulawa.

Sun City Rexall Pharmacy, 26936 Cherry Boulevard, Sun City. Dale Wilterding.

Sunshine Ranch Market, 990 Railroad Avenue, Elsinore. Al and Wanda Accettura.

Temecula Liquor Store, Temecula.

Tontz Country Store, 32473 Almond St., Sedco. Clarence and Jeanette Tontz.

Wildomar Store, Highway 71, Wildomar. Betty and Wyman Turner.

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A wedding they'll long remember



Wyman Turner Photo

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Hays ... the former Judy Darlene Wood

Judy Darlene Wood and Wilson Hays will long remember their wedding.

The young couple had set the wedding date for August 9, but the United States Air Force, of which Will is a member, changed his leave plans and he could not leave the Philippines for Elsinore until around the 13th. So, they postponed the wedding until Sunday the 18th.

Tuesday, the 13th arrived and Judy was waiting for a telephone call from him so she could meet him in San Francisco. Instead she received a cable-

very severe. All flights cancelled. Be there as soon as possible."

Knowing that typhoons can last for several days, Judy was about to call off the wedding again. However, Will managed to board the first plane that took off when the winds subsided and he arrived in San Francisco on Thursday, leaving them one day to get their license, his attire for the wedding and all of the other necessary things it takes to get married.

But as all things are meant to be, the couple ar-

rived at the church and here is the accounting of a wedding they'll long remember.

The marriage of Judy Darlene Wood and Wilson Hays was solemnized on Sunday evening, the 18th day of August, in a candle-light ceremony performed by the Rev. Daniel Wagner at the First Baptist Church in Elsinore. Over 175 guests watched the lovely bride as she was given in marriage by Joe Remlinger of Elsinore.

For her wedding the bride wore a floor length gown of nylon organza over taffeta with a fitted bodice. The neckline was lace scalloped and three-quarter length sleeves. A crown of seedpearls held her shoulder length veil and she carried a bridal bouquet of white carnations and ivy.

The bride's honor attendant was Mrs. Woodell Mapes, who was gowned in blue nylon chiffon over taffeta. Mrs. Mapes sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly."

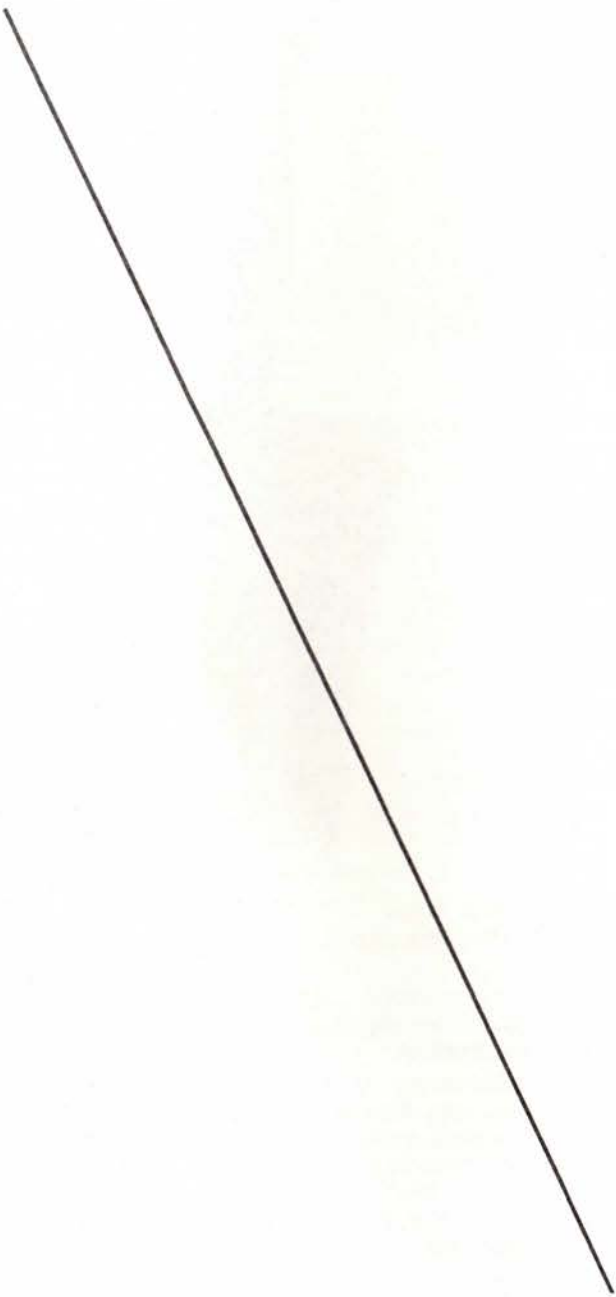
Jacqueline Van Dolah of San Gabriel was the bridesmaid and her gown was similar to that of the matron of honor. Both attendants carried pink carnations with blue ribbon streamers to match their dresses.

Woodell Mapes was the best man and ushers were Edward Boontjer, Robert McLaughlin and William McLaughlin.

The wedding reception was held in the church social hall. Friends assisting at the reception were Mrs. Joe Harrison, who baked and decorated the three-tiered wedding cake, Mrs. John Baxter, Mrs. Joe Crawford, Mrs. Clarence McLaughlin, Joyce Boont-

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From one corner of the
Valley to the other it's



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One of the happiest men in Perris on September 20, was Marvin Funk, left, as he received the keys to his new Dodge from salesman Bill Gullatt. Marvin purchased the first 1964 Dodge sold out of Perris.

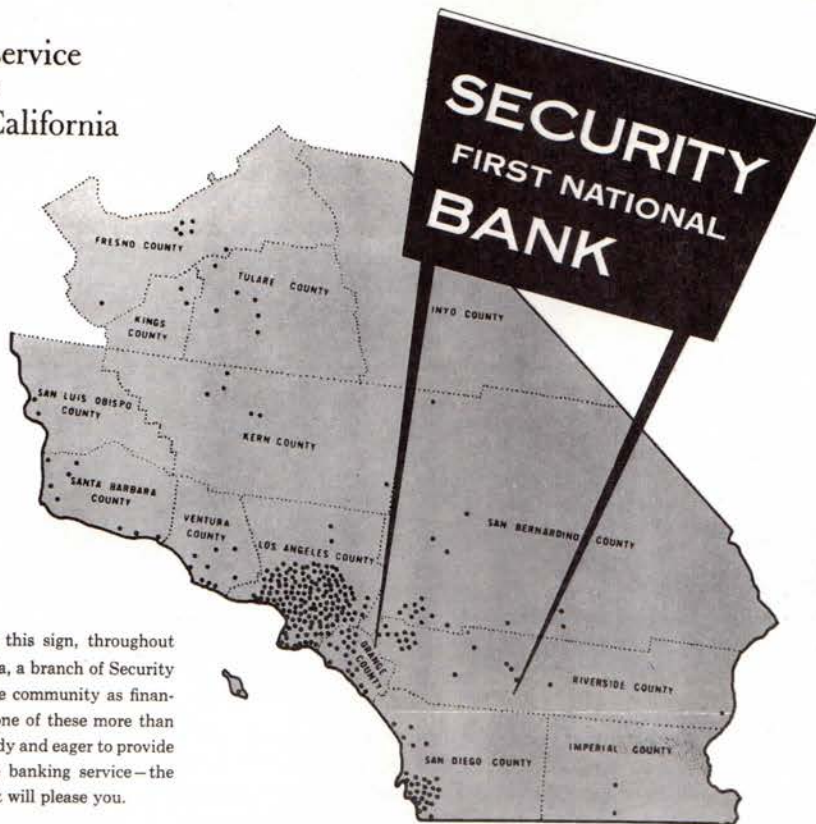
Happy Birthday, Della

A belated birthday wish is just as welcome as an early one.

Della Clark of Sedco Hills attended her first big game at Chavez Ravine to see the Dodgers play the Giants the first part of September.

But what she saw instead was "Happy Birthday to Della Clark of Lake Elsinore, California. This is for her first big league game and 72 is the age" flashed in lights on the big board, and 54,858 people who had also come to see the game, wished her a happy birthday. ■

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Shuffleboard champions for sixty-three

The Elsinore Valley Shuffleboard teams held their annual award dinner on September 6 at the Veterans' Memorial Building in Elsinore with approximately 100 people in attendance.

Each team had its own table at which the members rallied around eating and chatting about the past games and discussing the coming year's games.

In the league are seven teams which compete for the championship trophy. They are champs for '63, Madrigal's Cafe; 2nd place winners, Don's Hyde Away; third, the Playhouse; Vista del Lago, Recreation Center, Bob and Waneta's and the Southside. Madrigals won 25 out of the 28 games they played.

Master of ceremonies for the event was Don Hyde and Bob Underwood. ■



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The 1963 Shuffleboard Champions of Madrigal's Cafe. Seated, l to r: Frank Rodriguez; team sponsors Ramona and Joe Madrigal; player Ruben Lopez. Standing: Stan Spton, Benjamin Madrigal and Mario Espinoza. On the team but not pictured: Kenny Smith, Aubrey Berry, Jane Smith, Florence Berry, and the official loyal rooters, Gordo Romero and Cecil Rodriguez, who never missed a tournament.



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Each club has one outstanding player chosen by all of the other teams' members. In the above photo are the winners of the Best Player of the Year trophies. Left to right: Lee Tate representing the Recreation Center in Elsinore; Doris Spruell who accepted the trophy for Bonnie Pruddy, player for Vista Del Lago, south side of Lake Elsinore; Marion Wigler of Don's Hyde Away; Benjamin Madrigal holding the Championship Team Trophy, won by Madrigal's Cafe on Lakeshore Drive; Ethel Caldwell of Bob and Waneta's; Tony Corente, player for the Southside Cafe; Frank Rodriguez, player on Madrigal's team, and Thurmond Thomas representing the Playhouse team. Seated in front is Joe Madrigal, holding the foil wrapped jug labeled the "Perpetual Trophy."

VETERANS COLUMN



By CHRISTINE WRIGHT

By T. S. Eliot. "We shall not cease from exploration and the end of all our exploring will be to arrive where we started and know the place for the first time." Engraved on the House of Science, 1962 World's Fair Building.

An echo or two from the Veterans of Foreign Wars 64th National Convention, and the 50th of the Auxiliary, Seattle. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wright were delegates representing Elsinore's Post 1508 and Auxiliary. This proved to be the largest VFW National Convention, and the largest ever held in Seattle.

The Department of California was recognized in many ways: three national officers for 1964 from California (Harry W. Straley, Marie Klugow and Helen Ostereo); among the outstanding Department Commanders was Harry W. Straley, and J. B. Howard, one of the outstanding District Commanders. California received awards in Americanism; VFW National Home Program; First in purchase of Golden Jubilee Poppies; First for the most outstanding Department Auxiliary publication, "The Echo"; received a Cancer Grant for \$4,875 to be given the hospital of our choice; Lakewood Ambassador Band of Long Beach won trophy and a cash award.



Candid camera shot of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wright, delegates from Elsinore's VFW Post 1508 and Auxiliary, entering Headquarters Building of the Veterans of Foreign Wars 64th National Convention, Seattle.

The founder of the VFW, Ben Lloyd, age 88, from Post 1, Denver, was present, and the founder of the VFW Auxiliary, Mrs. Edward A. Stark, was also present.

Greetings were extended by Hon. Albert Rosellini, Governor of Washington, who said, "We are proud to be host to men and women who, in or out of uniform, do so much to uphold the great patriotic traditions of this nation."

As one speaker put it, "Members of the VFW are patriots 'And an atheist would be a liar if he took our oath'. We believe in God and we believe the statement 'that ours is a religious nation.'"

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Valley Appliance Center on First Street in Perris

Frank Pettit, owner of Valley Appliance Center on First Street in Perris, not only keeps up with the times, but sometimes he goes way out. This time Frank has added a complete dispatch communication service to his business in order to give better service to his customers. In the above photo we have three of the four radio-dispatch trucks and the one automobile with dispatch service. Oh, yes, if you look closely you can see, left to right, Larry Pettit, Frank and Ronald Goret. These are some of the men who come to your aid when you need service—fast. ■

Ranch Sold

It has been reported that movie star Audie Murphy has sold his horse ranch on Newport Road between Railroad Canyon Road and Murrieta Road to comedian Bob Hope.

The ranch comprises some 841 acres and adjoins Del Webb's Sun City. According to reports, one reason the ranch appealed to Mr. Hope is that it is situated in a smog free area. ■

Punt, pass and kick with Hodges

The time of the year is here when Hodges Ford Company of Elsinore once more gives boys eight years old through eleven years an opportunity to compete against each other in testing their ability to punt, pass and kick.

Registration for the program is now open and all boys interested in participating can sign up at Hodges. Many fine gifts to the winners of the events will be given on PP&K Day, which is October 12, Saturday, at the Elsinore Union High School football field.

Al Peyton is competition director and is responsible for all of the arrangements. ■

New office

Dr. Richard Blowers, optometrist, will open his new office in Elsinore on Tuesday, October 8, at 158 North Main Street.

The doctor will still be in Elsinore on Tuesdays and Thursdays and at his Perris office Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. ■



Lou Carroll, new salesman for the speedy-service Valley Appliance Center.

Watch your stamps

The Smith Brothers Market of Perris and its other branches, too numerous to mention, recently dropped Orange Trading Stamps and is now giving its customers one 10-cent United States saving stamp for each \$5.00 purchase.

Women as well as men will have to learn to buy their groceries in \$5.00 lots to derive all of the benefits from this new plan.

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Rummage Sale

The women of the First Methodist Church in Elsinore will hold a rummage sale in the church basement on October 1, 2 and 3 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day.

National Motorcycle Championship Races

Dust and 100-degree-plus temperature failed to keep home over 6,000 persons on August 24 and 25 when the two-day meet of the second National Motorcycle Championship Races held at Perris took place.

Sponsoring the racing event was the American Motorcycle Association of District 37, the largest in the United States, according to District President Leon Evans.

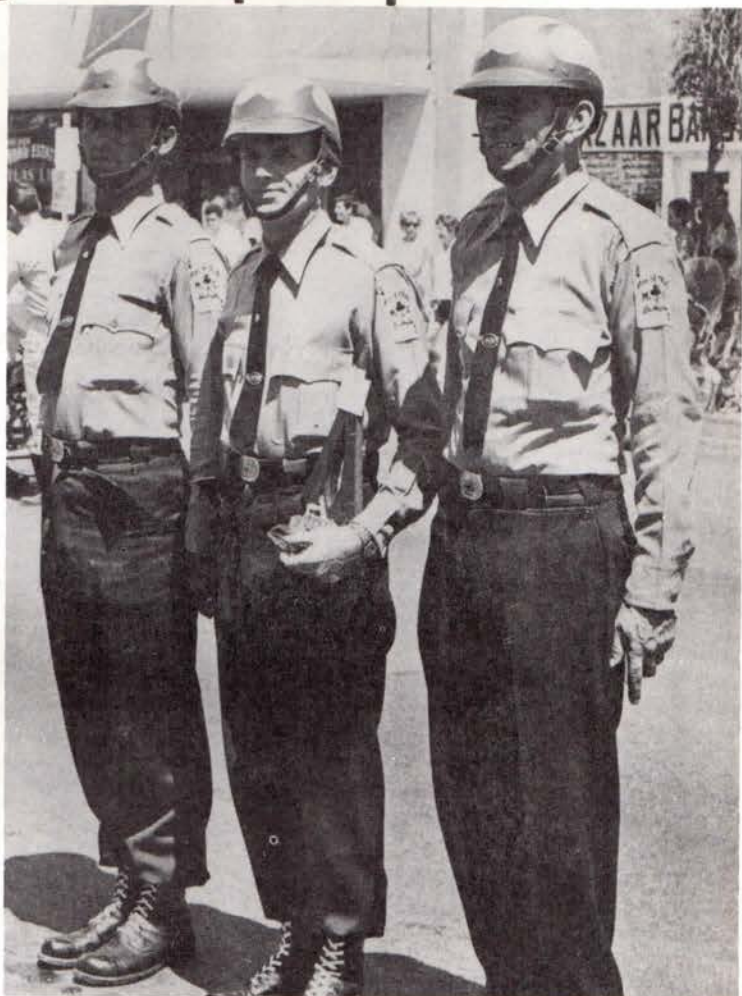
Saturday's events began with a parade of some 600 cyclists parading down D Street in Perris as a display of skill and speed was demonstrated before the hundreds of townspeople who turned out to see it. The entire parade was televised for Wide World of Sport and will be shown on October 5, Channel 7.

After the parade the Monarch Motorcycle Club members showed their appreciation to the officials of the City of Perris by presenting trophies to Chief of Police Joseph Beckley, City Administrator Murray Snyder and to the American Legion Post No. 595, for the dinner the members put on for the group.

The City of Perris in turn presented a plaque to the entire group for having this event in Perris. In the past the meet had been held on Catalina Island and other sites.

Trophies for the best dressed cycle group and the group with the most members present were then presented.

Winners of the races were Greg Kearny, winner of the



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Clete Evans, Darrol Peacor and Chuck Brown on the Ace of Clubs Motorcycle group of Los Angeles took second place for the best dressed group.

21 amateur main event; Tom Bannon took first in the 500 class and Swede Savage copped the open class first place. Others were Dwayne Jones of La Puente; Bob Scranton of Orange, Bryan Carter of North Ridge, Mike McFarlane of Van Nuys, Myron Villines of Anaheim, Paul Kelsey, Joe Aldano, Blair Bernbaum, Bill Holcomb, Don Spangor, and Clark White. Sidecar moto cross

was won by driver Roy Samson and passenger Jack Morgan.

On Saturday evening at the Civic Center, the awards were given to the winners of the races and a beauty contest was held to name "Miss National Scrambles Champion."

Brenda Bottoms of the Monarchs Motorcycle Club in Downey was the winner and she received the queens trophy.



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Queen contestants, Miss Norm Reeves, Miss Monarch, the queen, and Miss



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This little dog enjoyed the parade as much as his master.



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Local judges and city officials, l to r: George Fraley, Ben Minnich, Walter Milliken, Royce Bell, Elmer Smith, Mayor Robert Warren Jr., Fred Faia and Murray Snyder.



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The parade as it passes in front of the Mayhall Print Shop, home of La Laguna Revue in Perris.



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Members of the Riverside 250 Motorcycle Club who won the trophy for having the most members present. L to r, front row: Judy Lowe, Linda Cartwright, Al Dibler, Larry Martin, president of the club, Claudia Martin, Janet Rine, Kathy Bellinis, and Lenora Carter. Second row, l to r: Eldon Lowe, Glenn Wolfgang, Delos Rine, Howard Bellinis and John Carter.



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The Old Timers of Spring Valley copped the trophy for being the best dressed club. L to r: Bill Bridwell, president, Ruby Bridwell, Bill Clark, Helena Clark and John Clark.

Items of Interest

By DOLORES MAYHALL



Above is pictured the Bowl Master Trio of the Duke Snider Lanes, Joe Beach of Elsinore and the captain of the team; Joe Mulligan, a retired rancher from Fallbrook, and Bob Gattleson of Elsinore. These three men were members of the summer league bowling team that took first place. They will try again for more trophies during the winter league and are adding to their members Charles Chostner and Major Don Stacks of Pendleton. Good luck, fellows.

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Seated by fireplace is Cuma Wickerd and Rhoda Smith. Mother of the bride, Beulah Rehrig and the bride's cousin, Helen Marie Quinn, on piano bench. Pat Rehrig, guest of honor, seated on arm of Judy Chostner's chair. In center front is Joyce Smith and to the extreme right Zeal Hays.

Pat Rehrig, who became the bride of Ron Milts on Saturday, September 21, was honored with a kitchen bridal shower on Tuesday, September 10. The shower was given by her aunt, Mrs. Helen Rehrig at her El Cariso Hills home near Corona.



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Some of the guests were, l to r: Cynthia Fedder, Elizabeth Milts, Pauline Fedder, Jean Wilson, Virginia Chostner, Lyn Hall and hostess for the event Mrs. Helen Rehrig with daughter, Melody seated on her lap.



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New traffic laws

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Listed below are some of the most important changes:

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enters a through highway or approaches a "yield" sign, he must yield to approaching traffic until he can complete the movement with reasonable safety.

Previously, the turning or entering driver was required to yield to approaching traffic close enough to be a hazard, then he could proceed and the oncoming traffic was required to give him the right of way.

Speed Limits: The legislature authorized raising the speed limit from 65 to 70 miles per hour in certain posted areas.

Vehicles which are limited to 50 miles per hour, such as school buses, cars pulling trailers etc, are now required to drive on the right-hand lane of multi-lane highways, except when turning left. The speed limit in any alley is now 15 miles per hour.

Equipment: After January 1, every new passenger car sold in California must be equipped with safety belts for the passengers in the front seat.

No motor vehicle may be equipped with interior lamps except those specifically permitted by the vehicle code.

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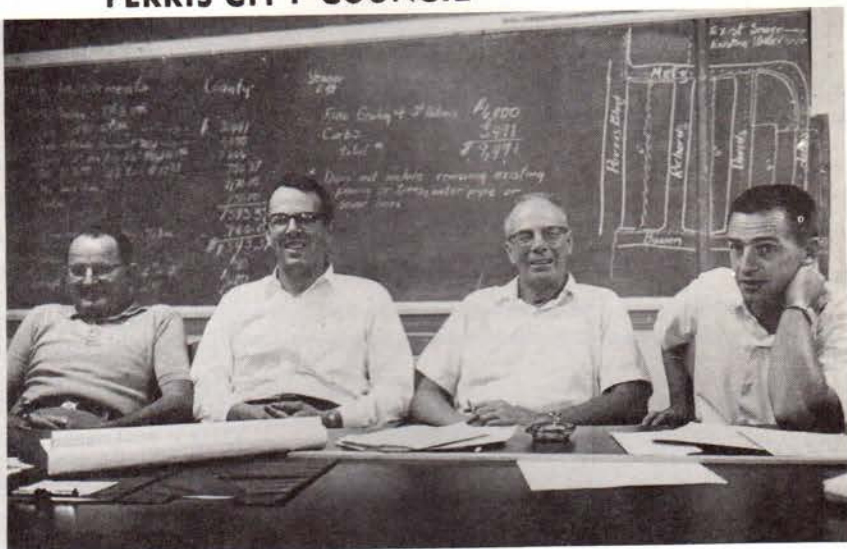
The men who run the town

La Laguna Revue once more takes this opportunity to introduce to you readers another group of citizens. This month we have chosen the members of the Elsinore and Perris City Councils.

We want each and every reader to get to know the people who run our towns, from bottom man in the totem

pole to the top man. These people represent us at meetings held in the State Department, at public affairs and in every facet of our everyday life. Get to know them, talk to them. Each and every one could use a word of encouragement now and then, for is there so thankless a job as being a servant of the public? ■

PERRIS CITY COUNCIL



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Left to right seated at the council table we have Walt Milliken, Ben Minnich, Elmer Smith and Royce Bell. Council meetings are held at the Civic Center in Perris on the second and last Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Meetings are open to the public. Far left: Robert Warren Jr. Mayor of Perris



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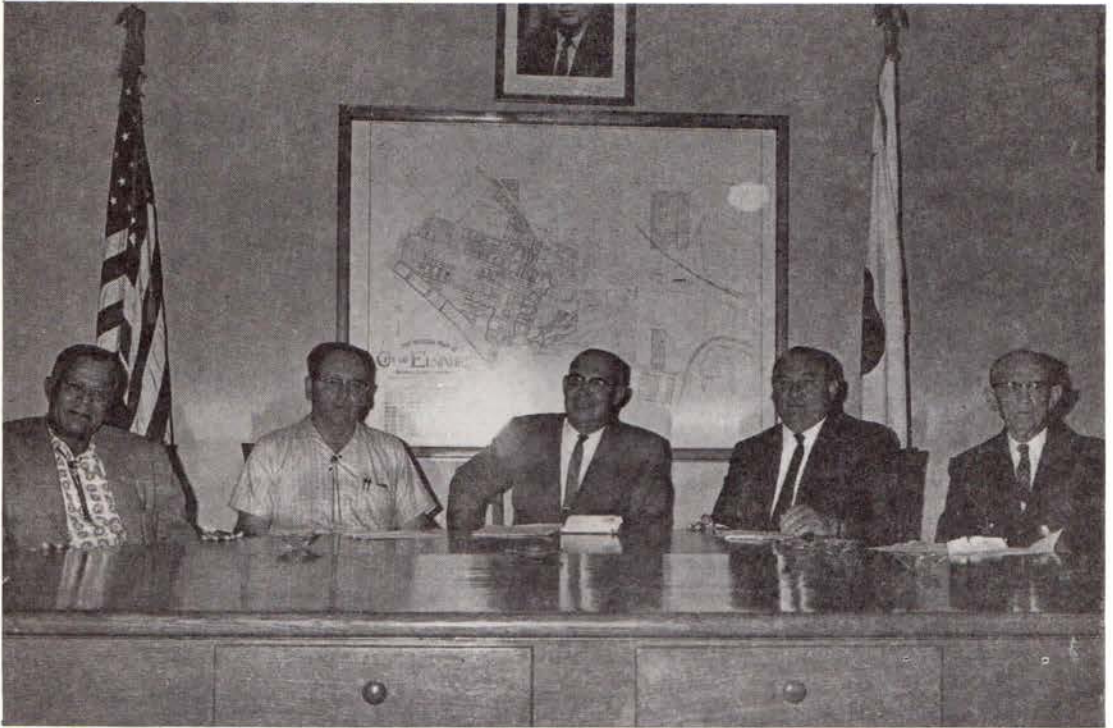
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Left to right: Tom Yarborough, H. H. Stewart, Mayor Thomas Bartlett, Edward Berry and Oscar Hitt. Meetings are held the second and fourth Mondays of the month and commence at 7:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers upstairs at City Hall. All meetings are open to the public.

Try, try and try again



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In the August issue of La Laguna Revue we introduced the members of the Riverside County Sheriff's Department, but we left out one member. So again—J. J. McMurray, D. L. Browning, C. E. Wyatt, **W. D. Myers**, J. W. Myers, L. K. Farnsworth and Lt. Lee Laster.

Linda Page now Mrs. Steimle



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Inside the rock castle of Perris



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Mr. Spillane enjoys his comfortable living room. On the right is the fireplace with its flat-rock facing. The throwrugs on the floor are those that Mr. Spillane picked up in his travels.



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Mrs. Spillane is not only proud of her built-in china closet but of the tear-drop glassware she keeps in it. (The background in the mirror is not a permanent item at the Spillane home, it is Rubie, the photographer in the center, and the associate editor to the extreme left. This is the only way we'll ever get our picture in the Revue.)



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Here we have Mrs. Spillane seated on the teakwood chest that Mr. Spillane brought over from China with him in 1935. The chest (close-up below) is hand carved and is camphor-wood lined.



tion of the rock house. In fact, beside themselves the only other workers were a carpenter and a stone mason. The house cost \$40,000 to build and this did not include the labor put forth by the Ragsdales.

Today the house is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. John E. (Jack) Spillane, formerly of the Compton area. Mr. Spillane purchased the house in 1947 but did not move in until 1953.

He and his wife Dorothy have managed to preserve the original beauty of the interior as well as the exterior of the home.

On the main level are three bedrooms, one with a huge cedar-lined closet for storage, a sunken living room with a tremendous rock-faced fireplace and beamed ceiling. The view from the living room's arched glass window is one that overlooks the entire town of Perris and a goodly portion of the valley.

In the dining room, which is directly off of the living room, there is a built-in china closet and hanging from the ceiling is a chrystal chandelier.

The breakfast room, which is now being used as an office for Mr. Spillane, has a domed ceiling made of multicolor plaster and in the direct center hangs another chandelier.

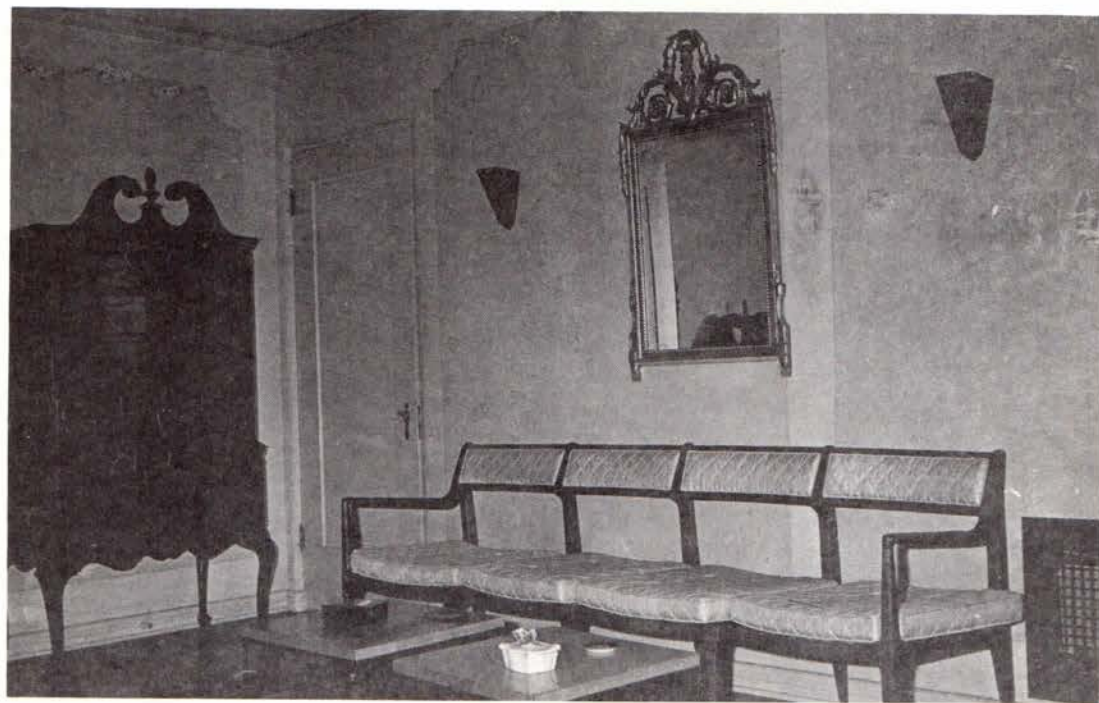
The bath and kitchen are tile and painted along the wall in the oversized bath is a picture of the rock house as it overlooks the entire valley.

In the basement is a



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This is one section of the bedroom in the Hilltop House. On the bed is a spread made by Mrs. Spillane. Across the hall is the bath with its tile floor and walls. The floors throughout the rest of the house are hardwood.



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The same room as seen from a different angle. Note the hand-painted flowers on the walls and doors.



La Laguna Revue Photo

The domed ceiling in the breakfast room. Note the chandelier of crystal.



One of the rock chairs located on the hilltop property.

bath and bedroom as well as a large storage area.

While the exterior of the house is solid rock, the interior is done in lath and plaster and in the bedrooms each wall has a border design with hand-painted flowers.

The house is so built that no matter which window one looks out of there is an entirely different view of the valley.

The house is situated on a 20-acre site and is surrounded by rock, out of which is made paths and trails leading to chairs of rock that Mrs. Ragsdale found the time to build.

Cactus and various plants and trees give one the feeling of being in the mountains and yet at the same time in the desert. The road leading to this private residence was made by blasting out the rocks and then with a pick and shovel the road was cleared.

Mr. Spillane was born in Boston and moved to California forty years ago. He has traveled in all of the states and in China and other countries as well. In Compton he was in the tractor and equipment business and at present is semi-retired.

His son Jack graduated from the Perris Union High School in 1956 and he and his wife and two children now make their home in Riverside. Mr. Ragsdale recently visited at the Spillane home and according to the Spillanes was extremely happy that the old homestead had not been changed.

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Historical Museum opened in Elsinore

The Elsinore Valley Historical Society held open house on Saturday, September 14 in the new wing of the Elsinore Public Library on Graham Avenue, which will now serve as the museum.

The open house was a pre-Diamond Jubilee event to show the public what the society has already accumulated for the museum. More items for display are being sought and particularly those pertaining to the early history of Elsinore Valley. These objects may be donated to the Society or on a loan basis, as the donor wishes.

Officers of the organization are Clarence Tontz, president; Mrs. Henry Pfaff, secretary; Mrs. Natalie Snow, treasurer; Henry Pfaff, vice president, and Della Clark, corresponding secretary. The



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Enclosed in the glass cases are many items from yesteryear. The cases hold many items donated by various citizens of the community.

committee for acceptance is Mrs. Harvey French, Mrs. Jack McDowell and Adeline Neblett.

Museum hours will be the same as those of the library.

More information on types of articles needed in

the museum may be secured from any of the above mentioned members of the society. At present the society would like loans of all kinds to build up the museum for the Jubilee, which is scheduled for November 15-17. ■



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Winners at Hemet Fair

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Junior Feature exhibit winners: Elsinore Future Farmers, second; FFA agricultural theme. Elsinore Valley 4-H, fourth, 4-H Clubs activities; Perris Panthers, first, 4-H activities theme. Winchester Harvesters, first, 4-H agricultural theme.

Future Farmers and 4-H agricultural mechanics division winners: FFA — Jack Anderson, Mack Flinspach, Francis Foley, Bob Harrison, Bob McLaughlin, Reggi Scrimshaw and Stephen VanderValk, all of Elsinore 4-H — Robert Brassfield, Betty and Stephen VanderValk, Gracie B. Gilbert.

Gems and minerals department winner was Roy O. Bliss of Perris.



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Myrtle Friedman of Sun City took a first place ribbon with her mosaic table. The charming lady in the photo is Margaret Lively, one of the hostesses at the fair.



La Laguna Revue Photo

Pictured above are Lane Parry, Don Cantacessi and Brian Tarner with the steak portion of their steers.



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Jodie Harrison of the Elsinore Valley 4-H Club shown with her blue ribbon winner.



La Laguna Revue Photo

The Perris Panthers turned out in full force for the event. We caught them in their work clothes, tired but happy since the Grand Champion Steer award went to one of their group, Paul Schaffer. First row, l to r: Pete Shouse, Sandra Lomax, Paul Schaffer, Ernie Stewart and David Zeiders. Second row, l to r: Dale Long, John Donahoe and Linda Zeiders (chewing on a piece of straw). Third row, l to r: Norm Fowler, Milton Mehas, John Van Deventier, Perry Peters, Merle Zeiders, leader of the Perris Panthers, Don Donohoe, Paul Peters, Don Schaffer, Donna Jean Smith and Mary Squier.



La Laguna Revue Photo

Superintendent of the Arts and Crafts Department, Theresa Borchard of Elsinore is surrounded by all of the paintings that were first place winners. Some of the local winners in this division were: Essie Prowse, Elsinore for still life, 1st; John Stevenson for oil portrait division, 1st; Cecil Goodchild, for water color marine, 1st; Tolman Everett, Sun City for still life oil; Robert Stone, Elsinore for professional oil, special award; and Ruth Sawyer, Sun City, for oils, professional special award.

BLUE RIBBON WINNERS IN THE FEATURE EXHIBIT JR. DEPARTMENT



Chamber cautions merchants

The merchants of Perris were cautioned of misrepresentation methods being used by a San Jacinto firm which has been using the name of the Perris Valley Chamber of Commerce in connection with endorsement of a promotional publication.

Newly elected president, John Harrison said the firm is presenting the promotional scheme, which involves the selling of advertising space surrounding a printed map of Perris Valley as endorsed by the local chamber. The firm selling advertising **does not** have this endorsement. ■

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Working with this record group are twelve returning teachers and seven new teachers. A special welcome back to Mrs. June Sargent, who has been away for a year and has now returned to teach three junior English classes, a sophomore and a senior English and World Culture.



Frank Dolphin

Frank Dolphin is the Art and Crafts instructor for the high school and brings with him much experience in the professional art

world. Mr. Dolphin has served on the faculty of the Phoenix Art Museum for the past five years and prior to that taught at Kachina School, a professional art school. During this time he did professional art work, also.

Mr. Dolphin is from New York state and completed his education at New York State College, doing graduate work at Arizona State University.



Robert Fleming

Robert Fleming, instructor in Mechanical Drawing I and II and Advanced Wood Shop, brings a varied background of experience to his teaching position in Elsinore. He received his bachelor of Landscape Architecture degree from Auburn University and practiced as landscape architect and land planner for several years, belonging to the

American Society of Landscape Architects. He also held a position with the National American Red Cross organization for eight years, his last position with that organization was Field Director at the Puget Sound Naval Shipyard.

Mr. Fleming has attended the University of Alaska, Arizona State, and Austin Peay State College as well as Auburn University.

He was married in Alaska to a New England girl and his son was born in the Territory of Alaska. Mrs. Fleming teaches in a Perris elementary school.



Kenneth Leason

Kenneth Leason is the music instructor for the high school as well as the grammar schools of the valley, where he teaches all the woodwind instruments, and also brass and percussion.

Mr. Leason was a resi-

dent of Colorado before coming to Elsinore and a graduate of Adams State College of Colorado, where he majored in instrumental music. Among Mr. Leason's musical honors have been his service as assistant principal clarinetist in the Colorado Honor Orchestra, principal clarinetist in the San Luis Valley Orchestra, solo clarinetist during his four years in college, and drum major and participant in the Adams State College Top of the Nation Marching Band.

In addition to his musical interests during college, he also participated in wrestling and football, enjoys weight lifting, and is a sports car enthusiast. He plans to continue with his clarinet as a professional along with his teaching career.



David Ortiz

The magical sound of "Lake" Elsinore drew David Ortiz to Elsinore. He was hoping to spend his leisure time pursuing his favorite hobby — fishing. Mr. Ortiz is teaching General Shop, Advanced Metal Shop, and Electronics.

A native Coloradoan, Mr. Ortiz was born in Aguilar and attended Adams State

College there. After two years in the service he accepted a teaching position in Sierra Grande High School in southern Colorado where he taught until coming to Elsinore.

Mr. Ortiz is married and the father of three sons,



Bob Richardson

Bob Richardson was born on Long Island (New York) and attended elementary school in Corona and Floral Park. He graduated from Hempstead High School at Hempstead, N. Y.

Following graduation from school he worked for a chemical firm, railroad passenger department, glassware and china manufacturers and distributors, restaurant chain, stock brokers, and county government department. During this time he married "the gal on the next block" and eventually became the father of a son. Being of Irish ancestry, he couldn't wait for the draft board during World War II and enlisted in the Army. This entitled him to free transportation to Indiana, Tennessee, and then to India by way of Algeria, the Mediterranean Sea, and the Suez Canal.

After returning to civilian life, Mr. Richardson

entered college at Columbia University as a part-time student. During this time the Long Island suffered one of the worst snowstorms in its history. This convinced Bob and Lillian that there must be better places to live, such as California. They arrived at Redlands in September 1949 and Bob enrolled at the University of Redlands from which he received his BA degree in 1952. While still a student he became a radio dispatcher in the San Bernardino Sheriff's Office. Later he transferred to the County Planning Department. After moving to San Luis Obispo County, he returned to school to qualify for a General Secondary credential and completed this work in June of 1963.

Mr. Richardson has been active in dog training, especially with the 4-H Club Guide Dog program in San Luis Obispo County. The Richardsons have owned, bred and showed Standard Poodles in AKC shows and obedience trials and have two Champions, both retired from competition now.



Al Peyton

Al Peyton has already become well-acquainted in Elsinore, since he is the

new football coach and has been working with the team for the past month. In addition to coaching the football and track teams, Mr. Peyton teaches U. S. History Senior Problems, and boys' physical education.

Mr. Peyton, his wife, and three young sons, aged 7, 8, 9, come to Elsinore from Casper, Wyoming where Mr. Peyton served as football coach. He has had ten years of teaching experience in Wyoming and also attended school in Wyoming, receiving his BA and MA degrees from the University of Wyoming at Laramie.



Audrey Schluender

Miss Audrey Schluender is beginning her first year of teaching this year. She

has six classes in Home Economics I, II, II, and Senior Home Economics.

Miss Schluender attended Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona, where she graduated from college "with distinction." While in college she was affiliated with Beta Chi Epsilon and Phi Upsilon Omicron, the latter being a national home economics society. She is also a member of the American Home Economics Association.

This young and attractive teacher shares living quarters with another of the new-young teachers, Miss Ann Gilroy, who is the kindergarten teacher at the elementary school.

Among the returning teachers Mr. Eugene Brassfield has the Agriculture department, Miss Julie Evans, girls' Physical Education; Carl Graves, Algebra I, II, Senior Math and

Trig; Kent Hunt, General Math and General Science; Katherine Keller, Spanish and French; Robert Koss, Life Science, and boys' Physical Education; Irene Lasater, English and Social Studies; Adam Moses, Geometry and World Geography; Sperro Patakas, Physics, Chemistry, Biology I and II; Steve Price, Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Typing I, II; Kathleen Stiles, English I and Journalism; George Van Houk, Life Science, Math and Science.

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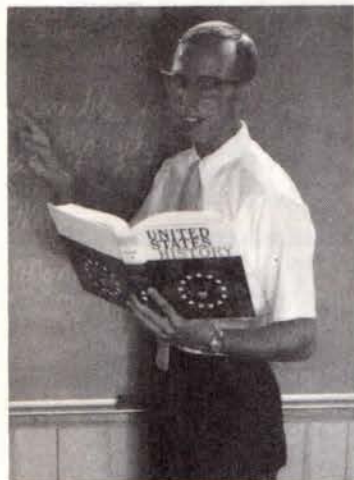
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The Admiral

Varied backgrounds mark new teachers

By MARK KOECKRITZ

Through the years ENMS has been fortunate in having the breaks falling its way. Once again ENMS has the breaks falling its way in the fact that four new teachers have honored us by joining our educational staff. I am sure that the students are just as pleased with our new teachers as is our Principal, Mr. Nelson B. Sewell.



Ronald Getty

U. S. History, Journalism, English

Mr. Ronald Getty, teacher of English, United States History, Journalism, and supervisor of the study hall, is the first of the new instructors. Before you start to ask each other, "I

wonder if he is a member of the Getty family that founded Gettysburg," I'll answer it for you. He is a distant relative of the well known J. Paul Getty.

Mr. Getty received his Associate of Arts degree at Orange Coast College, his Bachelor of Arts degree at Orange State College, plus study at the Pasadena City College, and the University of California at Berkeley.

Before coming to us, here at Elsinore, he taught at Perris Valley Junior High School.

Mr. Getty especially enjoys reading, studying the history of entertainment, industry, and getting into the pool and swimming.



James Cooper
Mathematics, Science

Mr. James Cooper, the newest of the new instructors, was born in Brazil, Indiana. He majored in Mathematics at Indiana State and minored in mechanical drawing.

His hobbies are reading, playing tennis and all athletics. Mr. Cooper is now teaching algebra and physical science.



Dale Cummings
Biology, Science

Mr. Dale Cummings, the third member of our new instructional staff has lived in Pasadena, California; Annapolis, Maryland; Chicago, Illinois; Peru, and Spain.

Mr. Cummings was a satellite observer for the

Army in Arequipa, Peru. He was assigned to satellite tracking while employed by the Smithsonian Institute. He taught freshman math and astronomy for one year at St. John's College.

His college career included four years at St. John's College, where he received his bachelor of arts degree in liberal arts; one year at the University of Chicago, and one year at the University of California at Los Angeles.

His hobby is astronomy and he is teaching biology, physical science and general science.



Charles Rivers
English, Bookkeeping,
Typing

Mr. Charles Rivers came to us from the Los Angeles City Schools where he was a substitute teacher. He was born in New York and has lived in California since 1930.

He graduated from Berkeley in 1949, did post graduate work at Los Angeles State, and extra work at the University of California at Los Angeles.

His favorite hobby is writing, and he is currently writing a novel. He plays golf, likes all sports,

LT. TAYLOR

Assistant Commandant goes from ranch to ocean floor



Lt. Taylor

By **JOSEPH HOLMES**

It is a long way from the Circle O ranch in Montana to the bottom of the Pacific Ocean, but this is the life story of our newest Assistant Commandant, Lt. John Taylor.

Moving from Montana, and finishing high school in Long Beach, he then entered Annapolis in 1933. After studying two years at the Academy, he then realized that life there did not suit his personality and resigned from the Academy to enlist in the Navy. Nine months later he graduated from submarine school in New London, Conn., where he received

but places baseball on the top of the list.

He was also a member of Kappa Sigma at Berkeley and UCLA, which is the third largest fraternity in the country. Mr. Rivers now teaches English II, typing I and Bookkeeping I.

his commission on July 8, 1941.

Surviving a long war, in which he was captured and sent to prisoner-of-war camps in Japan, he returned to submarine service to make it his career. This last August he retired from the Navy, after 22 years of service, to join our ranks.

ALUMNI NOTES

Ensign Roy Wallace (class of '57), Annapolis graduate (class of '62), is now hard at work with our Navy.

After graduating from Annapolis in May he was sent to the South Pacific for various jobs.

Roy is presently in Hong Kong as liaison officer at Koi Tok International Airport. Prior to this station he was on board the U.S.S. DeHavel for a small part in the Project Mercury. After the shot he headed west to patrol Formosa waters between Mao Tse-tung and Chiang Kai-shek.

As Roy would say, "It's been quite an interesting job."

The Admiral

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"We came, we saw we conquered" Bromley's corner at home and abroad this summer

Parts of Europe, Canada, Oregon, Idaho, and Catalina were invaded this summer by Elsinore cadets.

Tom Kornell, first platoon leader, paid Europe a six week visit. Raymond Goetz invaded Canada for a very enjoyable summer vacation.

Other wandering cadets, such as John Cairncross and Keith Bogart, went to Idaho. Cadet Cairncross was in the southern part of the state at Twin Falls. Cadet Bogart, who was in the northern part of the

state, saw parts of the centennial in that state as did Cadet Cairncross.

Elmer Tilson, who went to Oregon and Ed Freed, voyager to Catalina, will agree that this summer was a very interesting period.

As usual, there were just enough students who love this school to fill the summer enrollment. Mark Koeckritz, our present company commander, and Mike Fischer, color guard commander, were among this fortunate number. ■

Enrollment leaps; new high school students are listed

By ROBERT CLOUSER

Enrollment leaped by 60 per cent to a new high of 212 this fall. There are 162 in the high school and 50 in the junior school.

In comparison, last year there were 96 in the high school and 32 in the junior school.

New high school students are listed below:

Seventh graders are: K. Calahan, A. Curtis, W. Donohue,

G. Lauer, L. Rowland, and W. Swart.

Eighth graders are: J. Bartshe, T. Beach, B. Countryman, W. Lovell, J. Polk, J. Rossetti, and C. Tuttle.

Ninth Graders are: B. Chertokow, F. Edinger, R. McAdoo, A. McDougall, R. Osborn, M. Pere and C. Pruitt.

Tenth grade additions are: C. Findlay, R. Heaton, R. Noble, L. Nuernberger, K. Richter, R. Roberts, C. Smith, D. Smitherman, and R. Swiestra.

As the cadets came out onto the soccer field, they said to themselves that they wanted to play soccer. But not everybody is a born soccer player.

Some who were trying to kick the ball were falling on their faces while others who were trying to learn the rules of the game were thinking that they were in football, because American soccer is a mixture of football. Others were playing the "If you won't hit me I won't hit you" type of soccer.

As the day progresses people learn to remember how to kick the ball and learn that they are playing soccer and not the game of tickle & tackle football. They also learn the different positions after the coach has about lost his voice and his hair is turning gray.

Eleventh grade newcomers are: R. Bischof, R. Briggs, R. Carey, P. Coronel, J. Delbridge, W. Howard, T. Manjoras, D. Schoolcraft, W. Shaieb, A. Spindel, F. Steere, S. Vickers, and S. Woods.

Twelfth graders are: J. Clem and F. Hernandez. ■



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WOOD WEDDING

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jer, who circulated the guest book and Mary Lou Erickson and Mellany Miller who took charge of the gift table.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. H. V. Wood of Japan. Judy spent one year in Japan and one year in the Philippines and was graduated from Wurtsmith Memorial High School in the Philippines in June of 1962. She then went into nurse's training in Los Angeles. She is originally a native of Elsinore and attended the Elsinore schools before going to Japan. While in Elsinore she made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Remlinger.

Mr. Hays is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hays of Dayton, Ohio. He has spent 18 months at Clark Air Force Base in the Philippines.

The couple are now at home at Big Spring, Texas where the bridegroom is stationed. After two years he will have completed his two years tour of duty and plans to return to Chicago to be with United Airlines.

Ashbridge

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three hours ski practice before I tried it. Also at 8:30 a.m. I skied on a 25-foot line for photographs, but left at 11 a.m. at a good clip. Fifty-two minutes later, with three more minutes to go to pass the rough west end, encountered a rip tide running against the chop and the six-foot ground swell which caused me to fall backwards twice, using about 15 minutes. I finally rounded the

point, making the run to Catalina Harbor in one and a half hours. The next day, the 27-mile run from Catalina Harbor around the end of the island to Avalon on one ski was easy, making it in one hour.

Along life's way I did a lot of mountain climbing. At about 30 years of age, I climbed Half Dome at back side. Around 40 years I climbed Saw Tooth, in Yosemite, going up the most difficult climb I ever attempted, as I crawled the the High Sierra. It was the last quarter mile on my hands and knees, reaching the top utterly exhausted, but happy. There is an exhilaration in achievement that always makes the effort worth while to me.

On my 50th birthday I climbed Mt. Whitney, the highest mountain in the United States. I took two days, and I camped overnight at ten thousand feet at a cabin site for hikers. I found six inches of snow at the top of the peak, and I threw snowballs as I yelled out loud "I made it!" and I took my picture with an automatic camera, and this is one of my happy memories.

To sum it all up, if we have water in our lake and I can practice up, I might try again next year. This gets to be a habit with me, and who can tell when I'll quit. After all, "you're only young once."

Hillebrand

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Baseball Club of South Dakota at the age of 20. He played ball with that club during the summer season until 1902.

He received his schooling during this time at the Princeton Preparatory

School in New Jersey where he was captain of the baseball team. At that time he roomed with John Philip Sauso Jr., who also played baseball with Homer. After two years at the prep school, Homer then attended his freshman year of college at Princeton and from there he went to South Dakota and became a rancher. In 1941 he moved to Elsinore.

He and his wife, Grace, are now retired from the commercial ranching business, but they are kept busy on their own property, raising grapes and keeping up a patio, lawn and house that could well be classed as a showplace.

Mr. Hillebrand, baseball player, rancher and now a retired citizen, will celebrate his 84th birthday on October 10.

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... the former Rebecca Shulze

The Redeemer Lutheran Church of Perris was the setting for the afternoon wedding ceremony that united Rebecca Ann Shulze, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shulze of Perris and Anthony Porto, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Vifquain of Anaheim, in marriage on August 10.

Rev. Luther P. J. Steiner of the church performed the ceremony before 150 guests.

For her wedding the bride chose a gown of white floral lace over satin, floor length with fingertip sleeves. Her veil of silk illusion was edged in lace matching that of the gown and was caught to a pearl star crown. Her bouquet consisted of a single white orchid surrounded by miniature white carnations with yellow tea roses.

Bonnie Harris, Darlene Evans and Sharon Peck, all of La Puente, were the bridesmaids. Their dresses were identical to that of the maid of honor.

Homer West, brother-in-law to the groom, was best man and ushers were Douglas Barnes of Brea; Wayne Jarrett of La Puente and Thomas Hoope of Buena Park.

The bride's mother wore a maise afternoon street-length dress and the groom's mother chose for the occasion an afternoon dress of beige. Immediately following the ceremony the guests assembled at the home of the bride's parents where the reception was held. Providing music for the affair were Clarence Muse, Margaret Shay, Carolyn Francis, Norman Eneider and Eddie Stein.

The bride and groom are now at home to their friends in La Puente. ■

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Joan Pope now Mrs. Jack L. Blair



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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blair

... the former Joan Carol Pope

The First Baptist Church of Elsinore was the setting for the evening marriage ceremony of Joan Carol Pope and Jack L. Blair on Friday, August 23, with Rev. Dan Wagner officiating.

Joan is the daughter of

Mrs. Viola M. Pope of Wildomar and she was given in marriage by Wyman E. Turner of Wildomar. Jack is the son of Mrs. Billie E. Blair of Elsinore.

The bride was beautifully gowned in white bride's satin with a tight fitting

bodice and a bouffant skirt and train, heavily trimmed in lace. She wore a pearl tiara with a fingertip veil. She carried a white bride's bouquet centered with a single white orchid.

Her matron of honor was Mrs. Jayne Goeke, sister of the groom. Her dress was of yellow satin with matching accessories. She carried a yellow bouquet.

Dennis Kitch of Elsinore served as best man and ushers were Mark Turner and Raymond James.

The mother of the groom wore a green lace dress with matching accessories and a white orchid corsage. Mrs. Pope, mother of the bride, chose for the wedding a brocaded pink satin dress with matching accessories and wore a white orchid corsage.

Serving at the reception table was Mrs. Gertrude Grace of Berkeley, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Wyman Turner and Mrs. Pope. Mrs. Diane Redding was in charge of the guest book and Mrs. William Wright, Mrs. H. G. Denner and daughter Marian of Lakewood, the gift table.

The bride received her schooling in Elsinore and is a 1961 graduate of the Elsinore Union High School. She also graduated from the Lorreta Young School of Charm in Los Angeles and has had two years of college.

Jack moved to Elsinore in 1950 and was graduated from the Elsinore Union High School in 1959. From there he went into the Army, serving in Germany on the border. At present he is working as an engineering aid in Palo Verde Valley.

The couple spent their honeymoon at Idyllwild and are now living in Blythe ■

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October 11	Indio
October 18	Norte Vista*
October 25	Hemet*
November 1	at Beaumont*
November 8	San Jacinto**
November 15	at Elsinore
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Line Coach . . .	Todd O'Doherty

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ELSINORE UNION HIGH SCHOOL

Football Schedule for 1963

October 5	Yucaipa at U. of Redlands
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