

Even the final deciding game of the World Series couldn't cramp the Geneva-Excelsior Lions Club spirit. Lion Ted called the meeting to order. The Pledge of Allegiance was lead by Lion Galdo Favini, and the invocation was given by Lion Bob Pacheco. Lion Bob Woodall, taking his position as Acting Tail Twister seriously, fined Pres. Ted \$1 for starting the meeting late and fined Lion Bob Pacheco 25¢ for "overkill" in his invocation. Lion Ervin Smith introduced his nephew Jaime Hernandez as his guest.

Secretary Mike Perri, Jr. read the mayor's proclamation recognizing Oct. 8th as "World Lion Service Day." This proclamation was obtained through the effort of President Ted.

Some club survey forms were turned in. All members are asked to complete these forms and turn them in.

COMMITTEE REPORTS: Treasurer Galdo Favini reported the \$10 per member assessment is still due from 19 members.

Paper Drive Committee Ch'mn. C. Bottarini reported receipt of a check in the amount of \$97.12 for a Sept. paper pickup of 12,000 pounds. The going rate is now up to \$16 per ton.

Lion Ron Faina reported wives of members have been contacted to work on the fund raising "Hors d'Oeuvres Extravaganza" set for Nov. 4th. Remember you were given tickets to sell.

The annual G.-E. 3D (dinner-dancing-drinks) Christmas Party will take place at the I.A.S.C. on Sat., Dec. 8th. Lions Bob Pacheco and Pete Bello stated the total cost per person will be \$17.50. Start lining up your group for this gala event.

PROGRAM Speaker for the evening was Earl Delman from SCORE (Service Corporation of Retired Executives). Mr. Delman is a native San Franciscan who retired from Bank of America after 47 years of service. In addition to being an instructor at the Downtown Community College of Business, he does volunteer work. SCORE is comprised of retired men of many talents and professions in the business world who offer their knowledge and experience to advise and guide people in business or considering going into business. They point out the advantages and pitfalls, and help you determine if you are qualified. They make literature available and advise of the many methods of capitalization. Anyone is invited to avail themselves of these services by visiting 211 Main St., S. F. or phoning 556-4824.

RAFFLE

1st Prize--A bottle of bourbon won by Mike Ferri, who donated it to the club
 2nd Prize--Bottle of wine won by Earl Delman.
 3rd Prize--\$1 won by G. Francesconi, and donated back to the club.
 Mystery Raffle--\$8.60, R. Bankson, absent.

Gil and Connie Small are anxious to visit their 2 week old grand-

daughter Sara Towne in Jacksonville, Fla.

Happy Wedding Anniversary to Fred and Leonora Melchiori 10/20.

Happy Birthday to Handford Clews 10/23.

The Cadillac Raffle which took place Saturday at Corpus Christi Church Hall was a tremendous success. An exciting feeling of anticipation was experienced by the estimated 175 Lions, wives and contributors who were present. A brand new Cad was parked at the entrance. A Dixieland Band entertained on the stage from 4 P.M. until 6 P.M. while champagne and hors d'oeuvres were being served by the family and staff from John's Delicatessen. The chicken wings, crab puffs, weiners, mushrooms, etc. were in abundance and delicious.

The prize winners as their names appeared on the winning stubs and the sellers of the winning tickets (in parentheses) are:

- 1st Prize--1980 Cadillac Coupe de Ville, Cindy Ferrera, 263 Onondaga Ave., S.F. (Frank Ferrera) #17
- 2nd Prize--Norelco Microwave Oven, Fred Brown, 1740 Sanchez St., S.F. (Ozzie Buoncristiani) #57
- 3rd Prize--General Electric 17" Color TV, George Habeeb, 490 Barcelona, Millbrae (Bill Tonelli) #198
- 4th Prize--General Electric 17" Color TV, Jim & Pauline Mahon, 1145 Murchison Dr., Millbrae (G. Francesconi) #127

Congratulations for a job well done to the hard working raffle committee made up of Lions G. Francesconi, W. Tonelli, J. Giuffre, W. Cazatt, O. Buoncristiani and H. Clews. A particular debt of gratitude is owed to Chairman Giulio Francesconi who was on top of every detail, and to super ticket sellers Bill Cazatt and Handford Clews.

The club thanks Lion Al Fregosi who donated flowers to decorate tables at the party; Fr. O'Rourke who drew the winning numbers, Lion Ron Bankson and Don Lucas Cadillac, Corpus Christi Church, and all of the contributors.

Attending the annual Police & Firemen's Award Night at Ft. Mason Officer's Club following the Cadillac Raffle Saturday Night were the following Lions and their ladies: Fete Bello, Chas. Bottarini, Joe Giuffre, Bill Tonelli, Ron Faina, Gil Small and Ted Zagorewicz. This club's guests were Fireman Don Wilson from Engine Co. 43 and his wife Barbara; and police officer Bob DelTorre from Ingelside Precinct's Honda Bike patrol unit. P.D.G. Fred Newman MC'd the event where awards were presented to Officer Joseph A. Zamagni, son-in-law of deceased G.-E. member Mario Massagli; and Firemen Thomas Murray and Zeno Contreras.

COMING EVENT

Oct. 24 Board Meeting at M. Ferri's