

President Ted called the meeting to order. The Pledge of Allegiance was lead by Lion Gil Smail, and the invocation was given by Lion Ozzie Buoncristiani. Lion Frank Ferrera introduced his guest Elvin Nave.

The minutes of the Jan. 23rd Board Meeting were read by Sec'ty. Mike Ferri, Jr. Board action included: The referral of delinquent attendees to the Regional Membership Chmn. A donation of \$50 to the Boy Scout Decathlon to be held at McLaren Park. An appropriation of \$40 to purchase 20 tickets to the Floral Design Show. These tickets are to be re-sold @ \$3. A contribution of \$100 to the Lions International Foundation for Cambodian relief. A donation of \$300 for bus transportation to an outing for the elderly at Laguna Honda Home. An establishment of a Hearing Conservation Fund in the amount of \$300. A donation of \$25 to the Lions Eye Foundation in the memory of Quinto Spediacci. A decision to repeat the fund raising Garage Sale at the garage of Lion Fete Bello on the weekend of March 22-23. The setting of the period between Feb. 10th and 24th for members and families of this club to make blood donations.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Cadillac Raffle Ch'mn. G. Francesconi reported "warm up" letters of the 1980 raffle are going out to all contributors of last year's raffle.

Paper Drive Ch'mn. C. Bottarini reported he is in receipt of a check in the amount of \$216 for the last picked up load.

Visitation Ch'mn. O. Buoncristiani set Feb. 21st as a visit to Millbrae L.C., and he is arranging a bus trip visitation to the Scott's Valley L.C. crab cioppino on March 29th.

Night At The Races Ch'mn. Ray Squeri reported that 186 people attended the event on Feb. 1st and 26 people went on Jan. 18th. The club realized a total net profit of \$629. \$60 of this was raised from the "5 - 9 Exacta Selection Pool" and the balance from sold tickets and contributions. Fifty-five people canceled because of the picketing. Refunds in full were made to them. The 12 race card made for a full night of horse racing, and all there seemed to have a good time and enjoyed the buffet dinner. Seventy-eight people participated in the "5 - 9 Pool." The winners were: Bob Wild (owner of Brentwood Bowl), \$195; Sal Salpizio (Schuback & Vignati), \$95 and Lou Sartor (Dicheira Ct.), \$40. The club is grateful to Lion Ray for another job well done--this year's job being above and beyond the call of duty.

Lion Ray, as Ch'mn. of Youth & Community Activities raffle ticket sales, reported the project needs assistance as the club doesn't have the groups selling tickets this year as it did in the past. Does anybody have any ideas?

Lion G. Francesconi announced the

club will be putting on a fund raising 1st Annual "Make Me Irish Nite" to be held at the Balkan's Social Club, 4190 Mission St. on Sat., March 15th. No host cocktails will begin at 6:30, and a complete corn beef and cabbage dinner will be served at 8 P.M. Dancing will follow. Master of Ceremonies and the impressive committee promise a fun-filled night for only \$10 per person. Circle the date and line up your family, friends and neighbors.

RAFFLE

1st Prize--\$5, Ron Faina (2 in a row)
2nd Prize--\$1, Gil Smail
Mystery Raffle--\$2, Fete Bello

The officers and members of the club extend their sympathy to Pauline Woodall and her family. Pauline's mother, Paula Rogel passed away on Jan. 25th.

The club also extends its sympathy to Lion Sam San Filippo and his family. Dominic San Filippo, Sam's brother, passed away in January.

The club wishes to acknowledge the several pounds of used eye glasses collected by Lion Gil Smail and the donation of used hearing aid batteries made by Lion Bill Tonelli.

SHOE SALESMAN MAKES GOOD

Lions Bill Tonelli, Handford Clews and Joe Farrah represented the club in a visitation to the San Bruno Lions Club on Jan. 21st. It was learned on this occasion that San Bruno Lion Bob Marshall, F.D.G. is running for the office of mayor of San Bruno. Not bad for a guy who started out as a clerk in Gallenkamp's Excelsior District branch.

Celebrating February wedding anniversaries are Galdo & Pat Favini on the 4th, Al & Blanche Fregosi on the 6th and Joe & Emily Farrah on the 8th. Birthday greetings to Elena Smith on Feb. 5th and to Lorraine Castagnetto on Feb. 13th.

COMING EVENTS

Feb. 11 Convention Meeting at the Wm. Tonelli residence, 8 P.M.
Feb. 13 Past District Governors Nite
Feb. 13 S.F. Council Meeting at Granada Cafe
Feb. 15 S.F. Council Installation of Officers, Red Chimney, \$11.50 per
Feb. 16 So. O' Market L.C. Annual Service Auction, Citizen's S & L, \$4
Feb. 20 Student Speakers Contest and Ladies Night.
Feb. 21 Visit to Millbrae Lions Club
Feb. 22 Membership Development Meeting, 990 Burlingame Ave., 7:30 P.M.
Feb. 23 Millbrae L.C. Meatball & Spaghetti Blast, O.L.A. Hall, \$8.50
Feb. 23 Chinatown L.C. New Year Party Cathay House, 6:30 P.M., \$15 per
Feb. 24 Park-Gate Lioness Wine & Cheese Tasting, \$3.25 per
Feb. 25 Past Presidents Nominating Dinner-Meeting. Place to be announced.