

The March 5th meeting was called to order by President Ted. The Pledge of Allegiance was lead by Lion Gil Smail, and the invocation was given by Lion Wm. Tonelli. Former G.-E. Secretary Harvey Bustichi of the Scotts Valley L.C. was a visitor. Lion Handford Clews had Ed Morey as his guest, and Lion Joe Farrah had James J. Farrell as his guest.

Acting Sec'ty. H. Clews read the minutes of the Feb. 27th Board Meeting. The following donations and contributions were authorized by the Board: \$15 to the Recreation Center for the Handicapped, \$100 to the Calif. League for the Handicapped, \$75 to the Lions Youth Exchange Program, and \$100 to purchase adult games for the St. Mary's Park Sr. Citizen's Center.

It soon became apparent this meeting wasn't going to be one of President Ted's better nights--he forgot both the Dime & A Prayer receptacle and the mystery raffle capsule container at home. The Tail Twister finally extracted the maximum fine from him when Ted introduced Lion Joe Farrah as "immediate Past President Joe Giuffre." Farrah was called upon to announce the nominees for 1980-81 club offices as recommended by the Nominating Committee. They are: President, G. Francesconi; 1st V.P., M. Spediacci; 2nd V.P., H. Clews; 3rd V.P., M. Ferri; Secretary, G. Smail; Treasurer M. Castagnetto; Lion Tamer, C. Muehlendorf; Tail Twister, W. Cazatt. Board of Directors (1 year); R. Pacheco, S. San Filippo, R. Woodall (2 years); F. Ferrera, G. Benetti, A. Fregosi. Nominations from the floor were called for but none were made.

Regional Youth Exchange Ch'mn. Bob Woodall made some announcements regarding the program for this year. Host homes are available in Japan for local youth. A child can be sent there for six weeks at a total cost of \$895. In turn, 110 Japanese youths visiting here need homes during the period July 19th-Aug. 10th. There is another request for host families for 7 boys and 1 girl, ages 17 through 21 from Italy for a four week period from Aug. 1 to Aug. 30. Lion Frank and Tosca Bulleri are going to host one of these youngsters. There was also something said about a 26 year old French young lady in need of a host. Because of his familiarity of the French language, several Lions looked toward Handford Clews.

RAFFLE

1st Prize--A bottle of I. W. Harper, Charles Stuhr
2nd Prize--\$5, Bill Tonelli

The Tonelli-For-Governor Campaign Committee hosted a delicious buffet

chicken dinner preceeding the Feb. 27th Board Meeting at the C. Bottarini residence. Twenty-two members enjoyed the salad, pasta, chicken, wine and the delicious cake brought by Lion Al Kleinbach. Prizes donated by THE CANDIDATE were raffled off. Winners were Fete Bello, a transistor radio; and Frank Ferrera, a money clip. Schedules of the campaign visits were distributed. To date the following visits have been made: March 4th, North Beach L.C.; March 5th, Marina L.C.; and March 6th, Chinatown L.C. Lions are urged to contact Visitation Ch'mn. Ozzie advising him as to what future dates they will be able to make. Check your schedule.

The Third Cabinet Meeting on Feb. 29th was attended by six members from this club. At this meeting, Lions Ted Zagorewicz and Chas. Bottarini were honored by being presented awards for outstanding contributions to the Student Speakers Foundation. Foundation Ch'mn. George Krug did the honors.

The officers and members of this club extend their profound sympathy to Lion Bob Pacheco and his family on the death of Bob's mother. Mary Pacheco passed away on March 5th.

Dues are payable. Replicas of the club banner are available @ \$2.00. New club 30th Anniversary trading pins @ \$1.00 may be ordered.

All members, ladies and teen-agers are invited to attend the Zone Student Speakers Runoff this Thur., 3/13 at the L & L Castle Lanes. Contest begins at 7 P.M. and dinner @ \$6.25 will be served at 8:30 P.M. Ed McFadden, this club's entry will be competing against the winners of four other club contests.

Make a final effort to bring a crowd to the 1st Annual "Make Me Irish Night" this Saturday, March 15 at the Irish Balkan's Social Club, 4190 Mission St. Support the hard working committee, which has planned a fun-filled evening.

COMING EVENTS

March 12 Joint meeting at L & L with S.F. Concl. Council will install its officers at 7 P.M.
March 13 Zone Student Speaker Contest, L & L Castle Lanes, 7 P.M.
March 15 Make Me Irish Nite, \$10 per
March 19 Visitation by Millbrae L.C. and election of officers.
March 26 Board Meeting
March 27 Regional Student Speaker Contest, L & L Castle Lanes, 7 P.M.
March 29 Bus trip to Scotts Valley L.C. and crab cioppino. \$40 per couple. Contact Lion O. Buoncrisiani.
April 2 Business Meeting
April 21 Burlingame L.C. Golf Tourn.
April 29 District Student Speaker Contest, Brentwood Lodge, So. S.F.