

# INSIDE LEISURE VILLAGE

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## ESO Prepares For DPX

By Bob Atz

Tom Lawson, Emergency Services Coordinator for the city of Camarillo, urged Leisure Village to participate in the Disaster Preparedness Exercise (DPX) to be held Oct. 27. His request was made during a DPX planning session held at the Camarillo City Hall in July. Paul Kelwin, Chairman of the LV Emergency Services Organization and Bob Guhl, Alternate Coordinator of the ESO Communications unit attended the meeting.

The DPX is just what the title implies: following an event (such as a se-

vere earthquake) which will cause major interruption in essential services, all members of the Emergency Services Organization will be summoned to their respective posts, just as they would report in event of an actual emergency. Once in place these people will execute tasks they volunteered to perform when they joined the ESO.

These services include providing first aid for the injured and establishing communications with the city of Camarillo emergency services. Other impor-

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## Our Aging Assembly Room

By Rob Karlin

During the last Annual Meeting we were asked to vote on a proposal to restore and upgrade a number of craft and recreational areas. For various reasons the proposal failed to carry enough votes for passage, and at this moment it appears to be a lost and forgotten issue. I, for one, don't want to see it die, because it is too important to the future life of our Village. But I want to recommend that the issue of restoration and upgrading be looked at on a problem-by-problem basis and not as a package deal. And the first on the priority list should be the most important area of our recreational facilities, the Assembly Room.

Take the time to visit this room if you haven't been in it lately. Look up

at the ceiling and see the dirt. Look at the walls. The stage, where so many groups work their tails off to bring so much great entertainment to our residents, is in deplorable condition. Take a look at the curtain. It's been hanging and gathering dust for fourteen years. And it looks it. The stage floor is in an equally neglected condition, as well as are the dressing rooms used by the entertaining groups.

The continuing rapid deterioration of this room can only mean higher and higher costs for restoration as time goes on, as well as gradually and almost unnoticeably limiting its usefulness as the prime entertainment hub of Leisure Village activities.

See ASSEMBLY .....Pg. 2



Photo by Stabler

Nancy Wischer

## Revised Rules And Regulations

Sporting a bright yellow cover, the revised edition of the Rules and Regulations governing L.V. has been completed and distributed. Nancy Wischer, Office Manager for the Association, prepared the text on the word processor, and American Savings and Loan Association printed 2400 copies for us. This is the first complete revision since 1985.

Residents who did not obtain their copy when it was first offered may get one at the Association Office.

Please keep your copy in an accessible place.

## Meet Your Neighbor

By Mary Erbsen

The Meet Your Neighbors Coffee will meet this month on Friday Aug 26, at 2:00 p.m. in the Garden Room. This month, George Thomas, new General Manager of L.V., will be the guest speaker.

All Villagers are invited to attend, residents both new and old, for a stimulating meeting with good conversation, as well as coffee and cookies.

## C-SPAN Over The Top

By Harry Becker

A contribution of \$122 by the Current Issues Forum has carried the fund drive for C-SPAN and C-SPAN II over the \$4,033.59 cost of the new satellite dish hookup.

It will be recalled that I had turned in \$215 at the August 1st Board meeting, bring total donations to \$3901.59. Before leaving the Assembly Room, however, I was given a check for \$10. Subsequently a V.28 neighbor stopped by to hand me a \$20 contribution.

On September 6, I will give the Board checks totalling \$152, putting us over the top by \$20.

A special vote of thanks is in order to the 131 residents who each contributed to the fund, especially to the six persons who contributed twice and the three Villagers who donated no less than three times!

Three cheers also for the 12 Village clubs including the Forum, which came through with help when it was most needed.

This cooperative spirit typifies Leisure Village as a community where residents care enough to maintain the C-SPAN link to the U.S. Congress (both House and Senate).

Coordinating the fund-raising activity has been a rewarding experience for me personally.

THINK L.V.  
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AND BAZAAR  
OCTOBER 15

## Musical Potpourri Sept. 9

By Lois Atz

Tickets are now available for "Musical Potpourri," sponsored as an all-Village event by the LV Organ club and set for 7:30 p.m. in the AR on Fri Sept 9.

"Musical Potpourri" will be a sparkling variety show with singers and dancers, and anchored by a professional musician at the keyboard, who will accompany other acts as well as play selections himself. Pres Jules Nayfack is making arrangements.

Tickets at \$2.50 each are available at the Rec Center ticket window Monday and Friday mornings and Wednesday afternoons.

Some of the proceeds will go toward purchase of a new musical instrument.

## Sewing Class

By Audrey Reid

The Adult Education Branch of the Oxnard Union High School District will provide a teacher for a sewing class at Leisure Village beginning September 6, 1988 at 9:00 a.m. Thelma McHenry, who once taught a similar class here, will be the teacher.

A registration fee of one dollar (\$1.00) is required for all students. Those students under sixty years of age will pay an extra two dollars for a tuition fee. Each person will be required to furnish her own bobbins, machine needles, scissors, and other sewing supplies.



# INSIDE LEISURE VILLAGE

• OPINION •

## EDITORIAL

### "STEP TWO PROPOSAL"

The proposed "Senior Hotel" to be built outside our gate adjacent to and just beyond Santa Rosa Plaza seems to be something that farseeing residents of L.V. feel a need for.

Having such a facility so near would have many advantages. When it becomes advisable to live in a more protective situation than L.V. affords, it would be desirable not to have to change doctors, dentists, churches, hair dressers, etc., at an age when changes may become traumatic. It is reasonable to assume that by "Senior Hotel" the builder is planning a live-in eat-at-least-one-meal-a-day type of accommodation known as Step Two. If this is so, it is also reasonable to expect that even in one room, the occupant should hope to be comfortable and content.

The sketchy plans of the "draft negative declaration report" that ILV editors have seen could possibly be modified within the same space limitations to make them more conducive to long term living than these plans seem to indicate. Such modifications might make the difference between full occupancy and many vacancies.

There is a vast difference between staying in one room for a few days as in an ordinary hotel and long term living in one room. Anyone who ever tried living in a "studio" apartment is well aware of the difference a few modifications might make. For this reason, ILV believes that it would be to the builder's advantage to consult with a group of villagers concerning the livability of this hotel. Typically, in this kind of living, there are more women than men so women especially should be included in such a panel.

We understand the L.V. Board of Directors has already looked at the physical impact to the Village of this construction and has sent an approving report to the Camarillo Planning Commission.

ILV Staff hopes that this "Senior Hotel" will serve its purpose so well that it will be successful.

### ABOUT NEXT MONTH

Coordinator for next month will be Lois Atz. PLEASE FOLLOW GUIDELINES AND BE AS BRIEF AS YOU CAN! Deadline for Sept. 30 issue will Sept. 12. To arrange for a photographer call coordinator at least 3 days in advance.

### INSIDE LEISURE VILLAGE EDITORIAL STAFF

LOIS ATZ - JEANNE CARLSON - FRANCES GOLD  
ROMAINE LAMBERT - BETTY MURRAY

Coordinator for this month: Betty Murray

Production Jack Whalen  
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## LETTERS

### Another Change

What Next? Now the Board of Directors has proposed a change to another long-standing rule. Why does every Board feel that they have to make changes constantly?

This time, it is a change to Article 15.02 C. It affects each and every one

### ASSEMBLY..... From Pg. 1

A partial list of the many activities that use our Assembly Room includes: The Saturday Night Dances, The Players shows and monthly meetings, the Variety Guild shows and monthly meetings, Square Dance groups, Chorale rehearsals and performances, Board of Directors Meetings, Women's Club meetings, Folk Dance groups and Dance Workshops, the Yoga group, various club meetings, Current Affairs meetings, Informal Seminars on health topics, and on and on.

I ask that the Board of Directors consider the matter of our aging and deteriorating Assembly Room/Entertainment Center as a separate and distinct problem, aside from other areas of need. I urge the Board of Directors to come up with a proposal in keeping with my recommendation that we look at this room as a separate and distinct entity and act with haste in presenting it to the residents of Leisure Village in order to avoid mounting future costs as time takes further toll through the deterioration that is inevitable if there is further neglect. And I urge the leadership of the many groups who sponsor activities in this room to work with and support the Board of Directors in finding the necessary funds to accomplish the salvaging of this most important area of Leisure Village life.

of us. We have all lived here long enough to establish friends who do not live here. The change will make it necessary for us to get a special 1-day guest pass in our name in order to invite our neighbor's friends to do anything — swim, golf or attend a function at the Recreation Center — even though these friends are already in the Village on a pass. I doubt that any of us desire this unnecessary requirement.

We hear constantly about "too" many 1-day passes being issued monthly. It appears that this will require even more.

The worst part is that it gives, not only Security, but every homeowner the right to challenge any person at any time as to their right to be where they are. This can be very embarrassing to the homeowner and to this guest as well. Have you thought about the devastating effect this might have on a child who thinks he has done something wrong?

I believe it is a great mistake to make changes to our Rules & Regulations when it is next to impossible to enforce the change and especially when the change involves the expenditure of our operating funds to implement.

I, wholeheartedly, request that the Board of Directors take a long hard look at their own proposal and set it aside instead of approving it.

Thank you.

Sue Kaeseman, V. 4

### Superfluous Rule

The proposed Article XV, 15.02C requiring individual passes for our guests to use our facilities is an outrage. We are particularly concerned about the proposed rigid usage of the swimming pool, the only approved facility for youngsters and adolescents during limited hours. Can't we arrange with the lifeguard about how many of a family can swim at

one time? Members of a family can take turns.

We need to limit restrictions on facilities. The more rules you have, the less respect people have for them.

Article XV, 15.02C is asking too much of our older residents, discouraging our children from visiting us, and failing to keep the original ideals alive about why we wanted to live in L.V.

The article would be too costly to administer. (Can you imagine Security issuing 1-2000 passes on a weekend?)

We must seek a more humane answer to our L.V. problems, fewer restrictions, more emphasis on the concept of family, and a less costly solution.

Lee Simon, V. 14

Mae Stoneman, V. 14

### It's A Bonanza

The question of no-fault insurance will have to be answered by voters in November.

Something happened that has decided the issue for me.

One day on the freeway our passenger car was attacked in the rear by a 18 wheel behemoth. Can't think of a way a passenger car could injure a truck bigger than a train freight car.

With no-fault the trucking company would not have to worry about increased premiums, or having insurance cancelled. BUT the passenger car owner would be forced to pick up the tab and then worry about the consequences.

So, I've made up my mind: no-fault is a

BONANZA for the trucking industry, that's why this powerful industry is keeping a low profile on the issue of no-fault.

Ruth Wideman, V. 38

### Anonymous

To the person who wrote the angry letter to ILV about people not taking adequate showers before going into the swimming pool, we have  
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## Architecture Landscape Committee

By Dan Davis

Are you interested in how our Village looks? Are you knowledgeable about landscaping? If you can answer "yes" to these questions, we need you!

The two women (Lucy Gerhardt and Mary Hale) who have served 6 years and 3 years on the Architectural/Landscape Committee plus 3 and 6 years on other landscape committees, have decided to take a rest. This leaves the Committee severely depleted of competent members dedicated to landscape design.

If interested, please call Dan Davis, 987-1818, and he will give you all the information regarding committee work. When the recorder answers, he will return your call.

Thanks to each of you who responds to this request.



Your  
Neighbors  
Care Group

By Sandy Okum

There will be no lecture sponsored by Y.N.C.G. in September because the first Monday of the month is Labor Day.

The Blood Pressure Clinic will be held the third Monday, Sept. 19 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

If you need assistance or information in an emergency, call one of the following:

Estelle Corwin, 482-7564, Virdee Nelson, 987-5201, Dorothy Skuro, 484-0324.

If you need a wheelchair, crutches, a walker or other hospital items contact the Recreation Office during regular office hours and pick up the item yourself.

Your yearly dues of \$1.00 are due now.

The Flu Shot Clinic will be held Oct. 31 this year.

## LETTERS .....From Pg 2

stated that we cannot accept anonymous contributions to the paper, regardless of the value of the content. Lots of people agree with you, so please write again and identify yourself. Looking at a broader aspect, you can surely see the wisdom behind our rule.

Thanks. ILV Staff

It's great to feel I'm never wrong. A little over a year ago, when my wife Ruth and I established residence in L.V., we knew we were going to live among the most beautiful, warm, concerned neighbors in the world.

This was confirmed, after my recent successful major surgery. Thank you and bless you all. Bob and Ruth Novick - V.20

While reading all the cards I received after my

recent and unexpected open-heart surgery, I did not realize there were so many ways to say "get well" and "we care."

All the phone calls, the visits, both in hospital and at home, plus the meals and flowers are overwhelming.

The kindness of a friend who flew to Redding and drove my motor home to Daly City for Ruby to use, and then drove back with another friend to drive us home is beyond the realm of any thanks. This also includes standby drivers.

David Teasdale - V.33

I am grateful to my L.V. friends for your concern and encouragement during my recent knee surgery. The cards, calls, prayers, flowers and food helped me to make a rapid recovery. I am sincerely thankful.

Louise Young - V.9

What a wonderful glow one can experience when

so many thoughtful people rally to make life easier. Since I broke my ankle a week ago there has been a steady stream of well-wishers and well-doers. I appreciate every one of you. Thanks a million.

Claire Sortomme, V.3

My family and I wish to thank our neighbors and friends after the passing of John, for all the donations, cards, flowers and food. It's wonderful to have such great people at a time like this. Sincerely, Virginia Scully, V. 35

"Thank You" to all of my friends in Leisure Village. Prayers, cards, gifts, food, visits, during my four weeks in the hospital.

At home now, and improving each day.

Frances O'Connell - V.5

Julius and I wish to thank all our wonderful friends and neighbors and  
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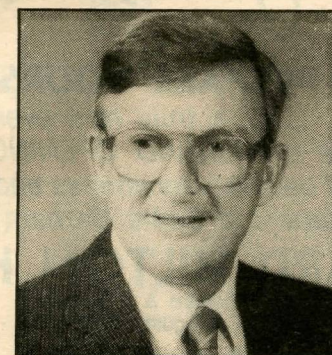
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- Leo Greenfield  
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- Victor Bello  
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- Michael Klein  
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family for their kind good wishes and concern shown to us during my recent eye surgery. Thank you all for your get-well cards, telephone calls, gifts, contributions, and food that was brought in to us. We appreciated it

very much. We love you all! Again, many thanks.  
Evelyn Abrams, V.31

The family of Eleanor R. Knutson wishes to thank all her friends in Leisure Village for their words of encouragement during her illness and their expressions of sympathy at her passing on July 1.  
Jeannette M. Tait - V.7

To our many friends in Leisure Village who supported Chris and me with your prayers and concern during Chris' long illness, thank you and God bless each one of you.  
Helen Thomsen - V.34

I would like to thank all my dear friends and neighbors of L.V. who were so kind to remember me with their wonderful cards and gifts of love. I can't tell you how much it helped with my recovery from my surgery.

Besides all the pluses we have in L.V., the love and friendship that we have is worth everything

in the world.

I thank you from the bottom of my heart.

Lee Freis - V.9

To all my caring neighbors and friends, a special thank you for the lovely cards and telephone calls of inquiry during my recent bout at the hospital. I am fine now.

Sara K. Lee - V.20

To all my friends in L.V., thank you so much for your gifts, flowers, tributes, cards, etc., during my recent surgery.

Your thoughtfulness meant so much more than words can ever say.

Betty Klausner - V.28

I was overwhelmed by the outpouring of love and affection from the dearest people in the world, my friends in L.V., during my husband Don's quadruple open heart surgery. My special love and gratitude to our dear friend Paul Markowitz, who was there for us every step of the way, giving of himself unselfishly. No brother could have done more.

Perry Horodas V. 37

Leo would be so pleased to know that so many people cared.

I want to thank all my friends and neighbors for their wonderful support at this time and for sending the condolences, tributes and lovely cards.

Thank you all so much for the love and care you expressed. It means so much to me.

Lillian Greenfield, V.3

### Lending A Helping Hand

By Mildred Oberg

On glancing through the last Membership Roster of the Pleasant Valley Hospital Auxiliary, E.B. and I were surprised to find such a large number of the volunteers are from Leisure Village.

Later talking on the phone to Galena White, Director of the Volunteers Program, she said 60% to 70% of the Auxiliary are

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## Sharing the environment

By Kay Murray

Those of us who enjoy swimming must share the same pool of water, just as smokers and non-smokers must share our air space. In order to keep our environment healthful and pleasant for all, certain rules and courtesies must be maintained. A cleansing shower prior to swimming is required by our Village CC&R's.

Perhaps some villagers who have been remiss have rationalized that they had just recently showered at home, or that pre-swim showers are a farce because some people slip by by merely getting wet. Regardless of personal feelings, our rules are for everyone, and should be followed. Superficial showers are not condoned, for the best interest of all swimmers.

Swimming pool standards for cleanliness in most public facilities also require that sun tanning



By Jack Whalen

Channel 12 members are still holding discussions with officials from Oxnard College concerning the possible showing of one or more series of Tele-College courses. One subject we think

lotion be removed by thoroughly showering before entering the pool. These oils carried into the pool wash off and remain in a floating emulsion which reattaches itself to other swimmers and the pool tiles, making an unsightly and unpleasant experience.

(One person entering our pool with perfumed lotion can contaminate the water to the extent that the floral character of the perfume can be identified throughout the entire pool — ugh!)

might be of interest is the 15-hour series "Contemporary Health Issues." It covers a variety of subjects that would be of interest to a vast number of L.V. residents.

We will keep you posted on the pages of Max — the 50 to 60 messages that keep repeating 24 hours a day.

Dorothy Konecko, who heads the working team of volunteers keeping us posted on village activities, reports that she is looking for two ladies who might be able to devote 1 to 2 hours weekly to Channel 12. A basic knowledge of typing would help, but the important think is that the volunteers would play a role in using their skills to create colorful messages. It would be a rewarding experience.

With Labor Day on the first Monday of September, the next Board of Directors meeting will be held Tuesday, September 6 at 10:00 a.m. in the AR.

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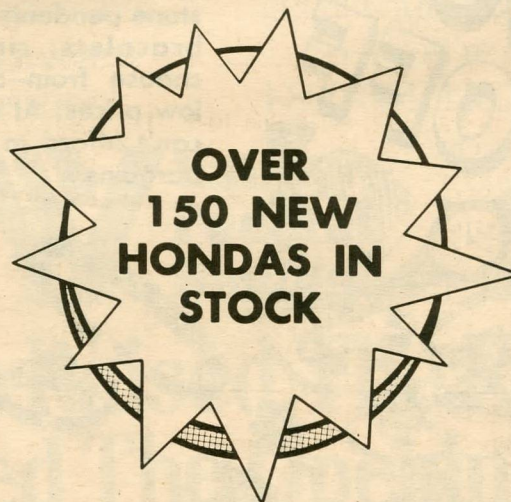
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## Community Service Personified

By Sol Robin

Rube Davis has just added another laurel to his collection of awards. He recently won the coveted Alfred L. Perper Award at the B'nai B'rith Convention in recognition of his outstanding community volunteer service record.

Rube has been a B'nai B'rith member for 35 years. He is Vice-President of the Camarillo Lodge.

He organized and continues to chair the L.V. Guest Speaker Committee consisting of over 50 retired residents with backgrounds in various fields who visit High Schools in Ventura County and address students on a wide variety of topics. Our L.V. speakers describe to students the type of careers that they have had and consequently encourage them



**Rube and Pauline Davis**

to pursue training programs to prepare them for productive careers when they graduate.

Rube is co-chairman of the L.V. Current Issues Forum which provides guest speakers who specialize in various fields to address our residents on current events such as politics, economics, environment, issues of aging and related issues. He serves on the Board of

the local AARP chapter and is chairman of the Health Care Committee. He is also involved in legislative action sponsored by the Area Agency on Aging.

Community service is not an occasional activity for Rube Davis. His community volunteer service is a full time occupation. He devotes almost every day of his life to those in need. Now in his eighties, he vigorously continues to be an involved leader in community action affecting the lives of people who live in Ventura County. In spite of his preoccupation with community needs, he still finds the time to plunge into brisk walking exercises each morning and enjoy the relaxation of our Saturday Night Ballroom dances and socializing with friends.

On June 5th Rube married Pauline Hoffman, a resident of L.V., who is equally devoted to community affairs. How heartening it is to observe this enthusiastic couple exercise initiative in community service at a time when most seniors would be content to sit back and let the younger generation carry the ball in working to improve the quality of life for people of all ages. Both of them feel very deeply that every concerned citizen has a moral obligation to give the best that is in them to the betterment of society.



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## Clubs: Enjoy One or Two

By Betty Murray

Residents of L.V. have the opportunity to participate in clubs and groups of all kinds: dance, music, sports, crafts, art, cultural, spiritual, educational, charitable, you name it. There is nothing here that everybody does (discounting eating and sleeping), not even voting, but the point is, it is available.

An informal census reveals a large differential in memberships. The purpose of the survey was to ascertain in a rough way the availability of the space or special equipment needed per member.

Numbers are approximate. They were supplied by an officer of the club, or by the Recreation Department.

Woodshop: Sawdusters Club, 52 members, 319 key holders. Ceramics Club 40, Ceramics Plus 30, Ceramic Mold Decora-

tors 35. Lapidary: Gem and Mineral Club 50 members, 50 keys to equipment.

Bocce Club 92; Shuffleboard 100; Tennis, Racquet Club 275; Men's Golf 275; Women's Golf 250; Billiard Club (7 tables) 122; Bingo 105.

Swimming pool, no clubs, daily attendance in summer 150; water exercise 35.

Indoor-Outdoor Garden Club 156; Garden plots 85, the farmers have not organized.

Sewing Room, 9 machines, 25 persons have keys to operate the 4 new machines. No club per se, but Oxnard Union High School classes will start in September; Needlers 15.

Camera Club (darkroom) 50; Stamp and Coin 15; Organ Club 30; Painters 45; Orchestra 20; Lie-delers 30.

Women's Club 560; Women's Club Workshop 40.

Dance groups: Saturday Night Ballroom,

## New seating policy for players

By Irwin Steinhart

The Broadway Comedy hit "The Solid Gold Cadillac," directed by Edythe

Swing-Disco-Jazz, Live Band, Swingers, EZ Squares, Single Squares, Round, Folk, Dance Workshop, Hula, Belly, Ballet, Tap, Latin. No count was attempted.

Nor did the count include library patrons, exercise buffs, card players, students in college courses, Your Neighbors Care Group, Food Share, the entertainment clubs, or groups that meet in individual homes.

Now you know it. Leisure Villagers don't just sit at home. People who can are busy, busy, doing their own things, as well as out volunteering for village and community philanthropies. If you feel your time is underoccupied, you have a choice.

Fahringer, will be the Village Players' annual major fall production presented Nov. 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 in the AR.

After very serious consideration, the Village Players Board of Directors have decided this year to implement some radical new changes long advocated by our director emeritus John Zoller. The new seating policy will be as follows:

1) Seating will be strictly limited to 280 seats each performance. This is in contrast to the 400 plus seating arrangements at our previous shows.

2) A new seating pattern approved by the Leisure Village Board and the Fire Department will be used, with a wide center section for best viewing and two side aisles, all seats will be carefully staggered.

3) All seats will be numbered and reserved. When you buy your ticket you will know where you will be sitting — just like

downtown!

4) One additional performance will be scheduled, making five in all.

We hope that this new policy will meet with the approval of our fellow Villagers. Limiting the seating at any one performance will make our show more pleasurable to watch and eliminate the necessity of the former tedious practice of lining up early before the doors open in order to get a good seat.

Additional information about "Solid Gold Cadillac" will be forthcoming as time goes by. Watch Inside Leisure Village and Ch. 12.

## Book Review

Because of the many holidays and vacations in September, Book Review will not meet until Oct 10 — always the second Monday in the month. See you then, and don't forget about our regular programs.

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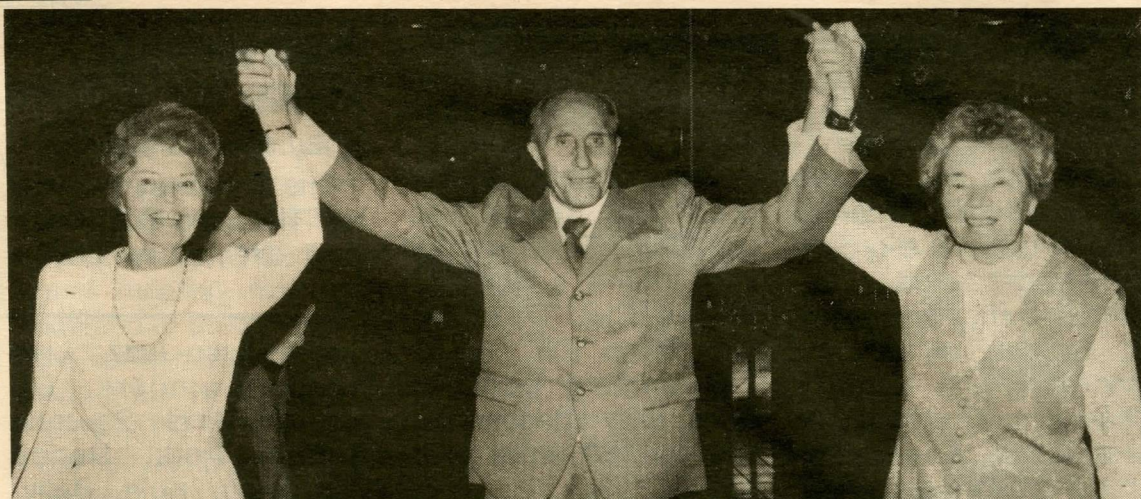


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Berniece Pilipaitas V. 23 waited 50 years for her son Ksaveras to come to America from Lithuania. She and daughter Anne Robitaille welcomed the 60 year old man at LAX after a trying trip, and years of waiting for permission to leave his homeland in the Eastern sector of Europe. His visa is for 90 days, in which the women are crowding togetherness, shopping, and sightseeing. Ksaveras speaks no English, but with his family, he is astounded and pleased with what he sees in California. Anne, who works at The Camarillo Daily News, types ILV stories from time to time.

## Full house at Organ Club entertainment

by Lois Atz  
The Karen DeSalvo evening of entertainment, sponsored by the LV Organ Club in July sold out. The overflow audience heard the professional keyboard artist introduced by her mother, Piff DeSimone, V.11. Karen, strik-

ing in shimmering emerald green, played nostalgic organ selections and conducted several audience participation events. Ruth Aker and Maxine LaPorte checked tickets at the door. Lighting was skillfully managed by Art and Mimi Kaufman.

## Yom Kippur Dance

By Henny Sills  
The Yom Kippur dance will be held Thurs, Sept. 20 7:30 p.m. in the AR. Tickets are on sale at the ticket office in the AR.

Please make your own table arrangements (12 to a table). A live band will add to your dancing pleasure. Everyone is welcome.

## Village Briefs

Villagers in the audience at the Karen DeSalvo performance were honored: Pauline Hoffman and Rube Davis V. 42 as the newest married couple present (one month), and Eloise and Harold Wickham V. 20, who on that very day were celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary. Each couple received a cake with lighted candles.

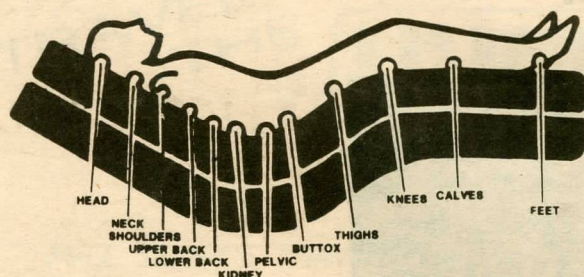
Bebe Rothenberg, V.4 received a cake for having the most direct descendants: 4 children, 12 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren.

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Long-time residents of the Village, Bill and Billie Snyder, V.4 entertained some hundred friends recently at a cocktails and barbecue party in the picnic grounds. The setting was as lovely as the celebration itself.

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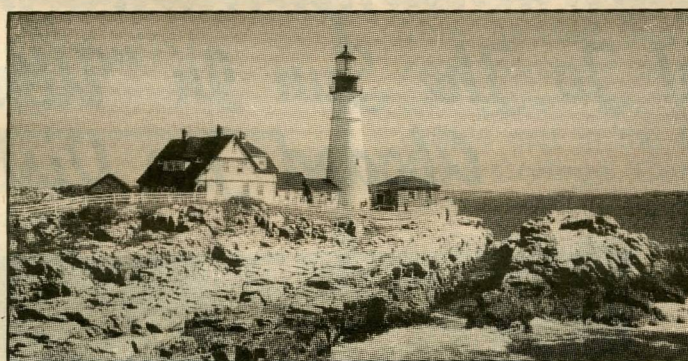
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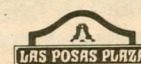
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## A Dream Comes True

By Jeanne Carlson

July 21 the Ventura County Star Free Press ran a long story about a wonderful non-profit organization, the Seniors' Craft Shoppe, 425 Main St. Ventura. What they didn't say is that Leisure Village has an important stake in this group, Kay Varley, V.5.

Kay has always been interested in hand-crafts and has a very soft spot in her heart for low-income seniors. Walking by the store one day some five years ago, she realized that she was looking at a dream come true — a chance to help. She promptly went in, joined, and has served this group as Treasurer ever since.

So many older people are living on the brink of destitution where an unexpected prescription is a disaster, or where meals must be skipped at the end of the month. Yet these same people are often skilled in fine hand work or wood work.

The shop recently celebrated its 10th anniversary. Members first sold their crafts on Sundays in the Park. Then a federal grant of \$3,000 from the area Agency on Aging was obtained. Other help was offered but the organization is now self-supporting. Members work as sales persons 9 hours a month and receive eighty five cents from every dollar for what they make and sell. Fifteen cents goes for rent, utilities, etc.

It has made a world of difference to many seniors. It provides friendship, needed income, and the satisfaction of self-help. People like Kay and her husband, Don, who supports her all the way, have helped to make this self-sufficient group possible.

The average American, in a life span of 70 years, uses 26,000,000 tons of water.

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You won't see her trundling off early to bed  
From her place in the farm chimney nook.  
Her typewriter clickety-clacks through the night  
For Grandma is writing a book.

Not one single backward look does she take  
To slow her steady advancing.  
She won't tend the babies for you any more  
For Grandma has taken up dancing.

She's not content with crumbs of old thoughts  
Or meager and secondhand knowledge  
Don't bring your mending for Grandma to do  
For Grandma has gone to college.

Anonymous

(Thanks to Marty Beckel)

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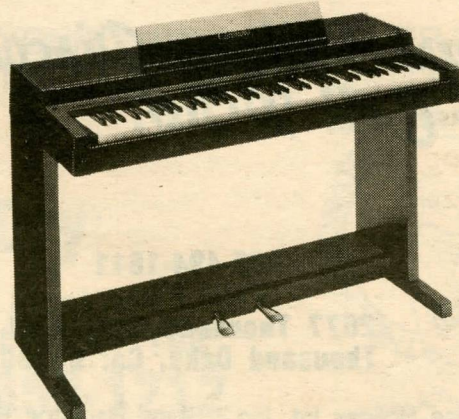
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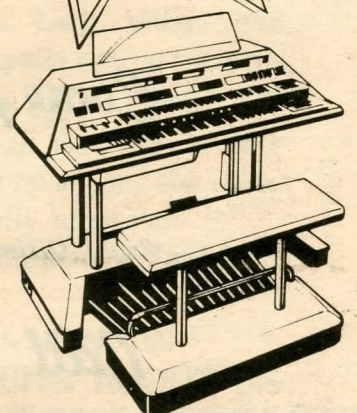
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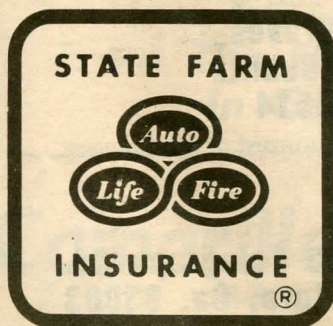
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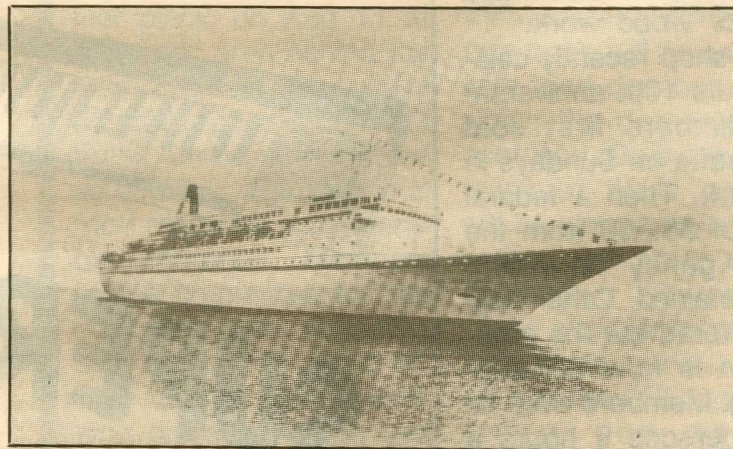
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**VILLAGE  
SWINGERS  
SQUARE  
DANCE CLUB**

**By Romaine Lambert**

The Village Swingers Square Dance Club received a delightful surprise recently as did Edna Hoffman, when member Anne Wolfson at break-time wheeled out a birthday cake ablaze with candles for Edna's birthday. Edna is not only a long-time member of the Swingers but is also a beautiful round dancer as well. Congratulations to Edna and thanks to Anne.

Unfortunately, besides the happy times, the club suffers from sadness, too. Everyone was shocked by the sudden death of John Scully. He and Virginia attended the previous dance and he had been elected 2nd V.P. Virginia and her family have the Swingers' sincere sympathy.

As ILV goes to press, the Club will also be saying good-bye (a good-bye however, filled with good wishes and promise) to Murray and Helen Hertzberg who are moving to Florida. The Hertzbergs have been loyal members since 1978, have held office, and Helen was closely involved in putting together the club Table Cloth, an interesting feature that graces the officers' table on meeting night. Good luck, Murray and Helen. The Club honored them with a cake at the general meeting, but will miss Murray's lead when we sing those happy anniversaries.

The Dektors won the August jack pot. Are you going to win Sept. 6? The Board will meet at the Brownsteins' home on Sept. 8. On General meeting night (the 13th) there will be scatter dancing, and on the 20th all singing calls, and everyone knows Bill Kramer is the one who can pull that off.

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SOLO  
CLUB

By Rosemary Sieh

Solo Club members enjoyed a pot luck dinner Aug. 12, with bingo afterwards.

On Sept. 22 members will meet for dinner at "Two Plus Two" in Camarillo at 5:00. Car pool at 4:30 in east parking lot. Call Mary Kay Franey 484-3477.

Please remember Food Share contribution.



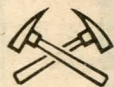
VILLAGE  
PLAYERS

By Irwin Steinhart

The August meeting of Village Players was held in the AR on Thurs Aug. 18. Plans for our big November show "The Solid Gold Cadillac" were discussed.

For entertainment, John Fahringer, with the cooperation of Ch. 12, invited the audience to participate in TV Auditions, followed by instant replay — all this in preparation for a proposed TV Movie that John will produce and direct for the Village Players.

It was a fun evening.



GEM AND  
MINERAL  
CLUB

By Don Holmes

For the first time since the Gem and Mineral Club was organized in 1980, with your writer as the first president, the club is dark over the summer. The next meeting will be Wed, Sept. 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the MPR, when plans will be firmed up for the Annual Sale to be held in the Lapidary shop during the L.V. Anniversary. It is scheduled this year in October. Watch Channel 12 for late news on this, and on the Ventura County Fair exhibits.



THE  
CERAMIC PLUS  
CLUB

By Don Holmes

The next Ceramic Plus Club meeting will be Thurs, Sept 22, at 10:30 in the CR, when the members will have a Show and Tell of their recent work. The club has been working on ceramic and enamel pieces for the Annual Sale, which will be held in the Ceramic shop in October during the Leisure Village Anniversary. Watch Channel 12 for more on this.

In July, the club held its annual picnic in the park, with a great turn-out. Even Charlie left his new home in Ventura to come. We missed your chili, Charlie.

If you haven't watched Channel 12, you may have missed our August meeting. Gil Chuck showed his film of the Delft Potteries, where very fine china is produced. It was interesting to compare their methods with those in commercial potteries in this country.



VARIETY  
GUILD

By Ethel Goldfarb

Music lifts the spirit to a lofty plane, and Variety Guild members were on Cloud 9 at our August meeting. After electing the slate of new officers, we were entertained by new Villager Kurt Godfrey, Concert Pianist. The response to his program was most enthusiastic. It included works by Chopin, Shubert, and Schumann.

Our September 8th meeting will have the installation of officers with Roie Beck injecting her bit of humor. Guests always welcome. Refreshments. DUES DUE!

## VISION LIMITED

By Florence Block

Does it have to end? Thus was the complaint of the 31 members of Vision Limited who gathered for our annual picnic in the L.V. picnic area on Mon Aug 1. The picnic committee outdid themselves with the delicious lunch. Thanks to Anne, Florence, Ruth, Vida, Gigi, Thelma, Rose, Cecelia, Hy, Leon, Joe, and Harry.

As a surprise, Coe and Frances Fischer brought a sheet cake in honor of their 50th Wedding Anniversary. Congratulations and best wishes to both.

We then welcomed our new president Charles Fridberg who was introduced by Joe Gaynes. Bingo topped off the afternoon.

Please note change of date for next meeting, Tues Sept 6 at 1:00 p.m. in the Lanai Room. A surprise guest speaker will be scheduled.

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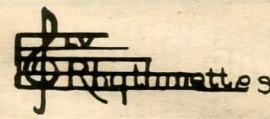
BINGO !

By Cy Maller

The Village Bingo Games are increasing in popularity with each session. Many faces from years ago are rediscovering these thrilling sessions. New faces are always appearing as well. During the month of July there were over 500 participants.

Marian Tavano, chairperson of the Bingo Committee, announced an increase in the paper game to payoffs of \$5-\$15- and \$25 for the blackout. She has also added several \$5 games.

Meet your friends and neighbors for an enjoyable evening. Remember, Wednesday from 7:00-9:00 pm in the AR.



By Margaret Hines

The Rythmettes have been having fun in various ways during July and Aug. Fun for some is work for others, but that's the way it goes.

When we settle down to practice again, (which is fun and work), we are going to start the whole thing off with a luncheon. This time, we will all do the work, (potluck) and have the fun of sampling the goodies brought by others while they try ours.

All members will be contacted by phone so they will know what to bring. If you have been away, phone someone who can bring you up to date. Channel 12 should have the information by now. Let's all be there in the AR at 12:30 Sept. 6, with special dishes and good appetites. Our president, Roie Beck, has been working hard to organize the whole thing during the absence of some board members whose votes are necessary to appoint committees.

## LV EXERCISE GROUP

By Shiphrah Maller

Our L.V. Exercise Class has been growing in leaps and bounds because people find how beneficial these early morning stretching exercises can be. Lou Tamkin, our very capable instructor, helps us through one-half hour of low-key stretching of every part of the body, ending with an against-the-fence stretch of the whole body.

It is particularly helpful getting started in the mornings for daily activities. Please meet us at pool-side at 8:30 to 9:00 a.m. from Monday through Friday. Once you join us I am sure you will want to continue.



THE  
SAWDUSTERS  
CLUB

By Bernie Goldman

At the August meeting of the Sawdusters Club, members and guests viewed an excellent video tape showing what the Shopsmith Mark 5 could do. It can be used as a table saw, disc sander, horizontal boring machine, drill press and lathe. This proved to be of great interest to all. George Mustaparta, who used a Shopsmith for many years, discussed some of his experiences with it. Our 'Show and Tell' portion of the meeting was given by Carl Sparks, Lou Sirotnik and Dana Street. Carl Sparks also had made up kits for a note (or recipe) holder which he made available to the members.

Our next regular meeting will be held on Thurs. Sept. 1 at 2:00 p.m. in the MPR. Our program will consist of a presentation by Dan Davis titled "Practical Home Repairs & Improvements". All villagers are invited to attend our meetings.



The Ceramic  
Mold  
Decorating  
Club

By Velma Cade

The Ceramic Mold Decorating Club members are an enthusiastic group of people, as we continue making beautiful ceramic pieces.

We meet every Wednesday at 12:30 in the Ceramic Room. We welcome any villager that would like to join us. The dues are \$2.00 per year.

Many of the members have had years of experience, and are more than pleased to share their knowledge with new comers that have no previous experience. Now is the time to get started to make some special things for the Holiday Season.





### By Vee Flowers

A large group of prospective bowlers attended the L.V. bowling league meeting Aug. 5th., in preparation for the coming season.

Starting on Fri, Sept 9, at 1:00 p.m., and continuing through April, we are expecting a great season, as shown by the enthusiasm of the group anxious to get started again.

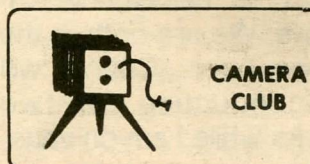
Rules and policies were discussed and voted upon, to be used through the year.

Teams are being formed according to averages and will be posted on the bulletin board in the atrium when finalized.

Those that are not assigned to teams immediately, will be used as substitutes and will become a regular member when there is a vacancy.

For those who decide to join us later, come to Wagon Wheel Bowl before 1:00 p.m. and chances are you can fill in as either a pacer or substitute.

See you there!



### By Dorothy Levy

Members of the Camera Club have been busy this past month as they have readied their pictures for entry in the Photography exhibit at the Ventura County Fair. We submitted 34 prints and 13 slides to the Fair in photography section on August 4. Most of them were in color, a few were in black and white. They were to be judged later in the month.

Our usual monthly competition was of pictures featuring children. Imogene Gregory won first place with an intriguing picture of a small child,



### By Cy Maller

Next meeting of the Shuffleboard Club will be held on Tues, Sept 6, at 7:30 p.m. in the MPR. Results of the tournament played Aug 25 will be announced in the next issue of this publication. Bea Schreiber, membership chairperson, says that the 88-89 dues are lagging behind last year at this time. Members are urged to pay dues before next meeting.

Shuffleboard courts are being resurfaced and painted.

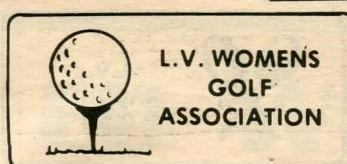
The annual B.B.Q. picnic will be held at 5:00 p.m. on Thurs, Sept. 8. Donations are \$3 per person and is open to members only. The menu will consist of hamburgers, cole slaw, potato salad, baked beans a-la-Colbert, coffee and cake. Organized play will follow picnic for those members who wish to play.

Organized sessions are held M-T-W at 9:30 a.m., Tues and Thurs at 7:30 p.m. and Sat-Sun at 2:00 p.m.

confused and surprised that he had landed in a small depression in the grass. Second and third places went to Rankin McIntyre for color photos of three children resting on a bench with a great mountain as background and for a colorful picture of children gazing through a fence at a pond.

The next Club meeting will be on Sept 3 and will feature pictures of trees, an interesting and varied subject for competition. Come to see them and bring one of your own if you would like to, slide or print. Everyone is welcome.

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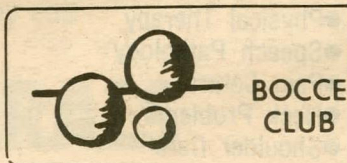
### By Betty Bruce

The L.V. Women's Golf Assn. welcomed the new slate of officers and committee chairmen at our general meeting on July 13. We have a splendid group who will carry on in the fine tradition of the former officers and committee members. Marty Gregory, our president, has done a great job getting everyone organized and ready to make this a super year.

We should all try to play in the Men's/Women's tournaments as often as possible. They are fun and the committees in charge are planning many interesting programs for the 19th Hole parties. They are held on the last Sunday each month. Party at 4 p.m. BYOB. You are welcome even if you couldn't play golf that day or don't ever play.

Our next regulation golf will be at Elkins Ranch on Thurs Sept. 15. Start time is 8:00 a.m. Cost \$10.00 (\$9.00 green fee, \$1.00 prize money). Carts are \$17.00.

New members who joined within the last three years, please come to a "Friendship Tee" in the MPR, Thurs Oct 6, 1988, 11:30 to 1:30. Sign up sheet is in women's window at the Golf Shack.

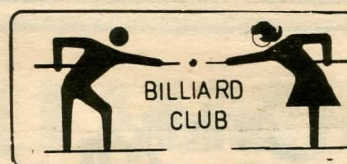


### By Luella Kelwin

The next general meeting of the Bocce Club will be held Sept. 29 at 7:30 p.m. in the AR.

Please come and bring your friends; you will have the pleasure of being entertained by Margarete and Jules Nayfack.

The Bocce Club board meeting will be held Sept. 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the Lanai Room.

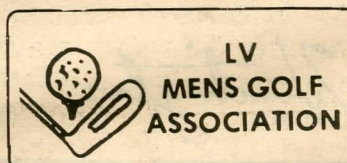


### BILLIARD CLUB

#### By Morley Goldberg

Once again, it's time to think about our Billiard Club Annual Holiday Party to be held in December. As of now, Jack Bagelman has found a very fine restaurant at an exceptionally reasonable price, which along with Sylvia Rottersman's recommendations, will be discussed at our September meeting.

At the July meeting, Rolland Barbeau presented a report on the Fair Share program and its work in behalf of needy people in Ventura County. The manner in which Billiard Club members can help either by food or



### By Jack Whalen

Late July found male golfers playing the demanding River Ridge course in Oxnard. There are those who find the course too tough and others who simply say "I don't like it." Oh well, golf never was meant to be easy and we all play to our own pace and skills.

Taking low gross was Charlie Bellante with a respectable 87. Low gross winner in Flight B was Jack Heller while Bill O'Neill took Flight C honors.

Low net winner in Flight A was Pete Aspen, Roy Zhe coming through nicely in Flight B with Herb Swartz winning in Flight C.

The last Sunday of the month Couples Golf found Ike Abrams carding low gross with a tie in Flight B between Gene Bookwalter and George Dennis. Flight C also found two men with identical low gross scores: Kern Pederson and Herb Warnecke.

money donations, will be decided at a later meeting.

Jim Toms is our newest member. Welcome, Jim!

Thanks to Sally Gianettoni for acting as hostess at the July social. Nice job, Sally.

As usual, lottery tickets were awarded to members at the meeting. Isabel Torchia, Doris Garman, Mitzi Brockman, Suzanne Catalogne, Sam Lorber and Paul Kelwin. Remember, if you want to win a \$100,000 lottery ticket you must attend meetings!

As special door prizes, John Gianettoni won an ice sculpture and Rolland Barbeau won two dinners at Antonio's.

Since there was no meeting in August, there will be much to consider on Tues, Sept 23 at 7:30 p.m. Please attend.

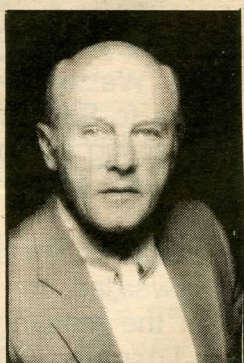
Low net winner in the Sunday event was June Niles in Flight A and would you believe the combination Bookwalter/Dennis also took Flight B honors? Kern Pederson was alone as winner in Flight C.

The yearly Match Play tournament begins Tues, Aug 30, and will continue for the winners each Tuesday during September.

A new contest, "Hole-In-One," was started by the men's golf club in mid-July. It's on a 4-week basis with anyone who wishes to enter for \$1 being eligible to win the pot with a hole-in-one during the regular Tuesday tournaments. July 19 was the first day of the new contest and on Hole #1, Pete Aspen, using his trusty 5-iron, with one mighty swing, watched his ball roll into the cup. No one else duplicated his feat during the 4 weeks of play and Pete took the entire prize money: a whopping \$47.00!

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By Dorothy Konecko

Next meeting: Sept 12,  
7:30 p.m. - AR.

Summertime - and playing tennis in the heat is not easy, but the games do go on!

Tournament Winners of July 9: Paddle Tennis "Mixed Doubles": Gigi Winston & Budd Samuel; Rhoda & Bill Cagan; Anne Janoff & Bob Hasen; Shirley & Al Law; Wanda Saari & George Lompin; Jackie Solway & Russ Lomask; Gerry & George Nolte; Mary Kovach & Arthur Bornfriend. Tennis "Luck of the Draw Handicap": Art Rosner & June Niles; Les Solomon & Bill Morgan; Al Green & Gary Lipton.

"The free man is he who does not fear to go to the end of his thought." (Leon Blum) Why not make YOUR thought "I



By Lois Atz

Organ Club members have voted to establish a fund to purchase another new musical instrument for the village. The present Yamaha organ was selected by an Organ Club committee several years ago, and many fund raisers were held to pay off the \$10,000 debt.

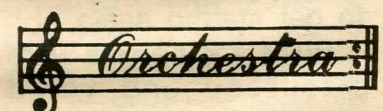
Tentative goal this time is a new piano for the AR. The Organ Club welcomes contributions from LV individuals and groups. Al Levinson has contributed \$100 and Bill Blauer \$50. Contributions can be made through Jules Naffack, president.

"Show Tunes" is the musical theme of the Organ Club when they meet

will sign up for the next tournament and have some fun!"

today, Aug. 26 at 1:30 p.m. in the AR. After a brief business session, members play for each other on the theater organ or baby grand piano; sometimes they are treated to organ-piano duets.

All Village keyboard players are invited to participate. Interested listeners are also welcome to attend. Practice time is available on the second and fourth Monday mornings, with sign-ups taken at the Organ Club meetings.



By Don Holmes

The Orchestra had the pleasure of playing a concert for Your Neighbors Care Group last month. We started playing long before the regular meeting, and it was gratifying to see the AR so well filled. It was a very good audience, and we hope to return to play for YNCG from time to time. The Orchestra is available to play for other groups and clubs, particularly those who meet in the AR. Not that we are fussy, but we need the space. Just give me a call. If you can't reach me, call Connie Andrews. We are both in the phone book. Connie will be conducting for two weeks while I am on vacation.

Are there any unemployed kettle-drummers out there? Any brass players? Or, wishful thinking, any double-reeds? we can put you to work on Mozart, Haydn, and Beethoven. I know some violinists in the Village who would be welcomed by their old friends if they would come out every Thursday at 7:00 p.m. in the MPR.

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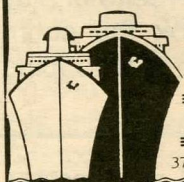
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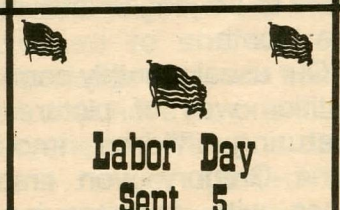
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**HAPPY  
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By Vi Cohen

We Happy Hoofers show ourselves no mercy. Through these hot, humid, horrific days, we keep on dancing. How else will we be able to perform for the Organ Club's fund-raising show in September if we don't practice, practice, practice in August? We always strive to put our best foot forward. Besides, we just love to dance. We're not called "Happy Hoofers" without good reason.

### Dance Workshop

By Delma Smith

Dance Workshop members have been busy planning a picnic to be held on Friday, Aug 26 at 5:00 p.m. Be sure to join us for a fun time in the L.V. Picnic area.

If you are not a member of Dance Workshop but enjoy dancing or would

### Beginners Bridge Class

Dan Wagner and Lou Dektor will be co-instructors for a beginners Bridge class starting Nov 30, 7:00 p.m. in the Garden Room.

Registration for the Wednesday classes will take place Tues Sept. 6 and 13 from 10:00 to noon in the New Room. There is a one-time registration fee of \$5.00 for materials.

Class will be limited. You may register as an individual, or bring a partner.

Please call 484-1242 or 987-3060 for further information.

like to learn, we invite you to join us every Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. in the AR and dance for joy and good health.

On Sept. 23, we are going to sponsor the "Ballet Folklorico Regional" featuring professional young dancers in authentic costumes. This is a troupe of



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By Marguerite  
Abdelnour

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Dance 8:00-11:00 p.m. AR Refreshments provided. Admission 50¢.

Join us for an evening of dancing and good fellowship.

35 dancers, age range from preteen to 27. Tickets will be available beginning Aug 29 at the ticket window in the Recreation Center. Admission is \$2.50 and the performance will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the AR.

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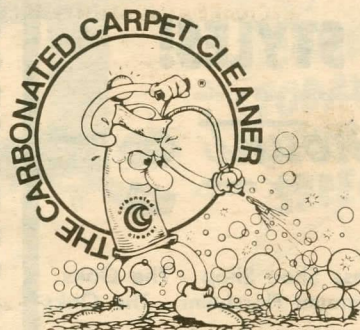
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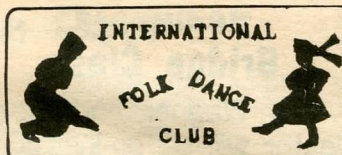
The LV Love Round Dance Club is completing its second year. The dances are programmed to an easy level of dancing. It is evident that this form of dancing is becoming very popular.

We dance every Sunday in the AR from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Our cuer is Larry Warner, who has shown a special interest in teaching us to round dance properly. We are learning the round of the month and favorite classics.

All round dancers are welcome to join.

A new beginner's class will be starting Sept 18, on Sundays from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

For further information, call either Bernie Zwiebel, 987-2853 or Mary Kovach, 484-9928.



By Florence Friedman

Success of our Folk Dance Club is due to Villagers who love to dance and attend faithfully.

We had a picnic Aug 25, in the picnic area. Members, spouses, and friends were all invited and after the picnic, everyone went to the AR for a pleasant evening of dancing.

Regular schedule: dance time Mon 1:00 to 3:00 p.m., teaching and dancing. Wed 9:00 to 10:30 a.m., review and new dances. Fri 9:00 to 10:30 a.m., continuous dancing.



INDOOR  
OUTDOOR  
GARDEN  
CLUB

By Madelyn McKean

Ninety members and guests enjoyed the annual LV Garden Club's summer picnic on Aug 11 at the picnic area behind the Rec center. Beautiful weather combined with Frank Umbro's accordion serenading and delicious food made for a memorable afternoon. Members of the committee for the occasion were Ilene Evans, Jeanette Krasner, and Ginny Leffingwell, who did a great job and are thanked by the Garden Club officers and all the happy picnickers. Special thanks to Ed Evans for his manly assistance.

At the regular meeting on Sept 8, Dana Aberchrombe will speak about "Modern Seed Culture." She is the Public Relations Officer for Petoseed Co., which has its international headquarters in Ventura. Their specialty is researching and producing seeds with better rates of germination culminating in better plants. All Villagers are welcome in the MPR at 9:30 a.m.

## High 12 Club

By Gabriel Barkeley

High Twelve Club will help all Village residents who would like to display our country's flag on national holidays but have no way to install the hardware that is necessary. All that is needed is for a resident to purchase the holding bracket and flag and then call our Club's president, Walter Bell, at 484-1891 or vice president Churchill Campbell, at 987-2161 and either one will make arrangements to have your bracket installed in a place to your liking. The more flags displayed in L.V. on holidays the more it symbolizes the fervent patriotism that we Villagers have for our beloved country.

Our Sept. 19 meeting at 10:00 a.m. in the AR will feature Myron Fedak of Exxon. He will speak to us on the installation of oil platforms in the Santa Barbara Channel and their supporting shore facilities.

**ESO..... From Pg. 1** tant tasks will be assisting with food distribution and aiding the distraught and confused. During the DPX many of these activities will be simulated (hopefully there will be no injured or hungry!). The purpose of the exercise is to show that these various functions of the ESO are operational and discover where additional planning and resources may be required.

It is essential that Villagers do as much as possible to prepare themselves for disaster-type events.

In the meantime, preparation of a facility for storage of emergency medical supplies in the Village is proceeding. A storeroom has been obtained and is being insulated and fitted with shelves to accommodate the supplies. Money for this activity is being drawn from the fund raised by the Your Neighbors Care Group a few months ago.

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# **The Inept Gardener:**

## **My Pine Tree**

By Betty Murray

This is a story where my gardening skill is irrelevant. The outcome probably was not affected in the least by my amateur ministrations. Anyway, when we first moved to L.V., all landscaping was brand new, and we waited anxiously for our grass and trees to be planted. At last, six small pine trees were planted between our house and the street, curving nicely around the corner. Good start. But the gardeners were so busy assuring us of our eventual park-like setting that they had no time for follow-up treatment of those tiny trees. One poor thing, right behind our patio was so weak that the wind blew it over so the top was just about down on the ground. I couldn't stand its predicament, so I gently bent it upright and tied it to a makeshift stake. From then on, that

was my tree, and I watched it tenderly. A few months later, the landscape people gave it a proper pole to keep it straight, but I watched it and surreptitiously clipped straggly stems so "my tree" would be symmetrical and lovely. I shouldn't have worried. The tree grew beautifully. In two years, it was giving us shade, and the combination of all six trees began to look like a pine forest. That was nice.

It is now twelve years since I worried about that twig in the ground. It has thrived. Now we have to rake pine needles out of the flower beds, out of the rain spout and off the roof. The roots have spread along the ground so that the lawn mowers have a real maze to run to avoid being tripped up. The tree people have cut off the lowest branches several times so the mowers could function, and our forest has reached such proportions that my roses are shaded — not

nice.

Last week on a warm, balmy day, with no excuse at all, one of the huge horizontal branches of my tree crashed down. There was no wind, it broke just because of the weight of the limb. That shows what a glutton it has been — plant food, water, tender thoughts towards its well being — it has grown too big for its trunk. I gave it my best sentiments, but now, sad to admit, I wouldn't be sorry to see it replaced with a less messy cousin.

### **HELPING ..... From Pg. 4**

from Leisure Village! She was also pleased to note that five couples (both men and wives) are working in the hospital, and four members of the Board live in the Village.

Quoting enthusiastic Galena White again, "I am so grateful for a three or four hour shift these people in L.V. give us. Because their lives are so busy, their support and input are invaluable.

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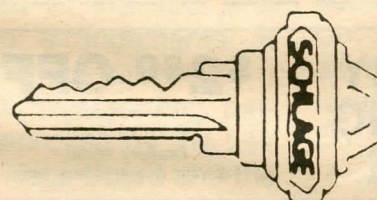
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By Jeanne Carlson  
Women's Club's August meeting may have seemed to be laid-back on the surface but in reality it was a seething inferno of activity. Why? Because the annual big bash, the Bazaar, is Oct 15, and things have to be ready.

President Kay LaPrelle emphasized this and revealed plenty of progress. Workshop has turned on the steam and already has many attractive hand-made items on hand. (More are on the way.) Bazaar tickets for the opportunity drawing are on sale - See Doris LaPrelle. Prizes will be 1) \$300 cash; 2) \$100 cash; 3) hand-made afghan; 4) toaster-oven; 5) dinner for two at Ellington's Restaurant. Get your tickets now — better than the lottery!

Plans for later are being outlined as well. The

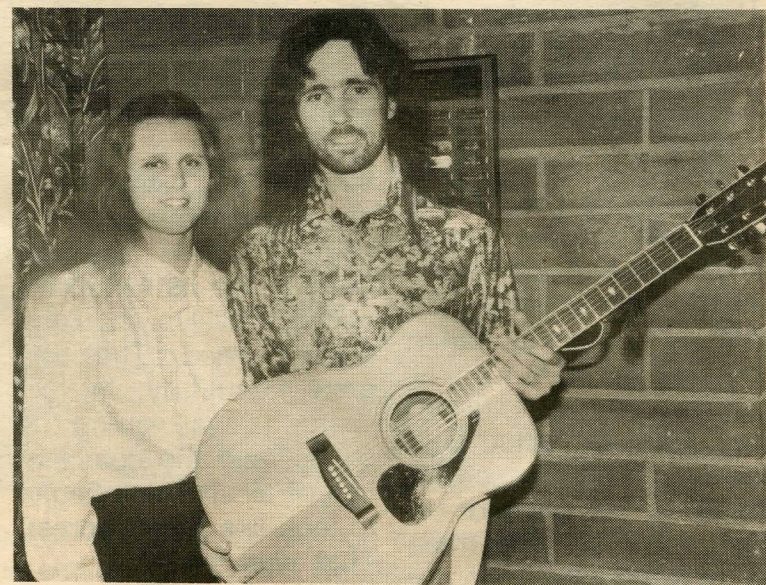


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Bill and Jane Lowe, Folk Singers

nominations committee, Bea O'Brien, Piff DeSimone, Beverly Peck, Vi Healey, and Jeanne Carlson, is on the prowl. A slate of nominees must be presented in November with the actual election in December.

Program chair, Sandy Linka, had planned an excellent program for the day. Folk-singing duo, Bill and Joan Lowe, performed a number of nostalgic songs plus some of their own compositions. They handled their own accompaniment on piano and guitar. This young couple met in the Moorpark College Concert Choir and have continued a double career in Camarillo. They presently sing with the Methodist Masterworks Chorale and the Camarillo Methodist choir. Everyone enjoyed the mini-concert.

For the September meeting, the last blast of summer Sandy with the help of her daughter, has arranged for a children's dance group from Ventura to entertain. Some of the dancers are very young indeed and much fun. Sandy's description is that the group is really the Happy Hoofers at ten years of age.

Let's all spend the next six weeks on the big push! Raid your neighborhood for Trading Post items, sell and buy tickets, don't forget to plan for the Bake Sale, volunteer, talk it up, and think Bazaar!

## Trading Post

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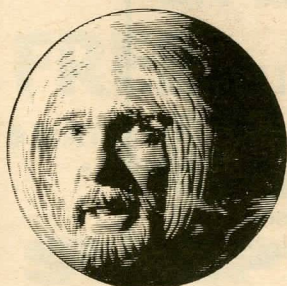
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## Working together can make a better world

By Sol Robin

The major issues that concerned citizens face today frequently appear so formidable that we question whether the puny influence each of us exerts can ever help bring about a more just and equitable society.

The teachings of the Judeo-Christian faiths from the time of the Patriarchs and the Prophets to our present day stress the uniqueness of every human being. It is a concept that we apply to our relationship with people everywhere, regardless of race or creed.

But it is relevant, too, to the way we view ourselves as individuals. The expression of our own personal uniqueness lies in the conviction that each one of us is important, that we do make a difference to the world and to the people we encounter

along life's journey.

Perhaps the most serious sign of a decline in the quality of our national life is the growing feeling that the individual no longer can make an impact. The assumption that "I don't count" or that "I can't influence decisions of policy makers" is the most frightening indictment of society or of the particular institutions in which the individual is involved.

The worst disaster that can befall an individual is to accept the notion that his efforts do not really count. It may be true that each one of us has only a small area over which he can exercise control, but history is the result of how these small areas of decision and action add up.

Bertrand Russell, one of the great philosophers of our time, warned against the feeling of personal impotence. His words are worth underscoring when bigness threatens to extinguish individual dignity.

"I find many people nowadays oppressed with a sense of impotence, with the feeling that in the vastness of modern societies, there is nothing of importance that the individual can do. This is a mistake. The individual, if he is filled with love of mankind, with breadth of vision, with courage and endurance, can do a great deal."

It would be worthwhile to remember the words of Edmund Burke who said, "The only thing necessary for the triumph of evil is for people of good will to do nothing." That is why it is so important for each of us to examine the important issues that are at stake in the upcoming Presidential election and make an informed choice that will determine the shape of things to come in the next 20 years.

In our age of self-indulgence where the emphasis is always on material values, the yardstick of success is always determined by the size of one's bank account or the market value of one's home. A more ethical measure of success should be determined by what an individual has done in service to the community. What has a person done to help wipe away the tears of those in pain? What has an individual done to help lighten the burden of those who have found the going through life so difficult?

This should be the true and humanitarian measure of success. Perhaps this would be a better society if people were willing to get involved in their community and give a little of their time and, if possible, their resources to help build a better and more decent world, free from the ugliness, poverty and suffering we see all around us.

The word "our" is not usually considered appropriate in journalistic writing. "Club meets, etc.," is preferable.

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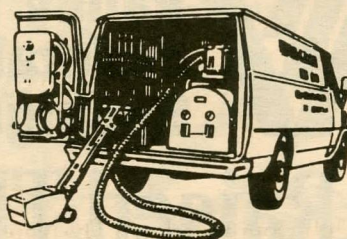
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The first envelope is a classified ad. It is a perfectly proper ad from a "single lady, non-smoker, excellent references" who wants to rent a furnished unit in L.V. starting in--3 weeks!

Well, the ad should have gone in last month's paper, but was too late. (I know that the coordinator checked the ILV box for a whole week after the deadline.) There is no name, no address, no local person to call, and only a long distance telephone number given.

What to do! Next month's ILV will do her absolutely no good. I can't return the dollar, which I would, even though it would cost 25¢, because there is no address. We don't have an allowance for long distance telephone calls in our volunteer capacities.

If anyone in the Village recognizes the number (818) 991-6249, you can let us know, and we'll return the money to the would-be resident, if she can be located.

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I think this outburst just cost that "single lady" her dollar.

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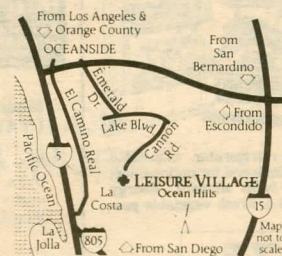
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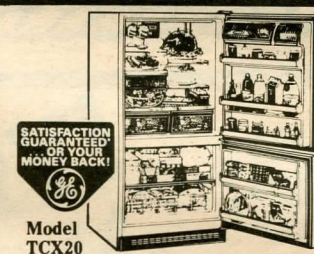
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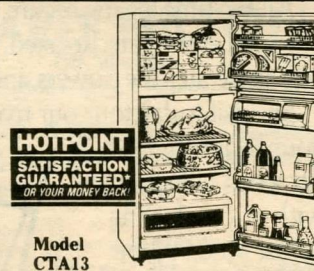


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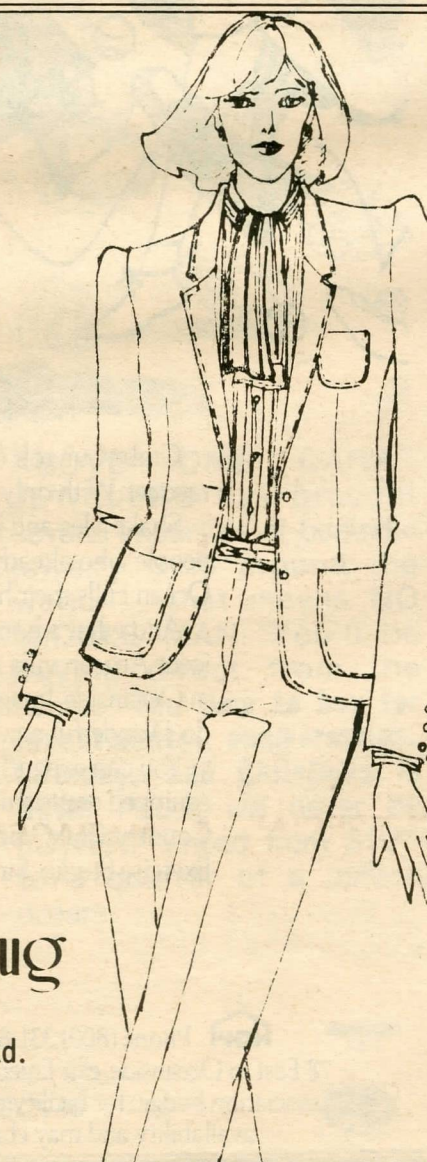
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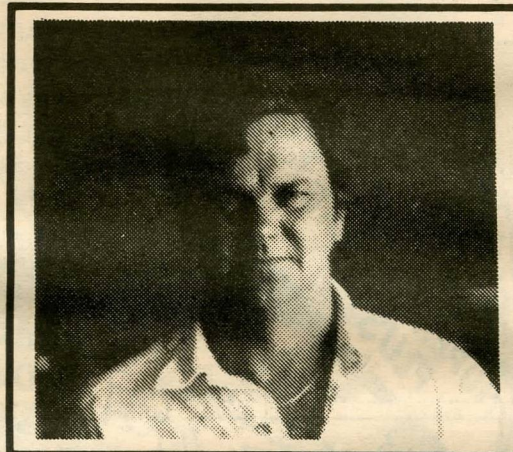
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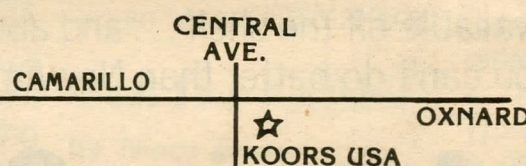
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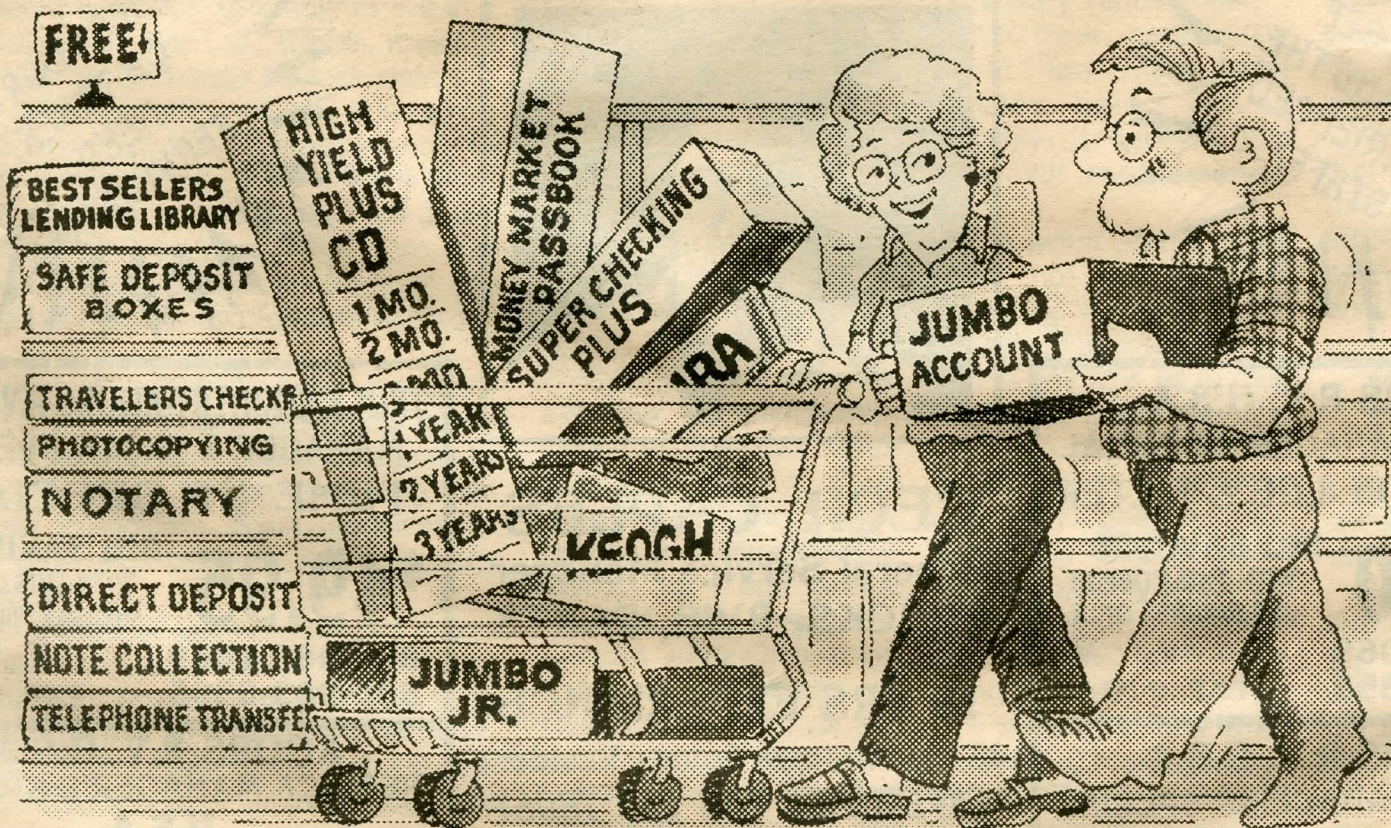
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