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Presidential Ponderings



Gee whiz, here it is March already. February's meeting speaker, Jennie Hill, put on a great program, and even sang a couple of songs for us. Now I'll have to admit that's a first for our group since I've been a member. Oh, yes, the program was also very informative.



Jennie Hill

As usual, we had a great turnout for the Topaz Lodge buffet, and rightly so. The food and the service were excellent as usual. Reservations came in in a very timely manner. The earlybird drawing was won by Doris Turkington.

I've visited Doris a couple of times recently, and she is obviously doing quite well. I predict that she will be at our March meeting to take advantage of winning the free dinner. If not, we will give her a rain-check. We had lots of you good members bring prizes for the Pot O' Gold, so we had a lot of happy winners. Keep up the good work. I hope to see you all at the March meeting.

Fred

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From The Vice-President



We had a good turn-out for the February meeting at Topaz Lodge. The program by Jennie Hill was really informative and entertaining.

Our March 15 meeting is scheduled at Carson Valley Inn. We will enjoy the Chef's Choice Buffet at a cost of \$18 per person.

A big THANK YOU to all of you who have been phoning in your attendance intentions a week in advance of our meetings.

As usual ---- Attitude Adjustment at 6 pm with dinner to follow at 7 pm. We look forward to seeing all of you there to hear a program by John Louritt.

Future meeting arrangements have been made as follows: (especially for those who plan ahea d)

April 19 -----Pinon Plaza May 17-----Topaz Lodge June 21-----Carson Nugget July? -----Aspen Park (picnic) August 16-----Carson Valley Inn

Clay

Do You Know Te?

See Editor's Space on P. 3 If you're stumped.



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From the Secy/Treas.

First, a word about our dinner meeting prices. At the last Board of Directors meeting, we discussed this issue at length. We discussed the restaurants at which we regularly hold dinner meetings: the Carson Valley Inn, Topaz Lodge, Pinon Plaza and the Carson City Nugget. Those four currently charge us so that we can keep the costs to members at \$19 or less. We were told that the Carson Valley Inn has a new Food & Beverage manager, and that their prices may go up. Also, that frequently, most banquet restaurants tend to confer with each other - if one goes up, others can be expected to follow suit. We will continue to seek out the best meals at the lowest prices. The Board policy in setting prices for our members is this: we take the actual cost of the meals including tax and tip, and round up to the nearest whole dollar. This allows us to comp the guest speaker(s) without going in the hole. As an example, the last dinner at the Topaz Lodge cost us \$13.75 each; we charged our members \$14.

The "Pot of Gold" program is used rather extensively throughout all of the Footprint Association chapters as a fund raiser. In our chapter, we ask members to bring a little something for the drawing. We sell tickets at 6 for \$5; the drawing is held toward the end of the business meeting after dinner. The Pot of Gold, in our chapter, has traditionally been conducted by our Sergeant-at-Arms; probably because of the likelihood of unruly behavior when the prizes are delivered to the winners.....just kidding!!

Remember, the Nominations Committee has been named and will be working toward preparing a slate of officers and directors for your consideration for the next Footprinter year (7/1/01-6/30/02). Dick Upton is the chair of this committee; bring your ideas to Dick.

This coming June, our chapter will celebrate its 10th anniversary. The Board discussed having some kind of special celebration during the June meeting. Anyone with ideas, or who would like to chair or be on a committee to put this event together, should contact our president, Fred Hersey.

Our chapter is healthy, vibrant, solvent and growing, thanks to the participation and interest displayed by its members. Keep up the good work.

Ray

Scofflaw of the month ... Danny Dumpitout Maybe you thought folks don't throw trash out their car windows anymore, but there's plenty of *Dannys* out there. Ever been on a highway cleanup crew? They'll tell you littering is still alive and kicking. Please be part of the solution and not part of the problem!



The Editor's Space

First, the fine folks in page one's DYKU photo are Larry & Zola Parrish. They were inducted into the IFA at the January meeting. If you haven't met them yet be sure to say "Hello" the next time you see them.

I can't imagine anyone in our IFA Chapter who wouldn't find the DCSO's Senior Law Academy a worthwhile use of their time. Again this year, starting on Tues. Mar. 27, ten sessions will be offered during afternoons at the DCSO offices. These classes are limited to 50 persons (over age 50) so don't miss out! Call 782-9902 weekdays to register. This is a great chance to meet more of the fine public safety staff we have in this county.

Paul

Fear not that your life shall come to an end, but rather fear that it never has a beginning. Cardinal Newman



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IFA History, Chapter 8

We pick up the action in 1968 with more new chapters being formed. In December 1968, Chapter 46 was installed in Beatrice, Nebraska. Known as the "First Homestead Chapter," there were 65 charter members with another 32 members joining soon thereafter. Grand President Joseph Forman conducted the installation.

As of April 1969, the following were the active chapters at that time:

April 196	9, the following were the ac	tive chapters at th	nat time:
#1	San Francisco	#24	Provo
#2	Los Angeles	#26	Olympia
#3	Salt Lake City	#27	Ogden
#4	Sacramento	#29	Aberdeen
#5	Phoenix	#31	Ventura
#6	Shasta-Cascade	#34	Spokane
#7	Oakland	#35	Peninsula
#8	Bakersfield	#37	Colorado Springs
#9	Las Vegas	#38	Yakima
#11	Fresno	#40	Omaha
#13	Reno	#41	Canon City
#15	North Bay	#42	Council Bluffs
#17	Seattle	#43	Skyline
#19	Portland	#44	Capitol City
#20	Denver	#45	Fremont
#22	Pueblo	#46	Beatrice



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problems.

In November 1971, Orange County Chapter 47 was installed in Anaheim, California by Jr. Past Grand President Elvin Sheehy. There were 50 charter members.

In January 1972, Pomona Chapter 48, known as the "Inland Empire Chapter," was installed by Grand President Vern Brook. There were 38 charter members. Also in January 1972, Kearney, Nebraska Chapter 49 was installed by Grand President Vern Brook with 53 names listed on the charter. Chapter 50 was held open for the Hawaiian Islands, which was then in the process of starting a chapter. In March 1972, Bellview, Nebraska Chapter 51 was installed, also by Grand President Vern Brook, with 52 charter members. Also in March 1972, Fort Collins, Colorado Chapter 52 was installed by Grand President Vern Brook, with 41 charter members. In April 1972, San Diego County Chapter 53 was installed by Grand President Vern Brook with 51 charter members. In May 1972, Bellingham, Washington Chapter 54 was installed by Grand President Vern Brook.

In the five month period from January through May in 1972, Grand President Vern Brook installed 6 new chapters.

In April 1973, Tri-Cities Chapter 55 (Pasco, Richland and Kennewick, WA) was installed by Grand President John McAtee, with 41 charter members. In May 1973, Norfolk, Nebraska Chapter 56 was installed by Grand President John McAtee, with 25 charter members. In June 1973, Honolulu Chapter 50 was installed by Grand President John McAtee.

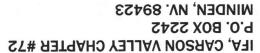
The next new chapter was in November 1974, with the installation of Lower Puget Sound Chapter 57 in Olympia, Washington.

To be continued......

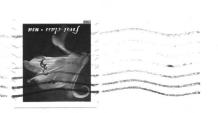


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1992-93 Doug Tucker

1993-94 Eston "Red" Baker

1994-95 Bill Shay

1995-96 Ray Hoyt

1996-97 Lon A. Curtis

1997-98 Elza Turkington

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1999-00 Rodney Snead

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