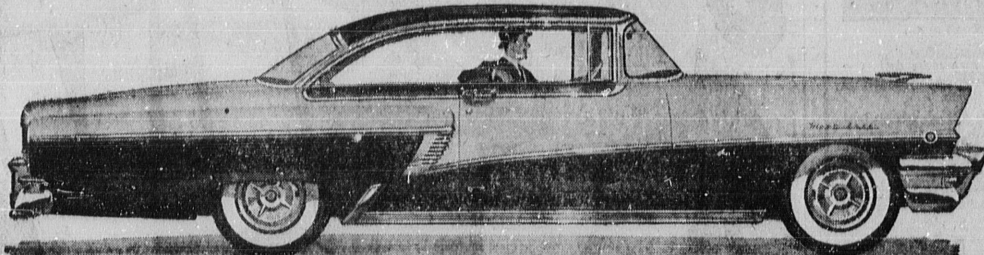


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ROUND THE RIVIERA

## Rivierans Respond to Annual Sportsmen's Fete at El Retiro

What is so rare as a Sunday in September, especially if it's the Sunday of the Sportsmen's Annual Barbecue as it was this past week end. Rare was the day, rare were the prime cuts of beef and rare was the conviviality that flowed over the tables as some 500 Rivierans gathered at El Retiro park for the occasion.

Highlight of the afternoon, of course, was the fine barbecued choice cuts of boned prime ribs, cut in generous portions and served up with corn on the cob, salad and beans. Ice cream and milk, or coffee, topped it off. Special Sportsmen's Club barbecue sauce peaked the taste of the barbecued meat to perfection.

The dinner, served from noon till 5 p.m., saw families and groups come and go in a continuous flow as members of the Sportsmen's organization served up hundreds of pounds of beef.

Games were aplenty for the youngsters and booths featuring games of skill called for attention. And best of all, the profits are plowed right back into Hollywood Riviera as the Sportsman use the money to support the various Scout organizations and to stage the annual Halloween and Christmas parties for the youngsters.

Sources of great interest were the door prizes given out through the afternoon, most of which were won by local residents. Among the winners were Ernie Russell, 218 Calle de Madrid; Eugene Piper, 205 Paseo de Granada; Robert Klingler, 422 Camino del Campo; Fay Anastasiou, 211 Paseo de Granada; Alice Kucknel, 517 Via la Selva; Ora Haney, 2025 W. Compton Gardens; Cathy Veneris, 482 Via la Selva; Don Grover, 151 Camino de las Colinas; Mrs. Stanley Perry, 146 Paseo de Gracia; Frank Morris, 115 Monte de Oro; R. B. Anderson, 133 Vista del Parque; and Mrs. Joe Carso, 826 Cranbrook.

What might well be called a mass welcome party for new neighbors was given Sept. 15 at the home of Mrs. Al G. Koester, 115 Via la Circula, with Mrs. Pat Murphy, Theo Lane and Mrs. Koester acting as co-hostesses.

The welcoming party featured dessert and coffee as four new Riviera families met with their hostesses and each other. First new family was that of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bishop, who, together with their three children, have moved into their new home at 224 Via Linda Vista. The three Bishop children are Barbara, 12; Steve, 6; and Larry, 5 months. Bishop is a chemist with Shell Chemical. They formerly lived in Berkeley.

Second new batch of Rivierans are Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bayer and family who have recently moved into 311 Camino del Campo. He is with Ramo Woodbridge Corp. and they are formerly of Washington, D. C.

Then there's Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Huffman, who, with children, Paul, 10, and Garry, 8, recently moved into their new home at 208 Paseo de las Delicias. They are from Southgate.

Fourth new neighbors feted were Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Cochran and family, formerly of Ingwood. The are at home at 234 Via Linda Vista. Their son, John, 18, is a sophomore at UCLA. Mr. Cochran is chairman of the commerce department

at Morningside High School.

What started off as a gay day in the lives of the David Sokoloff's ended up as anything but. Dad and the children went to the Roller Rink last Thursday, to indulge in a little of the old time skating fun. They'd hardly settled into the good routine, when son George, 12, fell and fractured his right arm. Yes, it's in a cast and will be for some time to come. And that was the end of the good old time skating fun, for some time to come.

In its latest appearance before the public, the Las Vacinas Chorus group sang last Monday, before the Torrance Kiwanis club. Selections from musical comedies and light operas were highlighted. Mmes. Louis Regan, Charlton Newborn and George Creighton were featured with solos. Mrs. William Beckman acted as accompanist, in place of Mrs. Jack Pomeroy who is ill.

Directress of the choral group is Mrs. E. R. Harvey, 23044 Doris Way. Members of the chorus include Mmes. H. N. Horne, Jack Warner, Willard Wanke, Thomas Bissett, Louis Regan, George Creighton, Marion Phillips, Charlton Newborn, Ross Dorsett and Theo Linhart. The group has been singing together since the first of the year.

The group was formed originally to sing for the members at the regular monthly meetings of the woman's club. Since that time, they have been asked to sing at various service clubs, and for all ten of the tuberculosis wards at Harbor General Hospital.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Milburn, 404 Avenida de Jose, on Sept. 6 at Santa Monica Hospital was their second son, whom they have named Stephen Robert. Stephen weighed in at 4 lbs. 14 oz., and was promptly incubated until his weight came up to standard. After ten days in the incubator, he came home to join his older brother, Patrick Thomas, 2, at the Milburn home.

Interested in getting your daughter into the Brownie Scout movement? Then you'll be interested in this.

Tomorrow a meeting will be held for local mothers interested in the Brownie movement. The place is El Retiro park clubhouse and the time is from 10 to 2. Mrs. T. J. von Blankenburg, 700 Calle de Arboles, organization chairman for the Hollywood Riviera district, reports that the purpose of the meeting is to organize new Brownie troops in this area. All girls in the second and third grades of school are eligible.

Leadership training classes for the mothers will start in October. Mrs. von Blankenburg continued. As she put it "We can't have Brownie troops without Brownie leaders." Plan to attend the meeting tomorrow, and give some thought too, she urges, to the possibilities of taking the leadership course coming up.

Fourth annual benefit breakfast and Country Fair is fast approaching. This annual event of Las Vacinas is set this year for Oct. 18 from 7 a. m. till 2 p.m. at El Retiro Park. That's a Sunday morning and a great time for you mothers to have breakfast out. Donation is 50 cents and children under 6 are admitted free; what easier way to enjoy a big breakfast and a

## Civil Service Jobs Listed

Employment opportunities for Torrance residents were listed this week in several categories by the Civil Service Board.

Wednesday, Oct. 18, is the final day to apply for Civil Service Examinations to decide employment openings for bus operator, bus attendant, lubrication and tire man, painter and stenographer-clerk. Examination date for the positions has been set for Saturday, Oct. 29, in the City Hall.

Applications for examination will be accepted at the Civil Service Board Office in City Hall. Minimum requirements and other information pertaining to the jobs may be obtained also at the CSB Office.

## Palsy Exams Slated Here

Applications for physical examination appointments to determine eligibility for the new cerebral palsy school in Torrance will be received Saturday and Sunday at the Cerebral Palsy Center, 1217 Cravens Ave.

Applications will be taken from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday and from 12:30 to 5 p.m. on Sunday.

Dr. Nathan Kaplan, medical director, will determine from the physical examinations the individual needs and projected program of the new school. The school is scheduled to open in the new building soon.

Only children suffering from cerebral palsy will be allowed to enroll in the program. Registration will be limited, however.

## AREA COMPARED

The Belgian Congo is larger than the U.S., east of the Mississippi.

Chairmen of the various committees have long been appointed and have been working hard towards the success of the breakfast. They include: Mrs. Theo Linhart, ways and means; Mrs. Curtis Cool, booths; Mrs. James Cooley, white elephant sale; baked goods, Mrs. James Byrd; homecraft, Mrs. Robert Hoag. These booths are asking for items which you may wish to donate to sell at the Country Fair. Mrs. Cooley's phone is FR 5-1871, if you wish to donate a white elephant. For baked goods, call Mrs. James Byrd, TE 3-8420. For homecraft, jingle Mrs. Hoag at FR 5-418. You can either deliver your item to them or call them, and they will see that your item is picked up.

In charge of the penny pitch booth is Mrs. A. J. O'Keefe, while ticket chairman is Mrs. Thomas H. O'Malley. Personnel is under the chairmanship of Mrs. John Diehl while Mrs. Quinton Johnson is in charge of decorations. Jack Veltman, owner and manager of Cel. Frontier Market, will again run the Country store, and assist Las Vacinas as he has for the past several years. Husbands, too, have been asked to pitch in to make this affair the big success it always is. Proceeds go to the many worthwhile charities which Las Vacinas helps support.

A call to ex-servicewomen was put out last week by Mrs. William McNally. She's first Vice Commander of American Legion South Bay Women's post No. 892. Women in this area who are interested in joining are asked to contact her. Only requirement is that they are ex-Waves, Wacs, Waafs, Spars or Women Marines. You're all welcome and a call to her at

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