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Los Cancioneros Announce Tryouts

By MARY and JACK WEBB Frontier 5-3651
Los Cancioneros, award winning Riviera chorus, will hold tryouts tonight, Aug. 27, at the home of directress Barbara Mabin, 209 Via Colusa.

The mixed chorus opens its fifth season on Sept. 1, when their regular Tuesday evening rehearsals, held at the El Retiro park clubhouse, will be resumed at 8 p.m. Any potential singer who is unable to attend the tryouts tonight may be interviewed at this meeting. For more information concerning your place in Los Cancioneros, call Barbara Mabin at Frontier 5-3651.

We don't know if this is happening all over the county, but sure seems like a lot of babies are being born in Riviera these days. We've heard it suggested that Riviera be renamed "Progeny Hill." We're sure the suggestion must have been made in jest, but the idea is not without merit. Latest congratulations go to Mr. and Mrs. Walter McHugh, 848 Calle de Arbolon, on the birth of their first child, a daughter, born Aug. 15 at Centinela Hospital. They have named the 7-lb., 6-oz. arrival Pelelope Ann. The McHughs are new residents of Riviera, having moved here from Los Angeles a couple of months ago. Mister is a mechanical engineer at Hughes Aircraft. Mrs. McHugh's mother, Mrs. Anna Murufas, has been visiting them for the past few days.

Sandy Scott, 146 Calle de Andaluca, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Scott is entertaining a house guest these days. Said guest is Mrs. Frank Dempsey, the former Barbara Hagy, who resides now in Washington, D.C. Mrs. Dempsey, or Barbara, as her many former schoolmates at Torrance High remember her, plans a prolonged visit with the Scott family.

Just to show you what we meant a couple of items ago, another baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Connelly, 113 Via el Chico, on July 19. The baby, named Colleen Anne, weighed 8 lbs., 4 oz., when she arrived at the Queen of the Angels Hospital. She joins her older sister, Mary Jo, 1953. They have played their 5, to make the family a quartet, last game of the season, a christening party was held

Sept. 2 at St. James Church in Redondo Beach, with Msgr. Collins, pastor, officiating. Open house was held afterwards at the Connelly home.

Mrs. Louis Regan, 268 Vista del Parque, has been appointed publicly chairman for Las Vecinas. She reports that club members are busy setting plans for their annual benefit breakfast to be held Oct. 18 at El Retiro Park from 7 a.m. till 1 p.m. Las Vecinas members will be able to get their tickets at the regular September meeting, while friends and neighbors desiring to attend, can see any member of the club for free tickets. Jack Veltman, of Frontier Market, is busy helping them with their plans and arranging for necessary foodstuff. Old hands in Riviera will remember last fall's breakfast, which we all crammed ourselves with orange juice, hot cakes, bacon and coffee, all for a very paltry sum. And every bite tasted double-good 'cause we were helping Las Vecinas youth benefit while we helped ourselves.

If the first two birth notices didn't convince you, here's a third. Another first child, this time to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton L. Geiger, 300 Paseo de Gracia, arrived on July 8. He weighed 8 lbs., 4 oz. at birth, and the Geigers have named him Jimmy.

Those fun-loving Riviera explorers are out again on a big trip, this time to the High Sierras. They left last week and will be away until September 2. With 40 Explorers and Scout executives in the group, they will enter the wild country, working back into the wild country. They left home Aug. 22 by bus, going to Cedar Grove, where they started their packing in. They will hike and fish for ten days, working their way through high country till they come out at Independence. Riviera boys and men on the trip are John Holmes, 845 Paseo de Gracia; Philip Sutherland, 107 Calle de Andaluca; and Gerald Roppequet, 319 Calle de Andaluca. Scout executives from this area included Bill Bent and Grif Jones.

All hail our Little League of knock-out affair between the

Little League All-Stars and the Cards. The Cards walked off with the League pennant and the combined talents of the best of the other league teams. The All-Stars won with a comfortable 4-0, a score which belies the tightness of the game. With the score tied 0-0 all the way through the regular six frames, the game went into five extra innings before the Cards broke and let the All-Stars drive in the four winning runs.

Another birth: A boy, born Aug. 19 at Good Samaritan hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Warren B. Hays, 237 Via Alameda. The youngster weighed in at 8 lbs., 4 oz., and has been named Steven Howard. He and his mother came home last Monday, joining Warren and 2-year-old brother, Jeffrey.

Mrs. Hayes' mother, Mrs. Helen E. Harris, is visiting them and plans to stay for some time. It was reported. She is from Omaha, Neb. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hayes of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.

Our condolences are extended to the family of Mr. Clarence B. Jordan, who passed away last week at his home, 114 Vista del Mar. Cause of his death was reported as coronary thrombosis. He and his wife, Mona, recently completed a round-the-world trip. He was a real estate broker, connected with the Clyde Marsh Co.

Jordan is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Joanne MacLeod of Malibu and Barbara Geissler, 344 Calle de Andaluca. He was a Mason, Rotarian, and owner of the Jordan Pharmacy.

William H. Watt, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Watt, 668 Calle Miramar, was married recently to Miss Joyce Ann Carstensen at St. Peter's Pro-Cathedral in Helena, Mont. Mr. Watt is a graduate of Redondo High School, afterwards attended El Camino Junior College and Montana State University for two years. Having just completed two years' active duty with the Navy, it is his intention to return to the university to complete his studies. The newly married couple returned from their honeymoon and have spent the past few weeks with his parents here in Riviera. They plan to leave here today driving back to Montana, where he will enter school in the fall term.

The Sportsmen's barbecue, held last Sunday at El Retiro Park, was received by the citizenry with mixed emotions. Everyone seemed to have a great time visiting with neighbors and renewing acquaintanceships, but as the pot once said, "One cannot live on love alone." Most of the crowd tried hard enough, but many went away still hungry. Gourmets in the group acclaimed the tasty barbecued meat, which was indeed the best served at any Sportsman barbecue. Unfortunately, however, most Rivierans came for dinner rather than a snack. The menu was one ear of corn, some lettuce, one-half a bun with meat sliced atop. Plus coffee. On the children's ticket, half priced at 75 cents, the menu was halved. All very regulation, but our bet is that there was a lot of eggs scrambled up in frying pans around Riviera last Sunday evening. To a hungry man, as my old grandmother used to say, there is nothing like a big panful of scrambled eggs.

Of interest to all those who held tickets is the list of winners at the barbecue, namely, Mrs. R. L. Kaufman, 200 Via

Chamber Starts Work on Lights For Christmas

Organization of a committee to proceed with plans for the "best ever" Christmas street decorations this year was announced yesterday by Frank Dominguez Jr., who has been named to head up the operation again this year.

Dominguez said yesterday that "we'll try to get better decorations this year for the same amount of money." His statement was echoed by Chamber Secretary Dale Isenberg, who will assist Dominguez in the project.

Also slated for a top post in the street lighting organization is Lou Arbetter, president of the Retail Merchants Division of the local Chamber of Commerce.

Most residents agreed that last year's decorations were the best ever put up here, and Dominguez said he hoped to arrange even better decorations this year.

A committee to handle details of the project will be named this week, the chairman said.

Alameda, who won the clock radio; Helen Lindley, 319 Paseo de Gracia, who won the portable radio. Francis Curley, realtor with Pacific Coast, won the yellow "teddy" dog; and Virginia Robinson, 135 Paseo de Gracia, took the teddy bear home.

LAW IN ACTION

PRE-REQUISITES OF A CONTRACT

Did you ever think what a part contracts play in your life? Even a bus ticket involves a contract. Your computer's ticket states the "conditions" of the contract on the back. They refer you to tariff regulations.

The four pre-requisites of a contract are:

- (1) Parties who can make a contract.
- (2) Consent of the parties.
- (3) A lawful objective.
- (4) A sufficient "consideration."

Parties Who Can Make A Contract

In the main, with certain exceptions, any person can make a contract. For minors, persons of unsound mind, criminals or the like, the law makes special provisions.

Consent of The Parties

You have "consent" when one party makes a concrete offer, and the other accepts it unconditionally.

Confusion may arise when the parties do business by letter. Suppose you write me, offering your car on given terms. I accept by letter, addressing the envelope properly, and mailing it.

The contract has been made, even though the letter goes astray. Because you made the offer by mail you know that I might accept it by mail. It was your duty to check and see if I had accepted if you did not get my letter.



Suppose you want to take back your offer? If you mail your revocation before I accept, there is no consent and no contract. But if I mail my acceptance first, we have mutual consent and a contract.

You cannot, of course, take back your offer where I pay you for an option for a certain time.

We cannot make valid contracts which have an illegal purpose. If what is paid as consideration is illegal the contract is void. Examples: Contracts cannot specify a higher than legal rate of interest, cannot be made in restraint of trade, involve unfair trade practices, deal with betting, or aim to defraud.

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