



ELECTIVE OFFICERS—New leaders of the Torrance chapter Order of DeMolay are (left to right) Milton Sargent, senior counselor; Robert Pulliam, master counselor and Charles Meyers Jr., junior counselor.

What Is An American?

He yells for the government to balance the budget and then takes the last dime he has to make the down payment on his car.

He whips the enemy nations and then gives 'em the shirt off his back.

He yells for speed laws that will stop fast driving, and then won't buy a car if it won't make 100 miles an hour.

An American gets scared to death if we vote a billion dollars for education—but he's cool as a cucumber when he finds out we're spending three billion dollars a year for smoking tobacco.

He gripes about the high prices of the things he has to buy but gripes still more about low prices of things he has to sell.

He knows the line-up of every baseball team in the American and National Leagues—and doesn't know half the words in "The Star Spangled Banner."

An American will get mad at his wife for not running their home with the efficiency of a hotel, and then he'll get mad at the hotel for not operating like a home.

He'll spend half a day looking for vitamin pills to make him live longer—then drive 90 miles an hour on slick pavement to make up for the time he lost.

An American is a man who will fall out with his wife over her cooking and then go on a fishing trip and swallow half-fried potatoes, burnt fish, and gritty creek water coffee made in a rusty gallon bucket—and think it is good.

An American will work hard on a farm so he can move into town where he can make more money so he can move back to the farm.

When an American is in his office he talks about baseball, football or fishing—when he is out at the games or on the creek bank, he talks about business.

He is the only fellow in the world who will pay 50 cents to park his car while he eats a 25-cent sandwich.

An American likes to cuss his government, gets fighting mad if a foreigner does it.

We're the country that has more food to eat than any other country in the world and more diets to keep us from eating it.

We're the most ambitious people on earth, and we run from morning until night trying to keep our earning power up with our yearning power.

We're supposed to be the most civilized, Christian nation on earth, but still can't deliver payrolls without an armored car.

In America we have more experts on marriage than any other country in the world—and more divorcees.

But we're still pretty nice folks. Calling a person "a real American" is the best compliment we can pay him. Most of the world is itching for what we have—but they'll never have it until they start scratching for it the way we did.

—Needham (Mass.) Chronicle

Four Drivers Favored in Today's Meet

Four drivers are favored to take top honors in today's Mother's Day Sweepstakes Hot Rod and Stock Car races at Western Speedway where two full racing programs will be presented in this double-header event.

Heading the stock car field will be Jim Cook, Norwalk; and "Wild" Bill Foster, San Fernando, Wayne Page, Colton and Ed Van Eyk, Bellflower lead a field of fifty entries for the Hot Rod races. Cook, winner of the last stock car race at the Western Ave. speedway will gun a Dodge in the days 30 lap feature. Foster, winner of four big main events this year and present point leader, guns his shiny Olds in the 9 event racing program.

In the speedy Hot Rod division, Page, winner of the last race at the stadium and second place finisher in 1960 points will be out to repeat. Can Eyk, 1959 champion, finished runner up in the last race, and could well slip into the winners circle. One driver could sweep honors in both events as he has entered each. Jack Austin, Downey will pilot an Oldsmobile in the Stock Car race, and then come back in a Ford powered racer for the Hot Rod feature. Austin has won three main events already this year in Hot Rods.

With some 150 drivers entered, other favorites include: Marvin Henis, Sylmar; Arley Scramton, Compton; "Irish" Jack Kelly, Long Beach; John Tuener, Santa Ana; Gabby Garrison, Long Beach; Jim Rosseler, San Bernardino; Cliff Fagot, Torrance; Chuck Townsend, Gardena; Dave Hubert, Huntington Park; Bill St. James, Gardena; Audie Madison, Compton; Bob Forester, Compton; Dallas Harrison, Redondo Beach; Bob Simmons, South Gate; Conney Burdett, Glendale and Dick Rodgers, Burbank.

Western Speedway is located at 139th and S. Western Ave. in Gardena.

State Scholarships Given 6 South High Senior Students

Six South High seniors have been selected to receive California State Scholarships. They are Erik J. Bochove, Warren D. Cross, Donald E. Hickman, Judith E. Tate, John B. Dowling and Donald L. Hickey.

These students were selected from some 14,000 applicants. All the scholars that were selected to receive the awards are in the top 8 percent of college aptitude.

There were approximately 1500 awards available not to exceed \$900. This will be awarded according to need, and will not exceed the tuition and fees of the college the student chooses.

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