

Talk of the Times

By MARY JANE CLINTON



FLING FESTIVITIES . . . races — both horse and bicycle — the Friday fare for a number of Peninsula residents this weekend who were at Bay Meadows for the San Mateo County Junior Museum auxiliary's Filly's Fling . . . although a large number of ticket holders arrived in late afternoon to take in the last few races before the auxiliary's post-race party and "Charity Chase," some hardy souls came for lunch and stayed the day . . . among them, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Z. Smith — Florence covering her suit with a sweeping fox stole and adding a fox hat . . . the equine influence seen in the shirts worn by several of the party planners, including Mrs. Marshall Weigel and Mrs. Malcolm McCarthy, co-chairmen, and Mrs. Harry Camp Jr., who was working on publicity . . . Mrs. Daniel Chadbourne getting an autograph from actor Vince "Ben Casey" Edwards for her daughter . . . large group taking in the races from upstairs . . . the Lachin McKinnons with Mr. and Mrs. James Torney Jr. . . . the Ralph Jacksons and the Fred Scribners sharing a box . . . Mrs. Charles Rosebrook in red boots with matching gloves . . . Peg Lindsell and Mary Reeves circulating . . . the Gilbert Rollis, seated in a group with Virginia Davis, Jackie Moran, Ruth Scammon, and Bob Seese . . . Don Davis and John Moran joining their wives at the close of the afternoon . . . the A. J. Cafferatas and the Robert Barretts seated together . . . the Richard Deliantonis and the Don Tatenians in conversation . . . Mrs. Vincent DeDomenico, who had had a successful afternoon at the track, selling tickets to the "Tenth Race," a tandem bicycle contest between 10 teams representing San Francisco and Peninsula charity organizations . . . some teams kept a secret until the last minute . . . the Junior Museum's toroise-hare combination circulating through the room in costume, causing speculation on their identity (Peter Wanger the turtle and Thomas Rapp the rabbit) . . . the Peninsula league's mystery combination — hidden behind handlebar mustaches — revealed as John Kaster and Bob Roat . . . Mrs. Stanton Scheimo (in red suit with black fox collar) waiting for the Peninsula Children's Theater entry — Jim Lange and Lon Simmons — to arrive . . . young Cliff Hoffman and Gary Hatch first across the finish line for the Stanford Convalescent home auxiliary . . . Jane and George Fields (she is auxiliary president) congratulating the boys . . . the Robert MacDonalds and the Hugh Conways together . . . Jean and Jeffrey Winters at the hors d'oeuvre table . . . Mrs. Henri Haber, in aqua, relaxing after her ticket selling stint . . . the David Nicholades, the George Philipotts, the William Gilmartins, the Lester Empeys, and the Wesley Glassons among partygoers . . . Jean (Mrs. Frank) Lynn in a high mink hat . . . Rita Behling selling tickets for the tenth race . . . Mrs. James Howell in conversation with Dr. Carlisle Kraemer . . .

TRAVEL LOG . . . Mexico City, Oaxaca, Taxco, and Puerto Vallarta the destinations of a group of Peninsula residents who leave for South of the Border on Thursday . . . the travelers include Mr. and Mrs. Fred DeLuechi Jr. of Hillsborough (who will be combining business with pleasure) the Charles Van Linges, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Spaeth, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Shipacarr . . . while in Mexico City, they will be honored at a reception given by Henry Sutcliff, who attended Stanford with the men . . . and as they have done the past two years, the group will headquarter at the beach home of Mrs. Van Linge's parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Sigurd Varian . . . Mr. and Mrs. Richard Emerson of Portola Valley will join the travelers in Puerto Vallarta for swimming, fishing, and boating . . .

BIG GAME PLANS . . . Mr. and Mrs. John Talietti and the Eugene Harringtons are representing the Peninsula Golf and Country club hospitality committee at the nohost table at the club's post Big Game party on November 24 . . .



Mrs. Robert McCarthy (right) pours coffee for date for lieutenant governor, Mrs. McCarthy's Mrs. Leo Ryan (left) and Mrs. Glen Anderson at a coffee in honor of the wife of the candi-

**Frederick Church Table Set
Whitman With Varied Fare
Is Married**

At a quiet family ceremony yesterday at Whitman Oak Bar ranch in Siskiyou county, Frederick Crocker Whitman, San Francisco socialite, businessman and civic leader, was married to Mrs. Georgina Needham Poston. The bride-elect formerly lived in Menlo Park, but has made her home in Palm Springs since she was widowed. She has two children by the late Douglas R. Poston, who was killed in an automobile crash. The great-grandson of the late Charles Crocker, Whitman is the son of Jennie Crocker Henderson of Hillsborough and of the late Malcolm D. Whitman. He was divorced in 1955 from the former Cynthia Vansittart, daughter of the British political figure and author Lord Vansittart. She is now Mrs. Edward Mackay. The couple will be at home at Whitman's San Francisco residence after December 1.

Rummage Pickups Planned

Ninety-seven local women have joined forces to present another Latter Day Saints' rummage sale, dated this year for November 15 and 16 at the church, Thirty-seventh avenue and Alameda de las Pulgas, San Mateo. Cora Burmester is director of the sale, and Georgia Hardesty and Marcelle Ashby are assisting. Mildred Kennel is supervising, and the following women are heading departments: Marge Shankey and Wilma Eustice, women's wear; Nita Cavanaugh, men's suits; Adella Roberts and Jean Kristjansen, men's shirts; Evelyn Nielson, lingerie; Frances Sanford, boys' wear; Laura Player and Myra Linehan, teenage girls; Lucille Goates and Ann Blotta, infants; Hulda Nielson, linens; Irene Sutherland, furniture; Roma Craft, household; Helen Reeves, toys; Joyce Passey, shoes; LaVon Pollet, jewelry, and Lois Sloker, records. Donations will be picked up or may be taken to the church any week day.

Lodge Has Planned a Dip Dinner
 A "Dine a Dip Dinner" has been planned by the Burlingame Rebekah Lodge at the Odd Fellows hall, 1120 Burlingame avenue at 6 p.m. on Friday. Mabel Engel is the chairman. A carnival, chairmanned by Mrs. Ethel Tuck, will follow the dinner. Mrs. C. F. O'Donnell and Mrs. Fay E. Hanson will have charge of games and a whist party, beginning at 8:30 p.m. Prizes will be awarded.

Frederick Church Table Set With Varied Fare
 A "Candlelight Continental Dinner," featuring a buffet salad table and choice of three menus with desserts will be served on Friday at the First Methodist Church of Burlingame in Leof-bourrow Hall, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. John Rose of Burlingame, who has appeared on television for General Electric and produced original plays with his own company in New York, has staged "A Night in New York." His wife Peggy, will do a scene from Maxwell Anderson's, "Winter-set." The Roses were active with the Shakespeare Festival in Central Park, N.Y. and in Hollywood with the Presbyterian Drama presentations. Les William will present a program of tap dance and soft shoe; Earl Jones will sing and play the piano; Peter Navard will play Mozart; Charlotte Reffem will sing a Jerome Kern medley and Alex Master will perform a skit. The public has been invited. Reservations can be obtained from the Church office, through members and circle leaders or by contacting the chairman Mrs. Paul Bayse. Continental decorations will be provided by Mrs. Charles Simmons. Other committee members are Mesdames William Mertz, ticket chairman; Milton Buxton, hostess; Joseph Spanier, posters and announcements; Jo Willis, caterer. Mrs. Gene Zimmerman is chairman of the Circle "A," Alpine Community Center Circle whose helpers are Mesdames M. G. Augustine, J. W. Collins, Ellis Dodson, Henry Gil, Rodger Miller, Niels Plough, Buel Proffitt, Kenneth Stroh, Lyman Webb, Phillip Smith and Joan Bayse. Mrs. Milton Kurzrok is in charge of publicity.

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