

# THE SAN FRANCISCO POLICE OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION

and

## S. F. POLICE CREDIT UNION

# NOTEBOOK

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### ANNUAL PUBLIC RECOGNITION AWARD ESTABLISHED

On May 21, 1963 the S. F. Police Officers Association established a Public Recognition Award.

It has been the general feeling throughout the department that some type of recognition should be presented to the public yearly for an outstanding contribution to the community in the field of law enforcement.

One or more awards may be presented, depending upon the merits of each case. For example: an award could be made for physical assistance to a police officer in the making of an arrest; information leading to the arrest of a suspect; physical capture of a suspect by an individual, or individuals. Also, thought was given to a junior award to be presented to a youth for any of the above reasons, or any other valid consideration.

A committee of five was selected, representing all ranks in the department.

**Jim Diggins, Chairman.....Patrolmen**  
**John Collins .....Inspectors**  
**Tom Dempsey ..... Sergeants**  
**Howard Frank .....Lieutenants**  
**Harry Nelson .....Captains**

On July 30, 1963 a meeting of Chief Cahill, and the committee was held. The Chief was in full accord with the establishment of such an award. He also was happy to see the S. F. Police Officers Association take a progressive step forward in the guiding of public thinking toward improved civic responsibility.

On, or about September 1, 1963 the Chief will issue a General Order requesting police officers to indicate public assistance by marking the lower right hand corner of their report "copy to P.R.A." (copy to public recognition award). It is sincerely requested that you make an extra effort to comply with this order so that deserving citizens may receive acknowledgment. As in the past, a letter from the Chief will

be sent to the people in all cases where assistance has been rendered.

The committee plans to have the Chief make the presentation of the awards on Police Memorial Day at the beginning of Police Week each year.

It is the feeling of the committee that this award is a step forward in an attempt to improve relations with the public.

### Association Dues Now Past Due

Under the existing rules of the Association those men who have not paid their 1963-64 dues are in arrears. This is important because the insurance requires that a man be a paid up member in order to come under the program. It is more important from the standpoint of not being a full member. The benefits accruing to membership in the Association are greater than ever before and it is incumbent upon each member not on pay roll deduction to see that he gets squared away.

Most of the men in the Association are on pay roll deduction and those who are not may contact their unit representative. Many of the units in the department are 100% but there are a few men who have neglected or overlooked their dues.

### UNIFORM PRICES

Due to increased costs, the Association tailor has informed us that he was forced to raise his prices slightly, as follows:

Coat and two pants:	
Ready made .....	\$104.50
Coat and pants:	
Ready made .....	\$ 86.50
Coat and two pants:	
Tailor made .....	\$115.00
Coat and pants:	
Tailor made .....	\$ 95.00
Pants:	
Tailor made .....	\$ 30.00

In the letter from Murphy & Har-telius we were told that the firm is ready to make any adjustments to please the member served, even to the extent of providing a new uniform if necessary.

### Association Insurance - Progress Report

July 1, 1963 began the second year of life insurance coverage through the Washington National Insurance Company and in line with the experience of the first year the premium rate of fifty cents a thousand was renewed for another year. There were three deaths during the first year but so far this year there have been three in the first month.

In discussing the service rendered by Kane-Zeimer Associates it must be noted that the firm and its staff have been most cooperative and helpful in making the program work. Liaison between them and the Association has been excellent and in the event of a claim your Secretary has received forms within a very few days after the death of a member. The check, made out in the name of the beneficiary in the amount of \$5,000.00 has come just as quickly after certification of the member's status in the Association is made.

Insurance, it is said, is only as good as the broker and ours has done a fine job.

There are presently 1131 members taking advantage of the insurance. Any member interested in coming into the program may contact the Recording Secretary, Peter Gardner, or contact the broker's office at 122 North El Camino Real, San Mateo.

Several questions still arise about eligibility to participate—any member of the Association may come in. Retired men who joined the program before leaving the business may continue as full members of the Association and thereby retain their life insurance at the same rates. Men who retire and wish to continue should contact Treasurer Martin Barbero and make arrangements to keep their dues up to date; insurance premiums must then be paid directly to Kane-Zeimer Associates, as no pay roll deductions may be made from a retired man's check.

## Highlights of the Regular Monthly Meeting of the S. F. Police Officers Assn., Held Tuesday, July 16, 1963, 2225 - 48th Avenue, San Francisco, Calif.

The meeting was called to order by 1st Vice President Allen at 8:20 p.m. with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call of Officers: Pres. White (excused); 1st VP Allen (P); 2nd VP Marelli (P); Rec. Sect'y Gardner (excused); Treas. Barbero (P); Sgt.-at-Arms Schaumleffel (excused). Members of Executive Board; Quigley (P); Amoroso (excused); McKee (P); Bigarani (P); Willett (P.).

The communications were read and filed.

Treasurer's Report was rendered and accepted with the addition of two bills of \$65.24 and \$35.48. M/S that the bills be paid. PASSED.

Minutes of the June meeting approved as mailed in 'The Notebook'.

### Committee Reports:

**PAL.** No report. Talk by Quigley re: support of this fine program by the people of San Francisco.

**BLOOD BANK & N.C.P.A.** Chairman Vogelsang is at present at the National Conference in Washington, D.C. and will report at the next meeting.

**SICK:** Brother Marelli reports with the 3 members in Ward 45, at present there is no need for 3 TV sets. The committee will use its judgment as to the needs in the future. Some men are too ill to be able to use TV. This way the costs can be kept in line with our budget.

**Sergeants' Committee:** No report.

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:**— Brother Bigarani reported the meeting was held Friday, July 12th.

1) A letter of thanks was received from Brother Barthelemy for the financial help the Association rendered him and his family.

2) Recommends that an information article be published in 'The Notebook' about the Group Life Insurance the Association sponsors.

3) A letter and \$20.00 donation was received from Supervisor Dobbs for the Barthelemy collection. It was noted that \$1,335 has been donated to date.

4) Recommended that our Station Representatives be allowed time off to attend Association meetings without being docked (i.e., having to take off extra duty), suggest a letter to the NLRB.

5) Brothers White & Allen represented the Association at the Board of Supervisors re: the pay raise to \$693.00.

6) A thought was advanced that a combined 'Policemen's Ball' be looked into, with the proceeds to be given to the various societies of the Police department.

7) Recommendation that the bill for a meeting (\$65.24) to arrange for entertainment for a possible ball be paid by the Association.

8) Candidates Night to be the October meeting; recommends that candidates only and no proxies be allowed to speak.

9) The Association contact Sergeant Long, Plan & Res., and ask that representatives of the Association be allowed to sit in with his people when any changes or amendments are being made to the Rules and Proceedings.

### ACTION ON EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT:

Moved: Oliveira; Second: Bigarani, a committee be formed to look into the possibility of having a Policemen's Ball to include both the Association and the Widows & Orphans Aid Association. After much discussion, the Chair referred this to committee for a report.

Moved: Oliveira; Second: Schoensten, that the Secretary be instructed to write to PORAC, NCPA or any other organization to get information concerning Station Representatives who take time off for Association meetings so that they may be compensated. PASSED.

Motion: Hegarty; Second: McGovern, that Candidates Night be continued as in the past, with ladies invited, and refreshments served. After much discussion pro and con, this motion PASSED.

1st Vice Pres. Allen reported he represented the Association at the installation of J. Max Moore to the Board of Supervisors. Brothers White & Allen were present when the Board voted 10 to 0 for the Police pay raise to \$693.00. Supervisor McMahon. ABSENT.

**CITIZENS AWARD COMMITTEE:** Brother Diggins reported he

spoke to the Chief and he is in favor and will cooperate with this committee. It is urged that any member having prospects for such an award contact the committee.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** The Treasurer needs copies of the Watch Reports from Station representatives so he may distribute the 1963-64 dues cards.

**NEW BUSINESS:** Discussion of the need for a strong organization to represent Policemen and stand up for rights of such to the end that clerks, meter maids will not take over police functions. To educate the press and public that ridicule of police results in loss of respect for law and order and the eventual harm to the community.

Discussion that the Editor of 'The Notebook' feature in the coming issues articles designed to get retired men to join the Association.

Motion: Oliveira; Second: Zelis, the Association purchase two typewriters instead of renting them on a monthly basis. PASSED.

**GOOD OF THE ORDER:** It was asked that members of the Association who are also members of the Widows & Orphans Aid Association attend the regular monthly meetings, held the 2nd Friday of each month, Hall of Justice, 3:00 p.m., Room 575, as starting with the August meeting, changes in the Constitution and By-Laws will be introduced vital to the welfare of the Widows & Orphans and its members.

The meeting was adjourned in the memory of Brother Milton C. Hansen.

Meeting adjourned at 10:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY E. BEARE,  
Acting Secretary

### NEW SALARY SCALE

Chief of Police—\$1866; Deputy Chief of Police—\$1570; Chief of Inspectors—\$1570; Director of Traffic—\$1570; Supervising Captain—\$1273; Department Secretary—\$1273; Captain of Inspectors—\$1161; Captain of Traffic—\$1161; Director of Personnel—\$1103; Director of Criminal Information—\$1103; Director of Special Services—\$919; Criminologist—\$1081; Captain—\$1081; Lieutenant—\$919; Inspector—\$806; Inspector of Junior Traffic—\$806; Assistant Inspector—\$741; Q-50 Sergeant—\$786; Police Range Master—\$806; Police Motor Vehicles Inspector—\$782; Policeman: 1st Yr. \$643; 2nd Yr. \$658; 3rd Yr. \$678; 4th Yr. \$693. Woman Protective Officer: 1st Yr. \$643; 2nd Yr. \$658; 3rd Yr. \$678; 4th Yr. \$693; 86 Two-Wheel Motorcycle Operators: \$65.20 per month additional premium pay; Police Commissioner—\$100; Police Surgeon—\$693; Patrol Driver—\$693.

**NEXT MEETING  
TUESDAY  
AUGUST 20, 1963**

8:00 P.M.  
2225 - 48th AVENUE

## The Screening Committee

There are many members who do not know what the Screening Committee is, or how it functions; those who have been in a position to know will testify to its merit and value.

The Screening Committee is composed of the President, 1st and 2nd Vice Presidents and the Executive Secretary. Its job is to screen applications for legal assistance from our Association General Counsel, J. W. Ehrlich. If a member of the Association is in some legal difficulty (or thinks he is) arising out of his employment as a police officer he may contact the Screening Committee for a hearing, but must do so before contacting any attorney. The purpose of the committee is to screen applications first so that the attorney's office will not have to go through a lot of red tape and only cases coming within the purview of the attorney will reach his desk. **You must contact the committee first for a confidential hearing.** After a hearing by the Screening Committee and a determination is made that the matter in question is not an Association problem the member will be so advised and must go on his own. If, however, the committee decided it proper, then the member is referred to our attorney. So far the system has worked to the satisfaction of all concerned.

The Association has a full-time answering service and any member of the Screening Committee may be contacted at any hour of the day or night by calling EXbrook 2-2888. The members of the committee are: Ray White, Bill Allen, Lee Marelli and Bill Bigarani. They are there to serve you when you need them. If you are a paid-up member in need of legal help arising from an on-duty incident, call for the help to which you are entitled.

## WARD 45 AND THE MISSION EMERGENCY

Because of many statements regarding the treatment accorded injured policemen in Ward 45 and the Mission Emergency we take this opportunity to pass the word that there has been nothing but praise. In the past there has been ample room for critical remarks but according to most of the men involved, the treatment has been extremely good.

Especially singled out for praise were Mrs. Crowley, Mrs. Foley, Miss Dugan, and most of the doctors on the staff. It is encouraging to throw bouquets for a change instead of rocks.

## S. F. Police Officer's Assn. Financial and Statistical Report

MEMBERS AS OF JUNE 30, 1963 . . . 1667  
(1497 on payroll deductions, 136 paid by cash, 34 retired members)

### EXPENDITURES

Refund of Station Directors dues — per motion passed May 21st, 1963.....	\$	216.00
Presidents expenses to June 18th.....		55.00
Food & Refreshments, June 18 meeting		45.48
Pacific Telephone .....		7.37
Office Appliance Co. for June and July; Rental 2 Typewriters .....		29.12
S.F. Policemen's Fund for June.....		22.46
Artson Answering System for June.....		5.83
Advance for delegate to Annual Conference of N.C.P.A., Washington, D.C., per motion passed June 18 meeting		585.55
Rent for July .....		100.00
Printer, for 1963-64 Membership Cards..		41.60
Medical Bill for services for retirement case .....		50.00
Legal Fees for July .....		300.00
Clerical Expense for retirement cases for July .....		250.00
Officers' Salaries .....		200.00
President and Ass'n. Atty. expense; possible suspension case.....		8.30
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		\$1,916.71

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

	Com'cial a/c	Savings a/c
Bal. as of June 18, 1963.....	\$2,167.37	\$2,340.17
Deposit of dues .....	1,711.43	570.47
Interest earned .....		15.62
Frank Barthelemy Fund.....	97.00	
Refund by Welfare Fund of 1/2 exp. of sending member to City of Hope.....	100.00	
Refund returned by member paid in error.....	8.00	
Refund check voided.....	2.00	
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	4,085.80	2,926.26
Less expenditures above.....	1,916.71	- 0 -
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	2,169.09	2,926.26

MARTIN J. BARBERO,  
Treasurer

### Officers of The San Francisco Police Officers Association

Ray White, President  
William Allen, 1st Vice President  
Eligio Marelli, 2nd Vice President  
Peter Gardner, Recording Secretary  
Martin Barbero, Treasurer  
Ralph Schaumleffel, Sergeant-at-Arms

#### MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD:

William Bigarani, Patrol  
Robert McKee, Traffic  
Don Willett, Bureau of Inspectors  
Mario Amoroso, Headquarters  
James Quigley, Retired Men

#### THE SCREENING COMMITTEE

Raymond White .....OV 1-0614  
William Allen .....LO 6-8865  
Eligio Marelli .....VA 6-5120  
William Bigarani .....JU 5-8861

#### GENERAL COUNSEL

J. W. Ehrlich .....GA 1-4530  
333 Montgomery Street

ANSWERING SERVICE  
EX 2-2888

## OFFICIAL USED CAR BUYERS' LEXICON

Buying a different car? To assist you through automobile row and enable you to converse with the natives, we offer you these definitions:



- Low mileage car**—We turned the speedometer way back.
- Many extras**—The former owners left a box of Kleenex in the glove compartment.
- Clean car**—The former owner left the glove compartment.
- Fair condition**—Some paint is left.
- Transportation car**—Some car is left.
- Sporty model**—The top has been torn off.
- Good rubber**—No tire has more than five patches.
- Needs work**—You've got to see it to believe it.
- Will run**—Bring another car to tow it home.
- One Owner**—He couldn't sell it either.
- Luxurious**—Some of the windows still go up and down.
- No money down**—The boss said it looked lousy on the lot.
- Factory price**—Costs about as much as the factory.
- Late model**—It didn't run right brand new and it still doesn't run right.
- Loaded**—What you've got to be to buy it.
- Fully equipped**—Seats five.
- Driven only 11,000 miles**—Towed the rest of the way.
- Demonstrator model**—The boss's son wrapped it around a couple of telephone poles.
- Doesn't burn oil**—The oil seeps out through the cracks in the crank case before it has a chance to burn.
- Engine recently rebuilt**—The spark plugs were cleaned last year.
- Executive's car**—The vice president sat in it for a few minutes the day it was repossessed.
- As is**—Bring your own shovel.
- Second car**—There were only two cars in the race.
- Original paint**—It's still there under three coats of other paint.
- Tinted windows**—Our lot is next door to the railroad yards.

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BULK RATE  
U. S. POSTAGE  
**PAID**  
San Francisco, Calif.  
Permit No. 6687

## “BORROWED”

In reading over publications sent us by other credit unions we found the enclosed material so good we “borrowed” it.

The shortest distance between two points is from the beginning to the end of a summer vacation. The American plan seems to consist of two weeks on the sand and the other fifty on the rocks. Basking on beaches is like looking through old attics — you see funny things in trunks—and some swim suits are more fitting than proper. The modern bikini is something a gal can get more out of than into. And as for one who’s just a build in a girdled cage, this may be the last resort. The tidal wave of tourists makes you feel the only full-blooded natives are the mosquitoes and you wonder who is left at home to “mind the store.” Well sir, you’ll be glad to know that your SF Police Credit Union will be on the job all summer long. We want you to have a **good** vacation. So we’re ready to help you save for a vacation, borrow any difference and get your money’s worth. Call on us for friendly “vacation-money”. Then relax. Or you’ll find the trouble with a vacation is that when you need it most, you’ve had it! (Thanks to B&O Credit Union, Ellen M. Burke, Editor)

Reliable estimates from financial circles indicate that money borrowed by parents from their offspring to cover small emergencies would pay off the national debt in a matter of months. The interest rates usually demanded by the little darlings would make a loan shark blush. (That reminds me—I owe Stevie \$2.25 for the paperboy — plus a nickel a day for .....)

Our 18th month old said his first sentence last week, a major milestone according to Dr. Spock. He said “Mommy buy more polysagmated hexafloorclean.” I’m not sure what he meant, but I think we are going to take the TV out of the playroom next week.

How did our older generation ever make it with crooked teeth? It seems as if few of the children today can survive without having their teeth straightened. The man that does it is an **ORTHODONTIST**—I’m not sure how you pronounce it but each letter costs about \$100.00.

Owning a stereo-high-fi is a real pleasure but buying one could easily nettle an engineer. One of the reasons for the confusion is that there is no legal definition for “hi-fidelity”. Anything that is capable of making noise can be (and usually is) labeled “hi-fi”. Here are a few buying tips:

1. Less than 10 watts of power rating on each channel is not considered true High Fidelity by most ethical industry standards.
2. The number or size of speakers does not necessarily indicate quality — individual twelve-inch speakers range in price from \$1.89 to well over \$300.00.
3. A diamond needle is a “must” to preserve your record investment.
4. Your own ear is the best judge of what you will enjoy the most.

(Thanks of AMS Employees Federal Credit Union)

## USED CARS

(Continued from Page 3)

**Owned by a doctor**—But driven by his 18-year-old son in the drags.

**Just reupholstered**—We threw a couple of army blankets over the front seat so the rips wouldn’t show.

**Never been raced**—Former owner too embarrassed.

**One owner car**—Eleven years with a cab company.

**Undercoated**—The last owner drove it over a freshly tarred road.

**Must be sold this week** — The health department is getting nasty again.

**Perfect running condition**—Our lot is on a steep hill.

**A real steal**—But we’ve changed the engine number.

**Driven by a lady**—Over Niagara Falls in a barrel.

## DON'T BE MISLED ON YOUR CAR FINANCING !!

**Borrowing costs at your Credit Union are less !**

**Do business where you are an owner—  
—not just a customer . . . .**

## S. F. Police Credit Union

FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT  
For period ending July 31, 1963

### ASSETS

Total Loans .....	\$3,317,897.50
CUNA Holding (Loans) .....	6,749.45
Cash, Hibernia .....	
Cash, B. of A. ....	
Cash, Total .....	216,757.86
Petty Cash .....	10.00
Change Fund .....	750.00
Savings & Loan Shares .....	30,000.00
Investments in other CUs .....	15,005.13
Loans to other CUs .....	
Fur. Fix. & Equip. ....	19,205.78
Prepaid Insurance .....	1,645.38
Other Assets .....	1,367.50
Maint. Policies .....	232.50
Notebook Receivables .....	318.48
League Dues .....	3,116.52
Other .....	65.33
<b>Total Assets .....</b>	<b>\$3,613,121.43</b>

### LIABILITIES

Accts. Payable .....	74.96
Notes Payable .....	325,000.00
Withholding Taxes .....	
Social Security Taxes .....	
State Unemployment Taxes .....	
State Disability Ins. ....	
Dept. of Vehicles .....	22.00
CUNA HOLDING .....	5,557.31
Shares .....	3,052,283.02
Christmas Club .....	27,852.25
Regular Reserve .....	108,952.68
FEES .....	56.00
Undivided Earnings .....	79,654.06
Gain or Loss .....	13,595.62
Prepaid Interest .....	73.53
<b>Total Liabilities .....</b>	<b>\$3,613,121.43</b>

## S. F. Police Credit Union

1607 Noriega Street  
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Open 10 A.M. to 3 P.M., 5:30 to 9:30 P.M.  
Daily except Saturday, Sunday & Holidays

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

John Fay .....President  
Thomas Dempsey .....Vice President  
Louis Barberini .....Clerk  
William Hamlet .....James McGovern  
Edward Comber .....Alan Rosenbaum

### CREDIT COMMITTEE

Sol Weiner .....Chairman  
Walter Turchen .....Frank Fadhl

### SUPERVISORY COMMITTEE

Dennis Smith .....Chairman  
Oscar Tiboni .....Edmond Cassidy