

WHO'S WHO and doing what

By EDDYE K. KIM

"BAGS PACKED, WILL TRAVEL."

To Lee's Canyon Camp come Aug. 29 through Sept. 15, that is, for eager members of the Las Vegas Boys Club (West). Club organizer Bob Reid is now trying to round up funds to send all his kids to the mountains this summer. There are 135 hopefuls and anyone who would like to put a few bucks to work in a real, good cause should get in touch with Bob or his aide-de-camp, Earle White, Jr., through the Jefferson Recreation Center.

The boys can use camping and fishing equipment as well as cash.

We are proud to say that a group of teachers who call themselves Les Debonairs is among the top contributors to the Boys Club Camping Fund thus far. (See photo this page.) Also answering the call were Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, which gave swimming fins; the Nevada Resort Hotel Association and the Kiwanis Club.

The local Footprinters, you may recall, hosted the boys at the recent National AAU boxing tournament at the Convention Center. The boys also toured Boulder Dam recently.

Members of Les Debonairs include Mrs. Isaac (Pat) White, Jr., president; Mrs. Curtis (Lorraine) Hall, vice president; Miss Margaret Crawford, secretary; Mrs. Donald (Barbara) Kirkland, treasurer; Mmes. Larry (Lois) Bolden, David (Jackie) Hoggard, Jr.; Thomas (Doris) Baily and Ricky (Anna Beath) Carter.

This group has a scholarship fund project going and will present a fall concert by an outstanding artist. We wish these charming ladies the best of luck.

In town for a few days was that well-known man about San Francisco, Cecil Finley, and Mrs. Finley. Cecil usually can be seen cruising around the bay in his private yacht or circling the downtown skyscrapers in his plane.

NAACP Youth spent a recent Sunday in a warmer (?) climate when they visited the Valley of Fire and then had a cook-out at Echo Bay. Mrs. Emma Wilson and Mrs. O. N. Abington chaperoned the group. On their return, the kids wound up an enjoyable day with an impromptu party at the Abington home.

The Dominican Storm

The Dominican triumvirate which runs the country seems to have weathered the storm kicked up by a strike of taxi drivers; but there has been a chronic state of instability in the republic since the ouster of President Juan Bosch last September.

The Government, and especially Donald Reid, the triumvir, who is "more equal" than the others, has thus far handled the tricky situation with firmness and good sense. To begin with, Mr. Reid showed responsibility and courage in introducing a series of austerity measures that were unpopular but badly needed. The United States cut off all aid at the time President Bosch was overthrown and is only now studying how to prepare a program of economic help. It is overdue.

The United States had reasons for protest when Prof. Bosch was ousted, but it quickly became evident that the provisional Government was of high caliber and was civilian. Moreover, the economic punishment hurt the people and played into the hands of the extremists.

The basic problem is that the Dominican Republic is by population and race a Negro nation with a small, white, upper-class elite. The men who are now running the country are splendid people, but they have no popular following; they probably could not win an election.



BOYS CLUB DONATION--Mrs. Pat White, Jr., president, and Miss Margaret Crawford, secretary, of Les Debonairs present check to Bob Reid to help send Boys Club member to Lee Canyon Camp this summer. (See "Who's Who")

PEPSI WINNERS

Second week winners in the Pepsi-Cola Shopping Spree included the following local residents, with winners' dealers in parenthesis:

- \$10 Gift Certificate--Lori Igler, 2720 Marlin, Las Vegas (E-Z Mart, 28th & Stewart)
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- \$5 Gift Certificate--Miss Sharon Beitel, 2592 Sherwood (Vegas Village, E. Sahara)
- \$5 Gift Certificate--Chuck Razmic, 3008 Owens Ave., N. Las Vegas (Vegas Village, L.V. Blvd. No.)



ACTION ADVOCATES--Dissatisfied with "polite" opposition to white bigotry, a "third force" action group has been organized with the backing of New York City Congressman Adam Clayton Powell (second from left). Others attending Washington, D. C., meeting of ACT organizers included (from left) A. A. Rayner, Lawrence Landry, Gloria Richardson, Nahaz Rogers and Julius Hobson. Group denounced civil rights bill as weak and inherently ineffective, said it "will not function in a manner acceptable to white people (but) will do things that are acceptable to Negroes."



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