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Filatelice Fiesta II

Nov 13 - 15, 2009

Santa Clara County Fairgrounds

Northern California Trivia

- Q. What town received it's name in honor of William C. Ralston, who modestly declined to have a Stanislaus County town named after him?
- A. Modesto.
- Q. By what name was San Francisco originally known?
- A. Yerba Buena..

From *Northern California Trivia*
by Ernie & Jill Couch

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Happy Halloween

Lila Brady

We're saddened to learn of the passing of Lila Brady. Lila was the widow of Jack Brady who passed away January 8, 2008.

Her obituary in the San Jose Mercury news reads as follows:

April 7, 1931 - August 31, 2009

Lila died peacefully in her sleep after enduring many months of pain. She was born in San Francisco and moved to San Jose in 1943. Lila was a much loved wife, mother, mother-in-law, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister-in-law, sister, aunt, cousin and friend. She was preceded in death by her husband of 52 years, Jack Brady. She is survived by her two sons, Michael and Mathew, and their wives Nita and Patti. She sacrificed for her children and always put their needs first. She lived out her faith in modesty, kindness and love. She was a strong woman, meticulous and organized. She served a devoted client base. She loved playing her piano for friends and family, especially at Christmas gatherings. Lila loved entertaining family and friends in her home. She loved gardening and creating her beautiful yard.

Among the great joys of her life were the relationships that came out of working together with other parents at St. Leo's. She was a supportive mom of Little League and Mitty football. She endured her "49er faithful" husband and sons with patience.

God speed and rest in peace, Lila.

Filatelice Fiesta

The APS will have Tom Horn, APS Sales Manager, at the show with a full range of APS products plus information on how to sign up to receive sales circuits and how to submit material to the Stampstore.

The Council of Northern California Philatelic Societies will have a table with information representing all the stamp clubs in our area.

I don't have to remind anyone of the difficulties experienced over the past decade regarding Fiesta. All during this time encouragement came from every quarter, dealers, collectors and above all the APS. We now have a show committee of about 15 people. People dedicated to seeing FF continue and improve. The future looks very good at this time and FF II promises to be one of the best Fiestas in many a year.

Few on today's committee were members prior to their involvement with the show. They came and they worked and now we have a really fine show, and getting better. As a club member I expect you to spend some time helping during the show. Set-up will be done with hired help for the most part, members will only give direction. However, we need help to mount exhibits on Thursday at 1PM and dismount the exhibits on Sunday at 3PM. During the show help is needed with the registration table, the youth table and with the Boy Scouts. Please make it a point to spend some time helping out at the show. Thank you.

