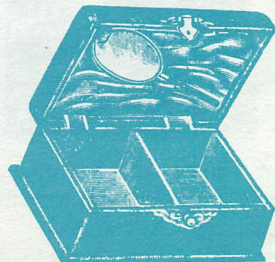


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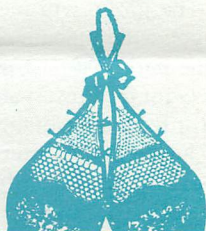
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Photograph Cases.



27885 Photo Case, size 11x16, made of plush, fanned on to a base lined with finest satin. Each box contains fine magnifying glass with 3 inch lens. Price, each....\$2.50 Weight, 30 ounces.

Slipper Cases.



27898 Slipper Case, consisting of two snow shoes, with wood frames joined together; size, 11x16; cord lacings, slipper pockets made of silk plush with silvered metal ornaments on fronts. Each.....\$1.00 Weight, 16 ounces.

Toilet Preparations—Continued.

27933 Knights Parisian Cream, a

"CALIFORNIA CONSUMER PRODUCTS" Exhibit on display April 21-June 13



27934 Knight Parisian Cream, 4 oz. bottles. Each.....\$2.50 Per dozen.....2.70 Weight, 16 ounces.



Cook's Chlorate Dentifrice.

27942 Cook's Chlorate Dentifrice or Tooth Powder, is prepared from pure chlorate potash combined with myrrh and other desirable ingredients. It is not a drug, and will have no bad effect upon the enamel. By its daily use the teeth will become white and smooth. This compound contains no soap, hence will not fill the mouth with a "nasty" soap suds, as is the case with other tooth preparations. We think you will use no other after once having tried "Cook's Dentifrice." In 4-inch bottles, with air-tight metal screw cap. Per bottle.....\$0.20 Per dozen.....2.25

Montgomery Ward & Co.'s Extracts.



Perfumes are sold throughout the country, almost exclusively by retail druggists, and like everything else in their line at enormous profits. Not only this but they seldom carry the best grades. We buy our entire line of perfumes in bulk from the best manufacturers in this country, handle only the choicest pomade extracts, and put them up ourselves in ordinary bottles. We are thus enabled to give our customers the very finest perfumes made at very low prices. We carry in stock the complete line of staple flower odors. Make your selection from list given below.

White Rose, Jockey Club, White Lilac,

Rose Geranium, Musk (true Tonquin),

New Mown Hay.

Blue Lilies, Lily of the Valley, Frangipanni, Persian Lilac, Crab Apple Blossom, Shandon Bells.

White Heliotrope, Wood Violet, Violet, Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet, Japonita.

Put up in quantities to suit purchaser at prices as follows:

Mailing weight. Each.....\$0.25

Friday, April 4 VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are the most valued asset of the California History Center and we're always looking for people who are interested in spending some time performing a variety of tasks which enable us to maintain the center's activities. We invite you to attend a volunteer meeting held at 10:00 a.m. at the Trianon Building to become acquainted with some of our very fine volunteers and learn a little about what they are accomplishing. Refreshments will be served.

Friday, April 18 EXHIBIT RECEPTION

The California History Center spring exhibit, "California Consumer Products", will be on display April 21st through June 13th. This exhibit, on loan from the California State Archives in Sacramento and supplemented with a collection of local early century appliances and consumer goods, reflects a fascinating and inevitable aspect of Californians' heritage. Colorful displays of trademarks of the late 19th century show an important part of the commercial history of the state and are designed to illustrate how an exhibition was presented a hundred years ago. Artifacts from the old Joshua Hendy Iron Works of Sunnyvale and other local products personalize the exhibit. Members are invited to a special exhibit reception 4 - 6 p.m. Friday, April 18 at the California History Center Trianon Building. Refreshments will be served. Reservations requested by April 11. No fee.



Per box.....\$0.20 Per dozen boxes.....2.15

27917 Pozzoni's Celebrated Medicated Face Powder; put up in round wood boxes, either white or pink. Per box......40 Per dozen boxes.....4.30

Eye Brow Pencils.

27924 Eye-Brow Pencils for imparting dark colors to the eye-brows and lashes; put up in nickel plated case; length, 2 1/2 in. Each.....\$0.10 Per dozen.....1.00 Weight, 2 ounces.

Infant Powders, Puffs, Etc.

27925 Infant Powder, best quality. Per pkge.....\$0.10 Per dozen packages.....1.00 27926 Toilet Powder Puffs, for toilet and infants' use, satin top, bone handles. Each......20

Puff Boxes.



27928 made of celluloid; colors, either white, pink or blue. Each.....\$0.40



1 oz. 3 1/2 in. 4 oz. 6 in. 8 oz. 7 1/2 in. high.

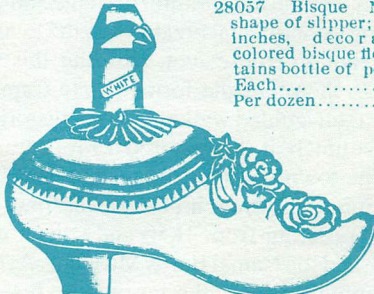
Hoyt's German Cologne.



German Cologne. 1-oz. bottle.....\$0.14 Weight, 6 ounces. 4-oz. bottle......30 Weight, 12 ounces. 8-oz. bottle......60 Weight, 25 ounces.



28057 Bisque Novelty in shape of slipper; length, 4 1/2 inches, decorated with colored bisque flowers, contains bottle of perfume. Each.....\$0.25 Per dozen.....2.70



The California History Center will be open 10 - 2 Saturday, May 3 and Saturday, June 7.

The center will be closed May 26 in observance of Memorial Day.

27930 Puff Boxes, similar in style to No. 27928, made of celluloid; colors, either white, pink or blue. Each.....\$0.40



Price, per bottle.....\$0.20 Per dozen.....2.25 Weight, 10 ounces.

28070 Throat and Toilet Atomizer No. 1, with bulb and tube of extra quality, hard rubber nozzle; bottle holds two



Sunday, April 20 SARATOGA HERITAGE HOME TOUR

The California History Center and the City of Saratoga's Heritage Preservation Commission are co-sponsoring their second heritage home tour, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Sunday, April 20. Visits to three restored historic homes, and a self-guided walking tour of downtown Saratoga are included in this celebration of Saratoga's rich history and architectural heritage. A beautifully restored 1912 Italian villa with exquisite gardens, a unique California craftsman-style in a woodsy setting, and a 19th century Queen Anne Victorian said to have served as a missionary settlement house are the focus of the home tour. In addition, there will be a special open house at the three buildings that comprise the Saratoga Historical Park — the Chamber of Commerce, the Saratoga Village Library, and the Saratoga Historical Foundation Museum. The home tour is designed to be self-guided, and visitors may begin the tour at any time and at any of the specified locations. Docents at each home, and staff at the Saratoga Historical Park will distribute leaflets with information about the history and architecture of the houses and maps describing points of historical interest in Saratoga. Complimentary refreshments will be available. Cost per person is \$12, payable to the Saratoga Heritage Tour, P.O. Box 2463, Saratoga, CA 95070. Reservations are limited.



Saturday, April 26 HISTORIC BENICIA

A small town located on the north shore of Carquinez Strait, Benicia was founded in 1847 with the hope that it would become a major metropolis. While it never achieved greatness once hoped for, Benicia has served as state capital, as a military headquarters, an important industrial center, and as home of several "firsts" in the state. More important, current residents of Benicia have preserved the town's past and have found creative uses for many of its historical buildings. Harry Wassman, curator of the Benicia Camel Barns Museum, will lead an exploration of this historic town, offering a discussion of its architectural and cultural heritage and stories of its past. Following a continental breakfast in the lovely gardens of the Fischer-Hanlon House, you will tour this restored 1858 residence, then tour the former State Capitol. You will have time for a self-guided walking tour of historic First Street and a no-host lunch at the restored 19th century Union Hotel (or any of the town's many fine restaurants) before visits to St. Paul's Episcopal Church (1859), the first Masonic Temple in California (dating from 1850 and still in use), the Benicia Arsenal, and the Camel Barns Museum. At the museum, Mr. Wassman will discuss the fascinating history of the first west coast arsenal. The bus departs from the Flint Center lot at 8 a.m. and returns by 6 p.m. Cost to members \$32 and non-members \$40 includes transportation, continental breakfast, tour and history guide book, fees, and honorarium. Reservation and payment due 4/17.

Saturday, May 10 ARDENWOOD FARM

When George Washington Patterson came to California in the mid-1800s seeking his fortune in gold, he found instead the rich fertile soil of the Bay area. With the wealth he amassed selling produce in San Francisco he built his 3,000-acre estate Ardenwood. Though only a small portion of the original estate remains intact, it is in the process of being restored to create a living museum where 19th and early 20th century farm life is preserved. De Anza instructor Bruce MacGregor, who participated in the restoration of Ardenwood Farm, will lead an exciting and special tour of the 205-acre park, the newest in the East Bay Regional Park District. The group will meet at the farm in Fremont at 9:45 a.m. where you will immediately be transported to the past as you enter the park just past the railroad station. Being rebuilt by the Society for the Preservation of Carter Railroad Resources, the railroad utilizes some of the equipment original to the property in 1887 and built by Carter Brothers, an early manufacturer of railroad equipment. Much of the original farm machinery used on the farm from 1870 to 1920 is also in re-use in demonstrations or tending the 100 acres of row crops and 20 acres of walnut orchard. The grounds also include 34 acres of forest and over 1,000 varieties of trees. As you tour the grounds, you'll watch craftsmen and farm workers performing chores as they would have a hundred years ago. The centerpiece of the farm is the stately Patterson house, built in 1847. You will take an interior tour of the Queen Anne addition to the house dating from 1880 and 1890 and furnished with the original family furnishings. Bring your own picnic lunch to enjoy under the shade of an old oak; drinks will be provided. The tour concludes at about 3 p.m. Transportation is on your own; maps will be sent with your ticket. Remember to bring lunch, wear comfortable shoes, and plan for the possibility of chilly air. Cost to members \$12 and non-members \$16 includes entrance fees, honorarium, and beverages. Reservation and payment due 5/2.



May 17, 18 WINES OF THE ANDERSON VALLEY

The bursting spring buds and colorful blossoms, the sweetly scented air, and green rolling hills are all a part of the beauty of the inland valleys of Mendocino County. Now re-gaining fame for the wines of their growing number of vineyards and wineries, Anderson and Ukiah Valleys have fascinating histories. Author and wine expert Charles Sullivan will lead the exploration of this area. Leaving De Anza Flint Center parking lot at 8 a.m., we will travel to Ukiah with a stop at the Jepson Vineyards for a tour and tasting and no-host deli lunch at its restored 1897 farmhouse. We'll tour Parducci Wine Cellars, the oldest and one of the largest wineries in Mendocino County, and visit the Sun House Museum. Built in 1911 by John and Grace Hudson, the Sun House is the result of the Hudson's lifelong study of and devotion to the preservation of native American culture. Dinner will be at the famed Toll House in Boonville, where proprietor Beverly Nesbitt will discuss the history of the 1859 house and Miller Ranch, and where we'll enjoy a dinner prepared by chef Jeanette Stroh,

renowned for her country cooking. Sunday, following breakfast on your own, we'll be given special tours of several wineries and vineyards, including Fetzer, a family owned winery that has grown to become one of Mendocino county's largest and Scharffenberger Cellars, known for its methode Champenoise sparkling wines. We'll head for home down a country road that gives us a glimpse of rural California at its prettiest. Along the way, we'll tour the Mountain House Winery, once an old stage hostelry. The bus returns to De Anza at 7 p.m. Orientation: 7 p.m. Friday, May 9, CHC. Cost to members \$125 and non-members \$140 includes transportation, double-occupancy lodging, one dinner, honorarium, and all fees. Reservation and payment due 5/2.

May 30, 31, June 1 LAKE TAHOE

The beauty and serenity of Lake Tahoe are legendary. Naturalist Lee Van Fossen will conduct a weekend tour of the Lake Tahoe region, focusing on the area's natural and cultural history. Departing from the Flint Center lot at 3 p.m. Friday, you will arrive at Camp Richardson on the southern shore of the lake, where you'll be staying at the restored 1920s Camp Richardson Resort. Saturday, following breakfast at the resort lodge, Keith Thurlkill, ranger and president of the South Lake Tahoe Historical Society, will present an illustrated discussion of the history of the area, and will conduct a tour of the Tallac Historic site where wealthy turn-of-the-century visitors to the lake built opulent estates and where now stands a museum which houses an exhibit on the Washoe Indians. The group will then take a drive around the lake, with stops at Emerald Bay, Sugar Pine Point, the Ehrman Mansion (c. 1910), and Tahoe City for a visit to the North Lake Tahoe Historical Museum. You will take a side trip up highway 80 to Donner State Park, then continue around the lake to Glenbrook and finally to Heavenly Valley. At Heavenly you will have the chance to take the tram ride for a spectacular sunset view of the lake, and no-host dinner at the Top of the Tram, or stay in the valley for dinner. Sunday the group will visit the U.S. Forest Service Interpretive Center and take a nature walk led by Mr. Van Fossen, then cruise the lake to Emerald Bay on the paddlewheeler "Tahoe Queen". The bus returns to De Anza by 9 p.m. Orientation: Friday, May 16, 7 p.m., CHC. Cost to members \$165 and non-members \$185 includes transportation, double-occupancy lodging for two nights, breakfast two mornings, cruise fare, honorarium, and fees. Reservation and payment due 5/9.



Sunday, June 1 DE ANZA DAY

Each June De Anza College sponsors a gala community event. This year on De Anza Day, the history center will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. when docent tours of the building and exhibit will be available. In addition, a special authors' reception will be held from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m., with several authors of California histories present to offer signed copies of their books. Those scheduled to appear include Charles Sullivan, author of the wine history "Like Modern Edens", Yvonne Olson Jacobson who wrote "Passing Farms, Enduring Values" on farming in the Santa Clara Valley, Patricia Loomis, author of the newly released history of Milpitas, and Gary Okihiro and Timothy Lukes, co-authors of "Japanese Legacy".

Saturday, June 7 DISCOVERY VOYAGE

San Francisco Bay still holds the mystery, marine treasure, and excitement that it did for early settlers and explorers. The bay is actually an estuary, containing both fresh and salt water. It profoundly influences the quality of life for more than five million people who live, work, and play in the Bay Area. Important, too, are its ecological contributions as a habitat for many birds, fish, and other creatures above and below the surface. Biologist Lee Van Fossen will lead a unique, hands-on exploration of this vast resource. We will meet at the Marine Ecological Institute in Redwood City at 7:45 a.m. From there the group will board a research vessel for a four-hour voyage on the San Francisco Bay. Marine biologists Alan Hebert and John Hufstader of the Marine Ecological Institute share their vast knowledge as participants experience activities that include trawling for fish and plankton, examining marine life under a microscope, counting, measuring, and identifying fish, obtaining bottom sediment sample cores, and determining conditions and chemical properties of Bay water. This is a rare opportunity to learn about the marine ecosystem from such a direct vantage point. After the voyage, you will go to the charming town of Sausalito for no-host lunch at one of the many restaurants along Bridgeway, a historic district along the water's edge. The group will reconvene at the San Francisco Bay and Delta Hydraulic Model, a project of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers which reproduces tide action and currents. You will be leaving Sausalito at 4 p.m. Cost to members \$30 and non-members \$35 includes boat fare, fees, and honorarium. Transportation is on your own (a bus can be chartered for an additional \$45 per person if there is sufficient interest). Reservation and payment due 5/16.

Saturday, June 14 LEGACIES OF WOODSIDE

A visit to Filoli while flowers are in bloom is a lovely way to usher in summer. Join us for a docent-led tour of the gardens and 43-room mansion of the Filoli estate, built in 1916-19 by William B. Bourn II. Bourn, water baron and heir to the Empire Gold Mine fortune, commissioned architect Willis Polk to design the mansion which has 36,000 square feet of floor space; Bourn had the ballroom gilded with 200 pounds of gold from his own mines. The gardens of the estate (originally consisting of 32 landscaped acres) cover 16 acres and include a variety of native and cultivated plants; the grounds are surrounded by undeveloped open space. The estate is one of few of the period which remain intact and relatively undisturbed. After visiting Filoli, we will meet at the Old Woodside store on Kings Mountain Road for a tour and gourmet picnic lunch. A special lunch catered by Foothill College will include chilled berry soup, a selection of cheeses and paté, turkey croissant sandwiches, fresh California fruits, white wine, and a special dessert. Following lunch, we will be given a special tour of the Tripp Store by Ray Willing of the San Mateo County Historical Society. Established in 1854 by Dr. Robert Orville Tripp, the store has been restored and converted to a museum housing an assortment of artifacts from the early lumbering days of the area, and the grounds have been restored to appear much the way they did a hundred years ago. The group will meet at Filoli at 9:15 a.m. and at the Tripp Store at 12:00; the tour at the Tripp Store will end at about 2:30. Cost to members \$25 and non-members \$35 includes admission fees and lunch. Transportation is on your own; maps will be sent with your ticket. Reservations and payment due 5/30.

Reservations

Reservations are limited and are taken on a first-come, first-served basis; reservations cannot be made after the due dates listed below. Please, no phone reservations. Payment and a self-addressed, stamped envelope must accompany all ticket requests. Make checks payable to CHCF, De Anza College, 21250 Stevens Creek Blvd., Cupertino, CA 95014. Sorry, we cannot issue refunds. Program inquiries: (408) 996-4712.

You are entitled to membership rates by enclosing \$25 for an individual membership or \$35 for a family membership. The California History Center Foundation is a non-profit organization that supports documentation and preservation of California history with a focus on the Bay region.

☐ Enclosed is a check for membership.

☐ Please mail me membership information.

● **April 20 Saratoga Home Tour**

____ number of reservations \$12

Due 4/11.

(Please enclose separate check, payable to Saratoga Heritage Tour.)

● **April 26 Benicia**

____ members \$32, ____ non-members \$40.

Due 4/17.

● **May 10 Ardenwood Farm**

____ members \$12, ____ non-members \$16.

Due 5/2.

● **May 17 & 18 Anderson Valley**

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Due 5/2.

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____ members \$165, ____ non-members \$185.

Due 5/9.

● **June 7 Discovery Voyage**

____ members \$30, ____ non-members \$35.

Due 5/16.

(Are you interested in travelling by chartered bus at an additional fee? ____ yes ____ no)

● **June 14 Legacies of Woodside**

____ members \$25, ____ non-members \$35.

Due 5/30.

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____ PLEASE INCLUDE SELF-ADDRESSED, STAMPED ENVELOPE.

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Names of **each** participant _____

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For overnight trips, please specify one: ☐ I plan to room with _____

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