

Arnett To Run Again

Assemblyman Dixon Arnett, R-Redwood City, today announced his intention to seek a fourth term.

Arnett, who will be 38 next Thursday, is a former Assembly minority whip.

Deadline for filing notice of intention to run for state elections is next Wednesday at 5 p.m.

At present, there are "not even any rumors" of either a Republican or Democrat challenging him, Arnett said.

Arnett, whose 20th District spans from mid-Menlo Park north to Third Avenue in San Mateo, succeeded Carl "Ike" Britschgi, who stepped down after seven terms for an abortive attempt to win a state Senate seat in 1968.

"The legislature is going to have to make some tough decisions about priorities between and among school finance, health care and welfare," Arnett told a breakfast meeting attended by campaign supporters in Belmont. "If I've heard anything loud and clear, it's that John Q. and Janne Q. Public are saying, 'no more government spending'."

"Of every \$1 earned by a Californian, 42 cents goes to support one level of government or another," he said.

Citing one potential economic-related crisis, Arnett said, "Somebody has to climb in and reorganize the MediCal administration or it will bankrupt the state in three years. It's a good program, but we cannot afford all of that niceness."

Arnett is the author of a catastrophic health program bill which passed the Assembly last week and is headed for Senate debate.

Jobs

(Continued from Page 1) The peak unemployment rate during the recession was 8.9 per cent in May, when the labor force had shrunk to a low level.

Among signs of an improving employment outlook have been a big decline in new unemployment insurance claims in January, an increase in the average work week to 40.3 hours and an increase in work overtime.

Any decline in unemployment would be eagerly welcomed by the Ford administration, since its program for reducing unemployment in 1976 is being criticized as inadequate.

Snow

(Continued from Page 1) highway which goes from San Jose over the mountains into Santa Cruz.

As far as the county's agricultural life is concerned, the cold snap has apparently not caused serious damage to crops.

According to Claud Bridges, a county agricultural commissioner, "There has been no damage of any consequence as far as I know. The drought has hurt us."

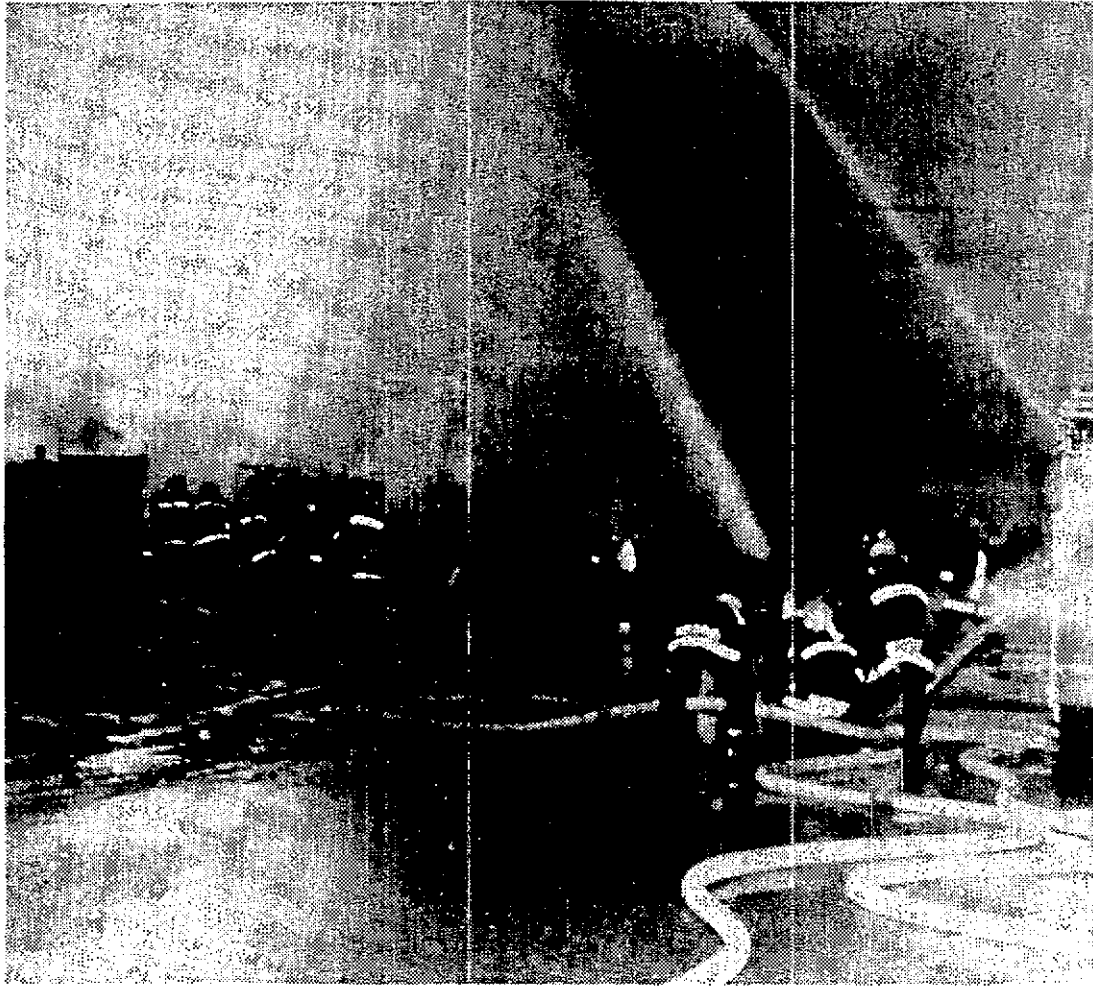
He added that, "There has been damage to some tender outdoor plants."

Snow — in the form of a snowball — broke a window on a Belmont transit bus at about 4:20 p.m. Thursday.

According to a report from the Belmont police, the bus had been struck by a number of snowballs as the vehicle headed along Hallmark Drive.

Finally, one of them broke the bus' windshield. A youngster was apprehended by the bus driver, John Morrison.

The young suspect reportedly told police he didn't know that a snowball would break a window.



FIREMEN BATTLE BLAZE

San Carlos firemen pour thousands of gallons of water on flaming paint factory Thursday.

SC Plant Hit by Blast

(Continued from Page 1) Schmidt, the first chief officer at the scene, said that as he left downtown headquarters he could see what was happening and radioed for additional help even before he arrived at the scene.

Firemen from Belmont, Redwood City, the California Division of Forestry, Woodside and San Mateo responded, either to help to fight the actual fire or to man San Carlos stations, emptied of all their apparatus.

Chief William Stremme of Hillsborough was called to head the standby task force formed from different departments. During the fire, for example, state firemen answered one rescuator call.

Burt reported he was at his home in the hilly, western part of San Carlos when his wife and mother-in-law looked out the window and screamed, "A plane crashed!"

"It shook the entire house," Burt reported.

Fireman momentarily had to shut down their hoses to get the 8,000 gallon truck which was being loaded from a 5,000-gallon tank away from the flames. A sprinkler system protected another tank truck and trailer inside the plant, although two additional "kettles" and several 55-gallon drums inside the plant were burning.

"It was Class One stuff, just like gasoline," Burt said, reporting an additional hazard occurred when the varnish began

Patty

(Continued from Page 1) Carter sternly reprimanded the audience for laughing.

Browning held up a brown-barreled military carbine and asked if it was similar to the one used by Miss Hearst. Norton replied that it was.

The highlight of the first day of testimony was the showing of a two-minute film of the robbery pieced together by an FBI agent from 800 still photos taken by the bank's two surveillance cameras.

In the eerie and jerky footage, Miss Hearst is seen sprinting to the center of the bank lobby and bouncing from foot to foot as the other four bandits moved in precision to other areas.

running down storm drains, causing firemen to fear another explosion or fire could burst out as far as two blocks away on Industrial Way.

Officer Bill Young, the first police officer on the scene, reported he was patrolling the downtown business area about three-

quarters of a mile away when he saw a column rising into the sky and then heard an explosion.

"The pillar of smoke was followed by two other smaller explosions," he said. "Each time I could see flames shoot up."

The 3/8-inch plate top of the tank was found some

distance away, while a motor and mixer which had been attached to the inside of the top were found about 40-feet away.

Other fires have been reported at the plant, which is covered with a network of pipes, although none as serious as this. Damage was estimated at \$150,000.

(Elmer Peterson/PNA Photo)

Award

(Continued from Page 1) recorded by the American Kennel Club.

With a little experience under their belts, the two-some entered several official contests but weren't always successful.

At a Livermore contest Jan. 17, Arestis and the Duchess were in the ring when an error by Arestis caused their elimination. Because he was so proud of his dog for following a command, he said, "Thata girl, come on." The judge disqualified them for the "double command."

Another time, he was in the ring with Duchess when a woman in the next ring directed her dog to "come." Unfortunately, Duchess also responded and they were disqualified.

The Novice A obedience drill includes heeling off leash, healing on leash, a figure-eight walk, standing for examination, a one-minute sit and a three-minute sit.

Man and dog work on drills only about 15 minutes a day. Any more would take the fun out of the training, he said.

Arestis enjoys showing off mementos from the competitions and happily discusses successes as well as failures. "I love to brag about that dog," he said.

Their next competition is Feb. 15.

He admits he was lucky when he picked Duchess among the dogs at the Humane Society. Many stray dogs, he said, would be difficult to train for obedience because of bad experiences with humans in the past.

Many trainers, he said, argue that obedience dogs should be purchased only from a reputable breeder. "It doesn't hurt to help some poor stray that has had a bad time," Arestis contends.



Paula Baxter

Chateau Option Dropped

The successful bidder for the Carolands Mansion in Hillsborough, Dr. Selwyn McCabe of Pacific Palisades may be dropping his option to buy the estate often referred to as the "Chateau."

The executor of the estate, Roy Peterson, has reported that Dr. McCabe so far has not paid the \$389,000 balance due on the six-acre property. The original deadline was Jan. 19. The date was extended to Feb. 2. A third extension expired as of noon Thursday.

Built in 1914 for \$3 million by the late heiress of the Pullman estate, The Carolands was put up for auction two months ago when Dr. McCabe, a retired physician, was the successful higher bidder.

He paid the required \$41,000 deposit immediately upon conclusion of the auction.

Dr. McCabe is believed to be in this area, but cannot be immediately located for comment.

Millbrae Coed, 17, Missing

Millbrae police are seeking a 17-year-old girl missing since Wednesday evening under mysterious circumstances.

Paula Louise Baxter was last seen at 8 p.m. Wednesday when she walked cheerfully out of a play rehearsal at Capuchino High School, where she had been visiting.

Seven hours later, her bronze compact station wagon was found three blocks from the high school, its wheels and undercarriage spattered with mud. The floor of the driver's compartment was tracked with mud, and the key was in the ignition switch.

Millbrae Police Sgt. Ronald Caine said there were 12 to 14 unexplained miles on the car's speedometer.

Miss Baxter, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baxter, was last seen wearing light green corduroy trousers, a light blue parka, a T-shirt emblazoned "Mazatlan," and black desert boots.

She is described as five feet six inches tall, weighing 120 lbs., and having long brown hair and blue eyes.

Sgt. Caine said a light blue blanket is missing from the car, according to her family.

He said the girl's movements are accounted for between the time she left home at about 7 p.m., and the time she left Capuchino High School at 8 p.m. There is no indication that she put the extra miles on the car herself, he said, and no indication that she had been in the mud prior to going to Capuchino.

THE 1976 CAPRI II INVITES COMPARISON ON THE COST OF OWNERSHIP:

CAPRI II PRICE

Right now we have a large stock of 1976 Capri II's on hand that cost less than competition's 1976 models listed below. This is based on a comparison of base sticker prices including destination charges but not title and taxes. Compare prices for yourself.

\$311 less than Toyota Celica GT
\$829 less than VW Scirocco Cpe.
\$1,092 less than Audi Fox 2-dr.
\$2,603 less than Datsun 280 Z

CAPRI II
\$4,246⁰⁰

Base sticker price including destination charges.

CAPRI II FEATURES

Capri II's value becomes apparent when you realize all the standard features that are included in its base price. A few of the more important items are listed here.

- 2.3 litre OHC 4-cylinder engine
- 4-speed manual transmission
- Power front disc brakes
- Steel-belted radial tires
- Stabilizer bars, front and rear
- Rack-and-pinion steering
- Full instrumentation, including tachometer
- Rear third door
- Reclining front bucket seats
- Fold-down rear bench seat
- Solid-state ignition

CAPRI II GAS MILEAGE

With its standard 2.3 litre overhead cam engine and 4-speed shift, Capri II's EPA estimated highway mileage is 29 miles per gallon, 19 for the city. Of course, your actual mileage will vary depending on the type of driving you do, your driving habits, your car's condition and optional equipment.

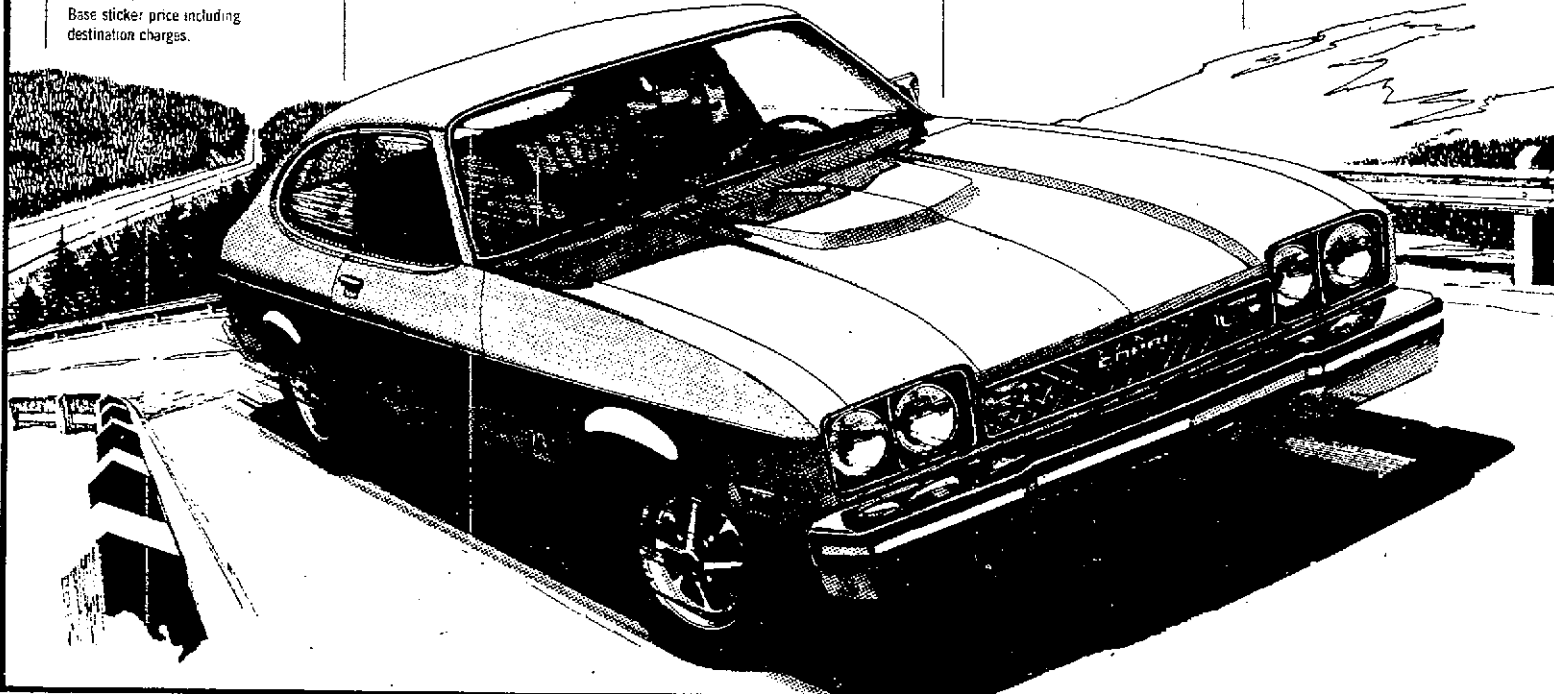
29 MPG HIGHWAY
19 MPG CITY

COMPARE RESALE VALUE

According to the November/December Western Edition Kelley's Blue Book, 3-year old Capri's return more of their sticker price at trade-in than 3-year old models of Toyota, Mazda, Audi, Colt, Fiat, Opel, Renault, and Volvo. If you're thinking of trading up to a new 1976 Capri II, we think you'll be pleasantly surprised at how well Capri has retained its value.

COMPARE OUR DEAL

We have a complete selection of 1976 Capri II's on hand. In a wide selection of models and color combinations. Come on in and compare our deal. If you'd rather lease, remember, with our optional maintenance coupon book, available only through Lincoln-Mercury Dealer Leasing Association members, you can receive prepaid factory authorized service and repairs, coast to coast, up to 40,000 miles. Either way, come in and test drive this extraordinary road car. You'll be glad you did.



CAPRI II, THE SEXY EUROPEAN IMPORT AWAITS YOUR COMPARISON

Village Lincoln-Mercury, Inc.
393 El Camino Real
San Carlos, Calif.

Stanford Lincoln-Mercury, Inc.
444 El Camino Real
Menlo Park, Calif.

Metcalf-Reis Lincoln-Mercury, Inc.
2 California Dr.
Burlingame, Calif.

San Bruno Lincoln-Mercury, Inc.
345 El Camino Real
San Bruno, Calif.

LINCOLN-MERCURY DIVISION



The Campaign Trail

Brisbane Councilwoman Jeannine Hodge will kick off her re-election campaign at a reception Saturday from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Brothers Four Restaurant, 301 Visitacion Ave., Brisbane. It was announced today.

The combination fundraiser and gathering of supporters will feature hors d'oeuvres and refreshments.

A \$5 donation is

requested, but is not mandatory.

LaDonna Harris, wife of Democratic Presidential Candidate Fred Harris and a Comanche Indian, will speak at a reception at 961 Peninsula Way, Menlo Park, at 6 p.m. Saturday. Also on the program will be Daniel Ellsberg. Mrs. Harris is founder of the National Women's Indian Opportunity.

Guatemala Aid Rushed; Toll Rises

GUATEMALA CITY, Guatemala — International relief teams today rushed food and medical supplies to Guatemala, where the earthquake death toll climbed to 3,000 and doctors operated in makeshift tents to save the gravely injured still streaming in from devastated mountain villages.

Bulldozers sealed over mass graves containing many of the victims of Wednesday's predawn quake so the nation could turn to the more urgent task of saving the thousands of injured.

Red Cross Director Jose Alvarado said additional reports from hard-hit outlying areas put the death toll at 3,000 and "still rising."

He said whole towns had been reduced to rubble and survivors were still being rushed to the capital by helicopter and ambulance.

Jobs

(Continued from Page 1)

The peak unemployment rate during the recession was 8.9 per cent in May, when the labor force had shrunk to a low level.

Among signs of an improving employment outlook have been a big decline in new unemployment insurance claims in January, an increase in the average work week to 40.3 hours and an increase in work overtime.

Any decline in unemployment would be eagerly welcomed by the Ford administration, since its program for reducing unemployment in 1976 is being criticized as inadequate.

And 1976 is a presidential election year.

Snow

(Continued from Page 1)

highway which goes from San Jose over the mountains into Santa Cruz.

As far as the county's agricultural life is concerned, the cold snap has apparently not caused serious damage to crops.

According to Claud Bridges, a county agricultural commissioner, "There has been no damage of any consequence as far as I know. The drought has hurt us."

He added that, "There has been damage to some tender outdoor plants."

Snow — in the form of a snowball — broke a window on a Belmont transit bus at about 4:20 p.m. Thursday.

According to a report from the Belmont police, the bus had been struck by a number of snowballs as the vehicle headed along Hallmark Drive.

Finally, one of them broke the bus' windshield. A youngster was apprehended by the bus driver, John Morrison.

The young suspect reportedly told police he didn't know that a snowball would break a window.

Robbery Film

(Continued from Page 1)

made to FBI agents who interviewed him the day after the holdup. Bailey quoted at length from a prepared report of that interview and asked Shea if he remembered saying such. Frequently, Shea did not.

In other developments, two SLA members arrested on the same day as Miss Hearst in San Francisco last Sept. 18 said in Los Angeles they wanted a joint trial with her. William and Emily Harris, as well as

Miss Hearst, have been charged with kidnap, robbery and assault stemming from a May 1974 shooting incident and the abduction of a youth in the aftermath.

The Harrises said Thursday that Miss Hearst was "far from the weak, hysterical little pampered heiress that her family tried to characterize her as" and that after being kidnapped she stayed with the SLA "on her own initiative and free choice."

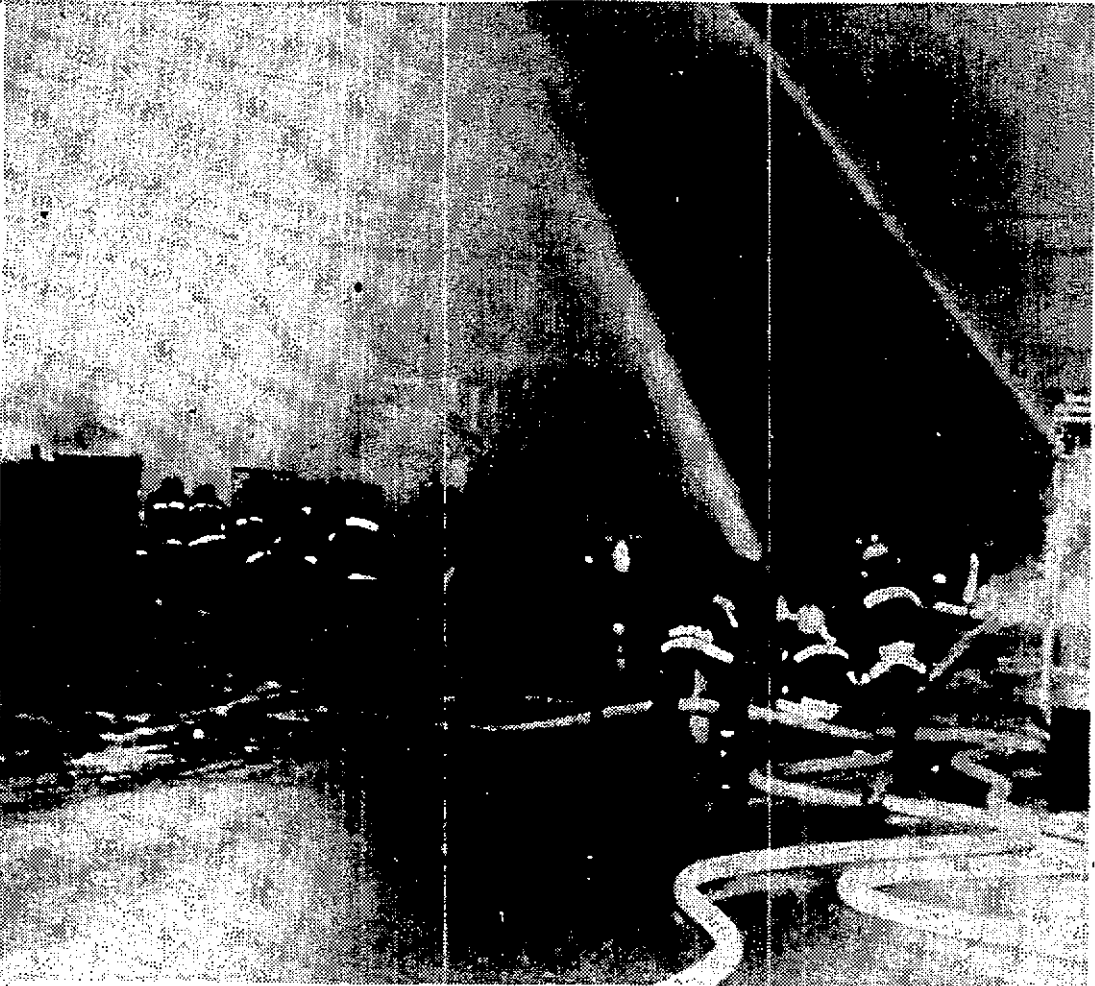
The Campaign Trail

Brisbane Councilwoman Jeannine Hodge will kick off her re-election campaign at a reception Saturday from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Brothers Four Restaurant, 301 Visitation Ave., Brisbane, it was announced today.

The combination fundraiser and gathering of supporters will feature hors d'oeuvres and refreshments.

A \$5 donation is requested, but is not mandatory.

LaDonna Harris, wife of Democratic Presidential Candidate Fred Harris and a Comanche Indian, will speak at a reception at 961 Peninsula Way, Menlo Park, at 6 p.m. Saturday. Also on the program will be Daniel Ellsberg. Mrs. Harris is founder of the National Women's Indian Opportunity.



FIREMEN BATTLE BLAZE
San Carlos firemen pour thousands of gallons of water on flaming paint factory Thursday.

SC Plant Hit by Blast

(Continued from Page 1)

Schmidt, the first chief officer at the scene, said that as he left downtown headquarters he could see what was happening and radioed for additional help even before he arrived at the scene.

Firemen from Belmont, Redwood City, the California Division of Forestry, Woodside and San Mateo responded, either to help to fight the actual fire or to man San Carlos stations, emptied of all their apparatus.

Chief William Stremme of Hillsborough was called to head the standby task force formed from different departments. During the fire, for example, state firemen answered one rescuator call.

Burt reported he was at his home in the hilly, western part of San Carlos when his wife and mother-in-law looked out the window and screamed, "A plane crashed!"

"It shook the entire house," Burt reported.

Fireman momentarily had to shut down their hoses to get the 8,000 gallon truck which was being loaded from a 5,000-gallon tank away from the flames. A sprinkler system protected another tank truck and trailer inside the plant, although two additional "kettles" and several 55-gallon drums inside the plant were burning.

"It was Class One stuff, just like gasoline," Burt said, reporting an additional hazard occurred when the varnish began running down storm drains, causing firemen to fear another explosion or fire could burst out as far as

two blocks away on Industrial Way.

Officer Bill Young, the first police officer on the scene, reported he was patrolling the downtown business area about three-quarters of a mile away when he saw a column rising into the sky and then heard an explosion.

"The pillar of smoke was followed by two other smaller explosions," he said. "Each time I could see flames shoot up."

The 3/8-inch plate top of the tank was found some distance away, while a motor and mixer which had been attached to the inside of the top were found about 40-feet away.

There have been several minor fires at the plant before but nothing major, officials said.

Other fires have been reported at the plant, which is covered with a network of pipes, although none as serious as this. Damage was estimated at \$150,000.

Award

(Continued from Page 1)

recorded by the American Kennel Club.

With a little experience under their belts, the two some entered several official contests but weren't always successful.

At a Livermore contest Jan. 17, Arestis and the Duchess were in the ring when an error by Arestis caused their elimination. Because he was so proud of his dog for following a command, he said, "Thata girl, come on." The judge disqualified them for the "double command."

Another time, he was in the ring with Duchess when a woman in the next ring directed her dog to "come." Unfortunately, Duchess also responded and they were disqualified.

The Novice A obedience drill includes heeling off leash, heeling on leash, a figure-eight walk, standing for examination, a one-minute sit and a three-minute sit.

Man and dog work on drills only about 15 minutes a day. Any more would take the fun out of the training, he said.

Arestis enjoys showing off mementos from the competitions and happily discusses successes as well as failures. "I love to brag about that dog," he said.

Their next competition is Feb. 15.

He admits he was lucky when he picked Duchess among the dogs at the Humane Society. Many stray dogs, he said, would be difficult to train for obedience because of bad experiences with humans in the past.

Many trainers, he said, argue that obedience dogs should be purchased only from a reputable breeder. "It doesn't hurt to help some poor stray that has had a bad time," Arestis contends.



Paula Baxter
Missing

(Continued from Page 1)

zoned "Mazatlan," and black desert boots.

She is described as five feet six inches tall, weighing 120 lbs., and having long brown hair and blue eyes.

Sgt. Caine said a light blue blanket is missing from the car, according to her family.

He said the girl's movements are accounted for between the time she left home at about 7 p.m., and the time she left Capuchino High School at 8 p.m. There is no indication that she put the extra miles on the car herself, he said, and no indication that she had been in the mud prior to going to Capuchino.

New Papas At DC Police

There are three new proud police papas in Daly City today.

In a two-day period — Feb. 3 and 4 — girls were born to Officers Michael Scott and his wife, Kathleen; Terry Hanabek and his wife, Vickie; and, Jim McHenry and his wife, Linda.

Butz Says Free Trip Proper

WASHINGTON (AP) — Agriculture Secretary Earl L. Butz said today he sees nothing improper about his visit to Southern Railway's recreation lodge in South Carolina over the Christmas holidays. He said he would go again next season if invited.

Butz compared his visit as a guest of the railroad to a private luncheon he had with the Washington Post on Sept. 25, 1974. "For all I know, we may have discussed the question of continued cheap postage for junk mail for which the Post would qualify," Butz said.

Butz' visit to the recreation lodge was first reported by the Post.

"It's getting to be so bad in this town that you can't even have friends anymore," he said in an interview.

Nixons

(Continued from Page 1)

him and Mrs. Nixon to revisit China on February 21, 1976, the fourth anniversary of their first visit. They have accepted the invitation with pleasure.

Barbara Walters of NBC's "Today" show quoted government sources in Washington as saying China plans to send a plane to pick up Nixon in California.

Nixon wasn't immediately available for comment.

NBC said an official of the Chinese mission to the United States visited the White House on Thursday to advise President Ford about the Nixon trip.

THE 1976 CAPRI II INVITES COMPARISON ON THE COST OF OWNERSHIP:

CAPRI II PRICE

Right now we have a large stock of 1976 Capri II's on hand that cost less than competition's 1976 models listed below. This is based on a comparison of base sticker prices including destination charges but not title and taxes. Compare prices for yourself.

\$311 less than Toyota Celica GT
\$829 less than VW Scirocco Gpe.
\$1,092 less than Audi Fox 2-dr.
\$2,603 less than Datsun 280 Z

CAPRI II
\$4,246⁰⁰

Base sticker price including destination charges.

CAPRI II FEATURES

Capri II's value becomes apparent when you realize all the standard features that are included in its base price. A few of the more important items are listed here.

- 2.3 litre OHC 4-cylinder engine
- 4-speed manual transmission
- Power front disc brakes
- Steel-bellied radial tires
- Stabilizer bars, front and rear
- Rack-and-pinion steering
- Full instrumentation, including tachometer
- Rear third door
- Reclining front bucket seats
- Fold-down rear bench seat
- Solid-state ignition

CAPRI II GAS MILEAGE

With its standard 2.3 litre overhead cam engine and 4-speed shift, Capri II's EPA estimated highway mileage is 29 miles per gallon, 19 for the city. Of course, your actual mileage will vary depending on the type of driving you do, your driving habits, your car's condition and optional equipment.

29 MPG HIGHWAY
19 MPG CITY

COMPARE RESALE VALUE

According to the November/December Western Edition Kelley's Blue Book, 3-year old Capri's return more of their sticker price at trade-in than 3-year old models of Toyota, Mazda, Audi, Colt, Fiat, Opel, Renault, and Volvo. If you're thinking of trading up to a new 1976 Capri II, we think you'll be pleasantly surprised at how well Capri has retained its value.

COMPARE OUR DEAL

We have a complete selection of 1976 Capri II's on hand. In a wide selection of models and color combinations. Come on in and compare our deal. If you'd rather lease, remember, with our optional maintenance coupon book, available only through Lincoln-Mercury Dealer Leasing Association members, you can receive prepaid factory authorized service and repairs, coast to coast, up to 40,000 miles. Either way, come in and test drive this extraordinary road car. You'll be glad you did.



made to FBI agents who interviewed him the day after the holdup. Bailey quoted at length from a prepared report of that interview and asked Shea if he remembered saying such. Frequently, Shea did not.

In other developments, two SLA members arrested on the same day as Miss Hearst in San Francisco last Sept. 18 said in Los Angeles they wanted a joint trial with her. William and Emily Harris, as well as

CAPRI II, THE SEXY EUROPEAN IMPORT AWAITS YOUR COMPARISON



Village Lincoln-Mercury, Inc.
393 El Camino Real
San Carlos, Calif.

Metcalf-Reis Lincoln-Mercury, Inc.
2 California Dr.
Burlingame, Calif.

Stanford Lincoln-Mercury, Inc.
444 El Camino Real
Menlo Park, Calif.

San Bruno Lincoln-Mercury, Inc.
345 El Camino Real
San Bruno, Calif.

LINCOLN-MERCURY DIVISION 