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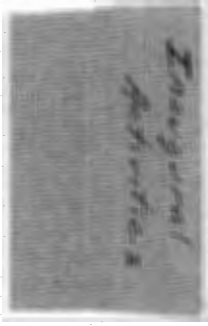
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ACCOUNT OF FIRST INAUGURAL AT PRESENT STATE CAPITOL

As reported in the December 9, 1871 edition
of the Sacramento Daily Union (Page 5)

HEADLINE: INAUGURATION OF GOVERNOR BOOTH

At an early hour yesterday morning a stranger might have seen that some event out of the usual order was to take place in the city, not alone from the numerous stragglers about the streets *italics en militaire*, and *italics* but the general air of the people, as if in anticipation of something to come. There was an influx of people from the country to swell the already large number that had found quarters among us. There was more than the usual amount of music from bands. There were more dressy ladies, and men done up in holiday attire, than are generally to be seen on ordinary occasions. It was evident, without the knowledge imparted by the press, that a gala day was in store for the multitude. The city was full. At 10:00 A.M., according to the programme of the morning, the military began to concentrate at the Pavilion, corner of M and Sixth Streets, and in process of time the whole were placed in line along M Street. All being in order, the march commenced in the following order: General Howell and staff; Twelfth Infantry Band; Sacramento Hussars; San Francisco Hussars, on foot; Blythe's Band; MacMahon Grenadiers; Emmet Guard; Vallejo Band; Vallejo Rifles; San Francisco Band; National Guard, San Francisco; City Guard of Sacramento; Sarsfield Grenadier Guard, of Sacramento; Frisbie Guard, of Vallejo; University Cadets, of Oakland; and Sacramento Zouaves. The line of march from the Pavilion was along Sixth Street to J, up J to Tenth, thence along Tenth to the Capitol. The military, most of the companies wearing high bear-skin caps and handsome uniforms, presented a very fine appearance. It was altogether, the most showy display ever yet made at an inauguration of a Governor in the State, and elicited much commendation. Arriving at the Capitol the troops were formed in line to receive Governor Haight. A salute of thirteen guns was fired in the Capitol grounds by the Sacramento artillery company, who had put themselves in position for the purpose in advance. Governor Haight emerged from the Capitol, and with General Allen and staff, was received by the military and escorted in a carriage down O Street to Eighth, along Eighth to J, down J to Front and to the residence of Governor Booth, where, after the usual military formalities, both Governors entered a carriage and the following was the order of the march:

First, the cavalry; second, one battalion of infantry; third, carriages containing Governor Haight, Governor Booth, Lieutenant-Governor Romualdo Pacheco, Chief Justice Rhodes of the Supreme Court, A. C. Niles, Supreme

Judge-elect; Governor Bradley of Nevada, Governor Woods of Utah, ex-Governor J. F. Chellis, Robert Watt, James J. Green, A. F. Coronel, F. Baehr, J. W. Bost, Robert Gardner, Jo Hamilton, J. L. Love, J. L. Nichols, Frury Melone, General Cazneau and staff, General Cobb and staff, General Hewston and staff, and others; fourth, battalion of infantry; fifth, battalion of infantry; sixth, colored infantry; seventh, Sacramento Light Artillery.

The route of the procession was Front to L, L to Second, Second to J, J to Tenth, and along Tenth Street to the Capitol.

The time consumed brought the procession to the Capitol grounds at fifteen minutes to 2:00 P.M. A hasty stand had been prepared in front of the Capitol and looking to the west. Several wagon-loads of chairs had been brought and distributed upon the platform about the stand, affording sitting for a large number of ladies and gentlemen. The balconies, the windows, and every available spot about the building were occupied, and masses of men were congregated upon the ground on the sidewalks, and in the streets. At a quarter to 2:00 the two Governors made their appearance upon the platform, accompanied by Lieutenant-Governor Pacheco, the joint committee of the two Houses, and all the gentlemen in carriages in the train. Mounting the stand, the oath of office was administered first to Governor Booth and then to Lieutenant-Governor Pacheco, by the Chief Justice of the State, when a salute was fired by the artillery, and Governor Booth proceeded to deliver his inaugural address, which will be found elsewhere. As usual, Governor Booth was distinctly heard and listened to with close attention. The inaugural has the right ring and will be read and admired not alone within the borders of the State whose chief executive he is.

After the inaugural ceremonies were finished, Governor Haight was the recipient of a marching salute, and Governor Booth was escorted in procession to his residence, accompanied by many prominent citizens.

The military afterwards marched through the streets, the various bands playing favorite airs, and closing a day than which there was never one that passed off so excellently well in every respect.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

(WITH SWEARING-IN)

REAGAN FIRST GOVERNOR TO TAKE OATH IN CAPITOL ROTUNDA

Ronald Reagan will be the first governor of California to take the oath of office in the Rotunda of the State Capitol.

The precedent-setting ceremony will be performed directly beneath the 125-foot high ceiling of the Capitol dome, several feet in front of an imposing statue carved out of white Carrara marble. The statue, by American sculptor Larkin Goldsmith Meade, faces westward and depicts Spain's Queen Isabella lifting a precious pearl girdle before Christopher Columbus, in mute promise to finance the explorer's expedition, even if she must risk her jewels to do so.

The oath will be taken on a 400 year-old mission Bible brought to California by Padre Junipero Serra.

Use of the statuary as a backdrop for the occasion and the Bible will be consistent with the theme of Inaugural Week: "Fiesta California." The theme will reflect the romantic heritage left from California's early Spanish era.

Since the present Capitol was formally opened for use by the state government in 1869, most of California's governors (17) have taken the oath in the building's Assembly chamber before joint sessions of the legislature. Although construction of the Capitol was not completed until 1874, it was sufficiently ready for service by the governor and legislature by late 1869.

Three swearings-in were administered on the west steps of the Capitol, including that of Newton Booth who, December 8, 1871, was the first governor to take the oath of office there.

On January 6, 1931, Governor James Rolph, Jr., was sworn in on the Capitol's front steps before a bank of microphones which broadcast the ceremony over a statewide radio hookup.

Governor Edmund G. Brown was the most recent governor to take the oath on the front steps of the Capitol, January 7, 1963.

More unusually situated oath-taking ceremonies by governors since the opening of the State Capitol included:

-- Romualdo Pacheco (Lieutenant Governor), in the governor's office, February 27, 1875. He succeeded Governor Newton Booth, who resigned in office to become a U. S. Senator.

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-- Robert W. Waterman (Lieutenant Governor), in the parlor of the Occidental Hotel, San Francisco, September 13, 1887. Waterman succeeded Governor Bartlett who died in office.

-- James N. Gillett, in the old Clunie Opera House, Sacramento, January 9, 1907.

-- Frank F. Merriam (Lieutenant Governor), Los Angeles, June 3, 1934, an hour after being informed of the death of Governor James Rolph, Jr.

-- Goodwin J. Knight (Lieutenant Governor), in assembly hall of State Office Building, Los Angeles, October 5, 1953. Knight assumed the governorship when Governor Earl Warren resigned the office to become Chief Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court.

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SWEARING-IN PROGRAM ANNOUNCED

SACRAMENTO -- The 12:01 A. M. Capitol Rotunda swearing-in ceremony January 2 will include choral music, an invocation, the oaths of office for Governor-elect Ronald Reagan and Lieutenant Governor-elect Robert Finch, and brief remarks by Reagan, Finch, State Supreme Court Justice Marshall F. McComb and U. S. Senator George Murphy.

Justice McComb will swear in Reagan.

Senator Murphy will administer the oath to Finch.

The event will be viewed by more persons than any swearing-in ceremony in history, except for that of the President of the United States, by live television. It will be carried by 18 television stations in California. Nine live television cameras (split between three separate originating feeds) will be set up for the occasion in the Capitol Rotunda.

The ceremony will last between 15 and 20 minutes, according to Inaugural Director Sandy Quinn.

The swearing-in will be performed on a raised platform in front of the historic statue of Christopher Columbus and Queen Isabella in the center of the Rotunda.

Seven persons will occupy the platform (left to right): Finch, Mrs. Finch, Murphy, State Senate Chaplain-designate Reverend Wilbur Choy, McComb, Mrs. Reagan and Reagan.

Choral music will be provided by the University of Southern California Chamber Singers under the direction of Dr. Charles C. Hirt. They will sing opening and closing selections, and a brief choral response following the invocation.

The platform party will enter the Rotunda from the north wing of the Capitol moments before the ceremony begins.

The program will start with the choral group singing America the Beautiful.

Reverend Choy will then offer the invocation.

Next Senator Murphy will offer a few brief remarks, after which he will swear in Finch. Finch will then speak briefly.

This will be followed by the remarks of Justice McComb. He will then administer the oath of office to Reagan who, in turn, will greet the people of California with a few brief remarks.

The ceremony will conclude with the singing of America (My Country Tis of Thee) by the choir.

Attendance at the ceremony will be restricted to family and friends of the

INAUGURAL'S "FIESTA CALIFORNIA" THEME TO REFLECT SPANISH HERITAGE

The "Fiesta California" theme to be interwoven through several key Inaugural Week activities in Sacramento will reflect the romantic legacy left to California from its early Spanish era.

The colorful heritage will find its expression in the music, decor and tenor of such events as the swearing-in ceremony, Governor's Reception and Inaugural Ball.

-- The oath of office will be taken on a 400 year-old Bible which was brought to California by Padre Junipero Serra, founder of the missions. The ceremony will be performed immediately in front of a white marble statue which depicts Queen Isabella lifting a precious pearl girdle before Christopher Columbus, in mute promise to finance the explorer's expedition, even if she must risk her jewels to do so.

-- The Governor's Reception and Inaugural Ball will both reflect the "Fiesta California" theme through overall decor and some Mariachi-type music.

THE LEGACY IN BRIEF

For nearly three centuries following her discovery by Juan Rodriguez Cabrillo in 1542, California led a relatively tranquil existence under the aegis of the Spanish crown and later, when New Spain revolted from the mother country, the rule of Mexico. During this early period, the comparatively small number of military men, explorers, missionaries and rancheros who inhabited what was then known as "Alta (Upper) California" were able to amass a legacy for generations yet to come, a heritage whose enormous impact is far out of proportion to the relative handful of persons who left it.

Place names derived from the Spanish idiom -- such as Sacramento, San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego -- have literally survived by the hundreds. Highways such as El Camino Real follow old trails. Our vocabulary is enriched by scores of words carried over from Spanish. Numerous celebrations, fiestas, rodeos, and the like, harken back to those romantic days. Many modern trends in architecture and furniture, particularly in California, perpetuate the general style features of the Hispano-Mexican period in the state.

Other important aspects of this heritage have been history, folklore and appeal to the imagination. The historical record is rich in non-documentary materials, many of which are located in California's chain of missions. In addition to the vast amount of literature, diaries, journals, personal histories and descriptions available on early California, archives in Spain and Mexico still contain unpublished treasures. Novels, plays, motion pictures and television programs have interpreted the legends, spirit and charm associated with the dons of the era.

The coast of California was first sighted by Cabrillo just 50 years after Columbus discovered the New World.

After exploring the entire coastline by ship -- in search of a waterway which would pierce the continent and somehow provide a route eastward to the "spice islands" -- a member of Cabrillo's crew wrote: "There are mountains which reach the sky, and the sea beats upon them. When sailing along near the land, it seems as if the mountains would fall upon the ships."

However impressed the men were with the awesome sights along the coast, they were disappointed because they had failed to find the waterway they sought. The word they carried back with them was that the land was forbidding and bore no evidence of wealth.

Other daring men, including Drake, Cermenho and Vizcaino, sailed the western ocean and explored the mountainous coast, but it was not until 1769 that a missionary priest from the Mediterranean island of Mallorca, Padre Junipero Serra, helped found Spain's first permanent settlement in Alta California, at San Diego. The next year Monterey was dedicated to the royal crown, and there the red and yellow banner of Spain fluttered over a few brush-covered, mud-daubed huts where 20 Spanish and Indians held Alta California.

Jointly, church and army ruled the province where, ever so slowly, settlements increased in number. When New Spain revolted from the mother country in 1821 and became Mexico, a mere sprinkling of tiny settlements and missions along 500 miles of coast was essentially all that constituted Mexican Alta California.

This pastoral era witnessed the rise of "ranchos" where "rancheros" raised cattle across their sprawling land grants. Scant attention was paid to boundary limits. Land itself was not a premium and had no particular value apart from improvements on it and the use made of it.

Cattle roamed over a thousand hills. Horses became so numerous that they were hunted down to save grazing land for the cattle. Hides and tallow could be bartered to English and Yankee traders for items of a more sophisticated nature. Life was relaxed and casual. The rancheros prospered.

Pastoral California reached its romantic high point in the way of life practiced on the ranchos. Strange amusements reflect the spirit of the times. Grizzly-bear hunting, with lasso and mustang was a royal sport. Wild horse hunting and bull and bear fights were also popular. Rodeos were gala occasions. "Vaqueros", or cowboys, had no fences to ride which enabled them to escape the kind of drudgery associated with cowboys in the American West.

Rancheros were attired in resplendent apparel. A common costume might be gold or silver-embroidered deerskin shoes; velvet or satin breeches, slashed at the knee, gold-braided and silver-buttoned; velvet or silk vest, with wide sash of red satin; dark cloth jacket embroidered in gold and silver; wide, flat-topped sombrero with cord of silver or gold.

Women dressed in more sedate clothing and worked harder at their traditional tasks. Many of them rode and hunted, but picnics were their favorite diversions. Dances highlighted the celebration of every event -- weddings, births, political changes and religious festivals. Such fiestas were opened by the elders, but the younger people later joined in such dances as the contradanza, jarrabe and fandango.

These romantic people were renowned for their hospitality, especially when meals, lodging and provision of riding animals were involved. Rancheros would not think of accepting remuneration from wayfarers to whom they offered their hospitality. In fact, some rancheros even placed a supply of money in their guest rooms which visitors could take if needed.

By 1830, much of California's population could call itself native-born. Those "Californios", which they called themselves, were becoming unhappy with the distant control exercised by Mexico over Alta California. Political feuds with officials from Mexico and between branches of the intricately ramified families of California covered the province with a net of intrigue. It was becoming apparent that Mexico, torn by revolutions and in economic chaos, could not control the distant province.

In 1844, a revolt against Governor Manuel Micheltorena left Pio Pico of Los Angeles as head of Alta California. The removal of the center of government from Monterey only served to justify the differences between the northern and southern sections of the province.

In 1846, about 600 persons crossed the plains to California. By the end of the year some 2,000 of the 10,000 persons in Alta California were foreigners, immigrants from non-Mexican areas, principally the United States.

In the uneasy atmosphere of intrigue and dissatisfaction, it became all the more clear that it would be only a matter of time before the province would fall under U. S. control. America was determined to have the area for itself.

When he received word in the harbor of Mazatlan that a state of war existed with Mexico, U. S. Commodore Sloat set sail immediately for Monterey, arriving July 2, 1846. But, the town was deserted. General Jose Castro and

his army had left Monterey for the south to wrest command of the province from Pio Pico. When Sloat demanded the surrender of California, there was no official present with whom he could deal. Finally, on July 7, 1846, Sloat landed a force of men, marched them to the Monterey Customs House, had the U. S. Flag raised, and proclaimed that California was annexed to the United States.

Although the south revolted, and there were several sharp battles, the "Californios" were no match for the American soldiers, and on January 10, 1847, their surrender was accepted. Even in defeat, the southern uprising demonstrated the gallantry, dash and valor of the "Californios."

With victory complete, statehood was assured. California was admitted to the Union just three and one-half years later, September 9, 1850.

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THE CAPITOL ROTUNDA

The Capitol Rotunda -- where Ronald Reagan will be sworn in as Governor of California -- is the most striking feature of the interior of the historic building.

It is 53.5 feet in diameter and lies directly beneath the skylight of the Capitol's domed ceiling which towers 125 feet above the floor.

The ceiling is a separate inner dome of brick, some 120 feet below the cupola of the outer dome, placed high enough to convey the effect of loftiness without making the observer on the floor below feel as if he were looking up a broad chimney. The great weight of the outer dome and colonnade is supported by the rotunda walls and foundations, and by masonry arches turned over the halls and vestibules of the upper floors.

The thick walls surrounding the rotunda interior are set in extremely hard mortar. In each of the four wall sections are three panels. These 12 panels, with the panels above the four rotunda archways, form 16 sections which continue upward as decorative unites and terminate at the skylight, also divided into 16 segments.

Four groups of mural paintings decorate the walls. These were commissioned by the Legislature in 1913. The artist, Arthur Mathews, has portrayed some of the events and phases of California history. Mathews belonged to a group of artists who painted the brilliant California landscape in subdued tones, and these murals seem rather dark, though they are brightened by patches of red.

The first mural group (southeast sector) portrays the discovery of California. Indians standing on an ocean shore are alarmed at the sight of two little high-decked vessels in which Sir Francis Drake and his men approach. The central panel is idealistic, showing the bearing of life and spiritual hope to the Indians. In the third panel, a handful of Spanish pioneers -- the Anza expedition, led by Moraga -- stands on the shore of the Golden Gate.

The second group (southwest sector) covers the Spanish-Mexican period. In the first panel cattle graze over a rolling, tree-dotted landscape of pleasant hacienda days. The central panel shows a mission (a composite of some of the better-known missions) where Indians are working under the supervision of the padres. In the third panel the people of Monterey, clustered by the Customs House, await the arrival of Commodore Sloat.

The third group (northwest sector) portrays the development of California. The first panel shows the discovery of gold at Coloma. The second panel has

an idealistic treatment of a band of emigrants carrying the Bear Flag and the Stars and Stripes; a blanketed Indian behind a rock watches them pass. The third panel, also idealistic, has a river steamer in the foreground; a green third panel, also idealistic, has a river steamer in the foreground; a green dome -- possibly that of the Capitol -- emerges from a cloud of smoke; in the background stands a group of tall modern buildings.

The fourth group (northeast sector), completely idealistic, might almost be conceived as a version of a traditional "happy ending." The first panel shows girls dancing amid sprays of blossoming boughs. The central and third panels are continuous in theme. In the foreground a youth is sculpturing a heroic figure; in the distance rises an ideal city of Greco-Roman architecture.

The most noticeable decorative feature of the rotunda is a group of statuary in white Carrara marble occupying the center of the floor. Larking Goldsmith Meade (1835-1910), an American sculptor noted for heroic statuary, carved this group in Florence, Italy, between 1868 and 1874. (In 1878 Meade assisted in the completion of the Washington Monument in the National capital. His work ornaments many public buildings in the United States.) Darius Ogden Mills, pioneer Sacramento banker, paid \$30,000 to the original owner of the group and presented it to the State. It was installed in its present location and ceremoniously accepted for California on December 22, 1883, by Governor George Stoneman.

The figures depicted are Columbus and Isabella; the latter's fingers lift a fabulous pearl girdle in mute promise to finance the explorer's expedition even if she must risk her jewels to do so. The figures -- which are scrubbed thoroughly with soap and water once a year -- are mounted on a base of polished gray granite enclosed by a low unpolished granite railing.

Above the rotunda, a circular balcony with an exquisite walnut balustrade seems to be gracefully suspended in space. Supported by the vaulted ceiling of the rotunda, this balcony is profusely ornamented. The rotunda walls are painted green and ornamented with panels, pilasters with capitals, dentil courses and broad decorative bands. Other artistic devices tend to draw the observer's eye to the top of the inner dome and the circular skylight.

Above the third floor levels, two tiers of panels are separated by a row of 16 frosted-glass windows admitting light from the colonnade and clerestory on the outside. The rotunda walls are the most ornate aspect of the Capitol interior. The rotunda balcony is a mosaic of geometric design in red, tan, black and white.

Two flag displays attract the visitor's attention at this level. Twelve display cases set in the panels of the rotunda walls contain national and regimental colors borne by Californians on the battlefield, as well as the American Flag from the Battleship California.

Around the walnut railing of the balcony are displayed ten flags which have at one time or another flown over this State. These include the Spanish Empire Flag (September 28, 1542 to 1785); the Flag of England (June 17-June 23, 1579) planted by Sir Francis Drake; the Spanish National Ensign (1785-1822), which replaced as a national flag Spain's royal standard, or empire flag; the Flag of Russia (September 10, 1812 to December 12, 1841); Buenos Aires Flag (November 20 to December 15 or 16, 1818), raised by the pirate Hippolyte Bouchard when he captured the City of Monterey in November, 1818; the Mexican Flag (April 11, 1822, to July 7, 1846); the Fremont Flag (1842-1846), a special flag given to John Charles Fremont, then a Captain in the Topographical Engineers of the U. S. Army, for use on his exploring expeditions in the West; the Bear Flag (June 14 to July 9, 1846); the Stars and Stripes (July 7, 1846-), which was raised over Monterey when Commodore Sloat landed there at the outbreak of the Mexican War; and finally, the present flag of the United States.

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GOVERNOR'S COMMUNITY LUNCHEON PROGRAM ANNOUNCED

SACRAMENTO -- The program for the Governor's Community Luncheon here January 5 was announced today by the Inaugural Committee and the Sacramento City-County Chamber of Commerce.

The Chamber is sponsoring the event which will be held in the Memorial Auditorium beginning at 1:00 P.M. Chamber President Archie Hefner will be the master of ceremonies. Tickets to the Luncheon are on sale at \$6.50 apiece.

The program will begin with an invocation by Reverend Wesley Swanson, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church in Sacramento.

Sacramento Eagle Scout Fred Bergold Jr. will then lead the pledge of allegiance to the U. S. Flag.

The luncheon period itself will last until about 1:30. The menu will include seafood cocktail supreme, bone breast capon with vice dressing, French cut beans Almondine, petit buttered carrots, dinner rolls and butter, coffee and lemon tart dessert.

Following a musical selection by the C. K. McClatchy High School Madrigal Chior, led by Curtis Casey, chior director, members of the Governor's Community Luncheon Committee will be introduced. The Committee includes: Robert A. Breuner and Hunter D. Bungay, co-chairmen; Clarence Azevedo, Horace Cecchettini, Hefner, H. H. Hendren, Robert Livingston, George McKeon, John Murphy, Carlyle Reed, Otto Rehwer, Merle C. Shreck, Arthur Sherman, John Skinner, Dr. Ralph Teal, Philip Wilkins, Jess C. Wilson, Jr., Robert Witter, Edward Wright and Jerry Wymore.

Next, Mayor and Mrs. Walter Christensen and other community leaders will be introduced. Christensen and the chairman of the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors will make brief remarks of welcome.

This will be followed by introductions of State Legislative leaders Hugh Burns, Jesse Unruh, Jack McCarthy, Robert Monagan and Don Mulford, and their wives.

The new State Constitutional officers and their spouses will then be introduced. Lt. Governor Robert Finch will speak for the constitutional officers and introduce Governor and Mrs. Reagan.

This will be followed by a 10-15 minute address from the Governor.

The program will be closed by Hefner at approximately 2:25 P.M.

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GOVERNORS OF CALIFORNIA

<u>NAME</u>	<u>PARTY</u>	<u>ELECTION DATE</u>	<u>INAUGURATION</u>	<u>NOTES</u>
Burnett, Peter H.	Ind. D.	Nov. 13, 1849	Dec. 20, 1849	Resigned Jan. 8, 1851
McDougall, John	Ind. D.	-----	Jan. 9, 1851	Lt. Gov., succeeded Burnett
Bigler, John	D.	Sept. 3, 1851	Jan. 8, 1852	Assemblyman, 1849-51
Bigler, John	D.	Sept. 7, 1853	Jan. 7, 1854	Re-elected
Johnson, N. J.	Amer.	Sept. 5, 1855	Jan. 9, 1856	Assemblyman, 1853
Weller, John B.	D.	Sept. 2, 1857	Jan. 8, 1858	U.S. Senator, 1851-57
Latham, Milton S.	Lecomp.D.	Sept. 7, 1859	Jan. 9, 1860	Resigned, Jan. 14, 1860 U.S. Senator, 1860-63
Downey, John G.	Lecomp.D.	-----	Jan. 14, 1860	Lt. Gov., succeeded Latham
Stanford, Leland	R.	Sept. 4, 1861	Jan. 10, 1862	U.S. Senator, 1885-97
Low, Frederick F.	Union	Sept. 2, 1863	Dec. 10, 1863	Rep. in Congress 1861-63
Haight, Henry H.	D.	Sept. 4, 1867	Dec. 5, 1867	Member of 2d Constitutional Convention
Booth, Newton	R.	Sept. 6, 1871	Dec. 8, 1871	Resigned, Feb. 27, 1875. U.S. Senator, 1875-81
Pacheco, Romualdo	R.	-----	Feb. 27, 1875	Lt. Gov., succeeded Booth
Irwin, William	D.	Sept. 1, 1875	Dec. 9, 1875	Harbor Commission, 1883-86
Perkins, George C.	R.	Sept. 3, 1879	Jan. 8, 1880	U.S. Senator, 1893-1903
Stoneman, George	D.	Nov. 7, 1882	Jan. 10, 1883	Transportation Committee
Bartlett, Washington	D.	Nov. 2, 1886	Jan. 8, 1887	Railroad Commissioner
Waterman, Robert W.	R.	-----	Sept. 13, 1887	Lt. Gov., succeeded Bartlett
Markham, Henry H.	R.	Nov. 4, 1890	Jan. 8, 1891	Representative in Congress, 1885-87
Budd, James H.	D.	Nov. 6, 1894	Jan. 11, 1895	Representative in Congress, 1883-85

Gage, Henry T.	R.	Nov. 8, 1898	Jan. 4, 1899	Minister to Portugal, Dec. 21, 1909
Pardee, George C.	R.	Nov. 4, 1902	Jan. 7, 1903	Regent, Univ. Calif., 1899
Gillett, James N.	R.	Nov. 6, 1906	Jan. 9, 1907	Representative in Congress, 1903-06
Johnson, Hiram W.	R.	Nov. 8, 1910	Jan. 3, 1911	
Johnson, Hiram W.	R.	Nov. 3, 1914	Jan. 5, 1915	Elected U.S. Senator, Nov. 7, 1916 Resigned as Gov. Mar.15, 1917
Stephens, William D.	R.	-----	Mar. 15, 1917	Member of Congress, 10th Dist., 1910-16 Appointed Lt. Gov. July 19, 1916
Stephens, William D.	R.	Nov. 5, 1918	Jan. 7, 1919	Elected 1918
Richardson, Friend W.	R.	Nov. 7, 1922	Jan. 9, 1923	State Treas., 1915-1922
Young, C. C.	R.	Nov. 2, 1926	Jan. 24, 1927	Lt. Gov., 1919-1927
Rolph, James Jr.	R.	Nov. 4, 1930	Jan. 6, 1931	Mayor, San Francisco, 1911-1930. Deceased, June 2, 1934.
Merriam, Frank F.	R.	-----	June 3, 1934	Lt. Gov., succeeded Rolph
Merriam, Frank F.	R.	Nov. 6, 1934	Jan. 8, 1935	Lt. Gov., 1931-34
Olson, Culbert L.	D.	Nov. 8, 1938	Jan. 2, 1939	State Senator, 1935-38
Warren, Earl	R.	Nov. 3, 1942	Jan. 4, 1943	Attorney Gen., 1939-42
Warren, Earl	R.	Nov. 5, 1946	Jan. 6, 1947	Re-elected
Warren, Earl	R.	Nov. 7, 1950	Jan. 8, 1951	Re-elected. Became Chief Justice, U.S. Supreme Court, Oct. 5, 1953
Knight, Goodwin J.	R.	-----	Oct. 5, 1953	Lt. Gov., succeeded Warren
Knight, Goodwin J.	R.	Nov. 2, 1954	Jan. 3, 1955	
Brown, Edmund G.	D.	Nov. 4, 1958	Jan. 5, 1959	Attorney Gen.
Brown, Edmund G.	D.	Nov. 6, 1962	Jan. 7, 1963	Re-elected
Reagan, Ronald	R.	Nov. 8, 1966	Jan. 2, 1967 (scheduled)	

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SWEARING-IN BIBLE TO GO ON PUBLIC DISPLAY

SACRAMENTO -- The 400 year-old Bible on which Governor-elect Ronald Reagan and Lieutenant Governor-elect Robert Finch will take their oaths of office will go on public display here Wednesday afternoon (December 28).

The Bible -- brought to California by Padre Junipero Serra and used by the famed Spanish missionary at Carmel Mission until his death in 1784 -- will be presented to the press at a 1:30 P.M. briefing (December 28) by Carmel Mission Curator Harry Downie.

The briefing will be held at Grebitus Jewelers, 1108 K Street, where the book will go on display in a store window.

It will remain there through Saturday (December 31) after which it will be removed for the swearing-in ceremony in the Capitol Rotunda at 12:01 A.M. January 2.

The Bible will be returned to the Grebitus window display case Tuesday, January 3, where it will remain on view to the public through Inaugural Week.

Reservation forms for tickets to the Governor's Inaugural Concert, Luncheon and Ball will be available inside the store.

The forms may also be obtained at Inaugural Committee headquarters, 400 Capitol Mall, Suite 310, and the following Inaugural Information Centers: Breuners, 6th and K; General Savings and Loan Association, 2277 Watt Avenue; Sacramento City-County Chamber of Commerce, Town and Country Village Branch Office; and 1106 K Street.

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OATH OF OFFICE BIBLE FOUR CENTURIES OLD

SACRAMENTO -- Governor-elect Ronald Reagan and Lieutenant Governor-elect Robert Finch will take the oath of office on a 400 year-old Bible brought to California by Padre Junipero Serra.

The Bible -- published in Lyon, France, in 1568 -- will be removed from the archives of the Carmel Mission for the occasion. The mission was the second to be founded by the famed Spanish missionary in California, in 1770. Serra made the mission his administrative headquarters until his death August 28, 1784.

According to Harry Downie, curator at the Carmel Mission for the past 35 years, Serra "undoubtedly carried the Bible with him into California from Baja California where he had been president of the established mission system."

The famed missionary "probably used the Bible many times while in Carmel. It is, to my knowledge, the oldest Mission Bible in California," Downie said.

Its selection for the swearing-in ceremony is consistent with the "Fiesta California" theme of the Inaugural which will emphasize California's early Spanish heritage.

The historic book has a tan sheepskin cover, is eight inches long, six inches wide and three inches thick.

"The Bible," Downie said, "was undoubtedly brought to Mexico from Spain during the early colonial period by Jesuit missionaries. They founded the first mission in Baja California in 1697. When the Jesuits were expelled from Spain and its possessions by King Charles III in 1767, Serra, a Franciscan, was elected president of the Baja California missions.

Two years later, the Viceroy of Mexico (New Spain) sent an expedition northward from Baja California which resulted in the founding of San Diego. The expedition was led by Gaspar de Portola and Serra. Serra's belongings included a number of books. "Although it would be impossible to document, I believe it entirely safe to assume that the Bible (to be used for the swearing-in ceremony) was among these belongings," Downie said.

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SACRAMENTO -- Some of the top names in music and show business will flock into the capital city to perform at Inaugural events January 2-5 honoring Governor Ronald Reagan.

--The famed University of Southern California Chamber Singers under the direction of Charles C. Hirt will provide choral music during the official swearing-in ceremony at 12:01 A.M. January 2 in the Capitol Rotunda.

--The San Francisco Symphony Orchestra will play at the Governor's Inaugural Concert January 4 at 8:30 P.M. in the Sacramento Memorial Auditorium.

Three conductors will share baton honors for the Concert program:

- Josef Krips of the San Francisco Symphony.
- Harry Newstone of the Sacramento Symphony.
- Henry Lewis, rising young conductor from Los Angeles.

Two soloists will also appear on the program:

- Marilyn Horne, leading American Opera star.
- Jack Benny, comedian-violinist.

Other musical groups to perform during Inaugural Week will include:

--The Sacramento City College Choir at the Governor's Prayer Breakfast, January 5, 9:00 A.M., Memorial Auditorium.

--The 561st Air Force Band, California National Guard, in the Governor's Inaugural Procession, from the Memorial Auditorium to the Capitol, January 5, 10:30-11:00 A.M. This band marched in President Eisenhower's Inaugural Parade in 1957.

--The Sacramento State College Marching Band, in the Inaugural Procession.

--A 170-piece, Sacramento area, high school honor band-and-choir, in the balcony above the Capitol's west portico, for the

11:00 A.M. Inaugural Ceremony, Capitol steps, January 5.

Dance music and entertainment for the Governor's Inaugural Ball on January 5, 9:30 P.M. will feature:

--Freddy Martin and his Orchestra, including the voices of Johnny Cochran and Russ Taylor , the Martin Men, and the piano artistry of Dave Leonard.

--Manny Harmon and his orchestra.

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SACRAMENTO -- Tickets to the Governor's Inaugural Concert are on sale to the public at the Memorial Auditorium box office here, the Inaugural Committee announced today.

"We want to encourage the people of Sacramento take part in the Inaugural activities such as the Concert and Ball," Inaugural Director Sandy Quinn said.

"These are community events," he said, "and as citizens of the capital city, Sacramentans will be able to take pride in them."

"We've opened the Auditorium box office to make it easier for them to obtain tickets."

The gala concert -- set for 8:30 P.M. January 4 in the Memorial Auditorium, 15th and J Streets -- will feature the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra, famed opera singer Marilyn Horne and violinist Jack Benny. Concert conductors will include Josef Krips of the San Francisco Symphony, Harry Newstone of the Sacramento Symphony and Henry Lewis of Los Angeles.

Concert tickets will be on sale each day, including holidays, through January 4 from 11:30 A.M. until 5:30 P.M. at the box office window of the Memorial Auditorium. They range in price from \$3 to \$25.

Reservation forms for tickets to the Governor's Inaugural Ball and Governor's Community Lunch will also be available at the Auditorium.

The Inaugural Ball -- January 5 at 9:30 P.M. in the State Fair Counties Building -- will feature the dance orchestras of Freddy Martin and Manny Harmon, and three mariachi bands: Los Camperos, Los Vaqueros and Mariachi Zapopan. The mariachi music will be in keeping with the "Fiesta California" theme of the Ball. Television and nightclub star Danny Thomas will also entertain.

Ticket reservation forms to Inaugural events will also be available daily, including holidays, through January 5 -- from 9:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. -- at Inaugural Committee headquarters, 400 Capitol Mall, Suite 310.

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SACRAMENTO -- Virtuoso violinist Jack Benny will perform at the Governor's Inaugural Concert here January 4 at 8:30 P.M. in the Sacramento Memorial Auditorium, Concert Chairman Z. Wayne Griffin announced today.

Contacted following a golf game in Palm Springs, Benny said he was "thrilled" to be selected as violin soloist and "practicing like mad" for the gala occasion.

"I'm playing golf like I play my fiddle, so you can see why I'm practicing like mad," he said.

Benny is slated to perform two solo works with Henry Lewis conducting the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra. The numbers will be Ziegner Weisen (Gypsy Airs) for virtuoso violin, by Sarasate; and "The Bee," another virtuoso selection by F. (Francois) Schubert.

Benny appears as guest soloist for several symphony concerts around the country each year. He has been in show business for some 40 years.

The remainder of the Concert Program will be announced later.

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SACRAMENTO -- The program for the Governor's Inaugural Concert here January 4 was announced today by Concert Chairman Z. Wayne Griffin.

The gala event will begin at 8:30 P.M. in the Sacramento Memorial Auditorium.

Music will be played by the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra.

Maestro Josef Krips, musical director for the orchestra, will open the program conducting the Star Spangled Banner, followed by Bernstein's Overture to Candide and the Suite from Der Rosenkavalier by Strauss.

Next, Henry Lewis, a rising young conductor from Los Angeles, will take the stage with his lovely wife, Marilyn Horne. He will conduct the orchestra as his wife sings an aria from Semiramide by Rossini. Miss Horne is considered one of the world's leading mezzo-soprano opera stars. Lewis, who specializes in the music of George Gershwin, will then conduct a Symphonic Picture of Porgy and Bess.

Following a brief intermission, Harry Newstone of the Sacramento Symphony and formerly director of the Haydn Orchestra in London, will conduct the Suite from the Firebird by Stravinski.

Lewis will then return to the stand to conduct the orchestra in two works for virtuoso violin, with Jack Benny as soloist. The famed comedian-fiddler -- who takes his music very seriously -- will play Zigeunerweisen (Gypsy Airs) by Sarasate, and "The Bee" by Francois Schubert.

Reservation forms for tickets to the Concert and other Inaugural events may be obtained at the following Inaugural Information centers:

- Breuner's, 5th and K Streets
- General Savings and Loan Association, 2277 Watt Avenue
- Chamber of Commerce Branch Office, Town and Country Village
- 1106 K Street

Forms are also available at Inaugural Committee Headquarters, 400 Capitol Mall, Suite 310.

The forms will be processed on a priority basis. Tickets will be available until the capacity of each event is reached.

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SACRAMENTO - The San Francisco Symphony Orchestra has been chosen for the Governor's Inaugural Concert January 4 at 8:30 P.M. in the Sacramento Memorial Auditorium, Concert Chairman Z. Wayne Griffin of Los Angeles announced today.

Harry Newstone of the Sacramento Symphony Orchestra; Henry Lewis, a rising young conductor from Los Angeles; and Maestro Josef Krips of the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra will share baton honors on the program.

Krips, now in his third season as conductor and musical director for the San Francisco Symphony, commented: "We are pleased to accept this invitation and look forward with great anticipation to the occasion."

Now celebrating his 45th year as a leading conductor, Krips is also under contract to the Vienna State Opera Orchestra where he directs a number of musical performances each year.

Newstone, in his second season as conductor of the Sacramento Symphony Orchestra and previously director of the Haydn Orchestra in London, said: "I am particularly pleased that the inauguration of California's new Governor should be preceded by a concert of this quality and hope that it is a happy augury for the cultural life of California in general and the capital city in particular."

Lewis, 34, is one of only a handful of American conductors to have been chosen to lead the LaScala Opera Orchestra in a series of performances during its regular season. Lewis said: "I am deeply honored and pleased that I should be chosen to participate on the program for such an auspicious occasion. It is all the more gratifying to me because I am a native Californian,"

Lewis is widely known throughout Europe and America. He has been a guest conductor of such musical organizations as the Orchestre de la Suisse Romande in Geneva, the Covent Garden Orchestra in London, the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra in New York

and the Chicago and Detroit Symphony Orchestras. In 1963, he directed the Los Angeles Chamber Orchestra in a 14-Country tour of Europe under the auspices of the U. S. State Department.

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SACRAMENTO-- Z. Wayne Griffin, active for many years in Southern California cultural and civic affairs, has been named chairman for the Governor's Inaugural Concert here January 4, the Inaugural Committee announced today. Griffin has been a registered Democrat for many years.

The gala concert will be held in the Sacramento Memorial Auditorium at 8:30 P.M. Arrangements for the concert performance are being worked out and will be announced here within the next week, a Committee spokesman said.

Griffin, a Los Angeles businessman, was director of the Hollywood Bowl Association from 1951 until its recent merger with the Southern California Symphony Association. He is a director of the merged group, known as the Southern California Symphony and Hollywood Bowl Association.

For 15 years, 1945-60, he was a director and vice president of the Southern California Symphony Association.

He also serves as a director of the Los Angeles Civic Light Opera Association, the Los Angeles Music Festival Association, and the American National Theatre Authority. He is a former director of the Los Angeles Opera Guild.

Griffin is chairman of the Board of the Young Musician's Foundation, a member of the performing Arts Council of the Los Angeles Music Center, a member of the Music Center Building Fund's executive committee, a director, vice president and founding member of the Southern California Choral Association, commissioner and vice chairman of the Los Angeles Community Redevelopment Agency, and a member of the Mayor's Advisory Committee in Los Angeles.

He worked for many years as a writer-producer for such network radio programs as Cavalcade of America, Burns and Allen,

and Maxwell House Coffee Time. After World War II he moved to motion pictures where he produced such films as Family Honey-moon, Key to the City, and Lone Star. He later helped produce the GE Theatre for television.

He and his wife, the noted California composer-pianist Elinor Remick Warren, reside in the Hancock Park area of Los Angeles.

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ARRANGEMENTS FOR GOVERNOR'S INAUGURAL PROCESSION ANNOUNCED

SACRAMENTO -- Sixteen automobiles, two marching bands, two color guards and a motorcycle escort will form Governor Ronald Reagan's Official Inaugural Procession as it winds through downtown Sacramento to the Capitol January 5.

Moments later -- shortly after 11:00 A.M. -- the Governor will deliver his Inaugural address to the people of California from the west steps of the century-old building.

The procession will depart from the Memorial Auditorium at 10:40 A.M., immediately following the Governor's Prayer Breakfast. Twenty minutes later the motorcade will enter the basement parking area of the Capitol. Then he and his party will be whisked up by elevator to the main floor for their entrance onto a platform built over the Capitol steps. Here the Governor will deliver his address.

The route of the procession will be as follows: from the Memorial Auditorium south on 15th to K, west on K to 7th, south on 7th to the Capitol Mall and east on the Mall to the Capitol. (On reaching the corner of 10th Street and the Mall, the motorcade will move south on 10th to N, and east on N to the entrance of the Capitol basement parking area.)

Two chevrons of solo motorcycles -- seven in each chevron -- will lead the procession, followed by a car carrying the State Adjutant General and Deputy State Adjutants General for the California Army and Air National Guard.

Next a color guard comprised of members of the state Army and Air National Guard will bear the United States Flag and the Flag of the State of California. These banners -- traditional gifts from the National Guard Association -- will be unveiled for the first time in the procession, held during the Inaugural Ceremony, and retired to the Governor's office where they will remain through his term of office.

After the color guard will come the 561st Air Force Band, California National Guard, under the direction of Band Master Don Schary. The Band also marched in President Eisenhower's Inaugural Parade in 1957 and has performed at the California State Fair over the past 17 years.

The next nine cars will carry participating members of the Governor's platform party, new Constitutional Officers, and the clergy which will participate in the Inaugural Ceremony.

The Sacramento State College Marching Band, directed by Ronald Holloway, will follow, just ahead of the car carrying Lieutenant Governor Robert Finch.

A State Police standard bearer carrying the official flag of the Governor -- also to become a permanent part of his office -- will precede Mr. Reagan's car.

Two open convertibles carrying members of the press will immediately follow the Governor's car.

The procession will be brought up in the rear by two State Police cars.

Except for the two press cars, all automobiles in the procession will be closed due to the winter weather.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

SACRAMENTO -- The program for the official Inaugural Ceremonies honoring Governor Ronald Reagan January 5 on the west steps of the Capitol was announced here today by the Inaugural Committee.

The ceremony will begin at 10:30 A.M. and dovetail with the Governor's Inaugural Procession which is scheduled to wind through downtown Sacramento to the Capitol between 10:30 and 11:00 A.M.

The band section of the combined 170-piece Official Inaugural Band-and-Choir -- comprised of students from four Sacramento area high schools (C. K. McClatchy, Hiram Johnson, Luther Burbank and Sacramento high schools) -- will start the ceremony with the playing of His Honor March. The group will be conducted by John Scott Trotter. The band will be seated on the second floor exterior porch above the Capitol's West Portico. The choir, in red robes, will stand on a tiered riser in the doorway at the center of the porch, directly beneath the gold Seal of the State of California on the Capitol's west facade.

Next, the band will play Semper Fidelis March.

At about 10:40, a voice will be heard on the loudspeaker system relating the program to follow.

At approximately 10:50, the Inaugural Band will play the Grand Processional. Moments later the first chevrons of solo motorcycles leading the Inaugural Procession will round the corner of 7th Street and Capitol Mall. The motorcycles will sound their sirens as they proceed eastward along the Mall toward the Capitol.

On reaching the corner of 10th Street and the Mall, directly in front of the Capitol, the 16 automobiles in the Procession will move to the Capitol's basement area where the Governor and his party will catch elevators to the main floor of the building.

Meanwhile, the first of the two marching bands in the Inaugural Procession -- the 561st Air Force Band, California National Guard -- will position itself in the Capitol Circle, near the State Library. The other group -- The Sacramento State College Band -- will split at 10th Street and the Mall, one half marching to each side of the Capitol steps.

At approximately 11:05, platform guests will exit from the Capitol Rotunda through the large doors of the West Portico onto a large platform built over the front steps of the building. Those to be marshalled onto the platform will include members of the State Legislature, participating clergy, new

Constitutional Officers and their spouses, Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Robert Finch and Governor and Mrs. Reagan.

When all are seated, the ceremony will continue with the invocation (by either James Francis Cardinal McIntyre, archbishop of the diocese of Los Angeles, or by Bishop Alden Bell of the Dioces of Sacramento.)

Next, Finch will convene a joint session of the State Legislature, after which he will introduce the State Constitutional Officers (in this order): Secretary of State Frank M. Jordan, Controller Houston I. Flournoy, Treasurer Mrs. Ivy Baker Priest Stevens, Attorney General Thomas C. Lynch and State Superintendent of Public Instruction Max Rafferty.

Following the introductions, Finch will offer a brief remarks from the rostrum.

Then, the Reverend Don Moomaw, pastor of Governor Reagan's home church in Los Angeles -- the Bel Air Presbyterian Church (16221 Mulholland Drive) will offer a prayer.

The combined Inaugural Band-and-Choir will follow the prayer with a stirring presentation of the Battle Hymn of the Republic, led by John Scott Trotter.

Next, Treasurer Ivy Baker Priest Stevens will introduce Governor Reagan who will then deliver a 20-minute Inaugural address.

The benediction will be pronounced by Rabbi Edgar F. Magnin of the Wilshire Boulevard Temple in Los Angeles. It will be said in both English and Hebrew.

Then, State Adjutant General Roderic L. Hill and his two deputy adjutants general, Brigadier General B. J. Kitt and Brigadier General George W. Edmonds will approach the rostrum and present the colors.

General Hill will salute the Governor. General Kitt of the Army Division will hold the U. S. Flag, a gift from General Dwight D. Eisenhower. General Edmonds of the Air division will hold a three-by-five foot California Bear Flag which was carried through several battles in Vietnam by Sergeant Robert Howell of Lakeport, California. Howell presented the flag to Reagan on July 29. Reagan promised that if elected the flag would fly at his inauguration.

As the flags are raised the Inaugural Band-and-Chior will offer the National Anthem.

This will be followed by the playing of Ruffles and Flourishes by the 561st Air Force Band at the Capitol Circle.

A 19-gun salute from four cannons located nearby on the Capitol Mall

will then boom out as the Air Force Band plays the Stars and Stripes Forever.

The color guard will retire and Lt. Governor Finch will adjourn the Legislature.

As the platform party retires and the crowd dispersed, Sacramento musician Thomas Thompson will play songs of California on a 74-bell Carillon.

The ceremony will be televised live to nearly 2 dozen California T.V. stations.

The public is invited to attend.

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WITH PROCESSION

SACRAMENTO - Colorful street decorations in the shape of the Seal of the Governor of the State of California will grace some 80 lamp posts along the route of the Governor's Inaugural Procession here January 5.

The deep blue seals, rimmed with gold ribbon, will be four feet in diameter. Each will hold a U. S. Flag and a California State Flag. The flags will hang from short poles branching upward from the seals in the form of a V.

The seals will go up January 3. The flags will be put in place on the morning of January 5, except for those in front of the Memorial Auditorium which will be affixed to seals on the afternoon of January 4, just prior to the Governor's Inaugural Concert.

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WITH CAPITOL STEPS INAUGURAL CEREMONY

Ronald Reagan's Inaugural address will be only the fourth such speech to be delivered by a Governor of California from the steps of the present State Capitol in Sacramento.

The first Inaugural address from the Capitol steps was made by Governor Newton Booth on the afternoon of December 6, 1871, two years after the Capitol was formally opened for use by the state government.

Booth's speech, from a platform built over the steps, was the high point in a full day of Inaugural pageantry in the capital city, "the most showy display ever yet made at an inauguration of a governor of the state," the Sacramento Daily Union reported the next day. At 10:00 A.M. a host of colorfully attired bands and military marching units with bear-skin caps and handsome uniforms began nearly an entire day of parading and serenading through the streets of Sacramento.

Shortly before 2:00 P.M. Booth and outgoing Governor Henry Haight climbed out of a carriage which had headed a procession of carriages bearing a group of officials and dignitaries from the governor's residence to the Capitol building and a multitude of others looked on from the grounds and streets adjacent to the Capitol's west steps, the ceremony began.

After Booth, and the then Lieutenant Governor Romualdo Pacheco, were sworn in on the stand by State Supreme Court Chief Justice Rhodes, Booth delivered his inaugural address.

"The military afterwards marched through the streets, the various bands playing favorite airs, and closing a day than which there was never one that passed off so excellently well in every respect," the Sacramento Daily Union concluded in its report.

Four years later Governor William Irwin read his inaugural address from the Capitol steps, but it was not until January 6, 1931, that the same setting was chosen for an inaugural speech. In that year, Governor James Rolph, Jr. read his inaugural speech to both a Capitol Park crowd estimated at 5,000 and persons around the state who were tuned to a radio broadcast of the event. Governor Edmund G. Brown delivered his inaugural address from the Capitol steps January 7, 1963.

Since the Capitol was opened, most of the state's governors (17) have chosen the Assembly Chamber as the place to deliver their inaugural address.

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SACRAMENTO-- Students from four Sacramento area high school bands and choirs have been chosen to perform the musical portion of the 11 A.M. Inaugural Ceremony set for the west steps of the State Capitol January 5.

The students -- chosen for their individual musical ability -- will represent the concert bands and choirs of Luther Burbank, Hiram Johnson, C.K. McClatchy and Sacramento high schools, all part of the Sacramento City Unified School District.

Altogether, 170 students will participate. Ninety of them will form an honor band. The other 80 will comprise a choir. Combined, the two groups will be known as the "Official 1967 Sacramento All-City High School Inaugural Band and Choir." It will be conducted by John Scott Trotter.

Choice of the Sacramento schools for the honor is consistent with the Inaugural Committee's emphasis on local community involvement in the week-long series of Inaugural events in the capital city.

They will perform five musical selections during the Inaugural Ceremony from their location on the exterior porch (or 2nd floor gallery) of the Capital Portico. The selections will include three marches to be played by the band alone, followed by Battle Hymn of the Republic and the Star Spangled Banner to be performed by the combined band and choir.

The band will be seated across the porch. The choir, facing west, will sing from tiered risers erected in the doorway opening onto the porch.

Sacramento City Schools Program Specialists Norman Lamb and Mrs. Floy Potter will conduct rehearsals and coordinate general arrangements with Governor-elect Ronald Reagan's Inaugural

Committee prior to the event. The first joint dress rehearsal is scheduled for Wednesday, December 14, at 2 P.M. in the Sacramento High School Auditorium and Choral Room.

THE PRESS IS INVITED TO COVER THE REHEARSAL

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

INAUGURAL BALL

SACRAMENTO -- Preparations for the Governor's Official Inaugural Ball are ahead of schedule, the Inaugural Committee announced today in Sacramento.

"Interest from throughout California is excellent," Inaugural Director Sandy Quinn reported.

"Mail requests for the tickets is overwhelming.

"We are particularly pleased to hear that groups are chartering planes and trains and planning motorcades from as far away as San Diego and Eureka to attend the Inaugural Concert and Ball January 4 and 5," Quinn said.

Decorations for the Ball -- announced today -- will all emphasize a Spanish "Fiesta California" theme and include:

--One hundred huge wrought-iron lanterns made expressly for the occasion.

--A large floral ceiling to be pushed into the top of the dome in the State Fair Counties Building where the Ball will be held.

--A large centerpiece below the dome with fountains, large floral seals, ice-carved California Bears and a circular stage where the Governor will make a few remarks during the evening of the Ball.

--Six raised dance floors in the building, each rimmed in California brick.

--Blue and gold drapes around the entire downstairs area of the building.

--Blue lighting across the ceiling of the building, plus "hot pink" lighting of the "eiffel tower-like" iron work above the building rotunda.

Entertainment at the Ball will be provided by:

--Freddy Martin and his orchestra.

--Manny Harmon and his orchestra.

Crews of carpenters, brick masons, painters, decorators, electricians, plumbers, and others have been busy readying the Counties Building since before Thanksgiving, Quinn said.

The handsome 47-year old brick structure was selected for both its large size (60,000 square feet) and its basic architectural features.

Reservation forms for tickets to the Ball and other Inaugural Week events are available at Inaugural Committee headquarters, 400 Capitol Mall, Suite 310, and at Inaugural Information Centers such as those in Breuner's, 6th and K; General Savings and Loan Association, 2277 Watt Avenue, Sacramento City-County Chamber of Commerce, Town and Country Village Branch Office; and 1106 K Street.

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WITH INAUGURAL DECORATIONS

SACRAMENTO -- The first of ten large ice carvings -- each depicting a golden California Bear -- was sculptured and put in cold storage here today, ready for use as part of the ornate decorations at the Governor's Inaugural Reception and Ball January 5.

The sculptures are being fashioned out of 350-pound blocks of gold-colored ice by James Z. Hansen, manager of the Mather Air Force Base Officers' Club. Hansen, who makes roughly a dozen ice carvings a month as a hobby, has become an expert at it over the past 15 years.

Two of the sculptures will highlight the decor of the Governor's Reception. The other eight will be placed about the circular centerpiece in The Rotunda of the State Fair Counties Building the night of the Ball. Each carving will be two feet high and 42 inches long.

Hansen fashions his figures in ice with carving tools such as "ice chippers, curved saws and rasps."

"I make the carvings in a 'freezing box' at the National Ice and Cold Storage Company, 2338 Ninth Avenue here. The temperature inside is about zero degrees farenheit," he explained.

The ice figures are kept inside until needed. Once taken from cold storage they keep their shape for about eight hours, he said.

According to Hansen, it takes about three hours to fashion each carving.

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SACRAMENTO -- Jack Benny, Danny Thomas, the orchestras of Freddy Martin and Manny Harmon and three mariachi groups will headline the evening entertainment program at the Governor's Inaugural Ball here January 5.

The Ball will begin at 9:30 P.M. in the State Fair Counties Building and climax a week of Inaugural events in the capital city honoring the incoming administration of Governor Ronald Reagan.

Reservations for tickets to the Ball may be obtained at:

-- Sacramento Memorial Auditorium box office, 11:30 A.M.--5:30 P.M. daily.

-- Inaugural Committee headquarters, 400 Capitol Mall, Suite 310, 9 A.M.--7 P.M. daily.

-- Inaugural Information Centers, including Breuner's, 6th and K; Grebitus Jewelers, 1108 K Street; General Savings and Loan Association, 2277 Watt Avenue; Chamber of Commerce Branch Office in Town and Country Village.

The Ball program will alternate mariachi selections with the music of Freddy Martin and Manny Harmon. The Martin and Harmon orchestras will play for 45 minutes each hour followed by 15 minute periods of mariachi music by Los Camperos, Los Vaqueros, and the Marichi Zapopan groups.

At about 11:00 P.M., Jack Benny and Danny Thomas will take the colorful center stage in the building to entertain for approximately 15 minutes.

Governor and Mrs. Reagan will arrive at the Ball at approximately 11:15. They will then walk through each of the building's two ballrooms within an encirclement of honor guards. After ascending the center stage, the National Anthem will be played and the Governor will make several brief remarks of welcome.

At 11:30 the music program will continue until 2 A.M. when the Ball ends.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

SACRAMENTO -- Famed television and nightclub star Danny Thomas will entertain at the Governor's Inaugural Ball here January 5, the Inaugural Committee announced today.

The gala Ball will be held in the Counties Building at the State Fairgrounds beginning at 9:30 P.M.

The orchestras of Freddy Martin and Manny Harmon will provide dance music.

Reservation forms for tickets to the Ball, Governor's Inaugural Concert and Community Lunch are available at Inaugural Committee headquarters, 400 Capitol Mall, Suite 310, and at Inaugural Information Centers in Breuner's, 6th and K; General Savings and Loan Association, 2277 Watt Avenue; Sacramento City-County Chamber of Commerce, Town and Country Village Branch Office; and 1106 K Street.

The Inaugural Concert will take place in the Sacramento Memorial Auditorium January 4 at 8:30 P.M. The Governor's Community Lunch, sponsored by the local Chamber of Commerce, will be held in the Memorial Auditorium at 1:00 P.M. January 5.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

WITH INAUGURAL BALL

SACRAMENTO -- The Governor's Inaugural Ball January 5 in the State Fair Counties Building here will mark the first time the huge exhibit hall has ever been used for anything other than agricultural displays at fair time and storage during the remainder of the year, according to State Fair Buildings and Grounds Chief Albert A. Welch.

The building -- completed in 1919 -- is "practically a carbon copy of the California Pavilion at the Chicago World's Fair in 1893. The pavilion was designed to reflect the basic lines of California mission architecture," Welch said.

With its 60,000 square feet of floor space, the Counties Building is the largest public facility in Sacramento suitable for holding an event of the magnitude of the Inaugural Ball.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

SACRAMENTO -- U. S. Senator George Murphy has been named chairman of the Governor's Inaugural Ball set for January 5 at 9:30 P.M. in the Counties Building of the State Fairgrounds here, the Inaugural Committee announced today.

Murphy headed program arrangements and planning for both of President Eisenhower's Inaugural Balls in Washington.

He is one of the Republican Party's top fund raisers and among the country's most sought-after speakers.

The gala Ball will climax a series of Inaugural Week events in the Capital city.

Murphy commented:

"I'm delighted to be chosen for the honor since the Ball will signal the beginning of a new era in California. I'm particularly pleased because the Inaugural will involve a personal friend of such long standing as Ronnie Reagan."

Reservation forms for Ball tickets may be obtained by writing the Inaugural Committee at P.O. Box 2511, Sacramento (Zip Code 95811).

In Sacramento, the forms may be picked up at:

- Inaugural Committee Headquarters, 400 Capitol Mall, Suite 310
- Breuner's, 6th and K Streets
- General Savings and Loan Association, 2277 Watt Avenue
- Chamber of Commerce Branch Office, Town and Country Village
- 1106 K Street

The forms will be processed on a priority basis.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS - 12/27/66

Governor-elect Ronald Reagan will tour the Inaugural Committee headquarters in Sacramento beginning at 11:15 A.M., Tuesday (December 27).

The office is located in the Crocker-Citizens Bank Building, 400 Capitol Mall, Suite 310.

During his visit, Reagan:

-- Will be presented with "ticket number one" to Inaugural Week events in his honor.

-- Will be shown the cover of the Official Souvenir Program for the Inaugural, designed by Walt Disney Productions.

-- Will chat with Inaugural Committee staff members and volunteers about their roles in planning the Inauguration.

The bi-partisan Committee -- composed of volunteers -- is responsible for setting up a host of Inaugural activities in Sacramento, ranging from the Governor's official swearing-in ceremony on January 2 to a gala Inaugural Ball January 5.

Inaugural information, tickets and invitations, community decorations, souvenir programs, housing arrangements and overall preparations for Inaugural events are being coordinated by the Committee.

Events scheduled during Inaugural Week include:

January 2 - Official swearing-in ceremony, Capitol Rotunda, 12:01 A.M.

January 4 - Inaugural Concert (black tie optional), Sacramento Memorial Auditorium, 8:30 P.M.

January 5 - Inaugural Prayer Breakfast, Sacramento Memorial Auditorium, 9:00 A.M.

- Inaugural Procession, K St.-7th St.-Capitol Mall, 10:30 A.M.

- Inaugural Ceremonies, including Mr. Reagan's Inaugural Address, West steps of the Capitol, 11:00 A.M.

- Community Luncheon sponsored by local civic groups, Sacramento Memorial Auditorium, 1:00 P.M.

- Inaugural Reception, Main Ballroom of the Hotel El Dorado (by invitation only), 7:00 P.M.

- Inaugural Ball (black tie), Counties Building at State Fairgrounds, 9:30 P.M.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS - 12/9/66

Mrs. Ronald Reagan will pay an informal visit to the Governor-elect's Inaugural Committee headquarters in Sacramento Monday morning (12/12/66) about 11:30 A.M., to chat with Inaugural staff members and volunteer workers about their roles in planning for Inaugural Week, January 2 through 5.

The Inaugural Committee headquarters is located in suite 310 of the Crocker-Citizens Bank building, 400 Capitol Mall, Sacramento.

Mrs. Reagan is particularly pleased about the strong community involvement in the Inaugural preparations and wants to personally meet those people taking part.

The visit will enable her to go over plans for the week-long series of events.

Later, she will be shown the Governor-elect's offices in the nearby IBM building.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

SACRAMENTO -- The first of some 25,000 official invitations to the 1967 California Inauguration in Sacramento are in the mail this weekend. The invitations are engraved and carry a gold embossed State Seal. They are being sent to government officials and political leaders, including every Democrat in the State Legislature. More than 150 women volunteers from Sacramento and Los Angeles are hand-addressing the invitation envelopes. Inaugural activities include a Governor's Concert the evening of January 4, and on January 5 official ceremonies on the Capitol steps at 11:00 A.M., a civic luncheon at Noon, and an Inaugural Ball at the State Fairgrounds at 9:30 P.M.

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FOR RELEASE (NOTE EMBARGO)

EMBARGOED FOR AM NEWSPAPERS, MONDAY, DEC. 19, 1966

SACRAMENTO - The Inaugural Committee today released a sketch and description of the long evening costume Mrs. Ronald Reagan will wear for the Governor's Inaugural Concert here January 4 at 8:30 P.M. in the Sacramento Memorial Auditorium.

The simple sleeveless gown, in orange flame French wool gabardine, emphasizes a small high-fitted bustline, with a slightly A-shaped skirt. A double breasted jacket with small stand away collar completes the total look.

It was designed by Ben Zuckerman and purchased through Amelia Gray in Beverly Hills.

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FOR RELEASE (NOTE EMBARGO)

(EMBARGOED FOR AM NEWSPAPERS, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 21, 1966)

SACRAMENTO - Governor-Elect Ronald Reagan's Inaugural Committee today released a sketch and description of the suit Mrs. Reagan will wear at the 11 A.M. Inaugural Ceremonies on the Capitol steps, January 5.

The casual three-piece suit, in bright lipstick red, features a sleeveless overblouse, simple eased skirt with double breasted jacket, short and trim. The fabric is of French origin -- a shadow stripe wool hopsack.

It was designed by Ben Zuckerman and purchased through Amelia Gray in Beverly Hills.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

SACRAMENTO -- Walt Disney Productions is designing and producing the Official Souvenir Program for the January 2-5 Inauguration of Governor Ronald Reagan, the Inaugural Committee announced here today.

The booklet will sell for \$2.00 per copy and "will be full of detailed Inaugural information, new photos and etchings highlighting California's colorful mission heritage, stories of unique moments in the State's early history, pictures and biographies of the new Constitutional officers, specific programs for each Inaugural Week event and a roster of State officials," a Committee spokesman said.

Design of the Program will be compatible with the "Fiesta California" theme of inaugural activities. "It should be a real collector's item," the spokesman said.

Advance orders are being taken now for First Edition copies of the Souvenir Program, through the Inaugural Committee office at 400 Capitol Mall, Suite 310, Sacramento (916 443-6922).

A feature will be new photographs of Mr. and Mrs. Reagan and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Finch taken especially for use in the booklet.

The front cover of the 24-page Program will feature a three-inch Seal of the State of California in gold leaf blind embossing. The title page will carry a striking photo of the State Capitol.

The first eight page section will present the State's new Constitutional officers.

The three two-page sections which follow will portray the romantic history of California through hitherto unpublished photos, plus sketches penned by Disney artists. Major subjects will include: California's early exploration and mission heritage; Statehood and the Gold Rush; Modern California and its vision

for the future.

Another four-page section will list programs and descriptions of particular Inaugural Week events.

A roster of California State officials will round out the Souvenir brochure.

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MEMORANDUM - 12/15/66

To: NEWS MEDIA
From: Al Hill, Press Representative
Subject: PRESS CREDENTIALS, HOUSING AND FACILITIES DURING INAUGURAL WEEK

Requests for press credentials to cover the public events being held during Inaugural Week should be sent to me immediately at the above address.

A schedule of events is enclosed.

Your request for credentials should indicate the events you will be covering. Should you desire housing, kindly indicate your room preference and the dates of arrival and departure.

Press rooms with telephones will be provided at the major events.

Should you have any special request, kindly indicate them.

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FOR RELEASE: 12/12/66

SACRAMENTO -- James W. Caswell, a key member of Governor-elect Ronald Reagan's Inaugural Committee staff, will discuss plans for Inaugural Week here in a noon luncheon meeting today before the State Men's Club at Roberts' Fish Grotto, 1211 K Street.

Caswell was an executive assistant to Reagan's State Campaign Chairman Phillip Battaglia prior to the recent election. Caswell's present duties include general community relations, coordination of an Inaugural Community Lunch January 5 to be sponsored by several major Sacramento civic groups, and assistance in the establishment of a series of local Inaugural information centers in the capitol city.

Inaugural Week in Sacramento will begin January 2 with the Governor's swearing in ceremony and end January 5 with a gala Inaugural Ball.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

REAGAN TO TAKE OATH OF OFFICE FROM JUSTICE MCCOMB

California State Supreme Court Justice Marshall F. McComb will administer the oath of office to Ronald Reagan as he officially assumes the governorship January 2, the Inaugural Committee Headquarters in Sacramento announced today.

The swearing-in ceremony is scheduled to begin at 12:01 A.M. January 2, in the Rotunda of the Capitol.

In a statement issued by the Inaugural office, the governor-elect said:

"I have asked California Supreme Court Justice Marshall F. McComb to administer the oath of office of Governor and he has graciously accepted.

"Justice McComb is an old friend and I will be proud to have a man of his stature and integrity administer the oath."

Justice McComb was first appointed to a judgeship in 1927 when he became a Superior Court Judge in Los Angeles County. He has the longest record of judicial service of anyone presently serving on the State Supreme Court.

At least three California governors have been sworn in by Associated Justices of the State Supreme Court since 1895. Four other governors have taken the oath of office by judges not serving on the State Supreme Court bench.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

The first of a series of inaugural centers planned for the Sacramento area will be opened tomorrow at Breuner's, 6th and K Streets.

The centers, to be manned by volunteers, will provide information to the general public concerning activities scheduled for Inauguration Week in Sacramento January 2-5. The women will answer questions and issue request forms for tickets to persons wishing them.

The Breuner's information center will be located on the ground floor just inside the main entrance. It will be open during regular store hours.

Other information centers are slated to open the next two weeks in Sacramento area stores and offices.

The centers will reflect the growing interest shown by the community in Inaugural Week events, a spokesman said.

Local businesses desiring to accomodate inaugural information centers on their premises may call Governor-elect Ronald Reagan's inaugural committee headquarters at (916) 443-6922.

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INAUGURAL TICKET INFORMATION AVAILABLE

Governor-elect Ronald Reagan's Inaugural Committee issued a reminder today that information concerning ticket availability for events scheduled during inaugural week in Sacramento may be obtained by calling (916) 443-6922.

Interest in tickets continues to run high this week with undreds of phone calls being received daily in the Inaugural Committee's headquarters at 400 Capitol Mall, a spokesman said.

While it was emphasized that tickets will be made available on a priority basis, persons interested in purchasing them for individual inaugural events were invited to telephone committee staff members and request forms for reservations.

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REAGAN INAUGURAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS OPENS

Governor-elect Ronald Reagan's Inaugural Committee Headquarters was formally opened today in Sacramento.

It is located in suite 310 of the Crocker-Citizens Bank Building at 400 Capitol Mall, a block west of the Governor-elect's office in the IBM Building.

The committee will be responsible for setting up a host of inaugural week activities in Sacramento, ranging from the Governor's official swearing-in ceremony on January 2 to a gala inaugural ball on January 5.

Inaugural news material, tickets and invitations, community decorations, souvenir programs, housing arrangements and preparations for inaugural events will be coordinated by committee staff members.

Persons interested in purchasing tickets for individual inaugural events may call committee headquarters at (916) 443-6922 and request forms for reservations. Tickets will be made available on a priority basis.

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SACRAMENTO -- Decorations for the Official Governor's Inaugural Ball January 5 at 9:30 P.M. in the State Fair Counties Building will include:

INTERIOR DECOR

- Blue and gold drapes around the entire downstairs area of the building.
- Blue drapes around the balcony walls. The balcony rail throughout the building will be swagged in white satin, drawn up every 12 feet into rosettes highlighting the wood-carved seals of each of the State's counties. The seals will be refinished in antique gold. Hanging from each seal will be a six-foot drop of white satin, covered by a hanging spray of official Inaugural flowers: Blue Bird of Paradise and gold-colored Chrysanthemums.
- Six raised dance floors, each rimmed in California brick.
- One hundred huge "old Spanish-style" wrought iron lanterns made expressly for the occasion. Entrances to each raised dance floor will be marked by lanterns. Ten large lanterns will hang from the ceiling in each of the building's two ballrooms. A giant lantern will be suspended from the ceiling of the dome in the center of the building. All the lanterns will contain amber lights. They will replace all existing light fixtures in the building.
- A floral ceiling disc will fill the dome ceiling above the Rotunda of the building. The dome will be in bright amber tones.
- Outside lighting of the tracery windows in the dome to emphasize their striking multi-colors from the inside.
- "Hot pink" lighting of the "Eiffel Tower-like" iron work above the Rotunda.
- Blue lighting of the ceilings above both of the ballrooms in the building.
- A large (36-foot in diameter) centerpiece on the ground floor below the dome with four six-foot fountains and four six-foot floral seals of the Governor. On either side of each floral seal will be gold ice-carved California bear (total of eight bears). The perimeter of the circular centerpiece will contain greenery, pom pom Chrysanthemums and 200 dozen Bird of Paradise flowers. A five-and-one-half-foot high stage inside the centerpiece will be used by the Governor when he delivers several brief remarks during the Ball.
- Alcoves around the perimeter of the dance floor with tables covered in "Fiesta-colored" tablecloths and chairs.
- A Governor's Box near the Rotunda on the southeast side of the building. The box will be dressed with tabbed-back drapes on the pillars of the

box with a carpeted floor.

-- The foyer of the building will be decorated in blue, red, orange, yellow, and pink taffeta fabric, fringed and tassled in red rayon. Upon entering, a fourteen-foot floral seal of the State of California will be seen. Two floral arrangements will be located to the right and left of the foyer.

EXTERIOR DECOR

-- Ten searchlights, five on each side of the front entrance of the building will criss-cross in the sky from 8 P.M. until midnight.

-- Three fountains with six gold and white pulldown banners will adorn the fountain area directly in front of the entrance to the building.

-- A green and white canopy from the main entrance to the fountain will provide a drive-up area for guests. Valet parking will be provided for everyone. Cars will be parked on streets throughout the fairgrounds.

-- The front of the building will be washed in white light.

-- A large sign will be placed beneath the clock on the front of the building. It will read: "The Governor's Inaugural Ball."

-- Cupola of the dome on the building lit in gold from the outside. The dome itself will be washed in blue light.

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GOVERNOR'S INAUGURAL PRAYER BREAKFAST ANNOUNCED

SACRAMENTO -- The program for the Governor's Prayer Breakfast January 5 at 9 A.M. in the Sacramento Memorial Auditorium was announced here today by the Inaugural Committee.

Lt. Governor Robert Finch will preside.

Some 500 persons are scheduled to attend the Breakfast, prelude to a full day of Inaugural events in the capital city.

A three-tiered head table on the stage will seat Finch, Governor Ronald Reagan, the constitutional officers, participating members of the clergy and others. Among others invited to sit at the head table are U. S. Senators George Murph and Thomas Kuchel; State Legislators Hugh Burns, Jesse Unruh, Jack McCarthy and Robert Monagan; Congressional Delegates Cecil King and Glen Lipscomb; State Supreme Court Chief Justice Roger Traynor; Mayor Walter M. Christensen of Sacramento; The State Adjutant-General and the two Deputy Adjutant-General; the Chairman of the Board of Regents; and the Chairman of the State College Board of Trustees.

Guests--primarily State government leaders--will be seated at round tables throughout the orchestra section of the Auditorium.

The program will begin with a choral selection -- "The Lord Bless You and Keep You" -- to be sung by the Sacramento City College A Cappella Chior directed by Clive Mefford. The chior will perform from the south first balcony of the Auditorium. Women members will wear sky blue formals, the men white dinner jackets.

Finch will then welcome the guests and lead a salute to the flag.

The opening prayer of dedication will be offered by Federal District Judge Thomas J. MacBride.

Then breakfast itself will be served. The menu will consist of frozen fruit compote, egg mornay with cheese sauce, pork chop a la frite, Canadian style bacon, saucisse a la frite, biscuits served with whipped butter, royale petite Danish pastries and coffee. The meat items will be garnished with petit cinammon apples and holly leaves.

At 9:30, the chior will sing the hymn, "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God."

Assembly Minority Leader Robert Monagan will present the scripture reading: I Timothy 2:1-7.

Finch will then introduce James Francis Cardinal McIntyre, archbishop of the diocese of Los Angeles; Rabbi Edgar F. Magnin of the Wilshire Boulevard

Temple in Los Angeles; and Reverend Don Moomaw, pastor of the Bel Air Presbyterian Church in Los Angeles, Reagan's home church. Each will speak for approximately five minutes.

(Bishop Alden Bell of the diocese of Sacramento will fill in for Cardinal McIntyre if archbishop is unable to attend.)

At approximately 10 A.M., Governor Reagan will speak for approximately 7-10 minutes.

Judge McBride will then say the Benediction.

The choir will close the program singing "America (My Country Tis of Thee)." Prayer breakfast guests and participants will join in singing the last verse.

Decor for the event is based on the California citrus colors -- yellows, golds, and bright orange shades. The entire auditorium will be draped in gold-colored antique satin. The drapes will be swagged at the top with yellow, gold and orange satin to blend with the decor of the tables.

Each round table will feature a centerpiece highlighting citrus fruits, black wrought-iron candle lanterns and black wrought-iron multi-colored candles.

The head table will be swagged in satin with citrus colors.

At each place setting, there will be a nine by eleven inch programme. The outside will be Spanish gold in color with a blind embossed two inch seal of the State of California on the front.

The breakfast will be served on matching white bone Danish china.

Attendance will be by invitation only.

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR INAUGURAL WEEK

MONDAY, JANUARY 2

12:01

Official swearing-in ceremony for Governor-Elect Reagan and Lt. Governor-Elect Finch in the Rotunda of the Capitol. Event is by invitation only. Limited to family, friends, press and staff.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4

8:30 P. M.

Governor's Inaugural Concert at the Sacramento Memorial Auditorium. This event will be by invitation and by public sale of tickets.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 5

9:00 A. M.

Inaugural Prayer Breakfast at the Sacramento Memorial Auditorium. This event will be by invitation only. Included on the invitation list will be the Governor, Constitutional Officers, Legislators, Members of the Supreme Court, Members of the Congress, the Regents of the University, the Trustees of the State Colleges and their wives.

10:30 A. M.

Inaugural Procession from the Memorial Auditorium to the West Steps of the Capitol.

11:00 A. M.

Inaugural Ceremonies on the West Steps of the Capitol. The ceremonies will be open to the public.

1:00 P. M.

Community Luncheon at the Sacramento Memorial Auditorium. This luncheon is being sponsored by the Sacramento Chamber of Commerce. Tickets on public sale.

7:30 P. M.

Inaugural Reception in the Main Ballroom of the Hotel El Dorado. This event is by invitation only.

9:30 P. M.

Inaugural Ball in the Exhibit Hall (Counties Building) at the State Fairgrounds. Dress will be black tie. This event is by invitation and by public sale of the tickets.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

SACRAMENTO -- "Elegance and good taste" will mark the decor and program of the Governor's Inaugural Concert here January 5.

This is the way Inaugural Director Sandy Quinn described plans for the Concert scheduled for the Memorial Auditorium at 8:30 P.M.

The Concert will feature the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra, famed opera star Marilyn Horne and Jack Benny, violinist extraordinaire. The orchestra will be conducted by Josef Krips of the San Francisco Symphony; Harry Newstone, director of the Sacramento Symphony; and Henry Lewis of Los Angeles, Husband of Miss Horne.

Concert tickets range from \$3 to \$25. They are on sale daily, 11:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M., at the Memorial Auditorium box office. Reservation forms for tickets to the Concert are also available at Inaugural Committee headquarters -- 400 Capitol Mall, Suite 310 -- daily from 9 A.M. - 7 P.M., Quinn said.

The Auditorium will be elegantly decorated for the occasion.

Even the front of the building will be dressed for the occasion. A special canopy will be set up, running from the Auditorium porch entrance to the curb on J Street. The westerly two lanes of traffic on J Street, between 15th and 16th Streets will be stanchioned off and policed as a drive-up area for Concert guests. Directly across the street from the Auditorium, six searchlights will begin oscillating through the sky at 7 P.M. When the Governor arrives at about 8:40 P.M., the lights will form a dome over the Auditorium for his entrance. The Governor and his party will then be escorted to their seats in the Governor's Box by members of the California State Police. His automobile will remain parked at curbside during the performance.

Decoration of the first foyer of the Auditorium will include eight silk California flags suspended from the walls. Two six-foot full-round floral bouquets made of gold-colored Chrysanthemums and blue Bird of Paradise, the official Inaugural flowers, will be placed on antique gold pedestals.

A red carpet runner will stretch through the first and second foyers into the rear portion of the orchestra section of the Auditorium where the Governor's box will be located.

In the second foyer, two additional matching bouquets, each six-feet in diameter, but half-round, will be set against a special drape on either side of the main entrance to the orchestra section.

Inside the Auditorium, the Governor and his party will be seated in

in the rear four rows of the Governor's Box, in full view of everyone in the Auditorium.

The proscenium of the stage will feature two huge 12-foot floral seals: Hanging from the pillars on the left side will be a Seal of the State of California; on the right side will be a Seal of the Governor. Matching bouquets of official Inaugural flowers will be set on antique pedestals at the base of the seals.

The floral seals and bouquets will be highlighted throughout the Concert with spotlights.

The floral arrangements will be created in Sacramento by designers who, only several days before, will have created floats for the Tournament of Roses Parade in Pasadena.

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EXTENSIVE COVERAGE PLANNED FOR INAUGURAL

SACRAMENTO -- Live television coverage of Governor Ronald Reagan's Inaugural will be seen by millions of persons throughout California.

Three separate television crews (KCRA, KXTV and KOVR) will cover both the official 12:01 A. M. Swearing-in Ceremony January 2, and the official Inaugural Ceremonies on the west steps of the Capitol January 5 at 11 A.M.

A total of nine live cameras will jam the Capitol Rotunda to cover the Swearing-in. Most of the live cameras, along with two dozen (sound-on-film) film cameras, will be perched on risers rimming the circular wall of the Rotunda. Three live cameras will be mounted on the Rotunda balcony.

In addition, a host of newspaper photographers, reporters and radio broadcasters will crowd into the Rotunda press area for the ceremony.

An equally large TV-Radio-Press contingent will cover the January 5 Inaugural Ceremonies on the Capitol steps. The program will feature the Governor's Inaugural address.

Some 21 stations around the State will carry live telecasts of each of the events.

Six of the stations reportedly will carry live the January 5 Capitol steps ceremonies in color (KCRA, KRON, KOGO, KVIS, KSBW and KHJ).

Stations scheduled to carry the telecasts include:

--San Francisco	-- KGO-TV, KRON-TV, KPIX-TV, KOED-TV
--Los Angeles	-- KNXT-TV, KABC-TV, KNBC-TV (Swearing), KHJ-TV (Capitol steps)
--Sacramento	-- KXTV-TV, KOVR-TV, KCRA-TV, KVIS-TV
--San Diego	-- KOGO-TV, KFMB-TV
--Eureka	-- KVIS-TV, KJEM-TV
--Bakersfield	-- KLYD-TV
--Redding	-- KRCC-TV
--Santa Barbara	-- KEYT-TV
--San Jose	-- KNTV-TV
--Salinas	-- KSBW-TV

Live TV coverage of the events will be the most extensive ever undertaken in the Capital City.

KXTV-Channel 10 in Sacramento plans to televise one hour of the Governor's Inaugural Ball from the Counties Building at the State Fairgrounds.

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SACRAMENTO -- Decorations for the Official Governor's Inaugural Ball January 5 at 9:30 P.M. in the State Fair Counties Building will include:

INTERIOR DECOR

- Blue and gold drapes around the entire downstairs area of the building.
- Blue drapes around the balcony walls. The balcony rail throughout the building will be swagged in white satin, drawn up every 18 feet into rosettes highlighting the wood-carved seals of each of the State's counties. The seals will be refinished in antique gold. Hanging from each seal will be a six-foot drop of white satin, covered by a hanging spray of official Inaugural flowers: Blue Bird of Paradise and gold-colored Chrysanthemums.
- Six raised dance floors, each rimmed in California brick.
- One hundred huge "old Spanish-style" wrought iron lanterns made expressly for the occasion. Entrances to each raised dance floor will be marked by lanterns. Ten large lanterns will hang from the ceiling in each of the building's two ballrooms. A giant lantern will be suspended from the ceiling of the dome in the center of the building. All the lanterns will contain amber lights. They will replace all existing light fixtures in the building.
- A floral ceiling disc will fill the dome ceiling above the Rotunda of the building. The dome will be in bright amber tones.
- Outside lighting of the tracery windows in the dome to emphasize their striking multi-colors from the inside.
- "Hot pink" lighting of the "Eiffel Tower-like" iron work above the Rotunda.
- Blue lighting of the ceilings above both of the ballrooms in the building.
- A large (36-foot in diameter) centerpiece on the ground floor below the dome with four six-foot fountains and four six-foot floral seals of the Governor. On either side of each floral seal will be gold ice-carved California bear (total of eight bears). The perimeter of the circular centerpiece will contain greenery, pom pom Chrysanthemums and 200 dozen Bird of Paradise flowers. A five-and-one-half-foot high stage inside the centerpiece will be used by the Governor when he delivers several brief remarks during the Ball.
- Alcoves around the perimeter of the dance floor with tables covered in "Fiesta-colored" tablecloths and chairs.
- A Governor's Box near the Rotunda on the southeast side of the building. The box will be dressed with tabbed-back drapes on the pillars of the

box with a carpeted floor.

-- The foyer of the building will be decorated in blue, red, orange, yellow, and pink taffeta fabric, fringed and tassled in red rayon. Upon entering, a fourteen-foot floral seal of the State of California will be seen. Two floral arrangements will be located to the right and left of the foyer.

EXTERIOR DECOR

-- Ten searchlights, five on each side of the front entrance of the building will criss-cross in the sky from 8 P.M. until midnight.

-- Three fountains with six gold and white pulldown banners will adorn the fountain area directly in front of the entrance to the building.

-- A green and white canopy from the main entrance to the fountain will provide a drive-up area for guests. Valet parking will be provided for everyone. Cars will be parked on streets throughout the fairgrounds.

-- The front of the building will be washed in white light.

-- A large sign will be placed beneath the clock on the front of the building. It will read: "The Governor's Inaugural Ball."

-- Cupola of the dome on the building lit in gold from the outside. The dome itself will be washed in blue light.

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GOVERNOR'S INAUGURAL PRAYER BREAKFAST ANNOUNCED

SACRAMENTO -- The program for the Governor's Prayer Breakfast January 5 at 9 A.M. in the Sacramento Memorial Auditorium was announced here today by the Inaugural Committee.

Lt. Governor Robert Finch will preside.

Some 500 persons are scheduled to attend the Breakfast, prelude to a full day of Inaugural events in the capital city.

A three-tiered head table on the stage will seat Finch, Governor Ronald Reagan, the constitutional officers, participating members of the clergy and others. Among others invited to sit at the head table are U. S. Senators George Murph and Thomas Kuchel; State Legislators Hugh Burns, Jesse Unruh, Jack McCarthy and Robert Monagan; Congressional Delegates Cecil King and Glen Lipscomb; State Supreme Court Chief Justice Roger Traynor; Mayor Walter M. Christensen of Sacramento; The State Adjutant-General and the two Deputy Adjutant-General; the Chairman of the Board of Regents; and the Chairman of the State College Board of Trustees.

Guests--primarily State government leaders--will be seated at round tables throughout the orchestra section of the Auditorium.

The program will begin with a choral selection -- "The Lord Bless You and Keep You" -- to be sung by the Sacramento City College A Cappella Chior directed by Clive Mefford. The chior will perform from the south first balcony of the Auditorium. Women members will wear sky blue formals, the men white dinner jackets.

Finch will then welcome the guests and lead a salute to the flag.

The opening prayer of dedication will be offered by Federal District Judge Thomas J. MacBride.

Then breakfast itself will be served. The menu will consist of frozen fruit compote, egg mornay with cheese sauce, pork chop a la frite, canadian style bacon, saucisse a la frite, biscuits served with whipped butter, royale petite Danish pastries and coffee. The meat items will be garnished with petit cinammon apples and holly leaves.

At 9:30, the chior will sing the hymn, "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God."

Assembly Minority Leader Robert Monagan will present the scripture reading: I Timothy 2:1-7.

Finch will then introduce James Francis Cardinal McIntyre, archbishop

Temple in Los Angeles; and Reverend Don Moomaw, pastor of the Bel Air Presbyterian Church in Los Angeles, Reagan's home church. Each will speak for approximately five minutes.

(Bishop Alden Bell of the diocese of Sacramento will fill in for Cardinal McIntyre if archbishop is unable to attend.)

At approximately 10 A.M., Governor Reagan will speak for approximately 7-10 minutes.

Judge McBride will then say the Benediction.

The choir will close the program singing "America (My Country Tis of Thee)!" Prayer breakfast guests and participants will join in singing the last verse.

Decor for the event is based on the California citrus colors -- yellows, golds, and bright orange shades. The entire auditorium will be draped in gold-colored antique satin. The drapes will be swagged at the top with yellow, gold and orange satin to blend with the decor of the tables.

Each round table will feature a centerpiece highlighting citrus fruits, black wrought-iron candle lanterns and black wrought-iron multi-colored candles.

The head table will be swagged in satin with citrus colors.

At each place setting, there will be a nine by eleven inch programme. The outside will be Spanish gold in color with a blind embossed two inch seal of the State of California on the front.

The breakfast will be served on matching white bone Danish china.

Attendance will be by invitation only.

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