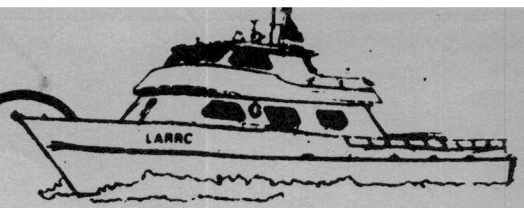




# Chum Line



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From the President. . .

The end of the year is coming up fast. Election for five (5) new Board of Directors are at hand and in a short time my term as president will be over. As the saying goes, "my, how time flies when you are having a good time".

The past ten months have had a number of highlights. . .

I have enjoyed seeing members who had not attended meetings for many months (years); the warm welcome given Max Fenmore at our last meeting and the return to LARRC of one of its charter members- Libby Boone; the membership enjoying club sponsored charters; club T-shirts and club notebooks. The next item coming up will be LARRC patches; yes, official LARRC sew-on patches for all the different species of fish you catch. . .with luck and hard work by Otto these will be available at our next meeting.

Any member who has not received his club notebook can get one at the November 26th meeting at Andre's.

As this is the last meeting of the year, I would like to see a particularly large turn out. See your friends before the New Year and wish everyone best wishes for the Holidays and a Happy New Year. We have a very interesting program on fishing in Costa Rica where I expect to be in December and hopefully, at the January meeting, can give a glowing fishing report on my trip.

Here's wishing everyone a wonderful Thanksgiving. . .

Your President

## NOVEMBER DINNER MEETING

Monday, November 26th, at Andre's Restaurant, 8635 Wilshire Blvd., Beverly Hills. Dinner: 7:30 P.M., Attitude Adjustment, 6:30 P.M.

The menu will consist of Filet Mignon, Veal Parmesan and Fish broiled or with Sauce Veronica.

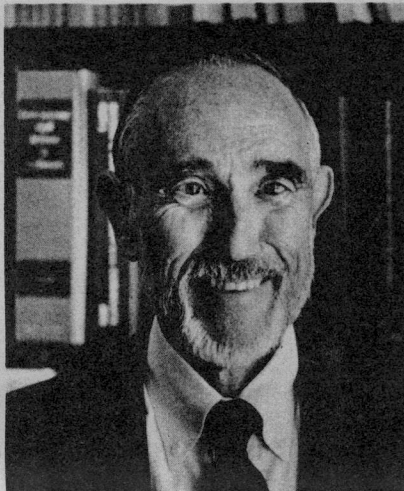
The program will consist of an outstanding film on Costa Rica.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

- November 19, 1984 Board of Directors Meeting, 7:30 P.M. at Bill Vogel's home, 4713 Monarca Dr., Tarzana. All members welcome.
- November 26 Dinner Meeting, 7:30 P.M. at Andre's Restaurant (see first page for details).
- December 12 New Hustler II charter from 22nd Street Landing, San Pedro. Contact Chartermaster Otto Painter for details and reservations.
- December 17 Board of Directors Meeting, 7:30 P.M. Location to be announced.
- Please note...There will be no regular dinner meeting in December.
- January 16, 1985 New Hustler II charter, San Pedro.
- January 21 Board of Directors Meeting, 7:30 P.M. Location to be announced.
- January 28 Dinner Meeting. 7:30 P.M. Location and program to be announced.
- February 13 New Hustler II Charter, San Pedro.
- February 18 Board of Directors Meeting, 7:30 P.M. Location to be announced.
- February 23 (Saturday) Annual Trophy Awards and Installation Dinner Dance at Sportsmen's Lodge in Studio City. Mark your calendar now and save the date.

ANNUAL DINNER DANCE

The LARRC Annual Trophy Awards and Installation Dinner Dance will be held in the beautiful Waterfall Room at the Sportsmen's Lodge. The date is Saturday night, February 23, 1985. Mark your calendar now. Invitations will be sent out at the end of December. Your Dinner Committee has promised that this event will be one of the best ever. More details will be upcoming in the next Chum Line.



## ROBERT S. THOMPSON

### *Holder of the Professorship*

Robert S. Thompson joined the faculty of the University of Southern California Law Center in 1979. Prior to joining the faculty, he was a distinguished practitioner and one of the nation's leading jurists. Professor Thompson's career has included outstanding contributions to legal scholarship, significant leadership to activities of the bench and bar and popular and effective teaching.

Professor Thompson received his baccalaureate degree, *magna cum laude*, from the University of

Southern California in 1940 and his law degree in 1942. He was Editor-in-Chief of the *Southern California Law Review*, a member of the Order of the Coif and recipient of the Alumni Award for highest standing in the graduating class.

Following graduation, Professor Thompson practiced law in Los Angeles, first with the firm of Thompson, Royston & Moss and later with Nossaman, Thompson, Waters & Moss. In 1953, he took a leave from private practice for a year to serve as Chief Assistant United States Attorney in Los Angeles.

Professor Thompson was appointed to the Los Angeles Municipal Court in 1965 and elevated to the Superior Court of Los Angeles County a year later. In 1968, he was appointed associate justice of the California Court of Appeal, where he served until joining the Law Center faculty.

Professor Thompson specializes in civil procedure, evidence, appellate advocacy, and remedies. He has long had a particular interest in the administration of justice, and his most recent work focuses on improving the appellate process.

Professor Thompson is a prolific scholar. His books include *Law Clerks and the Judicial Process*, (with John B. Oakley) University of Calif. Press, 1980; and *Remedies: Damages, Equity and Restitution* (with John A. Sebert, Jr.) Matthew Bender, 1983. His contributions to legal periodicals include "Law Clerks in Judges' Eyes: Tradition and Innovation in the Use of Legal Staff by American Judges," 67 *Cal.L.Rev.* (1979); "Discovery—The Judicial Approach," 1 *Litigation* (1975); "One Judge and No Judge Appellate Decisions," *Calif. St. Bar Journal* (1975); "Selection of Judges of the California Court of Appeal, From the Inside," 2 *Advocate* (1974); and "The Expense of Litigation: Can It Be Reduced?" 51 *L.A. Bar Bull.* (1976).

Robert Thompson has been actively engaged in the work of professional associations. He has served as president of the Conference of California Judges; as chairman of the Advisory Committee on Governmental Liability; and as a member of the California Joint Legislative Committee on Tort Law, and the Action Commission to Reduce Cost and Delay in Litigation. He has also served as president of the Board of Directors of the Jewish Vocational Service and is a member of the Academy of Appellate Judges, the American Law Institute and the American Judicature Society.

He is married to Elizabeth Arroll Thompson, an accomplished sociologist. They have two children: William B. Thompson, who is an Assistant Professor at the University of Minnesota and Ann Elizabeth Thompson, who is a practicing attorney and a graduate of USC Law Center.

## Legion Lex Professor of Law

Besides all that, he's a pretty fair fisherman.

THE LARRC BOARD MEETING OF OCT., '84 - NAYTHON'S ON WILSHIRE

Vogel: The meeting will come to order.  
Flanzig: You're twelve minutes late. How come you're twelve minutes late?  
Vogel: We didn't have a quorum till Felger wandered in.  
Lee: You're the president. Why don't you control your board members?  
Vogel: You on the board, Lee? Didn't see you here last month.  
Lee: We were supposed to be in Italy last month.  
Vogel: Were you in Italy last month?  
Lee: No, but I had to plan for it, didn't I?  
Vogel: Never mind. The meeting will come to order.  
Reznick: There's Rimland at the front door.  
Naythons: Ignore him. He's thirteen minutes late.  
Vogel: Can we have the minutes of the last meeting?  
Carabet: (Gives a very detailed and accurate summary of the last meeting.)  
Goodman: I'd just like to say, as a guest here tonight, that Dr. Carabet's minutes were concise, succinct, to the point and altogether admirable in organization and language and presentation.  
Carabet: (blushing) Thank you, Dr. Goodman.  
Goodman: You are more than welcome, Dr. Carabet.  
Vogel: Additions or corrections? Let's go on to committee reports. Goodwill and Cheer, Joe?  
Stern: I don't have anything. I've been in China.  
Reznick: Rimland is shivering out there.  
Vogel: Never mind Rimland. How come, if you were in China, you didn't get someone to cover you for Goodwill and Cheer?  
Stern: Sorry. I won't do it again.  
Vogel: I hope not. Programs and Raffles?  
Price: Don't look at me, Flanzig. It's your turn.  
Flanzig: The guy from the Explorer's Club can't come. Maybe we'll have a movie.  
Naythons: Again a movie?  
Flanzig: You want the job, Naythons?  
Naythons: I do my part letting you guys meet here.  
Vogel: Chum-Line?  
Painter: I'd just like to say that the last issue wasn't so hot. Nothing personal, Felger.  
Felger: My secretary put in over forty hours on the Chum-Line this month.  
Painter: Big deal. And whoever heard of a Chum-Line on brown paper?  
Reznick: My wife chose the color of the paper, Otto, and you take that back.  
Felger: Marvin was supposed to help me on it and he left out two important announcements and I don't want to do it anymore.  
Vogel: You got the job for the rest of the year. You promised.  
Felger: I did not.  
Vogel: You did.  
Felger: Did not.  
Vogel: Did.  
Goodman: I'm going to take a coffee break and I'd suggest somebody unlock the door for Rimland.  
Carabet: I'll join you.  
Carabet: (In the back room) You've been in this thing for years. How do you manage it?  
Goodman: It's a matter of discipline. Actually, I'm working on an article. It's titled, "A Study of Modern Man and His Difficulties in Emerging from Childhood". I find this very fertile ground for the research.  
Carabet: That clears up the mystery.  
Goodman: The lawyers provide the most material. Watch them and you'll see what I mean.  
Carabet: Have another of Price's cookies and let's go back.

Vogel: Treasurer's report?  
Palty: We've got a few bucks.  
Vogel: That's it? That's the treasurer's report?  
Palty: More or less.  
Vogel: Could we, maybe, have a few numbers?  
Palty: I don't have my briefcase. Last month I brought my briefcase and you didn't call on me.  
Goodman: (Whispers to Carabet) Lawyer. (Carabet winks back)  
Vogel: Elections. Shelley?  
Balzac: Harris was supposed to call me about the slate. He hasn't called.  
Goodman: (Whispers to Carabet) Judge. (Carabet winks back)  
Reznick: Rimland's going to break the glass if he keeps pounding that way.  
Vogel: Someone unlock the door. Now, what are we going to do about the board elections? The ballots are supposed to be out this week.  
Balzac: We've got a problem. No one wants to run.  
Price: Of course, no one wants to run. You got to strong-arm them.  
Balzac: Maybe I'm not strong enough.  
Price: Promise them something. You don't have to deliver.  
Goodman: Why don't you tell them how much fun they'll have at these meetings?  
Naythons: That reminds me. You'll have to find a new meeting place next year.  
Vogel: How come?  
Naythons: I'm going to be out of town next year.  
Vogel: That's silly. You are not.  
Naythons: I am, too.  
Vogel: Are not.  
Naythons: Am, too.

Two hours later:

Rimland: Did I miss anything important?  
Pearlman: Yeah. They've been making great strides.  
Rimland: Hi, Bill. What are you doing here?  
Pearlman: They asked me come and give advice on the membership drive.  
Vogel: We haven't got to that yet. Could you come back next month, Pearlman?  
Lee: There is no board meeting in December.  
Stern: Next month is November. Wake up.  
Painter: There is a board meeting in December. There's no dinner meeting in December but there is a board meeting. That's when the new officers are elected.  
Balzac: The new officers are elected in January, not in December, but that can't be until we get a board elected in November so we can announce the results in December in time for the election in January.  
Pearlman: I gave up a poker game to come here and talk about a membership drive.  
Vogel: We got to get the ballots out. That comes before poker. Now, how do we get somebody to run?  
Flanzig: Do what we always do. Put their names on the slate but don't warn them first. Why give 'em a chance?  
Felger: Hold on. I'm going to be president next year and I want volunteers, not draftees.  
Reznick: We were all shanghaied. Why should your year be different?  
Vogel: Mr. Naythons and Mr. Price, is our big meeting over here interfering with your little meeting over there?  
Naythons: I was telling him the electric bill is running up.  
Vogel: My God, we got a crisis here and he's talking about electric bills.  
Balzac: O.K., O.K.. I'll call Susman and Levy and we'll get ballots out.  
Goodman: (Whispers to Carabet) Lawyers. (Carabet winks back)  
Vogel: Conservation?  
Flanzig: Lippey's not here.  
Vogel: Kids Fishing Trip?  
Lee: Eppy's not here.  
Vogel: Bring your briefcase next month, Palty. Meeting's adjourned.  
Goodman: (To Carabet on the way out) Did you get all that?  
Carabet: I think so.

EDITOR'S NOTE:

Reznick: Felger, are you sure this s--- belongs in the Chum Line?

Felger: Yawn. Ho Hum.

## FISHING THE QUEEN CHARLOTTES

Last June Joe Stern flew up to Sandspit, in the Queen Charlotte Island group of Northern B.C. for some very unusual but productive Halibut and Salmon fishing.

With a local friend, the two drove north to the town of Masseth, which is the port city for the Commercial fishing fleet in that area. At that time Commercial fishing was closed but they could and did use a Commercial boat for sportsfishing.

On the first day the Skipper suggested that tides and winds did not favor trolling for salmon but that halibut fishing should be productive.

Joe was initiated into a new way of fishing for halibut. They do not use Rod & Reel, instead, they used an odd shaped chrome jig, dressed with a bright colored hula skirt, tied to 150-lb test mono hand line. The jig is lowered till it hits bottom and a yo-yoing process was begun. There was a hook-up about every third or fourth jerk. The fish were hauled up hand over hand. They caught so many halibut that Joe thought he was in fish heaven. Eventually the Skipper called a halt and they returned to the docks. The halibut were not very large, but proved to be superb eating.

The next day they left the docks bright and early and proceeded to troll for salmon as soon as the boat cleared the channel. The first hook up for Joe turned out to be a good sized Ray. Then he had another strike but lost the fish. Then came another Ray and another miss.

By now Joe had gotten the hang of the gear and when the next strike came, he brought to net a very nice -- halibut. That's right, he caught a halibut trolling for salmon. Several more halibut were hooked that day while trolling.

The next strike for Joe finally turned out to be a salmon, which he expertly brought to the boat to be netted. It was a bright King Salmon and weighed in at just over 24 lbs. The morning produced another King of 20 lbs. and as he had his day's limit, they once again turned to halibut fishing.

As before, the jigs and handlines were produced and the yo-yoing was begun. Fishing was more difficult than the previous day as the currents were very strong. However, there were a lot of halibut brought up and at days end there were more than enough for everyone.

When Joe returned home he brought with him the two King Salmon and about 80 lbs. of halibut filets. Both varieties of fish are just fabulous eating, says Joe. Coupled with his enjoyment of the magnificence of Northwest B.C. Joe had a truly unique and productive fishing trip.

BITS AND PIECES

Sad Note: LARRC member, Dave Burford, passed away.

New Office: Dan Felger has relocated his office to 5530 Corbin Ave., Suite 120, Tarzana, Ca. 91356. Tel. 818 708-3278.

New Member: A hearty LARRC welcome to new member Steve Chazin.

Moved: Brad Felger has relocated. New address, 6450 Alcantara Ave., Unit D, Atascadero, Ca. 93422. Tel. 805 461-9087.

On The Mend: Art Weingart and Jack Baker. They would enjoy hearing from their fishing buddies.

Traveling Around: Joe Stern and Sol Rothman just returned from IXTAPA Mexico with tall tales and short fish.

TROPHY CONTENDERS TO DATE

First Game Fish	January 11	Yellowtail	Pete Moureaux
Albacore	12 lb. test	22 lbs.	Dan Felger
	12 lb. test	21 lbs. 4 oz.	Ben Susman
Yellowfin Tuna	20 lb. test	25 lbs.	Dan Bartfield
	30 lb. test	64 lbs.	Sid Feder
Calico Bass		8 lbs.	Otto Painter
Pacific Sailfish	30 lb. test	130 lbs.	Carolyn Felger
Other possible considerations:			
Sturgeon	30 lb. test	96 lbs.	Norm Carabet
Atlantic Bonefish	12 lb. test	1 lb. 12 oz.	Norm Carabet

Editors Note: It isn't too late to get out there and catch a trophy fish.

At press time there were reports of monstrous albacore, Bluefin tuna, lunker Calico Bass and Marlin being caught. Remember, LARRA Rules state, "You must register your fish within 15 days to be eligible." This year the trophy committee is considering specially inscribed fishing rods and reels in lieu of trophies.

CONDOR TRIP OCTOBER 24, 1984

Calico Bass....Bah! Humbug! It ain't the only kinda fishin there is.....

A few weeks ago the Club charter on the erstwhile Sea Hawk was changed to the Condor (just for fun), out of Santa Barbara. Them (the regular Sea Hawkers) that didn't go, missed a helluva trip!

No, we didn't catch any Calico, but no one cared. We left the dock at 2 AM without the benefit of live bait, and arrived at our secret island, with Merit at the helm, finding all the good ole fishing holes!

The champs are still the champs. Otto Painter got his three bags full, and so did Smilin' Dan Felger. Dan caught what seemed like 150 Pacific Red Snapper (a good thing a bull wasn't around for Dan to waive them at), and the biggest ugliest Sheeps Head ever seen off the coast of California (an Orthodontists dream)....Three of these uglies were caught in the 25 pound range.

It seemed that everyone needed two trips to the car with all the fillets taken home. Even Grant Orland, Marv Reznicks seasick friend, took his share home too.

The easiest fishin' in the world. Drop a hook in, and pull out a fish. Johnnie Bass, Sugar Bass, Red Snapper, Sheeps Head, and a variety of shallow water Rock Fish were the catch of the day.

If there is any interest in a trip like this again, both from those who went on the trip, and those non-believers, contact Marv Reznick or Dan Felger. Twenty to twenty-five players are needed to make it work. If there is enough support, it'll fly again.

P.S.: Each of the 17 anglers caught his full limit of 15 fish. Fishing depths ranged from 10' to 30' and most of the fish were caught on light spinning outfits and/or conventional tackle, using line no heavier than 20# test.

NEW HUSTLER II CHARTER SCHEDULE:

Otto Painter, Chartermaster, has announced the following dates for the 1984/85 fishing season aboard George Mio's New Hustler II from 22nd Street Landing, San Pedro:

Wednesdays:	Dec 12, 1984, Jan 16, 1985 & Feb 13, 1985
Saturdays:	Mar 02, 16 & 30, 1985; Apr 13 & 27, 1985; May 11 & 25, 1985; June 08, 22 & 29, 1985.

For details and reservations, contact Otto Painter at 213/652-5261.

LOS ANGELES ROD & REEL CLUB  
1984 TROPHY AWARD CATEGORIES

Local Waters

<u>Species</u>	<u>Line Test</u>	<u>Minimum Weight</u>
Albacore, Blue Fin Tuna,	12	12
Yellow Fin Tuna, Dorado,	20	15
Yellowtail, White Sea Bass, Halibut	30	20
Calico Bass	Maximum 20	5
Marlin	12-20-30-50	None
Broadbill	12-20-30-50-80	None

Foreign Waters

<u>Species</u>	<u>Line Test</u>	<u>Minimum Weight</u>
Striped Marlin	12-20-30-50	None
Black Marlin, Blue Marlin, Broadbill	12-20-30-80	None
Pacific Sailfish	12-20-50	None
Dorado, Rooster Fish	12-20-30	Line Test
Blue Fin Tuna, Yellow Fin Tuna	12-20-30-50-80	Line Test
Wahoo	12-20-30-50	Line Test

NOTES: As a supplement to the Los Angeles Rod & Reel Club Revised Fishing Rules as of January 1, 1962, the following conditions shall apply:

- (1) Separate trophies will be awarded for gentlemen, ladies and juniors.
- (2) First, second and third place trophies will be awarded in all categories.
- (3) Trophies for other outstanding catches will be awarded as determined by the Board of Directors. These will include outstanding freshwater catches.
- (4) A special trophy for the first local gamefish of the year will be awarded, exclusive of minimum weight and line test. The qualifying species will include albacore, blue fin tuna, yellow fin tuna, dorado, yellow tail, white sea bass, marlin and broadbill.
- (5) Local waters, for the purpose of trophy awards, are defined as follows: Ocean waters available to anglers departing from any port from Moro Bay to the Mexican border and returning within 120 hours from departure. Excluded, however, are waters within 3 miles of any Mexican landfall south of Todos Santos Islands.



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