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Organized by Law Enforcement in Fresno, California in 1929



**Erica Shaw** selected to receive the Col. Burke West Memorial Scholarship. This is the third Chapter 60 Scholarship for this 3.92 GPA Criminal Justice Student



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## Trivia

What Constitutional Amendment was ratified by Congress on February 3, 1913?

(Answer on Page 2 )

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## Purpose

To foster good fellowship, mutual respect, and helpfulness between Peace Officers, Federal Law Enforcement agencies, Business and Professionals and all persons having a sympathetic attitude and understanding toward Law Enforcement and Law Enforcement Agencies; and to promote the true spirit of Ameri-

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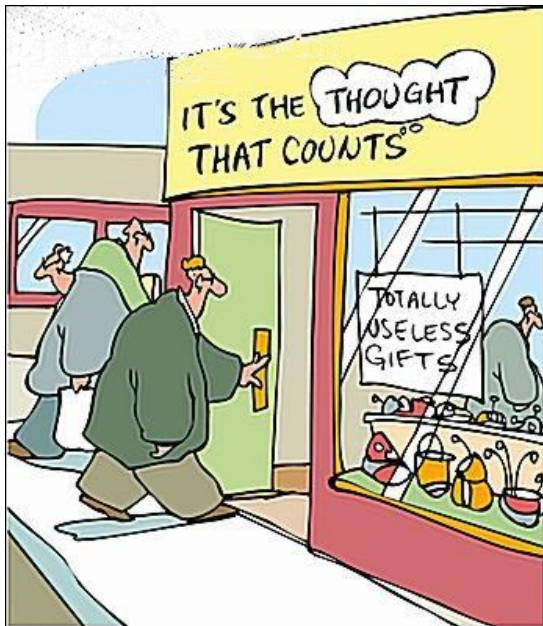
The Newsletter for January 06 was a little late getting sent out. Most of you received it on the day of the dinner. Some of us didn't get it until the day after. Jim Tooker and I are going to do our best to get the letter sent out the week before the dinner meetings.



The February dinner meeting on Wednesday 8 February 06 will be the Sweetheart dinner. This meeting has always been well attended. It is time to make plans to take your Sweetheart out for the evening. Remember to RSVP. Call Jim Bowen at 375-2442, cell 608-0970 or email at [blion@verizon.net](mailto:blion@verizon.net).

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At the January Board meeting the Board approved the Col. Burk West Memorial Scholarship for Erica Shaw. This will be the forth scholarship awarded to Erica. She is carrying a 3.92 grade point average. She will be graduating this spring



**Answer to Page 1 Trivia**

The 16th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution was ratified, giving the federal government the power to impose and collect taxes on income.

Doesn't that make you feel warm and fuzzy?

from Cerro Coso and transferring to Northern Arizona University. Mrs. Burk West is being invited to the dinner meeting to award the check to Erica.

The Board also approved the participation of the Chapter in the Law Enforcement Appreciation Dinner to be held Friday, 21 April 2006. Lee O'Laughlin is heading up the Chapter's efforts. Lee could use help. To volunteer to help Lee please contact him at 375-2509 or talk to Lee at the dinner meeting.

We are in need of someone to volunteer to be the Publicity Chairperson. Please consider helping us out in this important position. The person will be expected to attend the Board meetings which occur the last Wednesday of the month. Please contact me if you are interested.

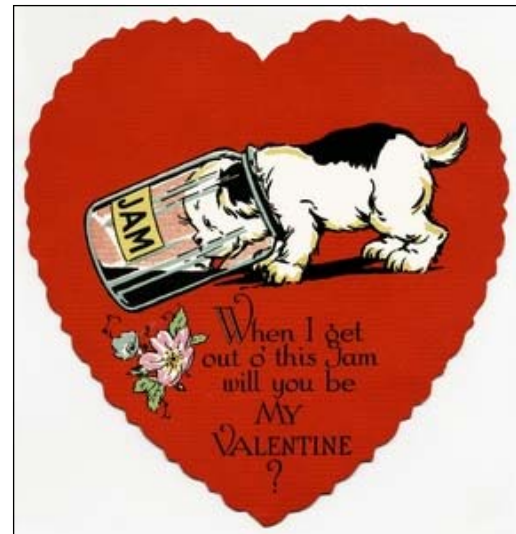
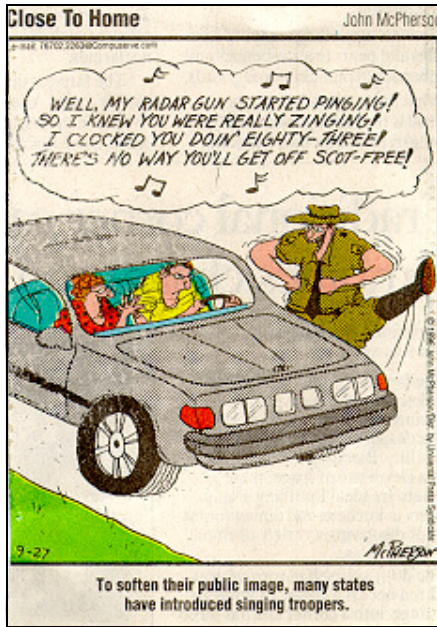
The Board is still looking for ideas for fund raisers. If you have an idea please share it with one of the Board members.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the 8 February, 2006, Sweetheart Dinner meeting. Again, please RSVP by 7 February.

Yours for Bigger and Better Footprints,  
**Jim**







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**Feb. 8** - Dinner meeting at K of C Hall, 725 W. Ridgecrest Blvd.

**Feb. 14** - Valentine's Day

Feb. 20 - President's Day

**Feb. 22** - Board of Directors meeting Knights of Columbus Hall, 725 W. Ridgecrest Blvd.

**Announcement:** For a monthly automatic meeting reminder send your e-mail address to [IFA60@mchsi.com](mailto:IFA60@mchsi.com). Newsletter articles & questions welcome.

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**Mar. 8** - Dinner meeting at K of C Hall, 725 W. Ridgecrest Blvd.

**Mar. 29** - Board of Directors meeting Knights of Columbus Hall, 725 W. Ridgecrest Blvd.



Next Meeting—Wednesday, February 8, 2006