

## 16 Candidates For 7 Posts

# Junior College Trustees Election Set Tomorrow

By Wally Trabing

Junior college trustee candidates who pass the election hurdle tomorrow will face another gamble on the length of time they will serve on the seven-man board.

Board members will draw lots which will determine the number of years they will serve. According to Norman S.

Lien, county superintendent of schools, two will draw four-year terms; two three years; two two years, and one will serve a one-year term.

Reason for this, he explained, is so that the elections of new board members will be staggered, avoiding the whole board leaving office at once.

"When the terms of the first board run their course, those taking office following the second election will serve four-year terms," he said.

Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Lien said that as soon as the election of the board members has been determined, a meeting will be called. First duties of the board, he said, will be the selection of a junior college president, consideration of new teachers, rental of buildings for classes and perhaps the naming of the college.

He said that already some five persons have applied for the position of president, and about a dozen teachers have expressed an interest in working for the new college.

Each voter will have a voice in selecting one candidate from each of the seven trustee areas. The areas have been set up so that all of the county will be represented on the board.

Candidates and their general areas to be represented are:

Area I Dr. Edwin C. Browne, Carl R. Conelly and Herb Seal, San Lorenzo Valley.

Area II Erva Jane Bowen, Albert W. Rice, Robert L. Shatz, Santa Cruz.

Area III Keith Shaffer and Richard D. Spatz, Live Oak, Happy Valley and Mountain.

Area IV Arthur L. Hubbard, Dent E. Snider, and Mrs. Helen H. Weaver, Empire Grade; Bonny Doon, Davenport, Pasatiempo, Scotts Valley, and Bald Mountain.

Area V: L. C. Bechtel and Marguerite Blaisdell, Watsonville.

Area VI: Harold A. Hyde and Dr. Forrest G. Murdock, Aptos and Corralitos.

Area VII: Joseph P. Chamberlain, Salsipuedes, Aromas, and Pajaro, unopposed.

## James Orders New Sheriff's Patrol System

The number of sheriff's cars patrolling the county will be doubled starting February 1, new Sheriff Doug James announced today.

This will be accomplished, James said, by simply placing one deputy in each car rather than two.

"There's no greater danger when you have one man in a car," James said today. "Statistics prove that," he continued. "With one man to a car, the tendency is to stay more alert and not to depend on the other fellow too much."

The sheriff said that two cars would answer all calls whenever possible, one acting as a cover for the other.

James said the new patrol plan would provide for better coverage, faster service on complaints and should aid in suppressing crime.

Between the hours of 7 p. m. and 3 a. m., the sheriff said there would be as many as 10 patrol cars out roaming the county.

Meanwhile, more of James work to streamline the office is being put into effect. The relocation and construction of new offices inside the existing sheriff's quarters is nearly completed and changes in personnel have also been instituted.

## Waters Receding In Most Areas

By The Associated Press

Floods still menaced some areas in five eastern and central states today but waters from swollen rivers and streams were receding in most sections.

The chief problem for the thousands hit by last week's devastating floods in Ohio, Pennsylvania, New York, West Virginia and Indiana was the huge cleanup job.

The Red Cross estimated more than 22,000 families were affected.