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WHAT'S AHEAD

SHELDON M. HAYDEN, PRESIDENT OF TOASTMASTERS INTERNATIONAL

AS A VESSEL is known by the sound, whether it is cracked or not," said Demosthenes, "so men are proved by their speeches whether they be wise or foolish." Nearly five thousand Toastmasters realize that they are being judged by what they say. They have joined our organization with the desire to improve—both for personal advancement and service.

Behind our great movement are leaders who are working to perfect our program. These men serve without pay since, with the exception of those employed at our central office, no one receives any compensation. It is the spirit of these men that carries us forward. It will be the vision of our leaders that will make Toastmasters International one of the greatest movements in America. This quality is essential, for "where there is no vision the people perish." Where there is no vision an organization soon dies.

Recently your President appeared before district and area meetings in Santa Cruz, Portland, Olympia, Seattle, Spokane, and Phoenix. In four days the representatives of twenty-eight clubs

were met in the northwest. On this trip I was accompanied by your treasurer, Leonard Woodward. Educational sessions with leaders were held in the afternoon, and banquets in the evening. Never have two Toastmasters been so royally received and so thoroughly inspired. Ernest Davis, of Portland, Oregon, one of the Board of Directors, was in charge of the trip. In speaking of the northwest, he said, "This is not the Promised Land but it is the Land of Great Promise." In visiting Portland, Olympia, Seattle, and Spokane, it became increasingly evident that the northwest is also "the Land of Great Promise" for Toastmasters International.

The improved speaking of our members meets its real test when it serves the member and his community. The Toastmasters Clubs of Portland have set a real example for the rest of us. Many of its leading citizens belong to the Toastmasters Clubs. They use their speaking ability to help worthy causes such as the Sunshine Division of the Police Bureau, which has as its purpose the prevention of crime by preventing starvation;

Chamber of Commerce programs; disease-prevention drives. Portland is a better city because of the Toastmaster influence.

Knitting friendships between metropolitan centers and outlying districts is one of the many accomplishments in our northwest districts. In Olympia and Spokane in particular, this is true. These cities are the hubs of rich areas, and the sound district managements are making great strides toward greater unity and development. The sincere interest and cooperation of each Toastmaster will carry them far.

All who attended the San Diego Convention last year will remember the giant Columbia River salmon awarded to the Toastmaster who most nearly guessed its weight. At that time they wanted us to come and catch its brother. Although the fish "shuffled off this mortal coil" at a banquet at the Walnut Park club, interest is still alive in Seattle for an International convention. They want us to come and catch, if not the brother, at least one of the sons unto the third and fourth generation.

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Arizona is one of the oldest Toastmaster Districts. Here they have built a strong organization—one that has proved that it can withstand the trials and tribulations of district organization over a large and widely separated area. Their leaders, in a recent conference with Director Ted Blanding and your President, have mapped

an ambitious program for the future.

This trip has brought forcefully to the attention of the International organization the effectiveness of district and area management. Much has been accomplished in the territories visited and further diligence will insure continued expansion.

All Toastmasters are looking ahead to this year's convention at Santa Cruz, July 16, 17, 18, and 19. As in the past, it will do much to enlarge our vision. The Convention Committee has chosen as its theme: "Business and Community Leadership Through Toastmasters Experience." Toastmasters International has always been a builder of leaders and we want all who attend this convention to come prepared to share their experiences with their fellow Toastmasters.

The Convention's educational program will start with a consideration of the business, social and community values offered by membership in our clubs. This will be followed by a discussion of how to get the most out of our work in program arranging, presiding, speaking, evaluating, exchanging speakers, and using our educational aids. One session will show how effective business principles are tied into the operation of a successful club. To further develop the theme, you will be shown how to use the telephone in business, how to use the microphone, the study of body action through motion pictures, and a study of the voice through recordings.

Recently your President met with the representatives of Santa Cruz and Salinas in charge of our convention. This meeting revealed the excellent organization of the leaders in this district. All arrangements are made for a reserved section at the Salinas Rodeo. Entertainment has been arranged for the ladies at the rodeo, a luncheon at Brookdale Lodge, a tour through

the Santa Cruz Big Tree Grove, scenic tour along the Cliff Drive and participation in our evening banquets.

Attendance at a convention is a part of your training as a Toastmaster. Become a part of the vision of our organization. As the Santa Cruz men say, "Be a Gavelier—one who takes advantage of all that Toastmasters offers."

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HANDS . . . A Speech in Verse

A. C. PHILLIPS, SECRETARY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO TOASTMASTERS CLUB

(These lines made even the Editorial Board break down and applaud.)

If you're making a speech, they are nuisances twain;
They're no help to the story, no aid to your brain,
Except you fall into the throes of despair
And fill in your pauses by tearing your hair!
If you reach for your neck, tweak your nose, pull an ear,
It shows you're excited or nervous through fear.
Or to fold them like this*—it would seem that you say
"I shan't need them again, so I've put them away."
Now they come in quite handy for holding your notes,
(Though that's not the best way to capture the votes)
And to hold them that way when the notes are not there,
You unconsciously clasp them like saying a prayer.
If they bulge in your pockets, it doesn't look nice,
And they think, "Is he looking for peanuts—or dice?"
And to hold them akimbo is undignified,
While you look like a fish if they hang by your side!
Or, reaching behind you, it looks like a stunt,
And somehow the stance makes you stick out in front.
Then swinging them forward and clasping them low
Is the pose of despair, as you probably know.
To use them for gestures is fine, if sedate,
But terribly bad if you ges-tic-u-late!
So you're left high and dry, and handcuffed for fair;
There is just one way out—that's to go on the air!

*Fold the arms across the breast.

AN INTERVIEW WITH JOE E. BROWN

FRANK WHITWORTH, SOUTH GATE TOASTMASTERS CLUB

(The South Gate Toastmasters recently staged a program on the theme, "My Hero." Toastmaster Whitworth took the trouble to make a personal call on Joe E. Brown with the following speech as a result.)

WE HEAR many speeches made in honor of our statesmen and our generals. It is seldom that we honor our comedians—those men to whom we are deeply indebted for their efforts to lighten our burdens by making us forget our cares.

I chose Joe E. Brown for my hero because I have a great admiration for him. I have never read, and I am sure you haven't, any unfavorable publicity about Joe E. Brown or his family.

In accordance with a previous arrangement, I called at Mr. Brown's home one morning. The girl at the door directed me to Mr. Brown's den where I waited for him, meantime looking around with interest. On the wall of his den he has pictures on canvas of the various character parts which he has portrayed on the screen. Elmer the Great, the six-day bicycle racer and many others are thus shown. I was admiring the contents of a case full of athletic trophies when Mr. Brown entered. He explained that this was probably the greatest collection of its kind to be found anywhere. It includes baseball shoes worn by Tris Speaker, football sweaters worn by Red Grange, Goldberg, Harmon, and countless other trophies.

The primary thought in all my questions was to discover Mr. Brown's philosophy of life. He mentioned the fact that he had

twenty-four engagements for the month of April. I then asked if keeping these engagements was just a part of his job as a movie star. "Absolutely not," he said. "With me it is an avocation. I attend these functions because I enjoy them. Look at some of our most popular stars; they never attend a public function, they have never autographed a picture or a card. In fact public appearances may do you more harm than good. Just like making speeches, you can't be good every time and people remember the times you are bad."

I asked what was expected of him at these gatherings. "I don't know what is expected but what I give them is 60% serious. Of late I have been stressing laughter. I defy my audiences to show me a picture taken of the dictators in the last five years where one is laughing or even so much as smiling. These men have lost their perspective and millions suffer as a result of it."

I mentioned the fact that when he was nine years old he left home to go with a circus, and then was in vaudeville, a professional ball player, on the legitimate stage and in the movies; and I was curious to know what philosophy had guided him along the way. He replied, "I was first with a group of acrobats traveling with a burlesque show, and in those days burlesque shows were rough. We were in

Detroit and my mother was coming over from Toledo to see the show. If ever you have seen a nine year old boy work to get things up in shape, I did. I asked the comedians and acrobats to do their best so Mother wouldn't be ashamed or disappointed. Since then I have always felt that if my own mother was not in the audience someone else's mother was. And too, I have a following amongst the children. They are great imitators. The things I do in pictures or on the stage the children may imitate, so I have a responsibility."

"What about your own children?" I asked. Joe, Jr., will be President of the Waterloo, Iowa, baseball team this year, and Don is serving a year with the Air Corps. Don is interested in the executive end of the picture business. I inquired whether he used any particular ideas or set rules in rearing his children.

"No, we have tried to see that they lead a normal life. We have tried to find out what they wanted to do and then help them build to that end. Of course all parents make mistakes and I don't think parents should ever be too proud to admit these mistakes. I read many autobiographies. When I find a man who makes himself out to be perfect, I drop the book right there. If a man admits his mistakes, I enjoy the book. Many of my best jokes have been at my own expense. The first time I saw myself on the screen I shook my head and said, 'It's a lie.'"

Mr. Brown finished grammar school. Later while playing in

New York he got in one year of high school at night. Every night he walked two miles to attend class and he looks back on that year with much pride. Most of his education has come through reading and travel.

I was particularly interested in his thoughts about success. "I am glad to be in America where you have a chance to use individual effort," he said. "It is then up to you to work and not complain. Once in New York I had a temperature of 104 and was being carried from my dressing room to the stage. The girl taking the leading part complained that I was doing a lousy job but she didn't know the way I felt. I hadn't told her and I couldn't explain it individually to several hundred people in the audience. They weren't interested; they paid to be entertained and that was what they expected, regardless of how anyone felt." I interrupted with the question, is that where the slogan comes from, "the show must go on?" "It not only applies to the show business, but to all of life. No one cares to hear you complain. Usually you are complaining to some one who feels worse than you do. The man who keeps plugging at his job usually leaves behind him those who sit around and complain."

In public life and in the entertainment world we need more men like Joe E. Brown—men who can make us forget our cares, and who have a philosophy of life that will help build and sustain those teachings and those principles which we as Americans hold dear.

WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

NOTE: Lester A. Jones, president of the Century Toastmasters Club, of Santa Ana, used this speech recently in welcoming a group of new members into the club. It is presented as an example of how to make a new member feel that he is truly welcomed into the organization.

TOASTMASTERS International welcomes each of you new members. I assure you that we take it as a compliment when a man signifies by his membership application that he likes our work and that he believes that the Toastmasters Club has something of value to offer him.

It is unnecessary at this time to extol the merits of the system by which we operate. You already know the benefits that you expect to receive. It is likewise unnecessary to tell you how you may become proficient in the art of oral expression. You will be told about that by our critics and by the bulletins and booklets you will receive from time to time.

Psychologists tell us that information should be imparted by positive rather than negative statements. However there is some merit to ignoring psychology now and then, so let's use the negative to tell you of four "don'ts" every new Toastmaster should know.

The first of these is "don't apologize." You may not have time to prepare your speech as you should, but if you tell us about it we lose interest. By apologizing you want us to think you could have done a better job if you had taken a month instead of two weeks. Actually you just pat yourself on the back. Do your best everytime you speak and soon you

may be the best and won't have to apologize.

The second "don't" is "don't refuse to speak whenever you have the opportunity." Experience is the best teacher. You have joined this club because you want to be able to appear effectively before an audience. You have a small investment of money and you will have a large investment of your time. These investments will not only show a profit but will pay you *big* dividends if you accept the opportunities that will be given you.

The third "don't" has to do with your job as critic. "Don't criticize the content of a speech." You may not agree with what he says, but speeches in our clubs are primarily for training and do not necessarily represent the opinion of the speaker.

The fourth "don't" is "don't get an inferiority complex from what your critic tells you." He may sometimes make caustic remarks and you may want to picket him as unfair to your labors, but underneath it all you will find his intentions sincere. Most people are down on what they are not up on, so I'm going to be on the up and up and give you the low down on critics.

They are just other men working toward the same objective as you. They are developing the habit of critical listening. Their com-

ments may reflect the reaction of an entire audience and thus advise the speaker how he may overcome his faults in his next speech. A moment ago I said that experience is the best teacher, but I did not say it is the least expensive. Experience is cheaper for you if you can get it second-hand. If you value your investment of time, accept the experience your critics have had. Above all, remember that no man who has had Toastmaster experience has an inferiority complex.

CLUB-OF-THE-YEAR

GORDON R. HOWARD, CHAIRMAN

INTEREST IN the competition for honors awarded for excellence in club work is at a high point this season. We shall have many clubs entered in this contest, and we believe that every club making the effort will profit thereby, whether it qualifies for honors or not. We urge every chapter to use the report sheets provided in this connection as a means to check up on its work and its progress. The real purpose of the competition, of course, is not to single out clubs for awards, but to encourage every club to strive to do its very best

Radio Experience

The newly established Toastmasters Club of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, enjoyed an unusual opportunity to learn microphone technique when they went for an evening to the studios of WADC,

There is another "don't" that is out of the category of these others, but here it is just for good measure. "Don't forget your obligation to attend club meetings regularly." Our membership roster is limited, and each man we accept as one of us has a duty to act as part of the audience whether it is his turn to speak or not.

Century Club extends to you a cordial welcome, and we earnestly trust that you will have all the success you hope to have.

work, and while only a few may win honors, every club which competes will be stimulated by the effort.

Full information on the contest was sent out last fall, but in case the material has been misplaced, duplicate copies may be secured by writing to the chairman. The reports should be sent to him immediately after the first of June. Address all correspondence about the Club-of-the-Year Contest to Dr. Gordon R. Howard, 3906 Gage Avenue, Bell, California.

the Columbia Station in Akron, where they had the opportunity to "broadcast" from upstairs to downstairs, and also made voice recordings. Bob Wilson, "Number One" announcer for the station, gave constructive criticisms.

ADVICE TO THE SPEECHLORN

What are your speech or club problems? Would you like advice on them? The Educational Bureau has established this department to be of help to you and your club. Send your requests to Educational Bureau, Toastmasters International, 600 Michigan Avenue, Santa Monica, California.

Q. What should a speaker do with his hands?

A. What to do with your hands when they are not being used for gesturing is a problem that bothers the inexperienced speaker. The best place for them is by your sides. Just relax and they will hang where they belong. Even when you make a movement with them, they should never detract by calling attention to themselves. This means that you should not give your hands a "dry wash" or nervously play with the ring on your finger. Avoid placing your hands in your pockets if you are inclined to make nervous detracting movements. One speaker was known to have ripped the pocket out of his coat when he became excited during his speech. Hands may be held behind the back for a short time without detracting, but most speakers who do this clasp the hands so tightly that they present a rigid appearance to the audience. Gestures appear with the rapidity of the magician who makes the colored balls appear between his fingers. Therefore as a speaker who wishes to appear to advantage before his audience, let your arms hang by your sides. They will feel like two Swift-Premium hams at first but you will soon get used to their proper position and be thank-

ful that you have mastered the right thing.

For additional suggestions, note the poem on page 3 of this issue. Write to the Central Office for copies of our bulletin, "Use Your Hands," and try it out in your club meeting.

Q. How can we get our members to use the educational material provided for them?

A. Have a five-minute educational talk scheduled as part of the program each evening. For example, have a member review one of the "Tips to Toastmasters." He takes the material in the bulletin, adds his own ideas, and presents his talk on this phase of speech making. Use the "Speech Evaluation" and the "Amateur Chairman" in the same way. Thus, interest is created, and even if a member does not read the material himself, he gets the benefit of it.

Try a "quiz" program in place of the usual table topic. Prepare a set of questions on speech, using a previously announced part of the educational material. Let each member draw his question and answer to the best of his ability. Our educational material is best used to meet the personal needs of our members. Keep them reminded of its value.

HOW TO CONDUCT A GOOD MEETING

SHELDON M. HAYDEN

NOTE: The fact that Toastmasters International has gained recognition as an authority on chairmanship and the general conduct of meetings was emphasized at the recent Annual Conference on Program Problems, held at the University of Southern California, at Los Angeles, when President Sheldon Hayden was assigned as the principal speaker on the theme, "How to Conduct a Good Meeting." The material which he used as an outline for his address is given below. The conduct of a Toastmasters Club meeting does not present all the problems involved here, but since many Toastmasters are officers and members of other organizations, these points may be found useful by many who need guidance in both planning and presiding over meetings.

The Qualities of a Good Chairman.

He gives the appearance of knowing what he is doing, and he knows what he is doing.

He organizes his meeting so that he knows what is going to happen and when, then he sees that it happens. Sincerity, enthusiasm and decisiveness are three of his strong points. As toastmaster he makes his friends on the program acquainted with his friends in the audience.

As pilot of the meeting he takes the audience on a pleasant journey and makes them feel that all is going well.

Tactfully, pleasantly but firmly he fills his position by being the boss without being bossy.

How to Prepare for the Meeting.

Keep the purpose of the meeting in mind.

Acquaint yourself with the program. Prepare a time schedule and inform participants.

Prepare what you are going to say. Opening remarks should let audience know what is in store for them.

Present entertainment by:

Telling something about artists.

Pronouncing names properly.

Giving name of accompanist.

Giving credit to sponsoring organization when necessary.

Thanking them for their efforts.

Sell speakers to the audience in a speech of introduction that:

Is brief. The audience came to hear the speaker and not the chairman.

Shows the speaker he is with friends.

Emphasizes the importance and appropriateness of the subject.

Gives the speaker's qualifications, ability, and experience.

Avoids stale and stilted phrases.

Gives the title of the speech and the speaker's name properly pronounced.

Thanks the speaker at the close of his speech without summarizing his remarks.

Take care of all necessary details.

Check with management to see that tables are arranged properly, service is fast, tables are cleared before program starts, and speaker's table is served first.

Check on lighting and ventilation. Reserve places for speakers, entertainment and guests.

Have all necessary equipment on hand and ready.

Be sure song leader chooses songs in keeping with the occasion.

Inform those who are to be called upon for invocation, pledge to flag, announcements, etc.

How to Conduct the Meeting.

See that guests are properly greeted upon their arrival.

Start your meeting on time.

Check your program to see that everything is satisfactory.

Only conduct what is necessary during the meal.

See that the audience is comfortably seated and in a compact group to enjoy the program.

Let your opening remarks set the keynote for the occasion.

Introduce guests and celebrities without allowing them to make a speech. Introduce entertainment and speakers by following previous suggestions.

Give all their full time, but keep them on schedule and keep the meeting moving.

General things that should not be overlooked in conducting the meeting.

Keep eyes open for audience discomfort and correct the condition. Include the tip in the price of the meal, do not allow the plate to be passed.

Make all remarks in a clear voice that all can hear and understand. Remain standing after the speech of introduction until the speaker has recognized you; then bow and be seated.

During the speech give your undivided attention to the speaker.

AS AN OUTSIDER VIEWS US

(Mr. A. W. Fuller, father of the president of the Century Toastmasters Club of Santa Ana, recently visited a meeting of that club. Afterward, he noted his impressions in the following words.)

YOU MEN are learning to "apply your hearts unto wisdom."

By that I mean that you are making continual effort to improve yourselves—to be and to give your best—and by this means you give and receive wholesome, stimulating growth.

You are learning to use that which has been so wonderfully provided for you—the power to think

Avoid reading your remarks for it spoils the audience contact.

Be careful not to spoil the effect made by the preceding speaker.

If the meeting is long, give the audience a "seventh-inning" stretch.

If a public address system is used, instruct all as to its proper use.

When questions are allowed, it should be mentioned before the speaker talks.

Never leave the audience in doubt as to when the program is ended. Close it yourself.

What to Do After the Meeting.

See that all on the program are personally thanked.

Make provision for the returning of all equipment.

Make sure that all bills are paid and reports made.

Send "thank you" letters on club stationery to all concerned.

Analyze what you have done so that you will do better next time. If you are perfect, will your body to the Museum for exhibition.

WE ROUND OUT THE "SECOND CENTURY"

WITH THE chartering of the new chapter at Rosemead, California, Toastmasters International grants the 200th charter, and so completes the "second century" of clubs. Our growth has been steady. Nine years ago, we were incorporated with a total of twelve clubs in existence. It took six years to grow to the 100th charter, which was granted to the "Century" Toastmasters Club, of Santa Ana, California, in January, 1938. Now, three years later, we

have completed the second hundred.

This growth has taken place because our activities have appealed to ambitious men. Every club has been established through the unselfish interest of men seeking improvement for themselves and for their associates.

Here is what two of our leaders have to say about our success in reaching the present point in our movement:

TOASTMASTERS WILL CONTINUE TO GROW

J. CLARK CHAMBERLAIN, FIRST PRESIDENT OF TOASTMASTERS INTERNATIONAL

SIXTEEN YEARS ago I became interested in the Toastmasters Club, and all these years my interest has continued keen as at the first. When we began to reach out and grow, I became convinced that ours is a movement with the vital essentials for increasing growth. That conviction is still

unshaken. We are still in our beginnings of usefulness.

In my sixteen years as a Toastmaster, I have averaged fifty meetings a year, or a total of some 800 meetings. There is always something to learn, still more progress to make. Ours is a movement that will continue to grow.

TOASTMASTERS CLUBS WILL ENCIRCLE THE WORLD

JEAN BORDEAUX, FIRST SECRETARY OF TOASTMASTERS INTERNATIONAL

AT HOLLYWOOD, in 1930, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of California rapped his gavel on the banquet table, and introduced the speaker thus: "There's an activity in some of our Y.M.C.A.'s known as Toastmasters Clubs. They are supposed to train men in the art of public address. The president of the federation of such clubs has asked to be given a few minutes to speak about the work his colleagues are

doing. A most enthusiastic chap, this young man, who claims the present seven or eight clubs will spread around the world. That's a great deal of territory, but let's listen to him. I present Mr. Clark Chamberlain."

The seven or eight clubs referred to by Judge William H. Waste have now become more than TWO HUNDRED.

From one small club in 1904 our Toastmasters International has

grown. Actually, we are older than any service or civic club federation in the United States.

The 30th anniversary, in December of 1934, almost seven years ago, saw us with 28 clubs. Each year since has seen increasing growth. What is the reason for such expansion? The answer is—We offer what no other organization offers, and at a cost within the reach of every man.

BOOK REVIEW

THE DIGEST OF HUMOR (Mildred Meiers, Ocean Center Bldg., Long Beach, California) is your gateway to fun, your recourse when you need a story or a joke to illustrate or illuminate your speech. It consists of more than 300 beautifully mimeographed pages, carrying some 3700 jokes dealing with every imaginable subject. There is a classified index covering more than 2200 subjects, together with cross references to amplify the index. The author maintains that her material covers all subjects and all phases of American life which the American public makes bear the brunt

AN INVOCATION FOR TOASTMASTERS

P. L. BRUNNER, SOUTHWEST TOASTMASTERS CLUB OF LOS ANGELES

GREAT ARCHITECT of the Universe, Creator of all men, in Thy name we have assembled, and in Thy name we desire to proceed. Humbly we thank Thee for the privilege of being men among men, free to follow our own designs of

Those who laughed at the huge cardboard globe depicting the world completely dotted with Toastmasters Clubs, prepared by our first editor, Clarence Marshall, and exhibited at the 1933 Pasadena Convention, long ago quit laughing. Clarence titled his cardboard prophecy "The World in 1950." It may be that our clubs will be all around the globe before that year.

of its humor, and that because of the completeness of the index, it is possible to locate the right story in the shortest possible time. The book is really a monumental work, both as to the completeness of the selection of material and as to the artistic quality of workmanship in the volume. It sells for ten dollars a copy, but Miss Meiers offers a thirty percent discount to any Toastmasters who may place their orders through the office of Toastmasters International. There are many joke books in circulation, but perhaps no other which comes so near to completeness as does this one.

life. We thank Thee for the understanding and goodfellowship that prevail in this gathering. We pray that we may leave with that same spirit in which we came. We thank Thee for this food we are about to receive. May we relish and enjoy it. Amen.



WE WANT YOU TO MEET

ERNEST C. DAVIS

PARENTS, while highly desirable, are not utterly essential to success. That's not the contention, but the life history of Ernest C. Davis, Toastmasters International spark plug of Portland, Oregon.

Left parentless soon after birth, this Hoosier lad had to help himself to what life offered. Without relatives, he lived with strangers, worked for them for board and room. That was his way of getting his schooling. He helped the great newspaper industry by disposing of its wares, helped make this a cleaner world by being janitor. In fact, he janitored his way through college, adding something as clerk for a grocer. Later he threw down his broom and seized a baseball bat as a way of getting some share of this world's effects when a manufacturer liked the way he played baseball.

Out of college, every state in the nation lured him. He took 15 years for this See America First tour.

Along about 1925 or 1926 he wandered into the Webfoot state, saw a girl who looked better than any he'd seen in the other 47 states and married her, obtaining in the bargain a mother who shares his affections with Mrs. Davis, with Ernest Jr. now 12, and Laura Marie, 8.

Although Toastmasters comes first in order following his family—he is a Director of Toastmasters International—he is serving his second term on the Board of Directors of the Y.M.C.A. and is chairman of its board of public relations; has membership in the Metropolitan Garden Club (that's *something* in Portland); in the Church Men's Forum; in Boys' and Girls' Council; is chairman of Boys' Work Committee of Optimist International; President of the Federation of Community Clubs. Just to keep in practice as a toastmaster he is chairman of the speakers' bureaus of Red Cross, Cancer Educational Control, Columbia Empire Industries, Sunshine Division, and Community Chest.

His hobby is helping others and the photograph shows him taking little Jimmie, a crippled child, home from a children's party.

His personal testimony is this: "Everything good that has come into my life from civic interests and success has come because of a diligent application of my training in Toastmasters."



Club	Member	Branch of Service
Orlando, Florida	Capt. Howard Rybolt	Post Quartermaster, Key West
	Frederick Weaver	Flying Cadet, Montgomery, Ala.
Santa Cruz, Calif.	Douglas Baldwin	Co. B, 54th Signal Bat., Fort Ord
Ventura, Calif.	Thomas H. Sauer	Battery B, 53rd Field Artillery, Camp Roberts
Seattle, Washington	Max Schwennssen	Naval Air Serv., San Diego, Calif.
Phoenix, Arizona, Ocatillo Club	Capt. W. R. Wells	Reserve Officer, assigned to the Philippines
Van Nuys, Calif.	Lieut. A. L. Henriksen	U. S. Army Med. Corps, Riverside, Calif.
Springfield, Illinois	Capt. Richard Nelle	
La Jolla, Calif.	Capt. T. H. Messer	Returned to active service with the U. S. Engineers Office, Los Angeles
Eureka, Calif.	Capt. Edward T. Telford	2nd Q. M. Training Regt., Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyoming
Albert Lea, Minn.	Lieut. Don Landon	Camp Claybourne, Alexandria, La.
Fort Wayne, Indiana	James Nye	113th Medical Regt., Camp Shelby, Miss.
Portland, Columbia Empire Club	Dr. Vern Whitcomb	Port Orford, Washington
Santa Monica, Calif.	Capt. Paul Harper	Q. M. Corps, Fort Dix, N. J.

(Club Secretaries are requested to help keep this list corrected)

THE INTER-CLUB SPEECH CONTEST

WILLIAM BRYCE, CHAIRMAN

WITH NEARLY all of the District Contests completed, and with a company of strong speakers selected for the finals, we have every reason to expect a remarkable exhibition of forensic ability in the contest at Santa Cruz in July. Many districts report record attendance and interest in their con-

tests, and all agree that the interest this year has surpassed anything seen in the past. That one event at our convention will be worth the trip to Santa Cruz. The man who wins this year's competition will have reason to count himself a real winner among winners.

RECORD OF GROWTH

191 San Mateo, California

Promoted by the Burlingame Club, a number of whom transferred to the new chapter, San Mateo has gone to work with 21 members on the charter roll. James C. Hazlett, 3021 Flores Street, is secretary. Meetings on Tuesday evenings at the First Methodist Church.

192 Ontario, California

With 28 charter members, and with a most favorable start, this club meets on Wednesday evenings at the Broiler Cafe. The secretary is Eric Johnson, 319 West Park Street.

193 Wichita, Kansas

The influence of Tulsa Toastmasters was felt again in the organization of the chapter at Wichita. Here are 29 members, meeting Thursday evenings at Wolf's Cafeteria. The secretary is E. F. Mood, 1401 North Lorraine.

194 Tyro Toastmasters, St. Louis, Mo.

In connection with the North Side Y.M.C.A. of St. Louis, 25 men started this chapter, aided by the St. Louis Toastmasters Club. They meet on Monday evenings at the North Side Y, and their secretary is A. G. Ott, 3733 Lindell Blvd.

195 Champaign-Urbana, Illinois

Meeting in the University Y.M.C.A. Building on Tuesdays at noon, this club has enlisted the

interest of University of Illinois men as well as of local business and professional men. The secretary is E. J. Smith, 605 S. Russell, Champaign. This club was promoted by Lloyd V. Sherwood, formerly a Toastmaster in Tucson.

196 Sunshine Toastmasters, Yuma, Arizona

Through the influence of Imperial Valley clubs, Yuma's chapter was instituted with 31 charter members. They meet at Clymer's Dining Room on Monday evenings. The secretary is Robert S. Broussard, 712 Fourth Avenue.

197 Redding, California

For almost two years this club has been in formation. Finally, through the efforts of local men, combined with District Governor Peterson and Area Lieutenant Charles Benson, it has completed its organization. Meetings are on Wednesday evenings at the Hotel Redding. C. B. Angelich, 2028 Court St. is secretary.

198 Ocean Beach, California

Adding another to the list of Sixth District Clubs, Ocean Beach starts with 17 members, meeting on Tuesday evenings at "Slim's" Cafe. Robert J. Blee, 3822 Centraloma Ave., San Diego, secretary.

199 Irvington Toastmasters Club, Indianapolis, Indiana

This is our third chapter in the Hoosier Capital. It starts with 28 members, meeting on Monday

evenings at the Thomas Restaurant. Karl Malmgren, 730 E. Washington, is secretary.

200 Rosemead, California

This "second century" number goes to Rosemead, California, a chapter established through the good work of M. F. Sholed, formerly of Alhambra and "General" Toastmasters Clubs. With 28 members, the club will be chartered at a great meeting set for June 18, in the Woman's Club Building at Rosemead. All Toastmasters within driving distance should plan to attend. Make reservations with Secretary F. G. Nenow, 1523 Guess Street, Rosemead, Calif.

201 Akron, Ohio, Y.M.C.A. Toastmasters

Assisted by Toastmaster L. C. Turner and the two Akron Toastmasters Clubs, this new chapter comes into the fellowship with 28 members and great enthusiasm. Meetings are on Thursday evenings at the Y.M.C.A. The secre-

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Bad Words

Any word, used too often, becomes a "bad word," stealing away the force and effectiveness of the speech. It is very easy to fall into the habit of over-using any expression. Constant vigilance is the price of a varied vocabulary. Check yourself on the following, and similar expressions. If you are addicted to the use of any of them, break yourself of the habit. Eliminate or greatly restrict, the use of:

tary is John W. Ritzman, 347 Sumner St.

202 Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio

This is our fourth chapter in the Akron area, and our sixth in Ohio. It starts with 24 members, meeting on Wednesday evenings at Silver Lake Tavern. The secretary is H. E. Roush, 2022 16th St., Cuyahoga Falls.

203 Chula Vista, California

This chapter meets on Thursday evenings at the San Diego Country Club, with Walter Horning, 585 Flower Street, Chula Vista, serving as secretary. There are 26 members, and the charter will be presented in the near future.

204 Van Wert, Ohio

One more chapter for Ohio, encouraged by the Fort Wayne Toastmasters, and starting with 19 active members. They will meet at the Betty Anne Cafe on Wednesday evenings. L. D. Brown, of the Y.M.C.A., is secretary of the club.

"I might say."
"As I have said."
"As you all know."
"Each and every."
"Continues on."
"Goes on to say."
"After all."
"I'm gonna."
"You understand."
"Our next speaker of the evening."
"And-uh."



Left, District Governor George H. Knowles; Right, Rev. Wm. F. Tinge.

THE PRESENTATION of Charter No. 189 to the new Toastmasters Club at Princeton, Minnesota, on April 17 was an event which attracted the attention of the entire community. More than 100 persons attended the meeting, held in the Masonic Hall, including representatives from eight other Toastmasters Clubs in the vicinity. The charter was presented by District Governor George H. Knowles, and re-

"What worse charge can anyone bring against an orator than that his words and his sentiments do not tally?"

—Demosthenes.

ceived by the Rev. William F. Tinge, president of the new chapter. A novel plan of seating was used for the participants in the program. Speakers were seated at one side of the speakers' table, with their wives seated directly across from them. The same plan was followed with the critics and their wives, at another table. The *Princeton Union* devoted nearly two columns of space to its report of the meeting.

"Many communists were simply reversed capitalists—egotists without capital."

—H. G. Wells.

TOASTMASTER OF THE EVENING

FREDERICK J. PYMM, BELL "INDUSTRIAL" TOASTMASTERS CLUB

THE TOASTMASTER of the Evening, from the time he receives the gavel until he relinquishes it, is a host. He has presumably prepared an excellent repast of speeches for you. In his preliminary remarks he sets his table, puts a touch of color here and there in the way of flowers, and announces his menu in the most gracious manner possible. He is given opportunity for humor, selected to fit the occasion, yet the feast as a whole must be presented with dignity.

The Toastmaster has persons of differing opinions present and he must be tolerant of their views.

When he is preparing to serve the first course to his guests, he is the appetizer. Then is when his personality will register for better or worse, and the predominating atmosphere of his make-up will come to the front. The good-will he has for his fellow man—or the lack of it, for that matter—will vibrate to his guests in spite of his words.

To quote Emerson: "What you are speaks so loudly I cannot hear what you say." And Arnold Bennett says: "He who speaks, speaks

twice—his words convey his thoughts, his actions reveal his feelings."

Then, there may be a portion of the menu which does not turn out quite so well as he anticipated. But the Toastmaster apparently sees it not; or if it is very apparent, his generous heart comes to the rescue of the server. He is always the gracious host. Thus he makes his program one to be remembered with pleasure by all.

What I wish to call to your attention, fellow Toastmasters, is that when you are the Toastmaster, you are in charge of the program. You are selling it. Do not try to be anyone but yourself. Your listeners are your guests; you are their host of the evening.

When you are the Toastmaster in your club, you are not just presenting your fellow speakers to the other members of the club. Rather, you are addressing the vast assemblage gathered to enjoy the delicious banquet you have prepared for them, and you are responsible for making the best use of their time and attention. *You* are the Toastmaster.

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"The most original modern authors are not so because they advance what is new, but simply because they know how to put what they have to say as if it had never been said before."—Goethe.

"A man who is good enough to shed his blood for his country is good enough to be given a square deal afterwards."

—Theodore Roosevelt.



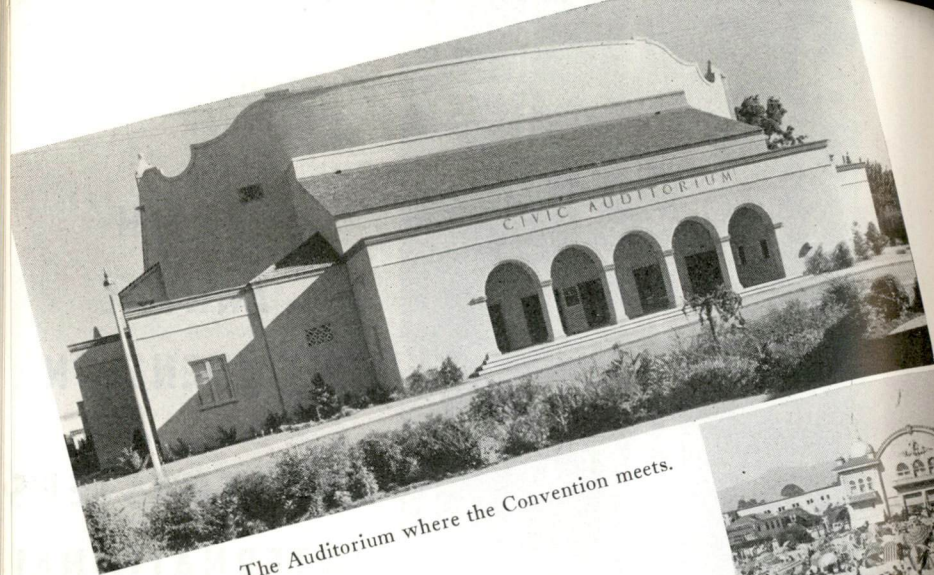
TENTH ANNUAL CONVENTION

TOASTMASTERS INTERNATIONAL

Santa Cruz California

JULY 16-19, 1941

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THE BIG TREES, THE
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BEACH UNITE TO
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The Auditorium where the Convention meets.

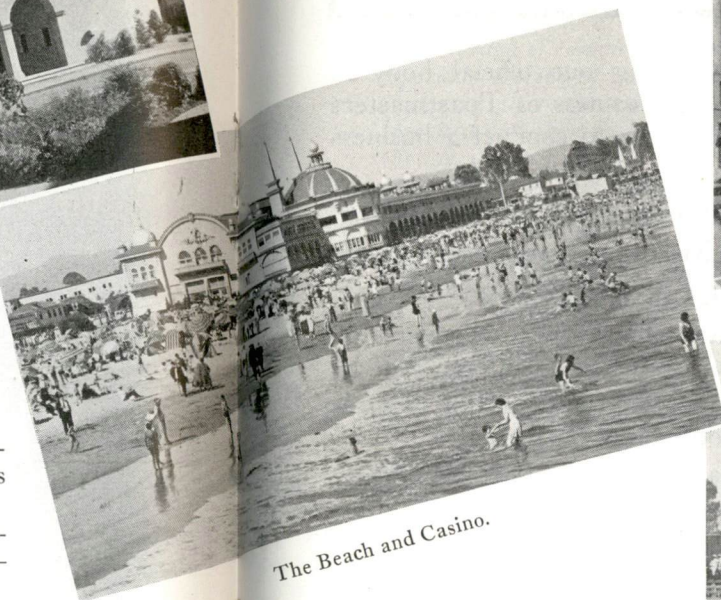
The 10th Annual Convention Committee has prepared a well-rounded program for all Toastmasters based on:

1. A vital theme—"Community and Business Leadership through Toastmasters Experience"—something you want.
2. Education—A wealth of Toastmaster experience and learning is awaiting you. Each session has been designed to cover some important aspect of our work.
3. Entertainment—Santa Cruz is ideally located for fun and pleasure. You will thrill at the Salinas Rodeo. You will enjoy the Big Trees, wooded mountains and grand beaches. Special programs will entertain you. Everything is designed to make your stay a pleasant one.

Let's make it "thumbs up" for the 10th Annual Convention at Santa Cruz.

BRING THE LADIES!

We've planned a great 3-Day Holiday for them in California's famous vacationland. Special events for their pleasure include a bridge reception at the Palomar Hotel—Luncheon at the famous Brookdale



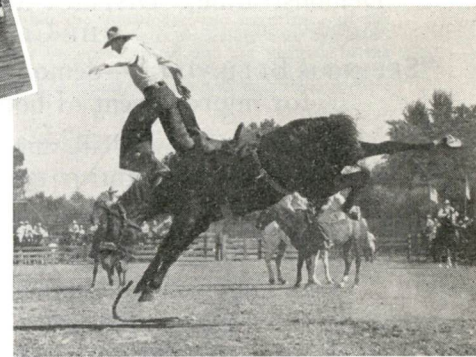
The Beach and Casino.

Lodge—a tour of Santa Cruz Big Trees Grove—and a visit to the Beautiful Begonia Gardens. General events such as the world famous Salinas Rodeo, and dinner dance at the Casa Del Rey Hotel, will provide added enjoyment. Unsurpassed facilities for beaching—swimming—and golfing will constantly surround them.

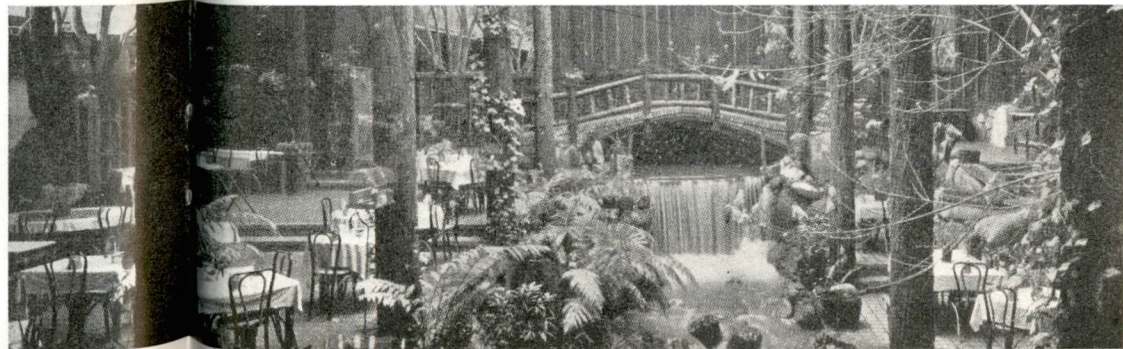
It's their Convention, too—and a big time for our Wives and Sweethearts.



The Palomar Hotel.



At the Rodeo.



The Convention Program

TRAINING FOR LEADERSHIP

"THE DIRECTORS MEET"—presenting our official body in session, demonstrating (a) how the business of Toastmasters International is handled, and (b) how to conduct a business meeting.

Symposium, "SUCCESS THROUGH TOASTMASTERS TRAINING."
Discussion, "HOW TO GET THE MOST OUT OF YOUR CLUB."

Panel, "SUCCESSFUL CLUB OPERATION."

Demonstration, "DISTRICT AND AREA AS RELATED TO THE CLUB."

"SEEING IS BELIEVING"—demonstrating use of motion pictures for improvement of body action in speech.

"MASTERING THE MIKE"—a study of radio technique.

"VOICE RECORDING FOR SELF CRITICISM."

"TAKE THE CONVENTION HOME WITH YOU."

THE PRESIDENT'S DINNER.

THE DISTRICT GOVERNORS' TRAINING SCHOOL.

THE "HI-JINX" LUNCHEON.

THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

AND

The finals of the Inter-Club Speech Contest, for the

William A. Dunlap Trophy.

The program is planned for two purposes:

1. To give the maximum value in education for successful use of the principles of Toastmasters by the individual and the club.
2. To demonstrate in every session the best methods of conducting programs in various forms.

TWO CROWDED DAYS OF FELLOWSHIP AND EDUCATION FOR LEADERSHIP

THE SPEECH CLINIC

It is not enough to say that a speech is good or not good. There is always the question "Why?" to be answered. In this section there are presented four speeches, differing in style, using different methods of approach, and demonstrating various types of speech. A paragraph of comment accompanies each, pointing out features especially worthy of note. For variation in a club program it is suggested that someone be called upon to read one of these speeches, and then to have it criticized in the usual manner, as though it were original with the reader. In a more extended criticism many points can be brought forth which are omitted in the printed comment for lack of space.

FOURTH DOWN—GOAL TO GO

JOSEPH P. RINNERT, OF DOWNTOWN LOS ANGELES TOASTMASTERS CLUB
This was the winning speech in the contest of Area No. 2, District No. 1.

One of the best ways to present an idea to an audience is through the use of the familiar. By using terms that are within the knowledge and experience of the audience, a speaker can paint a vivid picture. This is done vividly here by Toastmaster Rinnert through a clever analogy between football and our position in the present world crisis. Notice how consistently he has used football jargon to carry us forward to the conclusion he wants us to reach. It is a well-organized speech. Try this technique in some of your speeches.

WHY DO historians of the present find it so difficult to record clearly current history? Because they fail to think of complex international affairs in ordinary, everyday terms. Stripped of diplomacy and fine writing, these happenings are as simple as a game of football. Today the citizens of the United States agree as to what their goal is, but do not agree upon the surest way to get the ball across that goal line. Their goal is to preserve, protect and defend the American democratic spirit, the American standard of living, freedom of speech, of press and of religion, the right to the free exercise of franchise, a spirit of tolerance and respect for the rights of the individual.

Today we are in the position of a football team on the fourth down

with goal to go and with just time for one more play. In a crisis on the playing field a good quarterback reviews quickly the preceding plays and their results. We should follow his example.

After World War No. 1 and its peace treaties, we were within ten yards of the goal line. The first play was made during the decade commencing about 1922. It consisted of an attempt to reduce and ultimately to scrap the armaments of all nations, just as the Versailles Treaty was supposed to have eliminated forever German armaments, both offensive and defensive. The theory back of the play was that Germany and her allies would remain disarmed and that the rest of the nations could be trusted to reduce their armaments. In mak-

ing the play we scrapped much of our potential Navy and Merchant Marine and in doing so were thrown for a loss and for a second down.

The second play was made between the years 1933 and 1939 and consisted of a steadfast refusal on our part to face the dangers inherent in a swiftly re-arming Germany under the leadership of a fanatical genius with a fatal gift for oratory. We refused during that play to throw even our moral support toward blocking out of the play Europe's newest triple-threat man and instead, blindly closed our eyes to the fact that our own future well-being depended upon the speed with which we rearmed ourselves. On that play we fumbled, made no gain and came to the third down.

The third play was made between September 1939 and today—a period in which a completely re-armed Germany and her allies were spreading their influence and domination throughout ever-expanding portions of the globe. Our play in this critical time has consisted of a half-hearted attempt to do two things: first, to rearm ourselves, and second, at the same time, to preserve our normal business and social activities not only from interruptions but even from slight inconvenience. In executing that play we made some headway but we now have come to the fourth down and we are still at least ten yards from the goal line.

There is time for one last play. The play which we select must be the one which will produce the greatest number of airplanes, tanks,

machine guns, and other implements and materials of war in the shortest period of time. There are among us those who insist upon quibbling as to whether the ball should be carried by the armed forces of the British Empire or by our own. But that decision isn't the important one, for both armed forces are great ball carriers, once the ball is in their hands. The real decision comes in the selection of the play itself. We might try a direct line plunge by an outright declaration of war, accompanied by a nationalization of our defense industries, complete subjugation of personal liberties, and the terrible sacrifices which are the inevitable accompaniment of actual warfare. We might try an off-tackle smash in the form of perfectly timed blocking for the British ball carrier by immediately giving to the President or to a National Defense Counsel unprecedented peacetime powers to force into line any individual, any corporation and any group interfering in any degree with our defense program and our all-out aid to Britain. Or we might try the less direct, but frequently effective, old "Statue of Liberty" play by issuing propaganda designed to create an effective wave of voluntary cooperation for defense by labor, capital and management, without the necessity of interference by the government.

We, collectively, are not at this moment merely armchair quarterbacks. We are actual participants in this game. Upon our next choice of play depends our chance of crossing the goal line standing

up. If I were the sole quarterback, or if I as a player might make the choice, I would not call the signal for the direct line plunge with all its risks; I would not mention the Statue of Liberty play with all its uncertainties. Unhesitatingly I would call for the play that would score—the off-tackle smash.

Perhaps you too, as an individual, have made up your mind, but we, as a team, have not yet reached a decision. We must determine both quickly and correctly which play is most certain to produce results. Once the play is selected, whichever one it may be,

it must be executed with snap and precision and with no deviation on the part of any one of us.

The time is nearly up, fellow Americans! Upon our decision rests not only the safety and happiness of ourselves and of our contemporaries, but also the opportunity to participate in future games as a free and independent nation. Let us make our choice now, and, as one man, throw ourselves so vigorously into the play that, when the story of the game is written a page of history will be emblazoned with that victory which Freedom deserves.

THE FIRE AT OUR FEET

BARRIE GOULT, VICTORIA, B. C., TOASTMASTERS CLUB

Toastmaster Goult is to be complimented for choosing a clever title. His use of a quotation in the introduction is good for it calls attention to his subject. The use of the rhetorical question in paragraph seven gives his speech variety and again calls attention to his theme. An audience likes to know what to do to solve the problem and the four steps give the answer. Unity is given the speech by referring to the title again in the last paragraph. This is what is known as the problem-solution type of organization. It is well done.

MR. TOASTMASTER, Gentlemen:

General Jan Christian Smuts, that great South African patriot, once said, "The peoples of the Empire have struck their tents, and are on the march."

But the General thought wishfully. The British peoples were sleeping deeply and listening to the lullabies of Ramsay MacDonald who sang of disarmament; of Stanley Baldwin, who sang of pigs, pipes and Presbyterian mixture; and the swan song of Mr. Neville Chamberlain, whose measures of appeasement were louder and more popular than the note of warning sounded by Winston Churchill.

Mr. Churchill's voice and the march of events did, it is true, awaken the peoples of the British Empire to the dangers of war, and we are preparing as we never have done before. Unfortunately, while we feel the heat of the Battle of Britain in our faces, it withdraws our awareness to the grass fire crackling at our feet, a fire that may consume the nation, the continent and the world.

Toastmaster Harry Howard described a minor part of this blaze when he spoke a month or so ago of apples grown in the Interior of this Province being fed to hogs. He need not have stopped there. He could have told you of improv-

erished dairy farmers who cannot profitably market their product; of certain bakery firms facing diminishing returns while the wheat crop of the Dominion is the greatest we have experienced for years. He could have told you of small fruit growers who plow their vines under because the return on their product is insufficient for their needs.

In a word, we can produce, and easily produce, sufficient for the needs of our entire population. Yet, poverty and malnutrition are by no means rare while we plow under and burn the very food with which we could feed those who want.

Briefly, we have not yet bridged the chasm between production and consumption.

Do I paint the picture blackly when I say that in the post-war years this will be our greatest problem? Am I right when I suggest that upon the solution of this problem, depends, in great measure, a saner world when victory is again ours? Am I incorrect when I assume that if we do not rouse ourselves from the suicidal policy of *laissez faire* which has been our besetting sin, another war may eventually overwhelm us, and forever sweep away that manner of life, to which we as a democracy are dedicated?

We have not yet tried seriously to grapple with this problem. Certainly we have no adequate solution for it. As men of good will, in our discussions together, we may think of one. I believe this problem must eventually give way to man's in-

genuity. Perhaps we may help. Naturally, you ask how.

There are four ways:

1. By reading. Primarily, the problem is one of economics. The average man knows little of this science, and cares less. You may easily grasp its fundamentals by reading such books as the "Principles" by Taussig. Refuse to believe for one minute that such books, readily mastered by University freshmen, should elude men of our age group and background.

2. By discussion. You will agree, that several heads are better than one. And from a group such as this, there must surely come some worthwhile suggestions which may be translated into action.

3. By unprejudiced analysis. The average man reads the newspaper well. Its pages give him the sum total of his adult education. Yet to read and believe all that appears in the press is to believe a specious gospel. Strive to obtain the other side of any case. Remember that newspaper policy is directed, not God-given. Remember that man is by nature selfish.

4. Strive always to bring about a better understanding between capital and labor. Industry cannot operate without either. Industry is dependent upon production and consumption. And unless there are smoothly working employer-employee relationships, the energy that must be spent upon the main problem will be dissipated upon endeavors to compose differences that are, in many cases, petty and unnecessary.

"Come then," said Prime Minister Churchill, a year ago, "let us to the task, the battle and the toil! Each to our part, each to our station . . . Let us go forward in all parts of the Empire. . . There is not a week nor a day, nor an hour to be lost."

Let us bend our energies to quenching the great fire that roars

over Europe, save for all time the free way of life. But in the doing of it, I beseech you, do not fail to give heed to the grass fire at your feet, which in the days to come, fed by the grave discontent of our peoples, and encouraged by the highly inflammable oils of Muscovy, may indeed do that which the Austrian paper-hanger has failed to do.

WHAT GOOD IS A SPEARHEAD?

OTTO HAUSEISEN, GOLDEN GATE TOASTMASTERS, SAN FRANCISCO

The "In My Hand" or exhibit opening always gets attention. The analogy drawn is clever. The early and definite introduction of the purpose of the speech after the opening is good. People like to know where you are going, whether you get there or not. Sincerity is an outstanding quality of leadership. This speech shows the sincerity of Toastmaster Hauseisen coupled with a challenging program. The conclusion asks for definite action. This speech should serve as a challenge to presidents and prospective presidents. Speech is the most effective medium of leadership known to mankind.

IN MY HAND I hold an old Indian spearhead. Were I to attempt to throw it alone, sharp as it is this spearhead would have difficulty in piercing a quarter-inch sheet of cardboard. But—were I to attach a solid, heavy, true oak shaft to the spearhead, it could easily be thrust through a one-inch pine board. Alone, the head has little value; with a shaft to give it power and momentum, it is a formidable weapon.

Fellow Toastmasters, you have just elected me to serve as your president, your spearhead, for the next six months. But, without every one of you fully and actively behind me to serve as a staff, I am of no more value in Toastmasters than this lone spearhead would be in hunting.

My purpose in speaking now is to ask the complete support of each one of you in helping me to accomplish during the next six months

some of the dreams you and I cherish for Toastmasters.

You know that I am a dreamer. In moderation, this quality is a virtue. With me it is an obsession, and thus a fault. Realizing this, and also realizing that such qualities would make me a poor president, I pondered as to how I could force myself to work more than I dreamed. Gentlemen, I'm going to let you in on a secret—the secret of how I hope to force myself to action. Here it is: I'm putting myself out on a limb; so far out, in fact, that I'll either make a success or a fool of myself. I'm putting myself out on a limb by telling you, in open meeting, not what we hope to do, nor what we plan to do, but what we're going to do.

The first thing we're going to do is to bring our membership up to full strength, *despite the fact*

that summer, the so-called "slack season," is approaching.

We're going to do that first by inviting as guests men whom we know, whether good friends or merely acquaintances, who appeal to us as having the qualities of personality and drive that create first-class Toastmasters. Then we're going to make those guests so welcome, and our meetings so worthwhile, that they can't help returning; and in case any of them accidentally forget to return we've already planned follow-up letters plus personal contacts.

In order to make our programs attract new members, we're going to devote work, hard work, toward creating splendid, varied and fascinating programs. We're literally going to sweat ideas out of our program chairman; and each one of us is going to help him with suggestions. For example, why can't we engage in inter-club debates, as well as in exchange of speakers? By staging inter-club debates, joint meetings could be held with other clubs in the city, permitting us to know their members better while receiving actual training in thinking on our feet while in strange territory. Why couldn't we go even farther and debate with some outstanding civic groups in the city, such as the Junior Chamber of Commerce? By this means, besides receiving splendid experience, we would place the name of Toastmasters before other groups and receive the recognition which we merit.

Here is another dream. Why can't we have a Central Speakers'

Bureau that lists the qualifications and special abilities of every Toastmaster in the city? Such a Bureau would give us both definite training and publicity, also the opportunity to be of tangible service to other organizations.

Here's the last dream. Why can't there be a Toastmasters' library where any Toastmaster in the city could go for expert knowledge on the technique of speaking? This library might be housed in the YMCA, and could contain, for example, a complete file of "The Toastmaster," records such as the "Take Off and Climb Series," and outstanding books for use in preparing talks, such as "The Encyclopedia of Creative Thought," an unabridged dictionary, a thesaurus, a book of humor cataloged by subjects, and a volume of toasts. With four clubs working together we could build one of the finest libraries of this kind in the nation.

Fellow Toastmasters, these are just a few of the dreams which we can turn into realities. Remember, I definitely promise that we will bring our membership up to full quota. I also promise you the most interesting programs in which you have ever participated. The other suggestions will have to be discussed with the other clubs, but they are hopes which can be realized.

As I said at the very beginning, I am only the spearhead. With each of you working with me as the staff we'll make this an outstanding club. Now, we're going to work.

THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF PATRIOTISM

DARRELL MILTON, SAN PEDRO TOASTMASTERS CLUB

Here is a speech which must have been delivered with enthusiasm. From the start it reflects sincerity and earnestness, and as the thought develops one gets the impression of a definite effort to convince and arouse. The speaker must have used positive gestures. Note the interesting opening, with the reference to Chauvin, who is again brought to mind in the conclusion, giving a sense of completeness. The four main points which Toastmaster Milton offers as the responsibilities of a patriot are well selected, and each appears to receive a proportionate amount of attention. In the conclusion use is made of the summary of points, an excellent plan to insure that the audience will remember what has been said.

ONE OF the most ardent admirers of Napoleon Bonaparte was Nicholas Chauvin, a veteran of the First Empire. He bragged so much about his Emperor and "the glory that was France" that his name came to stand for the spirit of exaggerated patriotism. Patriotism in our times often takes a form of conceit like that of Nicholas Chauvin because as we think of our nation as the best in the world, we bask in the reflected glory of its greatness.

We think of patriotism as a sentiment. But it is more than mere sentiment. It is an obligation and a responsibility. None of us really likes responsibility, but we can't escape it. Patriotism doesn't consist in boasting that ours is the best nation in the world, but in wanting to make it the best, and wanting that hard enough to let it cost us something in time, and effort—and taxes.

Foremost among our obligations as good citizens is that of voting. The right of free men to rule themselves by ballot seems to be firmly established in our country. All Americans boast of that right. Men have fought and died to maintain it.

And yet, on that rainy election morning, when "the fate of the na-

tion hangs in the balance," from a fourth to a half of us invariably fail to vote. We either oversleep, and so are rushed in getting to work, or else we put it off until the afternoon and then forget it. We are willing to disfranchise ourselves by letting the other fellows' votes decide the election.

Voting is our responsibility. It entails time, effort and intelligent thinking. It is a practical demonstration of our patriotism.

We are responsible for keeping informed as to the issues confronting our government. Are we acquainted with the issues underlying the strikes in defense industries today? Is it necessary for us to convoy ships to Britain? Are we familiar with the issues before our own state legislature?

We are further responsible for keeping our representatives in government informed as to *our* opinions. How many of us have notified our representatives in congress, in the state legislature, or even in the city council regarding our stand on the issues before them? Our representatives will probably vote the way the majority of their constituents want them to vote, provided they know what we want.

We are responsible for cooperating fully with our government.

Toastmasters International functions not only because it has able leadership, but also because it has the full cooperation of the individual members. Our San Pedro Toastmasters Club has a full roster principally because of the enthusiastic and able leadership of our out-going president, Joe Green, and also because of the close cooperation which has existed among the various committees and the membership as a whole.

True patriotism shows itself in our willingness to cooperate with the wishes of the majority. It entails the working together of all for the accomplishment of a common good. It is the process by which we protect our individual well-

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Training for Service

Noventa Toastmasters of Santa Barbara, since the establishment of the club, have developed eleven presidents for other organizations in the community. One of the most recent instances is the election of R. B. Romero, past secretary of Noventa Club, as President of Santa Barbara Native Sons of the Golden West.

Going to Santa Cruz

Very low rates are available by railroad for those attending the convention at Santa Cruz, July 16 to 19. Certificates which will enable convention attendants to secure the special rate may be secured from our office in Santa Ana, or from District Governors.

being by protecting our social order. If we do our part, if we vote—and vote intelligently—if we keep ourselves informed on the issues of the day, and keep our representatives informed as to our opinions, and cooperate fully with our government, we shall be demonstrating a patriotism far more practical, far more enduring than that of Nicholas Chauvin.

Let us cherish as an ideal that kind of patriotism which Abraham Lincoln demanded of his fellow men when he said: "Let us dedicate ourselves to the task yet remaining before us . . . that government of the people, by the people, and for the people, shall not perish from the earth."

South American Tour

Santa Monica "Club of the Year" Toastmasters took the Pan-American countries as the theme of a recent meeting, given in the form of a radio broadcast. They spoke from the stage of the Junior College Auditorium, using the public address system. Each speaker was assigned one nation to discuss, and preceding each speech, pianist Warren Barker played the national anthem of the country in question. To help with the geography, Toastmaster R. J. Wichmann had prepared a skeleton map of the Americas. Material for such a program may be secured from the Pan American Union, Washington, D. C.



L. C. Turner

John Grotzinger

Glenn E. Martin

The Akron Y.M.C.A. Toastmasters Club received its charter, No. 201, on May 15th, the presentation being made by L. C. Turner, affectionately known in Akron as "the father of Toastmasters," a title well deserved by the good work of promotion he has done. The gavel was presented by John Grotzinger, of the Akron Toastmasters Club, and a well-planned program of speeches, criticism and entertainment was presented. The Akron Toastmasters and the Summit Toastmasters turned out in full force to help the newest chapter gain its start under the best possible conditions.

"When we think it over, don't we have in our Toastmasters organization one of the finest examples of the 'American Way?' It really does one's heart good to sit in on such a meeting as we have every Thursday night—hear men of dif-

ferent view-points on politics, economics, and so on discuss their ideas and receive a tolerant, intelligent, sympathetic hearing. It is a great privilege."

—The Gavelier, Minneapolis Toastmasters Club.

RELAX

Notice

The following advertisement was printed in a rural weekly: "Anyone found near my chicken house at night will be found there the next morning."

What Did He Say?

Child Training Expert: "If your children become unmanageable, quickly switch their attention."

Puzzled Parent: "Their what?"

Opportunity

The lady was making the final arrangements for her elaborate reception. "Bridget," she said to her servant, "for the first thirty minutes after six o'clock I want you to stand at the drawing room door and call the guests' names as they arrive."

Bridget's face lit up with a glowing smile.

"That's fine, mum," she said. "I've been wanting to do that to some of your friends for years."

Literacy

Old Uncle Ezry had been busy by himself in a corner by the fireplace. He was working industriously with a stub of pencil and a piece of paper. Suddenly he looked up happily.

"Doggone," he exclaimed, "if I ain't learned to write!"

Maw got up and looked at the scrawled lines on the paper.

"What do it say?" she asked.

"I don't know," replied Uncle Ezry, puzzled. "I ain't learned to read yit."

What's the Difference?

"Look here, waiter. Is this peach or apple pie?"

"Can't you tell by the taste?"

"No, I can't."

"Well, then, what difference does it make?"

Poor Advertising

The Scandinavian had just arrived in California, delighted at the way his car had withstood the trials of the trip.

"How were the roads, Hans?" asked a friend.

"Vell," said Hans, "dis guy Lincoln he vas a great engineer. But dat Frenchman, DeTour, he vas no road builder at all."

Efficiency

"Tell me, dad," said the small boy, "what is bankruptcy?"

"Bankruptcy, my son, is when you put your money in your hip pocket and let your creditors take your coat."

The Perfect Pun

An Irishman in the House of Commons made a statement which called from an English opponent the cry, "Treason!"

The Irishman replied: "I would have the honorable gentleman know that what is treason in England becomes reason in Ireland, because of the absentee."

Some keep that girlish figure. Others double it.

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ARIZONA

PHOENIX, Maricopa, No. 87. (D-3). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Miller's Cafe. Pres., E. W. Coverdale, Rt. 11, Box 685. Sec., Louis A. Zeller, 2530 N. Edgemere. Dep. Gov., Larry Lohr, 341 W. Wilshire.

PHOENIX, Ocatillo, No. 68. (D-3). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Paul Dummel, 718 N. 2nd St. Sec., K. G. Bentson, 2226 N. Laurel. Dep. Gov., Lawrence A. Davis, 2208 W. Washington St.

PHOENIX, Toastmasters Club No. 103. (D-3). Alternate Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Arizona Club House.

PRESCOTT, No. 104. (D-3). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Hassayampa Hotel. Pres., J. C. Nave, Box 188. Sec., Perry Shook, 526 Pleasant Ave. Dep. Gov., Martin Munz, Rt. 1, Box 181.

TUCSON, Old Pueblo, No. 74. (D-3). Saturday, 12:45 p.m., Pioneer Hotel.

TUCSON, Saguario, No. 16. (D-3). Tuesday, 12:00 Noon, El Presidio Hotel. Pres., G. Benner Kelly, 45 E. Broadway. Sec., Robert W. Ruggles, 909 N. Campbell. Dep. Gov., Tommy Tucker, Steinfeld's Dept. Store.

YUMA, "Sunshine," No. 196. (D-3). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Clymers Boarding House. Pres., James W. Young, P. O. Box 1005. Sec., Robert S. Broussard, 712 4th Ave.

CALIFORNIA

ALHAMBRA, No. 34. (D-1). Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Masonic Temple. Pres., Lothrop Smith, 568 Milton Drive, San Gabriel. Sec., Everett H. Pike, 757 N. Sunset, Temple City. Dep. Gov., Dr. A. K. Spencer, 600 W. Roses Road, San Gabriel.

ANAHEIM, No. 2. (D-1). 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m., Marigold Cafe. Pres., Dr. C. O. Patterson, 109 S. Los Angeles St. Sec., Royal C. Marten, 522 S. Ohio St. Dept. Gov., Robert Morter, 554 S. Ohio.

ARCADIA, No. 115. (D-1). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Masonic Temple. Pres., Merwin Brown, 2214 Bridgen Road, Pasadena. Sec., Robert L. Walker, 19 Bonita St. Dep. Gov., Hoyt R. Curtis, 319 Hoyt Ave., El Monte.

AZUSA, No. 69. (D-1). 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m., Logan's Cafe. Pres., Harry Putnam, Box 113. Sec., Francis Rury, 447 San Gabriel Ave. Dep. Gov., V. G. Stanfield, Y. M. C. A.

BELL, "Industrial Toastmasters," No. 124. (D-1). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Grotto Cafe. Pres., Harold H. Ithrig, 4422 E. 56th St., Maywood. Sec., Thomas H. McMurtrie, 4357 Hartle, Bell. Dep. Gov., Walter Meyer, 6423 Gifford, Bell.

BEVERLY HILLS, No. 43. (D-1). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Albert Sheetz Cafe. Pres., Rollin E. Ecke, 1565 Club View, Los Angeles. Sec., G. W. Forrer, 1525 W. 59th Place, Los Angeles. Dep. Gov., Paul Spencer, 5436 Edgewood Place, Los Angeles.

BRAWLEY, No. 162. (D-5). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Planters Hotel. Pres., Merle Mann, 140 West E. St. Sec., W. R. Nussbaum, 637 N. Imperial. Dep. Gov., Chas. Wieman, Rt. 1, Box 149.

BURLINGAME, No. 46. (D-4). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., The Town House. Pres., Buress Karmel, 1285 Oak Grove Ave. Sec., Howard Thirkell, 1454 Chatham Road. Dep. Gov., William Brown, 1407 Oak Grove Ave.

CALEXICO, No. 161. (D-5). Monday, 7:00 p.m., De Anza Hotel. Pres., Lynward Johnson, Box 877. Sec., Robert F. Vath, 824 Hefferman St. Dep. Gov., W. L. Jacobs, Rt. 1, Box 25.

CATALINA ISLAND, Toastmasters Club No. 139. (D-1). 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m., County Club. Pres., Ralph Humphries, S.C.I. Co. Sec., W. V. Heiss, S.C.I. Co. Dep. Gov., George Taylor, S.C.I. Co.

CHULA VISTA, No. 203. (D-5). Thursday, 6:30 p.m., San Diego Country Club. Pres., Robert Driver, 88 K St. Sec., Walter L. Horning, 585 Flower St.

CORONA, No. 132. (D-1). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., High School Cafeteria. Pres., H. I. Forseth, 708 Victoria. Sec., A. E. Gale, 715 Victoria. Dep. Gov., C. C. Hancock, 924 Park.

CORONADO, No. 9. (D-5). Wednesday, 7:00 p.m., El Cordova Cafe. Pres., Walter Wells, 916 Orange Ave. Sec., William Wakefield, 846 A Avenue. Dep. Gov., Arthur Bratz, 352 C Avenue.

COVINA, No. 76. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Longworth's Cafe. Pres., D. M. Spencer, 827 E. Bonita Ave., Azusa. Sec., Jesse C. Hood, 216 W. San Bernardino Rd. Dep. Gov., Don Collins, 523 N. Azusa Ave., Covina.

EAGLE ROCK, No. 109. (D-1). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Martha Washington Tea Room. Pres., W. O. Lee, 4104 Allot Ave., Van Nuys. Sec., Pope Hillburn, 1312 Hepner Ave. Dep. Gov., Geo. F. Stines, 5160 Mt. Royal.

EL CENTRO, Cactus Gavel, No. 120. (D-5). Monday, 6:15 p.m., California Hotel. Pres., Willis Johnson, 571 Olive. Sec., Donald L. Young, 1226 Brighton. Dep. Gov., Robert R. Whitelaw, 451 Sandalwood.

EL CENTRO, Laconian, No. 152. (D-5). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., California Hotel. Pres., Robert C. Rayburn, 749 Wensley. Sec., Alan Gillespie, 656 Brighton. Dep. Gov., John C. Rhodes, 1051 Vine St.

EUREKA, No. 177. (D-4). Alternate Tuesdays, 6:40 p.m., Garden Tea Rooms. Pres., Milton L. Huber, 833 H St. Sec., C. E. Morrow, P. O. Box 65.

FRESNO, Sierra, No. 135. (D-4). Monday, 6:00 p.m., Hart's Lunch. Pres., Al Thorpe, 536 N. Broadway. Sec., Ned Brown, 647 Simpson. Dep. Gov., J. R. Couly, 1464 Arthur.

FULLERTON, No. 37. (D-1). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Kibel's Cafe. Pres., John Flanagan, 137 E. Chapman. Sec., Don Fehlman, 328 N. Woods. Dep. Gov., Al Stuelke, 502 E. Chapman.

GLENDALE, No. 1, Chapter No. 8. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Westward Ho Dining Room. Pres., Rev. O. Wilbur Fix, 1545 Fifth St. Sec., Chester S. Bryan, 2111 Glen Ivy Drive.

GLENDALE, "Jewel City," No. 29. (D-1). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Sunshine Cafe. Pres., Howard Littlejohn, 323 N. Vermont, Los Angeles. Sec., Darrold Wetmore, 600 S. Central Ave., Glendale. Dep. Gov., James Barnet, 6020 Fayette St., Los Angeles.

GLENDALE, "Griffith Park," No. 125. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Sunshine Corner. Pres., Kenneth E. Lynch, 3308 Griffin Ave., Los Angeles. Sec., J. Floyd Rice, 5272 College View, Los Angeles. Dep. Gov., Donald Bodwell, 2310 Kenilworth Ave., Los Angeles.

GONZALES, No. 70. (D-4). Tuesday, 6:45 p.m., Alpine Lodge. Pres., Clifford MacElrath. Sec., Lester Weigel. Dep. Gov., E. A. Botill.

HOLLYWOOD, No. 58. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., La Gourmet Cafe. Pres., Arthur D. Lafferty, 258 S. Providencia Ave., Burbank. Sec., Dr. Dwight F. Bowers, 6777 Hollywood Blvd., Hollywood. Dep. Gov., K. Arnold Liljegen, 246 N. Providencia, Burbank.

HOLTVILLE, No. 153. (D-5). Monday, 6:15 p.m., High School Cafeteria. Pres., Frank Cameron, Box 538. Sec., Hulon Wigington, Box 34. Dep. Gov., F. Roy Thompson, Box 208.

HUNTINGTON BEACH, No. 116. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Cecylle's Cafe. Pres., M. M. McCallen, Box 550. Sec., Chas. R. Furr, City Hall. Dep. Gov., J. Sherman Denny, 2110 Main.

HUNTINGTON PARK, No. 1, Chapter No. 14. (D-1). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Coles Cafeteria. Pres., George Smith, 7035 Arbutus St. Sec., Gordon Esterley, 8128 San Carlos Ave., South Gate. Dep. Gov., Dr. Harry Jordan, 6362 1/2 Pacific Blvd.

HUNTINGTON PARK, "Progressive," No. 18. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Coles Cafeteria. Pres., A. J. Schrepfer, 2822 E. Cudahy St. Sec., Gordon Gale, 4517 E. 60th St., Maywood. Dep. Gov., Dick T. Williamson, 6316 1/2 Pacific Blvd.

INGLEWOOD, No. 114. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Haydon's Restaurant. Pres., Floyd Matson, P. O. Box 219. Sec., Albert L. Walker, 4576 Orchid Drive, Los Angeles. Dep. Gov., Dr. Edward Crane, Jr., 241 E. Queen St.

KING CITY, No. 106. (D-4). Tuesday, 7:00 p.m., High School. Pres., John G. Holtorf. Sec., Paul Ferrerae. Dep. Gov., Melvin Fowler.

LAGUNA BEACH, No. 62. (D-1). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Brass Rail. Pres., A. C. Carlton, 505 Anita St. Sec., R. E. Willey, 251 Pearl St. Dep. Gov., Edmund Kiernan, P. O. Box 1021.

LA JOLLA, No. 22. (D-5). Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Manor Hotel Restaurant. Pres., Finlay T. Drummond, 1261 Prospect St.

LA MESA and EL CAJON, "Mt. Helix," No. 126. (D-5). Alternate Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m., La Mesa and El Cajon. Pres., Guy O. Glazier, 8215 La Mesa Blvd., La Mesa. Sec., E. Lloyd Ellis, c/o La Mesa Scout. Dep. Gov., George B. Holmes, 8083 Orange Ave., La Mesa.

LA VERNE, No. 53. (D-1). Wednesday, 6:45 p.m., Bonita High School. Pres., Walker Downs, 1717 4th St. Sec., Mort C. Morrison, 2448 5th St. Dep. Gov., Clare J. Space, Artesia North of Foothill, La Verne.

LONG BEACH, "Gavel," No. 11. (D-1). Monday, 6:00 p.m., Masonic Temple. Pres., Harper Wren, 3725 E. 5th St. Sec., Kenneth Rasmussen, 23 57th Place. Dep. Gov., W. J. Hobba, 1982 Olive Ave.

LOS ANGELES, No. 3. (D-1). 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m., Stowell Hotel. Pres., John Simpson, 2751 Foothill Blvd., La Crescenta. Sec., Stanley Burness, 532 S. Vermont Ave. Dep. Gov., Thomas Lucas, 1226 W. 61st St.

LOS ANGELES, "Angel City," No. 131. (D-1). 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m., Hershey Arms. Pres., Thomas T. Hawkins, 3803 3rd Ave. Sec., Joseph J. Kelly, 713 Imogene St. Dep. Gov., Roy R. Pauly, 3048 LaCade Ave.

LOS ANGELES, "Angeles Mesa," No. 50. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Eleda Cafe. Pres., Harold Zanzot, 471 N. Oxford Drive. Sec., Berge Lion, 3711 Olympiad Drive. Dep. Gov., Paul Michels, 5536 Eileen.

LOS ANGELES, "Downtown," No. 141. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., L. A. Athletic Club. Pres., Roger W. Gunder, 1226 Carmen Drive, Glendale. Sec., William H. Carnall, 1220 Maple Ave. Dep. Gov., Robert J. Hendry, 5216 Inadale.

LOS ANGELES, "General," No. 136. (D-1). 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 5:30 p.m., Stowell Hotel. Pres., R. E. Guyot, 1146 S. Lucerne Blvd. Sec., C. V. Anderson, 1412 Poplar St., South Pasadena. Dep. Gov., A. L. Richardson, 6803-B Templeton St., Huntington Park.

LOS ANGELES, "Highland Park," No. 85. (D-1). Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Vienna Cafe. Pres., Willard Hayden, 3600 Cedar Ave., Lynwood. Sec., Philip S. Trevor, 5122 1/2 York Blvd. Dep. Gov., Stanley Smith, 549 N. Milton Drive, San Gabriel.

LOS ANGELES, "Pegasus," No. 147. (D-1). 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 6:00 p.m., Clark Hotel. Pres., Clive L. Dalgleish, 1511 1/2 Avalon St. Sec., Robert H. Moss, 6730 S. Arlington. Dep. Gov., LeRoy M. Byrne, 1316 W. 15th St., San Pedro.

LOS ANGELES, "Southwest," No. 44. (D-1). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Dilberts Cafe. Pres., Hurum M. Reeve, 701 W. 104th St. Sec., Victor R. Halley, 1116 W. 79th St. Dep. Gov., Howard D. Markle, 523 W. Queen St., Inglewood.

MONROVIA, No. 179. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Leven Oaks Hotel. Pres., Alvin Hahn, 356 N. Primrose. Sec., Richard T. Klein, 208 No. May. Dep. Gov., Herbert B. Marsh, 836 E. Foothill.

MONTEBELLO, No. 20. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:00 p.m., Jr. High Cafeteria. Pres., Charles Longfellow, 133 N. 18th St. Sec., Dr. R. T. Hansen, 1900 Whittier Blvd. Dep. Gov., Lawrence Jones, 828 Palm Drive.

NATIONAL CITY, No. 108. (D-5). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Episcopal Parish House. Pres., Joseph A. Vurgason, 313 National Ave. Sec., Elmer Austin, 423 E. 10th St.

OCEAN BEACH, No. 198. (D-5). Tuesday, 7:00 p.m., Slim's Cafe. Pres., Wm. Bergmann, 4662 Coronado Ave., Ocean Beach. Sec., R. J. Blee, 3822 Centraloma Ave., San Diego.

OCEANSIDE, No. 78. (D-5). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Beach Hotel. Pres., Alan O. Kelly, Box 542, Carlsbad. Sec., Ed Yauck, 619 S. Clementine.

ONTARIO, No. 192. (D-1). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Broiler Cafe. Pres., Hugh Abbott, 353 Madison St., Pomona. Sec., Eric A. Johnson, 319 W. Park St., Ontario.

ORANGE, No. 72. (D-1). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Henry's Bar-Be-Q. Pres., Wilbur Woods, 148 N. Waverly. Sec., Ross Atherton, 348 S. Grand St. Dep. Gov., J. A. Porter, Rt. 2, Box 357.

PACIFIC BEACH, No. 66. (D-5). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Baybridge Cafe. Pres., Kendall Harris, 2696 Mission Blvd., Mission Beach. Sec., Andrew B. Gallant, 3775 Wildwood Road, Ocean Beach. Dep. Gov., William Evans, 818 San Jose, Mission Beach.

PALM SPRINGS, No. 155. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Village Coffee Shop. Pres., Dr. Henry S. Reid. Sec., Herbert Samson. Dep. Gov., Francis Crocker, Box F.

PALO ALTO, No. 33. (D-4). Tuesday, 6:00 p.m., Wilson's Restaurant. Pres., Bill Williams, 1995 Tasso St. Sec., Cliff Giffen, 1836 Bryant. Dep. Gov., Joe Donovan, 2220 Bryant.

PASADENA, No. 6. (D-1). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Edson Coar, 2575 Sycamore Drive. Sec., Herbert Deley, 1073 Linda Vista Way. Dep. Gov., Hugh Gunnison, 308 E. Calaveras St., Altadena.

POMONA, "Downtown," No. 110. (D-1). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Dixie Tavern. Pres., Dr. Rufus Knight, 160 W. 2nd St. Sec., Lowell Decker, 140 E. Jefferson. Dep. Gov., Richard Taylor, 426 Randolph.

POMONA, No. 12. (D-1). Monday, 6:15 p.m., St. Charles Guild. Pres., Paul Parker, 890 Paige Drive. Sec., Clويد W. Farley, 1279 N. Huntington. Dep. Gov., G. Lumsdon, 347 Madison.

REDDING, No. 197. (D-4). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., New Hotel Redding. Pres., Theodore N. Kreiberg, c/o U. S. Bureau of Reclamation. Sec., Cecil B. Angelich, 2028 Court St. Dep. Gov., W. Franklin Richards, c/o U. S. Bureau of Reclamation.

REDWOOD CITY, No. 27. (D-4). Monday, 6:00 p.m., First Methodist Church. Pres., Max L. Gelber, 42 Arch St. Sec., John Brand, 266 Fulton.

REEDLEY, No. 93. (D-4). Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Reedley High School Cafeteria. Pres., E. Winer, 1043 L St. Sec., W. T. Kellogg, Jr., 1019 L St. Dep. Gov., Leo Wolfson, 42 Birch Ave.

RIVERSIDE, No. 130. (D-1). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Alvin D. Ayers, 4385 Oakwood. Sec., L. B. Gould, Y. M. C. A. Dep. Gov., Merle E. Wade, 6382 Palm.

ROSEMead, No. 200. (D-1). 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m., American Legion Hall. Pres., L. F. Phillips, 1324 Edmund Dr. Sec., F. G. Newow, 1523 Guess St. Dep. Gov., M. F. Sholes, 2615 W. Norwood Place, Alhambra.

SACRAMENTO, "Capital City," No. 142. (D-4). Friday, 6:00 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Carlyle Van Patten, 5328 21st Ave. Sec., Edwin F. Sullivan, 715 21st St. Dep. Gov., Paul Cowgill, 1516 47th St.

SALINAS, No. 49. (D-4). Wednesday, 12:05 noon, Hotel Jeffery. Pres., Dr. Harry Schultz, 64 Geil St. Sec., Bert N. Young, Jr., 339 Riker. Dep. Gov., Dr. A. L. Wessels, 322 Acacia.

SAN DIEGO, No. 7. (D-5). Monday, 6:00 p.m., University Club. Pres., Jerry Heilbron, 1752 S. Lewis. Sec., Howard Kneidler, 4192 Hilldale Road. Dep. Gov., James F. Keyes, 4125 Florida.

SAN FRANCISCO, "Downtown," No. 65. (D-4). Tuesday, 6:00 p.m., Olympic Hotel. Pres., Sam Johnson, 5th and Brannan. Sec., John T. Small, 417 Montgomery. Dep. Gov., T. W. Thompson, 417 Montgomery.

SAN FRANCISCO, "Golden Gate," No. 56. (D-4). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Clinton Cafeteria. Pres., Lester Moeller, 1316 38th Ave. Sec., Ken Wade, 220 Golden Gate Ave. Dep. Gov., Ken Vernon, 2460 15th Ave.

SAN FRANCISCO, "Golden West," No. 163. (D-4). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Central Y. M. C. A. Pres., William J. Angenent, 3037 Clay St. Sec., George G. Kragen, 439 20th Ave. Dep. Gov., Paul F. Scammon, 4732 Anza.

SAN FRANCISCO, "Mission Chapter," No. 128. (D-4). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Venice Cafe. Pres., Jack Biddulph, 2900 18th St. Sec., E. P. Hunt, 3156 22nd St. Dep. Gov., Albert Deasy, Hearst Bldg.

SAN JOSE, No. 107. (D-4). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Tiny's Restaurant. Pres., Dr. R. W. King, Twoly Bldg. Sec., Thomas M. Topp, Hale Bros. Dep. Gov., A. W. Elwood, P. O. Box 760.

SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO, "Dana," No. 112. (D-1). Monday, 6:30 p.m., High School Cafeteria. Pres., W. C. Draddy, San Clemente. Sec., James R. Ingalls, San Juan Capistrano. Dep. Gov., Wynn Richards, Dana Point.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, No. 83. (D-4). Friday, 6:20 p.m., Gold Dragon Cafe. Pres., William Mercer, 1354 First. Sec., A. C. Phillips, 684 Church. Dep. Gov., Paul Jackson, 790 Islay.

SAN MATEO, No. 191. (D-4). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., First Methodist Church. Pres., William H. Hazard, 321 Dartmouth Road. Sec., James C. Hazlett, 3021 Flores St.

SAN PEDRO, No. 111. (D-1). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Bymer Martin, 1346 W. 17th. Sec., Rudolf A. Ludwig, 737 N. Leland. Dep. Gov., J. E. Green, Sr., 702 Patton.

SANTA ANA, "Century Club," No. 100. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Rossmore Cafe. Pres., Idus F. Harper, 715 N. Main. Sec., Ernest S. Wooster, Co. Auditor's Office. Dep. Gov., Lester A. Jones, 1027 Kilson Dr.

SANTA ANA, "El Camino," No. 15. (D-1). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Rossmore Cafe. Pres., John Colwell, 1401 W. Washington. Sec., Ben Schlegel, 1130 N. Lowell. Dep. Gov., Glenn Woolley, Rt. 1, Box 431.

SANTA ANA, "Smedley," No. 1. (D-1). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Rossmore Cafe. Pres., John K. Schrier, 1424 Bush. Sec., D. H. Tibbals, 205 Church. Dep. Gov., Dr. Perry Davis, 1418 W. 9th.

SANTA BARBARA, No. 5. (D-1). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Elk's Club. Pres., Dr. Dale Bacheller, 717 1/2 State St. Sec., Vincent H. Grocott, 1312 Anacapa St. Dep. Gov., Dr. Edwin R. Kluss, 515 E. Micheltorena.

SANTA BARBARA, "Noventa," No. 90. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Margaret Baylor Inn. Pres., Walter Rogers, 1321 Alta Vista. Sec., M. L. Wilson, 1124 Bath St. Dep. Gov., Raymond Romero, 2501 Orella.

SANTA CRUZ, No. 150. (D-4). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., St. George Hotel. Pres., James B. Scofield, 245 Seabright Ave. Sec., Albert C. Carter, Box 123, Capitola. Dep. Gov., F. Norman Nelson, 41 Miles St.

SANTA CRUZ, "Tuesday," No. 182. (D-4). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., St. George Hotel. Pres., A. T. Parry, 73 Marine Parade. Sec., Sidney Carter, Box 123, Capitola.

SANTA MARIA, No. 89. (D-4). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Rencher's Cafe. Pres., Winston Smoyer, 528 E. Church. Sec., Edmund Thelan, Box 13, Casimalia. Dep. Gov., C. Edward Taylor, 215 N. Miller St.

SANTA MONICA, No. 21. (D-1). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Sovereign Terrace. Pres., Julius J. Mejer, Bank of America. Sec., R. J. Wichmann, 1132 24th St. Dep. Gov., Stanley Zundell, 3620 Wasatch, Venice.

SANTA MONICA, "Bay Cities," No. 121. (D-1). Thursday, 6:45 p.m., Deauville Beach Club. Pres., Hughes B. Hornschu, 517 10th St. Sec., Roy I. Madsen, 3131 Castle Heights Ave., Los Angeles. Dep. Gov., Newton E. West, Jr., 2319 Louella Ave., Venice.

SANTA MONICA, "Crescent Bay," No. 77. (D-1). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Sovereign Hotel. Pres., Samuel Schekman, 608 Lincoln Blvd. Sec., Richard Sanfreed, 336 26th St.

SOUTH GATE, No. 143. (D-1). Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Coles Cafeteria. Pres., Charles Wells, 240 N. New Hampshire Ave., Los Angeles. Sec., Francis Hopkins, 1006 N. El Centro Ave., Los Angeles. Dep. Gov., Victor Oremen, 8928 San Antonio Ave., South Gate.

STOCKTON, "Delta," No. 80. (D-4). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., John Schediwy, Medico-Dental Bldg. Sec., R. M. Pedersen, Y. M. C. A. Dep. Gov., Dr. K. T. Fergusson, 206 Calif. Bldg.

STOCKTON, "San Joaquin," No. 64. (D-4). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Albert E. Boehme, 1125 N. Sutter St. Sec., Leslie E. Burwell, 1347 E. Charter Way. Dep. Gov., Harold R. Nelson, 1009 N. Stockton St.

VAN NUYS, No. 172. (D-1). Wednesday, 7:15 a.m., Colonial Cottage. Pres., Jack Johnson, P. O. Box 231. Sec., Morris G. Gaylen, 14529 Archwood St. Dep. Gov., Dr. Van Hamilton, 14521 Gilmore St.

VENTURA, No. 24. (D-1). Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Town House Tavern. Pres., Lee H. Clark, 393 S. San Clemente. Sec., William A. Coffeen, 415 Jones. Dep. Gov., Mauritz Sandoz, 1092 E. Santa Clara.

VISALIA, No. 157. (D-4). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Motley's Cafe. Pres., Adolph Feierbach, Box 828. Sec., George W. Hipwell, 191. Dep. Gov., W. W. McCullough, 1312 S. Court.

WALNUT PARK, No. 26. (D-1). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Coles Cafeteria. Pres., John B. Watkins, Jr., 8424 1/2 Mountain View, South Gate. Sec., Glenn O. Wing, 7032 Hood St., Huntington Park. Dep. Gov., Dan Olson, 2708 E. 57th St., Huntington Park.

WATSONVILLE, No. 133. (D-4). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Muzzio's Restaurant.

WESTWOOD VILLAGE, No. 30. (D-1). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Albert Sheetz Restaurant. Pres., Leonard G. Fiske, 1634 Stearns Drive, Los Angeles. Sec., Willis J. Hamrick, 1145 1/2 Wooster St., Los Angeles. Dep. Gov., Clyde Warne, 277 Conway, West Los Angeles.

WHITTIER, "Quakerstown," No. 19. (D-1). 2nd and 4th Thursdays, 6:15 p.m., Dinner Bell Ranch. Pres., D. R. Mitchell, 1503 Lambert Road. Sec., Wm. Mitchener, 145 Ridge Rd. Dep. Gov., Harry Kibler, 1503 E. 2nd St.

FLORIDA

ORLANDO, No. 28. Friday, 6:15 p.m., The Colonnade. Pres., W. P. Hunter, P. O. Box 1971. Sec., L. E. Broome, 56 E. Pine. Dep. Gov., F. A. French, Mayer Arcade.

HAWAII TERRITORY

HILO, "Hawaii Chapter One," No. 113. 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 5:30 p.m., Naniloa Hotel. Pres., Henry Lindgren, 53 Lanikaula St. Sec., P. H. Baldwin, Hawaii National Park. Dep. Gov., Chester Blacow, 152 Pueo St.

HILO, "Haulili," No. 119. Pres., Tsumika Maneki, 537 Kaumana Road. Sec., Dr. E. M. Kuwahara.

IDAHO

BOISE, No. 61. (D-7). Wednesday, 6:00 p.m., Hotel Boise. Pres., James Butler, 615 Idaho Bldg. Sec., E. A. Olson, 1220 Idaho St. Dep. Gov., Paris Martin, Jr., 704 N. 18th.

CALDWELL, No. 188. (D-7). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Home Cafe. Pres., Erwin Schwiebert, 303 Logan. Sec., Max Lewellen, 1010 Cleveland. Dep. Gov., John G. Mack, P. O. Box 303.

TWIN FALLS, No. 149. (D-7). Alternate Mondays, 6:15 p.m., Rogerson Hotel. Pres., Loyal Perry, 1425 Heyburn. Sec., Cecil Jones, 625 Addison. Dep. Gov., Dr. Harry Alban, Kimberly, Idaho.

ILLINOIS

CHAMPAIGN-URBANA, No. 195. (D-8). Tuesday, 12:00 Noon, University Y. M. C. A. Pres., Lloyd V. Sherwood, 913 W. William, Champaign. Sec., E. J. Smith, 605 S. Russell, Champaign. Dep. Gov., Clarence Thompson, 803 S. McKinley, Champaign.

CHICAGO, No. 96. (D-8). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Chicago Bar Assn. Pres., Wilson E. Arbogust, 30 N. Michigan Ave. Sec., Harold L. Finley, 29 E. Division St. Dep. Gov., Lester G. Prentiss, 3406 W. Foster Ave.

CHICAGO, "Englewood," No. 156. (D-8). Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Englewood Y. M. C. A. Pres., Clarence J. Overton, 7551 S. Wolcott. Sec., John F. Kavanagh, 6545 S. Union. Dep. Gov., Herman W. Seinwerth, 7505 S. Wolcott.

CHICAGO, "Wilson Avenue," No. 169. (D-8). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Wilson Ave. Y.M.C.A. Pres., Martin W. Miller, 2615 Windsor Ave. Sec., A. L. T. Hoffmann, 931 Lakeside Place. Dep. Gov., Robert Buswell, 4521 N. Paulina St.

DANVILLE, "Uncle Joe Cannon," No. 127. (D-8). Monday, 6:00 p.m., Grier-Lincoln Hotel. Pres., Leland M. Inman, 1122 N. Gilbert. Sec., Bob Wright, 306 Oak. Dep. Gov., Joe Ewers, 1009 N. Vermilion.

JACKSONVILLE, "Athenian," No. 174. (D-8). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Dunlap Hotel. Pres., Alvin Otto, 120 Finley St. Sec., Dallas P. Brown, American Bankers Bldg. Dep. Gov., J. Allen Biggs, 307 Ayers Bank Bldg.

QUINCY, No. 129. (D-8). Wednesday, 6:00 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Weslie W. Olson, 1437 Maine St. Sec., Paul Kittinger. Dep. Gov., Otis Randolph, 1622 Vermont.

SPRINGFIELD, "Lincoln-Douglas Chapter," No. 51. (D-8). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Dr. Thomas F. Harmon, 1601 S. Douglas. Sec., Creel Douglass, 701 W. Washington. Dep. Gov., Harry L. Hodde, 1402 S. 1st St.

INDIANA

COLUMBUS, No. 39. Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Colonial Inn. Pres., Irwin Miller, 608 Fifth St. Sec., J. M. Jewell, 727 Lafayette Ave. Dep. Gov., Robert Crowe, 726 7th St.

FORT WAYNE, No. 159. Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Phillip Tilford, 4001 S. LaFayette. Sec., R. Myron Dinius, Wayne Paper Box Co. Dep. Gov., Paul M. Wilcox, Y. M. C. A.

INDIANAPOLIS, "Pioneer," No. 17. Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Lebert Riggle, 442 N. Hamilton. Sec., W. R. Sellers, 5950 Ralston Drive. Dep. Gov., Robert McGinnis, 4020 Cornelius.

INDIANAPOLIS, No. 42. 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 6:00 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., W. A. Jones, 517 Illinois Bldg. Sec., Charles Haley, Y. M. C. A. Dep. Gov., Warren R. Fisher, Y. M. C. A.

INDIANAPOLIS, "Irrington," No. 199. 1st and 3rd Mondays, 6:30 p.m., Thomas Restaurant. Pres., Paul Dorsey, 3925 E. New York. Sec., Karl Malmgren.

IOWA

KEOKUK, No. 184. Monday, 6:00 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Dr. F. L. DeWees, 212 High St. Sec., Frank C. Pearson, 917 Blondeau. Dep. Gov., J. O. Boyd, 609 Blondeau.

MARSHALLTOWN, No. 164. Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Y. M. C. A.

WATERLOO, No. 101. Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Joe W. Adair, Gates Business College. Sec., D. C. Whitmore, Mid Continent Petroleum Co. Dep. Gov., Ed Foster, Continental Baking Co.

KANSAS

WICHITA, No. 193. Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Wolf's Cafeteria. Pres., Harold Moore, 1558 N. Erie. Sec., E. F. Mood, 1401 N. Lorraine.

MINNESOTA

ALBERT LEA, "Y. M. C. A.," No. 91. (D-6). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Canton Cafe. Pres., Lyle Ostrander, Weigand Bldg. Sec., Byron M. Miller, 602 W. Clark St. Dep. Gov., Carl Hillstrom, 1328 W. Fountain.

MANKATO, No. 175. (D-6). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Art Armstrong, 713 Owatonna St. Sec., Ben J. Jones, 508 Pleasant. Dep. Gov., Dr. H. L. Carlson, 410 Clark.

MINNEAPOLIS, No. 75. (D-6). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Central Y. M. C. A. Pres., James F. Lichtenberger, 4839 Colfax Ave. So. Sec., Gerald E. Larson, 2211 27th Ave. So. Dep. Gov., George Benson, 4637 France Ave. So.

MINNEAPOLIS, "Russell H. Conwell," No. 82. (D-6). Wednesday, 6:00 p.m., Central Y. M. C. A. Pres., John W. Norstad, 1229 S. Cedar Lake Road. Sec., Harry A. Berg, 2437 Emerson Ave. So. Dep. Gov., L. E. Wertz, 1000 E. 51st.

MINNEAPOLIS, "Minnesota," No. 166. (D-6). Monday, 6:00 p.m., Central Y. M. C. A. Pres., Arthur F. Bowers, 3010 46th Ave. So. Sec., George B. Shimek, 3032 Findley Place. Dep. Gov., Arnold D. Bursch, 4350 45th Ave. So.

MINNEAPOLIS, "Sibley," No. 173. (D-6). Tuesday, 6:00 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Robert Longcor, 3330 Cedar Ave. Sec., Lloyd Oman, 4240 11th Ave. So. Dep. Gov., Jay B. McDevitt, Rt. 2, Hopkins, Minn.

MINNEAPOLIS, "Gopher," No. 183. (D-6). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., William E. Brandow, 719 First Nat. Soo Line Bldg. Sec., LeBlair X. Rice, 5855 34th Ave. So. Dep. Gov., Earl Clasen, 825 Thornton Ave. S. E.

MINNEAPOLIS, "Engineers," No. 185. (D-6). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Fountain Terrace Restaurant. Pres., Clarence A. Dow, 15 S. 5th St. Sec., Norman E. Cloud, 2429 N. E. Broadway.

MINNEAPOLIS, "Mark Twain," No. 205. Tuesday, 6 p.m., Central Y. M. C. A. Pres., D. R. Baldrige, 740 E. 17th. Sec., A. G. Johnson, 2015 E. 42nd St.

OWATONNA, No. 134. (D-6). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Byron Cafe. Pres., O. Tom Jager, 222 State St. Sec., Harold Isackson, State School. Dep. Gov., Les Ostrander, State Ave.

PRINCETON, No. 189. (D-6). Monday, 8:00 p.m. Pres., Wm. F. Tinge. Sec., Morris Johnson.

ST. PAUL, No. 167. (D-6). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Carling's Cafeteria. Pres., Garrett B. Wright, 522 S. Saratoga. Sec., Clarence P. Johnson, 127 7th Ave., South St. Paul. Dep. Gov., Paul Villaume, 172 Prospect Terrace.

MISSOURI

ST. LOUIS, No. 170. (D-8). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Waldo G. Fechner, 3845 Potomac St. Sec., Joseph K. Tanaka, 4984 Berthold Ave. Dep. Gov., J. Alvin Queen, 1529 Locust St.

ST. LOUIS, "Tyro," No. 194. (D-8). Monday, 6:30 p.m., North Side Y. M. C. A. Pres., Ernst H. Nieman, 7326 Winchester Drive. Sec., Aaron G. Ott, 3733 Lindell Blvd.

NEVADA

RENO, No. 178. (D-4). Monday, 6:10 p.m., Unique Cafe. Pres., Vernon Durkee, 932 Ryland. Sec., Chester Anderson, 300 Colorado. Dep. Gov., Fred Keiper, 639 Nixon.

NEW MEXICO

ALBUQUERQUE, No. 122. Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., Alvarado Hotel. Pres., James G. Barry, P.O. Box 1194. Sec., J. N. Rumble, 209 S. Richmond.

OHIO

AKRON, No. 151. Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Y. W. C. A. Pres., Ben Larsen, 895 Winton Ave. Sec., Geo. J. McKee, 848 Stadelman Ave. Dep. Gov., L. C. Turner, 795 Roslyn Ave.

AKRON, "Summit," No. 190. Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Y. W. C. A. Pres., John R. Long, 68 Mosser Place. Sec., W. Herschel Cox, 1522 First Central Tower. Dep. Gov., Thomas A. O'Brien, 700 Mentor Road.

AKRON, "Y. M. C. A.," No. 201. Thursday, 6 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., Glenn Martin, 1129 Avon St. Sec., John W. Ritzman, 347 Sumner St.

CINCINNATI, No. 102. Monday, 6 p.m., Central Y. M. C. A. Pres., J. David Roy, 6505 Ridge Ave. Sec., Robert C. Yeager, 100 E. Court St. Dep. Gov., Wm. Hanschmidt, 2918 Cortelyou Place.

CUYAHOGA FALLS, No. 202. Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Silver Lake Tavern. Pres., Morris Plummer, 2593 Sylvan Road. Sec., Harold E. Roush, 2022 16th St. Dep. Gov., Robert H. Crossley, 2510 Berk St.

STEUBENVILLE, No. 187. 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 6 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., W. W. Borden, Borden Realty Co. Sec., Frank T. Black, Miners & Mechanics Bank. Dep. Gov., George Shivers, Weirton Times, Weirton, West Virginia.

VAN WERT, No. 204. Wednesday, 6 p.m., Betty Anne Cafe. Pres., Robert Tuttle, 1014 Elm. Sec., L. D. Brown, Y. M. C. A.

OKLAHOMA

BARTLESVILLE, No. 186. Monday, 6:15 p.m., Maire Hotel. Pres., Ralph W. Pfeiffer, 1720 Osage Ave. Sec., Victor A. Mills, 520 Shawnee Ave. Dep. Gov., James R. Meeks, 401 Choctaw.

TULSA, No. 148. Monday, 6:15 p.m., Mayo Hotel. Pres., K. O. Hoebel, 504 E. Archer. Sec., J. W. Redden, Box 2240.

OREGON

BAKER, No. 55. (D-7). Monday, 6:15 p.m., The Nook Cafe. Pres., Kenneth Robb, 2830 2nd St. Sec., J. K. Moore, 1701 Washington St. Dep. Gov., Spencer Goodrich, 36 Hillcrest Place.

EUGENE, No. 145. (D-7). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Seymour Cafe. Pres., Carl Broderson, 112 10th St., E. Sec., Sherman Torbenson, 1285 E. 20th. Dep. Gov., Gerald Huff, 1141 Madison St.

HILLSBORO, No. 158. (D-7). Friday, 5 p.m., Chamber of Commerce. Pres., L. B. Hall, Commercial Bldg. Sec., H. E. Staples, First Nat'l. Bank Bldg. Dep. Gov., T. H. Bailey, c/o P. G. & C. Company.

KLAMATH FALLS, No. 98. (D-7). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Willard Hotel. Pres., Myrle C. Adams, Altamont Drive. Sec., Hans Norland, 1834 LeRoy.

MEDFORD, No. 67. (D-7). Monday, 6:15 p.m., The Nook. Pres., George Frey, 820 E. Main. Sec., Carlos Morris, 806 W. 10th.

PENDLETON, No. 154. (D-7). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Pendleton Hotel. Pres., Dr. G. L. McBee, 114 S. W. Court St., Sec., Robert McCormack, 522 S. E. Byers Ave. Dep. Gov., Lowell Stockman, 503 N. Main St.

PORTLAND, "Columbia Empire," No. 171. (D-7). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Treasure Island Restaurant. Pres., Everett Mitchell, 2332 N. E. Schuyler. Sec., Ervin Pietz, 6114 N. Curtis. Dep. Gov., Dr. Robert A. Gilbert, 3025 N. E. Dunckley.

PORTLAND, No. 31. (D-7). Monday, 6 p.m., Chamber of Commerce. Pres., J. Earl Wetmore, 1001 Bedell Bldg. Sec., Arthur Briggs, c/o KOIN. Dep. Gov., Cecil Griffith, 210 Public Service Bldg.

PORTLAND, "Timberline," No. 94. (D-7). Monday, 6 p.m., Chamber of Commerce. Pres., J. W. Batcheller, 1421 S. W. Broadway. Sec., D. S. Boggs, 30 N. E. 68th.

SALEM, No. 138. (D-7). Tuesday, 6 p.m., Marion Hotel. Pres., Oscar D. Olson, 499 Court St. Sec., Albert H. Gille, 1368 Center St. Dep. Gov., Dr. Carl Emmons, 410 Fawk.

PENNSYLVANIA

GREENSBURG, No. 181. Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., American Legion Home. Pres., Donald B. Sibel, 130 W. 3rd. Sec., Charles Bocksberger, 619 Welty.

PITTSBURGH, No. 144. Thursday, 8 p.m., Downtown Y. M. C. A. Pres., Earl G. Hadley, 120 Ruskin Ave. Sec., William L. Doney, 6744 Penn Ave. Dep. Gov., C. T. Woodroof, 740 Gypsy Lane.

TEXAS

EL PASO, "Y. M. C. A.," No. 92. Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Hilton Hotel. Sec., A. L. Holm, Y. M. C. A.

WASHINGTON

ABERDEEN, No. 79. (D-2). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Elk's Club. Pres., James Hansen, 1007 1/2 W. Wishkah. Sec., Charles H. Palermo, 608 W. 2nd. Dep. Gov., John B. Adams, 800 Thornton.

BELLINGHAM, No. 60. (D-2). Monday, 6 p.m., Hotel Lepold. Pres., Russell Mowry, 2734 Walnut. Sec., James W. Bartell, 2715 Walnut. Dep. Gov., Myron Byron, Box 443.

BREMERTON, No. 63. (D-2). 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m.

CENTRALIA, No. 118. (D-2). Thursday, 6:40 p.m., Lewis-Clark Hotel. Pres., James McGee, 214 S. Buckner. Sec., Burdette Carter, Carter's Garage. Dep. Gov., Elroy McCaw, Lewis-Clark Hotel.

COLFAX, No. 168. (D-2). Friday, 6:15 p.m., Colfax Hotel.

DAVENPORT, No. 160. (D-2). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Lincoln Hotel. Pres., Dr. Ralph Sewall. Sec., Wm. A. Shanks. Dep. Gov., Walter A. Wilbur

EVERETT, No. 117. (D-2). Monday, 6 p.m., The Grill. Pres., Harvey White, 2602 Wetmore Ave. Sec., G. M. Platt, 4213 Rucker Ave. Dep. Gov., Wilber Johnson, 2606 Rockefeller Ave.

LONGVIEW, No. 180. (D-2). Monday, 6 p.m., Hotel Monticello. Pres., Ray Astle, 1634 22nd St. Sec., Richard W. McDuffie, 2619 Florida. Dep. Gov., Harry Compton, 2030 Hemlock.

OLYMPIA, No. 25. (D-2). Tuesday, 6 p.m., Hotel Olympia. Pres., Gerald Sophy, 623 S. Laurel. Sec., Frank Curtis, 219 E. Union.

ROSALIA, No. 176. (D-2). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Christian Church. Pres., L. B. Martin. Sec., Marvin G. Jacobs, 3025 N. E. Dunckley.

SEATTLE No. 1, Charter No. 10. (D-2). Monday, 6 p.m., Washington Athletic Club. Pres., William S. Coon, 314 Alaska Bldg. Sec., J. Glen Liston, 502 Hope Bldg. Dep. Gov., M. T. Dalton, Medical Dental Bldg.

SEATTLE No. 2, Charter No. 23. (D-2). Tuesday, 6 p.m., Chamber of Commerce. Pres., Dr. Martin Norgore, Medical Dental Bldg. Sec., Dr. Geo. S. Fuller, 606 Shafer Bldg. Dep. Gov., Roy F. Jones, 2620 West Lynn St.

SEATTLE No. 3, Charter No. 41. (D-2). Monday, 6 p.m., Washington Athletic Club. Pres., Franklin K. McCrillis, Seattle Times. Sec., Marvin Braden, 414 Pike St.

SEATTLE No. 4, Charter No. 52. (D-2). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Elk's Club. Pres., Henry Huetter. Sec., V. R. Rathbun, Assembly Hotel. Dep. Gov., Geo. Peterson, 973 John St.

SEATTLE No. 5, Charter No. 71. (D-2). Tuesday, 5:30 p.m., Gowman Hotel. Pres., Justin Lee, Northwestern Mutual Fire Assn. Sec., Howard Jones, Northwestern Mutual Fire Assn. Dep. Gov., Ed Condon, c/o The Bon Marche.

SPOKANE, No. 47. (D-2). Monday, 5:45 p.m., Dessert Hotel. Pres., J. A. MacDonald, c/o General Foods. Sec., Jesse R. Randall, Washington Trust Bldg. Dep. Gov., Frank Matthews, Riverside Cemetery.

SPOKANE, "Tuesday," No. 105. (D-2). Tuesday, 5:30 p.m., Dessert Hotel. Pres., Ray Bartroff, S. 2133 Adams. Sec., W. E. Morris, Union Oil Co. Dep. Gov., Lloyd Sass, Ziegler Bldg.

TEKOA, No. 165. (D-2). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Banquet Cafe. Pres., P. B. Rudy. Sec., Charles N. Tyson. Dep. Gov., A. Fitzpatrick.

WALLA WALLA, No. 81. (D-7). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Marcus Whitman Hotel. Pres., Dr. John T. Gardner, Baker Bldg. Sec., Geo. L. Cheney, 116 N. Division. Dep. Gov., Almos Reynolds.

YAKIMA, No. 40. (D-2). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Donnelly Hotel. Pres., L. B. Heman, 614 S. 25th. Sec., James V. McCabe, Miller Bldg. Dep. Gov., Roger A. Neal, 217 Linden Way.

WYOMING

CASPER, No. 97. Monday, 6:30 p.m., Townsend Hotel. Pres., W. J. Bailey, Box 1051. Sec., A. F. Lesley, 523 S. Lincoln. Dep. Gov., D. W. Ogilvie, 252 N. Jefferson.

CANADA

VANCOUVER, B. C., No. 59. (D-2). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Quadra Club. Pres., Everett Irwin, 3512 W. 10th. Sec., Lloyd E. Rees, 3553 39th Ave. Dep. Gov., Wm. Shippbotham, 3076 Imperial St.

VICTORIA, B. C., No. 38. (D-2). Tuesday, 5:45 p.m., Y. M. C. A. Pres., L. W. Cox, 1043 Richardson St. Sec., J. D. Scott, 32 Cambridge St. Dep. Gov., J. B. Clearihue, 1405 Douglas St.

ENGLAND

LEEDS, No. 140—SOUTHPORT—No. 45. Inactive for duration of the war.

SCOTLAND

GLASGOW, No. 86. Inactive for duration of the war.

DISTRICTS AND AREAS

DISTRICT NO. 1.—Harold T. Crane, District Governor, 621 21st Place, Santa Monica, California. (Includes all California south of the Tehachapi Mountains except San Diego and Imperial Counties.)

AREA 1—Dwight Hamilton, Lieutenant Governor First National Bank, Santa Ana, California. Includes Anaheim, Fullerton, Santa Ana No. 1, Santa Ana El Camino, Santa Ana Century Club, Orange, Laguna Beach, Huntington Beach and San Juan Capistrano.

AREA 2—Robert L. Grube, Lieutenant Governor, 3848 West Vernon Ave., Los Angeles, California. Includes Southwest Club, Angeles Mesa Club, Los Angeles, Angel City, Downtown Club, General Club and "Pegasus" Club.

AREA 3—P. R. Thompson, Lieutenant Governor, 10311 Tennessee Ave., Los Angeles, California. Includes Hollywood, Beverly Hills, Westwood Village, Santa Monica, Crescent Bay and Santa Monica "Bay Cities" Club.

AREA 4—Leonard J. Lee, Lieutenant Governor, 701 N. San Antonio, Pomona, California. Includes La Verne, Pomona, Azusa, Covina, Pomona Downtown, Riverside, Corona and Palm Springs.

AREA 5—Albert Ballard, Lieutenant Governor, 5307 Hartwick St., Eagle Rock, California. Includes Glendale No. 1, Jewel City, Griffith Park, Eagle Rock, Highland Park and Van Nuys.

AREA 6—C. W. Roberts, Lieutenant Governor, 3047 Broadway, Huntington Park, California. Includes Huntington Park, Club, Huntington Park Progressive, Walnut Park, Montebello, South Gate, Bell Industrial and Whittier.

AREA 7—G. R. Seavey, Lieutenant Governor, "The Courier," Santa Maria, California. Includes Santa Barbara, Ventura, Santa Luis Obispo, Santa Maria and Santa Barbara "Noventa."

AREA 8—Herbert E. Morey, Lieutenant Governor, 524 DeSales, St., San Gabriel, California. Includes Pasadena, Alhambra and Arcadia.

AREA 9—Earl Coffin, Lieutenant Governor, 402 E. Fairview, Inglewood, California. Includes San Pedro, Long Beach Gavel, Avalon and Inglewood.

DISTRICT NO. 2—John A. Jewett, District Governor, 217 Pine St., Seattle, Washington. (State of Washington and British Columbia.)

AREA 1—Ray Giusti, Lieutenant Governor, 601 Pine St., Seattle, Washington. Includes Seattle Clubs, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, Everett and Bremerton.

AREA 2—Horatio Sabin, Lieutenant Governor, Lewis & Clark Hotel, Centralia, Washington. Includes Tacoma, Centralia, Aberdeen and Olympia.

AREA 3—Marlyn B. Byron, Lieutenant Governor, 341 Garden St., Bellingham, Washington. Includes Bellingham, and Victoria and Vancouver, B.C.

AREA 4—E. Roy Van Leuven, Lieut. Governor, Paulsen Bldg., Spokane, Washington. Includes Spokane, Pullman, Colfax, Davenport and Tekoa.

AREA 5—E. E. McFadden, Lieutenant Governor, Centennial Flour Mill Co., Yakima, Washington. Includes Yakima.

DISTRICT NO. 3—W. S. Randall, District Governor, 111 Park Ave., Prescott, Arizona. (Includes Southern, Central and Northern Arizona.)

AREA 1—Robert E. Sydow, Lieutenant Governor, Box 869, Tucson, Arizona. Includes Tucson, Saguaro, Tucson Toastmasters and Tucson Old Pueblo.

AREA 2—Chas. A. Davis, Lieutenant Governor, Rt. 5, Box 629, Phoenix, Arizona. Includes Phoenix Maricopa, Phoenix Ocotillo, Phoenix Toastmasters.

AREA 3—J. C. Nave, Lieutenant Governor, Box 188, Prescott, Arizona. Includes Prescott Toastmasters.

DISTRICT NO. 4—O. T. Peterson, District Governor, Burrell Bldg., San Jose, California. (Includes all California north of the Tehachapi Mountains.)

AREA 1—Carl W. Brennan, Lieutenant Governor, 417 Montgomery St., San Francisco, California. Includes San Francisco Golden Gate, San Francisco Down Town, San Francisco Mission, San Francisco Golden West.

AREA 2—T. W. Bradley, Lieutenant Governor, 1204 Burlingame Ave., Burlingame, California. Includes Palo Alto, Redwood City and Burlingame.

AREA 3—Oscar A. Anderson, Lieutenant Governor, 2741 Cowper Ave., Palo Alto, California. Includes San Jose and Santa Clara County.

AREA 4—Earl Lawton, Lieutenant Governor, 52 Washington St., Santa Cruz, California. Includes Salinas, Gonzales, King City, Watsonville and Santa Cruz.

AREA 5—Ralph Raven, Lieutenant Governor, Rt. 1, Box 780-c, Stockton, California. Includes Stockton Delta and Stockton San Joaquin.

AREA 6—Ned L. Brown, Lieutenant Governor, 2130 Kern Ave., Fresno, California. Includes Reedley, Fresno and Visalia.

AREA 7—Charles M. Benson, Lieutenant Governor, 2210 14th St., Sacramento, California. Includes Sacramento and Sacramento County.

DISTRICT NO. 5—Harold Requa, District Governor, 120 Division St., National City, California. (Includes San Diego and Imperial Counties.)

AREA 1—Paul McHorney, Lieutenant Governor, 911 W St., Oceanside, California. Includes San Diego, Pacific Beach, La Jolla and Oceanside Clubs.

AREA 2—Ray DeBarr, Lieutenant Governor, Rt. 1, Box 1217A, La Mesa, California. Includes National City, Coronado and Mt. Helix.

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