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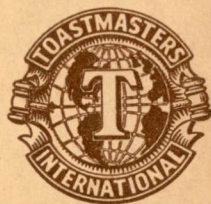


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## The Enigma of the Dividend Day

HARRY W. MATTISON, President, Toastmasters International



The perfect calendar has yet to be devised, since the cycles we know roughly as years cannot be divided accurately. Always at the end, a little left-over time accumulates, until in four years a complete extra day has been created, to be used, for better or worse, by mankind.

Scientists tell us no man can live without a number of hours of healthful sleep in each twenty-four. The Scripture emphasizes that it is better to rest also on the Sabbath. Is there a laudable special purpose to which this added day can be dedicated in 1944? Could it be the "Some Day" we so often talk and dream about?

With Fibber Magee, you and I have pulled open the door of many a figurative closet, watched the rubbish tumble in hopeless chaos and vowed, in pathetic self-delusion, "some day, I'm going to straighten out this mess."

Leap Year Day, February 29, is but a symbol of Leap Year itself. As does the day, so the year enjoins us to perform whatever worthy acts we have left undone. That goes for men and nations alike. Also for Toastmasters.

At the start of this new-born year, we well may contemplate the dishevelled closets of our country and the United Nations—affairs internal and external, duties yet unfulfilled and a future still to be planned in accordance with the standards of the boys who fight and the mothers, wives and sweethearts who, await their return.

But in these closets, too, we can find, if we will only search diligently and with reverence, much to reassure us as to the soul-healing qualities of Christ's philosophy and the essence of one of His greatest teachings, the Golden Rule.

Toastmasters, too, have closets to be dusted and arranged. Take a few items from the shelves as things to be considered and done right away by members of the TI family:

Deeper consideration by International and its clubs, each for the other.

In every club, a closer relation of sponsor to inductee.

A weekly paper in every club; and a periodical in every district.

Regional set-ups for inter-district intercourse.

Higher standards for personnel and functions of club officers, especially sergeants-at-arms.

A uniform schedule for timing; and a standard timing device.

A prescribed minimum of parliamentary procedure for Club of the Year awards.

A greater volume of material in usable form, direct from TI to individual members.

Briefer communications to club secretaries, color-keyed for quick identification, in order-blank form easy to answer and accompanied by self-addressed business reply envelopes or cards.

There are some of the things we intend to do for you and we expect you, as Toastmasters, to insist that your club straighten out its closet in regard, among other things, to these items:

1. To promote closer and quicker communications between your Secretary and Toastmasters International.

2. To be prepared to say something, as required, wherever you go, not merely at Toastmasters Club meetings.

3. To demand that the Deputy Governor of your Club attend the Area meetings (just off-hand, do you know who is your Deputy Governor?)

4. To require your Program

Committee to prepare and publish the order of speakers, critics, etc., at least one month ahead, and that every man present at a Club meeting have one or more opportunities to speak on his feet.

5. To carry on a campaign for better training in parliamentary procedure.

6. To encourage your Sergeant-at-Arms to become the busiest body in the Club. Have him look after the comfort and fellowship of all. Never a dull moment for him!

7. To make an evaluator understand that if he has nothing to contribute, he is expected to contribute nothing.

8. To employ only acceptable anecdotes. Don't dabble in dirt!

9. To treat outsiders and visiting Toastmasters with warmth, dignity and respect. Never steal from a host, or the Toastmaster, or the chairman the privilege of introducing a visitor. If any visitor is expected to say something, courtesy dictates that he be apprised in advance.

Toastmasters International belongs to no man, and no man belongs to it, for it is only a non-profit, corporate entity, composed of duly constituted Toastmasters Clubs. Seek it to guide and champion you, not to convey you.

And so the Great Planner gives us, in 1944, twenty-four more hours in which to accomplish some worth while things we have already set our hearts and minds upon doing. Let us start, now and all together, to clear out our closets, lest the end of this eventful year find them still dumps of hopeless confusion.

## The Content of Your Speech

IRWIN AUGUST BERG, Champaign-Urbana Toastmasters Club

**W**HAT is said in a speech, is fully as important as how it is said. Yet many of us spend more time and thought on the delivery of a speech (perhaps because room for improvement is greatest in this area) than we do on the material itself. An examination of the sources of speech topics can add variety, greater interest to our speeches, and at the same time contribute directly to the effectiveness of our platform performance.

Most of our speeches are drawn from three main sources: popular articles, personal experiences, and opinions or ideas of the speaker. Those taken from popular articles (i. e. newspaper or magazine accounts) have a great advantage in that the material is already organized and the topic is of general interest; however, this advantage is greatly outweighed, in this writer's opinion, by the fact that half or more of the audience can be depended on to know about penicillin, Gangster Touhy, or whatever is similarly current. If the speech material is drawn from something in *Life* magazine or the *Reader's Digest*, three-quarters of your audience will probably be familiar with it.

Speeches concerning personal experiences are invariably of great intrinsic interest if selected and prepared carefully. Such speeches can cover anything from how it felt to be starting kindergarten to

how it felt to be a grandfather. But usually "experience" speeches deal with travels, and usually they start a cycle of suppressed yawns in the audience. The soporific effect of such talks is not in the material but in the organization.

Most travel speeches seem to arrive sooner or later at a 1, 2, 3, 4 categorical order of "on our left was the lake, ahead of us the mountains, . . ." etc. The most effective short travel-talks emphasize but a single item, incident or aspect of the journey or place visited. For example, the speaker's encounter with an old native, or the speaker's reaction to *one* painting in the Louvre. But the speech need not deal with travel—why not school days, old friends, or anything but travel?

The personal "experience" talks which have enchanted audiences appear to be those which have literally flung aside conventional topics. A towering ex-football tackle once delighted his Toastmasters group with a talk on poetry. The same man gave a talk on his method of "dunking" which was so effective that he was called to repeat his talk to many other organizations. While his delivery was, of course, of great importance, the unique subject of his speech was unquestionably of great importance also.

The last category of speech sources, that of "opinion and idea" represents talks which emphasize an analysis or the reasoning em-

ployed by the speaker instead of emphasizing the material itself. Thus, a speaker might take a popular article, and instead of rehashing or parroting its contents for his audience, he might consider its facts and then reach a conclusion different from the author's. Or the speaker might air a pet peeve or a personal eccentricity by expatiating on squeaking shoes or the value of eating celery. In all cases the speech would have as its first concern a reaction of the speaker to his subject matter, subordinating the subject matter to the speaker's reaction.

"Opinion and idea" speeches have a value apart from audience interest. In preparing and present-

ing such talks, the speaker develops in maturity of thought and extends his intellectual horizons. That is, the practice of preparing such speeches can lead to habits of critical evaluation which are useful not only in speaking but in everyday life.

What might be termed a "beneficial circle" can result from serious attention to this aspect of speech content. This is in contrast to the vicious circle of poor speech organization leading to poor delivery, poor delivery influencing organization, etc. A concisely organized "opinion and idea" speech is easier to deliver; hence the "beneficial circle."

## Give Your Speech A Body

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**T**HE body of a speech must always be given the first and most important consideration in training for effective delivery.

While the personality of the speaker—which includes his ability to use lucid and expressive language, good voice qualities, proper and continuous audience contact and an easy, confident manner—is important in effective speaking, yet this is in reality only the clothes which cover the body. The body, if sound, can get along fairly well even though it may be forced to join an intellectual nudist colony. But the clothes, without the body, are useless.

The body of the speech takes first place in importance. And the most important part of the speech body is its organization. A poorly organized speech tends to interrupt the thought processes of an audience, and results in confusion as to the result desired by the speaker.

Good organization is nothing more than the orderly arrangement of ideas (perhaps accompanied by data) so that the thought can pass from one to the other without effort. No unusual mental effort should be required of a listener in the transition from one idea to another, else your logic or reasoning must be picked up by

him, bit by bit, and pieced together before he can decide what you are trying to accomplish.

If you were explaining the game of baseball to one who had never heard of the game except vaguely, would you start by telling him about the scoreboard on which the tallies are kept? No, you would explain that the game is played by two teams of nine men each, naming their positions and outlining their duties, played on a field known as a diamond, and you would show the approximate positions of the players on that field. You would tell how the tallies, or runs, are made by hitting the ball out of reach of all the players, so as to enable the batter to reach one or more bases, and you would state that when he had encircled the four bases his team would be entitled to a score.

In short, you would describe the game as it is actually played, move by move, so that the listener would gain a comprehensive understanding of the great American pastime.

You will say that such a description of baseball requires a more thorough knowledge of the game than most of us possess. That is true. And if you expect to deliver

a speech which will convince your audience that your ideas on the subject are right and reasonable, then you must have a thorough knowledge of that subject.

Prepare a speech by "preparation," which means doing enough study and research work, or having sufficient experience so that your knowledge is complete. Following this, write down on paper all the facts which have influenced your own position on the subject, study them, and decide which of them are most impressive to you.

Next, select as many of these facts as you have time to use in your allotted minutes, and arrange them in order of their importance. This will give you the outline of a well-organized speech—a body on which you can drape the clothing of your personality. With body and clothing, you are started on the road to mastery in speech.

Give your speech a body, whatever the clothing may be. Make the body as symmetrical and beautiful as you can, and then clothe it in your best style, always remembering that there isn't much life in a suit of clothes until the body is inside.

## ONE ON THE CITY

Here is an old favorite, always useful if you wish to joke about some city. It may have started in California or in Florida in the days of real estate booms, but you can locate it where you please.

The "Bigtown" realtor was showing some properties to a prospective investor. Arriving back at the realtor's office, the agent asked, "Well, what do you think of our city?"

"I'll tell you," replied the prospect.

"This is the first cemetery I have ever seen with street lights."

My English vowel-sounds had erred,  
Were I a foreigner, and twice had heard  
I should not dare to try a third;  
I would not speak another word  
Of any language so absurd;  
When A, E, I, O, U, all sound the same  
I'd think it time to try some other game.

— Henry Cooper.

# The President Takes the Gavel

RALPH C. SMEDLEY



Take the gavel, Mr. President. It is the symbol of your authority.

"Rap!" The meeting comes to order.

"Rap!" The meeting is adjourned.

The gavel taps punctuate the proceedings as the meeting goes on. What a handy little gadget it is! How did presidents get started using it? Where did the gavel come from?

So we went to the encyclopedia to find out. Nothing there. But of course, the Britannica is of English origin, so perhaps we shall find it in the Americana or the International. No luck! Not even an entry under that term. Nor does it appear in Doubleday's, Nelson's or the Columbia. The encyclopedists seem not to have heard of the gavel.

How about Robert's "Rules of Order"? No gavel appears in the index, nor in the body of the text, so far as diligent search reveals. The same silence prevails in Cushing's "Manual" and in Read's "Parliamentary Rules." Either they ignore the gavel, or they take it for granted.

The dictionary serves us better, but here we run into confusion. The word appears, but with notable lack of agreement or certainty as to its origin and derivation.

There is an old legal meaning, strange to most of us, in which "gavel" is used as a term to indicate payment of rent, or tribute. Its background is a Teutonic root, *geb*, to give or yield.

There is another agricultural meaning, derived from the Spanish *gavilla*, a sheaf of grain. As a verb it may indicate leasing or dividing portions of land.

But we do find some help in some of the dictionaries when we come to the word listed, as in Webster's, "origin uncertain; of *kevel*, a hammer."

Further research reveals that in Scottish dialect, in the latter part of the 18th century, *kevel* referred to a tool, on one end of which was a hammer, and on the other an axe. Later on, it was a hammer for breaking stones. All things considered, it may be a reasonable guess that our word *gavel* comes from the Scottish background.

The word first appeared in the Webster Dictionary in the supplement to the 1847 edition; this supplement being published in 1859. It was the name of a mason's setting maul, also a president's mallet or hammer.

In 1866, an article in *The Nation* used the word in the phrase—"raps with the gavel."

The implement, its use and its name as we have it at present, may be listed as fairly modern, but the idea is ancient. It is an Americanism based on practices of antiquity.

In the background of history we

observe that it has been customary from the earliest times for a leader to carry in his hand some emblem of authority. It developed first as a necessity, in a day when a man used his club or its equivalent to prove his right to leadership. The scepter of the king, the fasces in the hands of the Roman lictor, the baton of the field marshal, the sword of the general, all were used as emblems and as implements of authority. The gavel is a natural descendant of these.

A gavel without a handle is used by the presiding officer of the United States Senate in calling that body to order and in conducting its business. The information about this gavel is traditional rather than historical. The present gavel is said to have been used in the Continental Congress in Philadelphia, and brought to Washington when the seat of Government was moved to that city in November, 1800, and it has been used continuously since that time.

Other gavels, with and without handles, have been presented to presiding officers of the Houses of Congress and have been used temporarily, in a complimentary way, at various times. Former Vice-President John Garner is said to have an extensive collection of gavels, made of wood from various places of historic interest, or possessing other values of a sentimental or historical nature. There is a gavel in the possession of Toastmasters International, presented by Mr. Garner, at the suggestion of O. T. Peterson, of San Jose, in 1939 and used as one of the tro-

phies in the annual Inter-Club Speech Contest.

Because of the informality of its introduction and growth in use, there seems to have been developed no formal code or set of rules for the use of the gavel. Its handling is largely left to the judgment and good taste of the chairman who wields it. Hence, it is often badly misused.

There are certain principles which every careful chairman should observe in the use of his official implement.

First, the gavel is intended to be used to expedite, not to impede, the work of the meeting. Thus, it is in very bad taste for the chairman to play with the gavel, handle it excessively, or permit it in any way to distract attention from the business in hand. When he uses it, he should use it with decision, and not uncertainly. One or two short, sharp taps to secure attention or to emphasize a decision will be far more effective than a succession of dubious, uncertain thumpings.

Second, the gavel is, by tradition and practice, an implement for the preservation of order, and its use in general should be limited to that purpose. Some chairmen are accustomed to "rap-rapping" with the gavel after almost every pronouncement from the chair. This is quite unnecessary. A gavel-tap following the announcement of a vote, or other decision, is not out of order, but constant, pointless hammering becomes a nuisance in any meeting.

Third, the gavel is the symbol

of authority. When the chairman yields the chair to another person, he may quite properly hand over the gavel as a sign of the transfer of control.

Fourth, since the gavel is a symbol of authority, it should be treated with respect, and not subjected to careless handling. When not in use in a meeting, it should be in the care of the Sergeant-at-Arms, or other officer assigned that responsibility. He should see to it that the gavel is always at hand when needed, and properly cared for when out of use.

Let the chairman remember that the tool is there before him to be

used when and as need arises, and that it is in no sense intended to become a plaything for him. Pick it up and hammer when hammering is in order. Lay it down and leave it alone at all other times. That is a sufficient rule for the proper use of the gavel.

As to the origin of the word and of the use of the implement, since the lexicographers are so widely divergent in their opinions, the layman may have his choice of the several derivations, with plenty of authority to support the one he prefers. Where it came from is not half so important as what we do with it when we preside.

## FOURTH WAR LOAN—Put the Fight into Your Speech!

### A BOUQUET FOR THE EDITORS

This paragraph, published in one of the club bulletins, is appreciated by the Editors of The Toastmasters Magazine, who hope that other members will profit by the suggestions:

"We suppose that some men are too busy, or their speech problems are too localized and acute for them to read The Toastmaster Magazine. What a pity! For here is a jewel of a publication edited expressly for men who are too busy, or whose speech problems are too localized and acute to be reached, relieved and cured by other means. Time for reading any issue completely will run not much more than one quarter of an hour, but nowhere on earth can one get so much good speech stuff for so little effort. The proper technique is to read right through from inside front cover to inside back cover. Can't afford to skip even a little, for you skip very much."

## Preparation—The Path to Speech Success

DONALD R. THOMPSON, Ontario, California Toastmasters Club



William Jennings Bryan said: "The ability to speak effectively is an acquirement rather than a gift."

That is a challenging thought from a person so oratorically gifted. Can it be that we Toastmasters, at least those of us with only an average amount of native ability in speech-making, through preparation may achieve more proficiency than we might expect in making an effective presentation before an audience.

Four prominent persons in our history who had built enviable reputations by their unusual ability to put their thoughts into words were Daniel Webster, a debater; Clarence Darrow, a lawyer; Edward Everett, an orator; and Abraham Lincoln, a humanitarian.

Daniel Webster is known for his ability as a debater and especially for his reply to Senator Hayne in 1830 in the United States Senate. It has been asserted that Webster's speech on that occasion was ex-

temporaneous, a remarkable thing if true.

But in later years, when he was Secretary of State under President Fillmore, a young minister who was visiting the White House happened to be seated next to Mr. Webster, and asked whether the reply to Hayne was extemporaneous.

"Oh, no," replied Mr. Webster, "the materials of that speech had been lying in my mind for 18 months though I had never committed my thoughts to paper, or arranged them in mind."

When asked about other speeches of his which were said to have been delivered on the spur of the moment, or at brief notice, Mr. Webster, with apparent surprise exclaimed: "Young man, there is no such thing as extemporaneous acquisition. No man is inspired with the occasion; I never was." Daniel Webster in those few remarks paid a real tribute to the value of preparation in speech-making.

Acclaimed one of the most capable trial lawyers the United States has ever produced is Clarence Darrow. He could speak fluently the language of the legal profession, but usually he chose to talk in simple words which the humblest of men could understand, and by the skillful putting together of these words, he achieved perfection in speech almost without equal in these times.

But that ability to appeal to the

most humble was a result of practice, and study, and serious thought. Clarence Darrow during his most famous years was on the job almost 24 hours a day when an important case was being tried. Every minute he was preparing! Here is an example of one of his addresses to a jury. It was during "Big Bill" Haywood's trial in Boise, Idaho in 1906. Note the simplicity of his words, the construction of his sentences, and the resultant "picture" which he paints.

"I want to speak to you plainly. Bill Haywood is not my greatest concern. Other men have died before him. Other men have been martyrs. They have met their death and Haywood can meet his, if you say he must. If you kill him, your act will be applauded by many. In our great cities frock-coated men of means will speak well of you. But if you free him, there are still those to thank you. Simple men will reverently bow their heads in gratitude. Out on the broad plains where men toil with their hands. Through our mills, and mines, and factories. Down deep under the earth! Men who suffer, women and children weary of toil, will kneel tonight and ask God to guide your judgments. To save Haywood's life!"

Clarence Darrow was 49 years old when he spoke those words so packed with meaning and emotion. Of course, he won the decision! He had unconsciously been preparing for many years for that and other great occasions. When the time came, he could "deliver the goods."

The dedication of the Gettysburg Cemetery during the Civil War provides us with two more notable examples in speech-making, the addresses of Edward Everett and Abraham Lincoln.

Edward Everett was the choice of the committee in charge of the dedication ceremony at Gettysburg to deliver the speech of the day. He had been a Boston minister, President of Harvard, Governor of Massachusetts, United States Senator, Minister to England and Secretary of State, and was generally considered to be America's foremost speaker. The date first set for the ceremony was October 31, but Mr. Everett declared that it would be impossible for him to prepare adequately on such short notice. So the dedication was postponed a month and he began immediately to work on that two-hour speech. The last three days before the ceremony he actually spent at Gettysburg familiarizing himself with all that had taken place there. That was excellent preparation! It made the battle real to him! And Edward Everett made a splendid address! We would have heard much more about that speech were it not for his misfortune in having to appear that afternoon on the same program with Abraham Lincoln.

An invitation to attend the dedication was sent to President Lincoln. The committee was in a quandary as to whether he should be asked to speak. "He wouldn't have time enough to prepare," they said. Finally, just two weeks before the event, propriety caused them to send Mr. Lincoln an invitation to make a "few appropriate remarks." He prepared his speech, it is said, whenever he could snatch a few minutes between conferences. He made a rough draft

of it and carried it about in the top of his tall silk hat. Ceaselessly his thoughts were being organized, the speech taking shape. The Sunday before it was to be delivered he said to Noah Brooks: "I have written it over two or three times, and I shall have to give it another lick before I am satisfied."

Mr. Lincoln arrived in Gettysburg the night before the dedication. He was in a pensive mood, giving that speech "another lick." He was said to have been untactful that evening to people who came to the house where he was staying requesting him to speak to them. Abraham Lincoln was engrossed in the preparation of his speech for a memorable occasion. Late that same evening, he went to an adjoining house where Secretary Seward was staying and read the speech aloud to him for his criticism. After breakfast the next

morning he gave his speech "another lick" until it was time to join the procession to the cemetery. Mr. Lincoln rode horseback and Colonel Carr who rode directly behind him has said that as the procession began the President sat erect and was the dignified person you would expect a commander-in-chief to be. But as they neared the cemetery, Colonel Carr noticed that Mr. Lincoln's body leaned forward, his arms hung limp, his head was bowed, he seemed absorbed in thought. We can guess that he was going over his little speech of ten immortal sentences, giving it "another lick."

These four incidents leave no doubt of the value of Preparation in speech-making and we Toastmasters can profit by the application of the principles which these master speakers have shown were so effective for them.

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## LET YOUR DOLLARS DESTROY DICTATORSHIP!

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### SERVE THROUGH SPEECH

See more people — make more speeches — buy more Bonds — sell more Bonds. That is the program for Toastmasters during the first months of 1944. The Fourth War Bond Campaign is on. Speakers will be needed in many places. Toastmasters can speak. They are needed.

Speech alone will not win

the war, but it will help mightily, if it is well directed and well placed.

Let every Toastmaster buy War Bonds to his limit, and then he will be better ready to urge others to buy. If 1944 is to be our Victory Year, now is the time to insure the victory.

## New Wrinkle in Table Topics

A. R. CHASE, Riverton, Wyoming Toastmasters Club



Recently our Club worked a "new wrinkle" in table topics which seemed to meet enthusiastic approval. The idea occurred to the Topic Chairman when he dropped in at the local pre-school kindergarten. Young children learn the use of language and add to their vocabulary by playing with toys and equipment. They use their hands automatically with their developing powers of expression. It dawned on the Topic Master that all people gesture naturally and talk readily about the things with which they are familiar, that objects grasped by the hands stimulate ideas grasped by the mind.

Boys become awkward with their hands during the growing period of the "teen" age, when speaking in public is a painful ordeal. A few suggestions dropped at that time by playmates, parents or teachers as to our awkwardness add to our confusion and embarrassment. Most men have never lost the effects of those experiences. Therefore to get back into the free, imaginative, and self expressive conditions of early boy-hood we need to weave ideas around some object as we talk.

When the Table Topic Time arrived each member was handed an envelope containing some object with the suggestion that he look at it, but not show it to his neigh-

bor. In other words, it was to be a surprise to the audience. When the time came to talk the speaker could either display at once or build up to the climax before showing. It was also suggested that the speaker might choose to talk about the origin, the commercial importance, the value of the article in the war effort, or even use it for a "that reminds me" experience or story.

Some of the articles used were a pencil, an acorn, wheat kernels, a rubber band, an apple twig, a knot of binding twine, a wool sample, a lump of coal, a golf ball, a 22 bullet, a new type penny, a leaf, a pants button, a Christmas Red Cross Seal, a cranberry, a pea-nut and a sample of rye-grass.

The plan went over enthusiastically. Every speaker responded with a spontaneous and peppy talk and natural gestures, and the audience as well as the time-keeper wished that each one could be given more time. Toastmasters who have had difficulty warming up to a subject waxed eloquent. They were at home with their subjects. Even the merchant who thought he was talking about wheat when his subject was "Rye-grass" gave an excellent talk.

Some of the good points about this kind of table topics are:

1. The speaker has a limited subject and a definite object to talk about.

2. The speaker resorts to natural gestures to illustrate his talk.

3. The speaker starts a concrete and develops an abstract idea.

4. The surprise element holds the audience.

That same evening we voted to secure a trained grammarian. As we reverted to the natural we dis-

covered that we needed to correct our word pronunciation and sentence-structure.

After all, "Man is but a boy grown tall" and almost anyone can be trained to give an interesting talk if you can get him on familiar ground, hold him to the subject, and devise a plan by which he forgets self.

## Be In Training Every Day

CARLETON SIAS, Waterloo Toastmasters Club

**G**REAT singers do not postpone until the day the practice of a song for the Metropolitan. Daily drill is behind the apparent ease with which a difficult aria is executed.

Great athletes cannot depend on the day before the big event for their work-out. They keep fit the year around.

Great orators are not made by desultory efforts. Webster's famous reply to Senator Hayne packed into hours the study and convictions of a lifetime.

Maybe we cannot be great, but we may, by constant effort, become much better than we are.

How can a busy man be in daily training for public speaking? By daily attention to his ordinary discourse with friends, by daily attention to his dinner conversation in his home or abroad.

Take thought of the impression your talk is making. Is your conversation entirely trivial? Is your language careless and inaccurate? Is your voice uncontrolled? Are

your words slurred? Is your speech indistinct and without force?

What can we do toward improvement? Suggestions are:

1. That each day, without fail, we read some bit of good literature, history, biography, political editorial, economic essay, Let this become a daily habit and it will become a daily pleasure.

2. That each day we make something we have read the subject of an informal discussion. We will then learn through trial whether what we have read has really become a valuable addition to our growing fund of general knowledge.

If you will school yourself daily you will find interested listeners; the range of your thoughts will increase; your language will gather accuracy, fluency and force. Then some evening, when you arise in a public meeting and say "Ladies and Gentlemen," you will surprise yourself with the discovery that even you could be a public speaker.



# OBSERVATIONS

GRAHAM J. ALBRIGHT, Governor of Eastern Division, District One

## Applied Criticism

Toastmasters, beware! . . . here's the guy that will get in your hair . . . if he passes the Editor's scissors and eagle eye . . . Why in tartanation are some speakers told over and over . . . and even over a period of years about such things as lack of preparation . . . or "you speak in a monotone" . . . or "too high pitch" . . . or "too low pitch" . . . or "you use too many gestures" . . . or "you're too stiff" . . . or "you rock back and forth" . . . Why? . . . Why doesn't the said TM do something about it? . . . I'll guess with you . . . Reckon it goes in one ear and out the other? . . . Next time plug up one ear . . . let it soak in.

## Speech Preparation

And as to speech preparation . . . want to have some fun? . . . Ask Bill how he prepares his speeches . . . pin him down . . . Don't let him off with generalities . . . make him go into every movement he makes . . . Will YOU be surprised! . . . then ask Jack . . . then ask John . . . and by this time you'll discover that no two men do it the same . . . and you'll find that there's no perfect formula that fits every man . . . But how many speech formulas do YOU know? . . . and how many does Bill know? . . . and Jack . . . and John . . . You'll come to at least one conclusion . . . Every Toastmaster should have some way besides his own invention . . . I

mean a standard way to prepare a speech . . . I know four ways . . . There's Borden's "Ho, Hum" . . . Monroe's "Motivated Sequence" . . . the "Building a Bridge" plan . . . and one I just learned in our Speechcraft course that I call the "compass" method . . . I use the "Building a Bridge" plan . . . It took me seven years to learn how to prepare a speech . . . shouldn't have taken over seven minutes . . . Why not find a way and take it home with you? . . . And watch it grow up? . . .

## Purpose Applied

Last year in Speechcraft I learned something . . . I'll bet half the Toastmasters in the country do not know . . . I learned what *purpose* means in making a speech . . . and here it is . . . First, I draw the "Bridge" . . . and then draw a rainbow above it . . . The rainbow is the line on which to write the purpose . . . There are three primary purposes . . . To inform . . . To entertain . . . To persuade . . .

What I learned was . . . never to make a speech without a purpose . . . One of the three purposes . . . Here's how it works . . . Take the opening . . . Apply the chosen purpose . . . Then the body . . . Then the close . . . Apply the purpose to all three parts of the speech . . . Suppose, for instance, the subject is "Fishing" . . . The purpose is to entertain . . . I'll open with a yarn . . . All through the body of the speech I'll have a

rollicking good time . . . just fishing . . . and close with a yarn that will leave my audience feeling that I am qualified for the Liar's Club . . . Suppose it was to inform . . . I'd open with "how to catch sea-trout" . . . I know something about that . . . It's my hobby . . . That calls for such things as tackle . . . explaining which hook to use . . . the leader and its length . . . the live bait . . . And I'd close with a pantomime of landing the trout . . . showing my technique.

Then as to persuasion . . . or appeal to action . . . I'd open with the "tired business man" . . . harassed with cares . . . tense and driven by the drive, drive, drive, of the pace that kills . . . Paint a picture of relaxation . . . of a worth while hobby . . . inexpensive and clean in its sportsmanship . . . Show him a way to keep away from the doctor through sunshine and fresh air . . . storing up energy in, by and through such enjoyable sport . . . Getting away from noise and strife to the quiet fisherman's retreat . . . Thus I would sell the audience on the idea that after all is said and done . . . a man must be a man . . . and not a machine . . . or something . . . Then he can go home and try to sell the wife on the idea . . . and then he'll learn . . . whether he's a man, or . . . (shall I speak softly?) . . . a mouse.

Editor's note: How would you like to have this writer explain in the next issue the two speech formulas: "Building the Bridge" and "The Compass?"

## JEWELRY IN 1944?

What about Toastmasters emblems, pins, trophies and the like? We asked our manufacturing jewelers, J. A. Meyers and Company, of Los Angeles, and this is the word they give us:

"Silver, gold and alloys having been "frozen" and limited, we have still made every effort to supply from our rationed quotas at least the Members' Buttons, and the Past President's Buttons, both plain and jeweled. We have tried in every way possible to give the best service within our means, and where that has been inadequate, we may all have the feeling that we may have helped the war effort somewhere and in some way.

"For 1944, we join you in working to attain Victory, and when that is achieved, it will be our purpose to re-establish with the assistance of our employees, now at the front, and whom we hope to have back with us, our complete service to your organization."

And so it appears that we shall have to content ourselves with a very limited supply of emblems until conditions change. Two things are certain. One, that the Meyers Company will do their best for us; and the other, that any sacrifice we may have to make will be in the direction of helping to win the war.

Toastmasters desiring to place orders for supplies of this kind are advised to write directly to J. A. Meyers and Company, 1031 West Seventh Street, Los Angeles, for information and prices on available materials.

## Editorial

**FORWARD IN FORTY-FOUR** The year we are entering is to be "Victory Year," in so far as the war in Europe is concerned. It is a beautiful hope, which can be realized only by the effort of a united nation of free people. Toastmasters have their part in the effort. In past months we have demonstrated our readiness and our ability to serve through speech. Many communities have learned to lay on our laps the organization of "speakers' bureaus" and the general responsibility of leadership in our line. The Fourth War Loan is on us now. It demands our best. All our resources must be mustered and placed at the command of the Nation. We must buy bonds to the limit for ourselves, and see that everyone else does likewise. The campaign slogan is "See the people." Let's add another Toastmaster slogan: "Do more in Forty-Four." Let's see the people and sell the bonds.

### OUR MOST VALUABLE TOOL

Speech is the only method by which man normally communicates with his fellow men. His success in life is measured in no small degree by his facility in using this method. The ideas which his mind may originate or evolve are limited in usefulness by the words in which he clothes them, and the persuasiveness with which he communicates them. If he has little skill in presenting his thoughts, he is like the salesman who has a precious article wrapped in a newspaper. The customer forms a poor opinion of the value of the article because of its covering. Of course, it should not be wrapped like a Christmas package, either, unless it is at the Christmas season. The covering of the package — the clothing of the thought — must be appropriate. The idea to be submitted must be offered in a convincing and fitting manner.

If the speaker is hesitant, indecisive, if he does not select the right words, if he halts and apologizes, he may lose the chance to be heard. It would have to be an idea of more than average worth to withstand such discouraging initial treatment.

Toastmasters is an organization which not only teaches its members how to speak, but also trains them in thinking, so that when they do talk they may marshal their thoughts in good words and present them to the best advantage. Speech—the world's foremost method of communication—may be a natural method, but like many of Nature's gifts, it must be improved by practice.

### A CHALLENGE TO TOASTMASTERS

The following paragraphs, written by President Harold Lindsay, of the Minnesota Toastmasters Club, of Minneapolis, were published in the December issue of the "North Star," the bulletin of that club. The writer has spoken so wisely that his words are given here in order that all may profit by them.

"What we have done thus far in the Toastmasters Movement is good. It may even be called great in its significance, but the vision of what lies before us dwarfs the past. Our challenging opportunities lie ahead of us. Three important tasks claim our immediate attention.

"First, realizing that the strength of an organization is in strong local units, our task is to accept the realization that each Toastmasters Club should have a full membership.

"Second, we must make sure that our Club is following to the fullest extent those methods which experience has shown to be the best, making use of all the materials and helps provided by Toastmasters International.

"Third, let us remember that everything we buy has its price, whether it is a suit of clothes, a pair of shoes, a new home, the development of a good singing voice, or the attaining of ability to appear before and speak fluently to a group of any size.

"A man cannot walk into our Club and lay down fifty or one hundred dollars and walk out an expert speaker. Therein lies the difference between buying something tangible or something intangible.

"That member in a Toastmasters Club most likely to become a fluent speaker is the one who accepts the responsibility of attending every meeting that his business or his health will permit; who cooperates with the officers and members of the Club to make each meeting a little more successful than the last; who, when he is on the program, always comes prepared to give a better talk than the one he has previously given; and who finally accepts with cheerfulness the little additional responsibilities which may be laid on him."

### OUR MEMBERS IN SERVICE

As Toastmasters enter the armed forces of our Nation, it is important that they be kept on our membership rosters, and given assurance that their places in the clubs will be open when they return. No final and universally required procedure has been prescribed to accomplish this. Each club handles the matter as local conditions may direct, but emphasis is laid on the importance of keeping every man fully conscious of his relation to his own club, and of the welcome which awaits him there. As a rule, all dues should be remitted during a service man's absence. However, it is recommended that each man, so far as conditions permit, be kept on the mailing list of the Toastmaster Magazine, by payment of the fifty cents annual subscription.

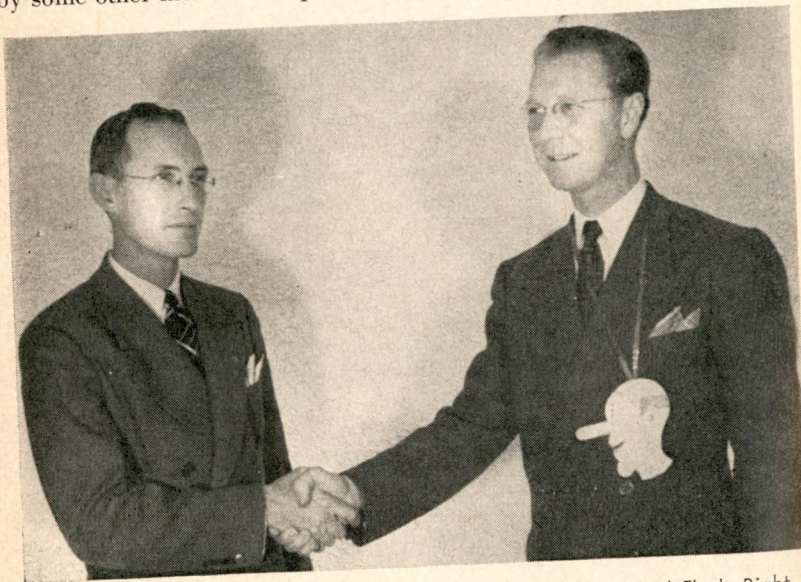
## AN "OSCAR" FOR YOUR BONER

The Mt. Helix Chapter of La Mesa, California, has hit upon a novel way to correct errors in speech. At the close of each evening's program, a decoration is awarded to the speaker or other member who has, during the evening, perpetrated the most entertaining or striking hit of "unconscious humor," or who has, in common language, "pulled the biggest boner."

The plan was started a year or two ago when Toastmaster Ray DeBurn decided that the meetings needed a bit of livening up. DeBurn is editor of the *La Mesa Scout*, and his ideas are worth following. In this case he fashioned a leather "medal" in the form of a human head in caricature, attached it to a leather thong, and this was "Oscar."

The awarding of the honor was launched when Toastmaster Bob Fuller, in the midst of a graphic description of a street scene in Chicago on a windy day, declaimed: "As the people were scudding along like whitecaps before a gale, I observed one very large woman, standing before a building, and she was five stories high."

The plan has added interest and developed a keenness of observation among the members, as each one listens for the remark which may qualify someone for the evening's award. "Oscar" is presented at the close of each meeting, and is retained by the recipient until won by some other member's slip of the tongue.



Left, Ernest Woodward, who places the "Oscar" decoration on Paul Flack, Right, as a reward for the boner with which he has entertained the club.

## What About Words?

By The LOGOMACHIST

(Do you have questions about words and how to use them? Send them in and our experts will try to answer them.)

### Question:

A critic in our club recently stated that a man who does not have a thorough knowledge of the rules of grammar should not try to become a speaker. Was he right? My educational equipment is not very good, but I would like to learn to speak. Is it worth while for me to keep on trying?

### Answer:

We definitely disagree with your critic. Our experience is directly opposed to his theory. Any man who is willing to work to overcome his handicaps, so long as they are within the range of possibility, can overcome them, and grow stronger in the process. If you are conscious of weaknesses, either in language or in posture or in thinking, go to work on them and conquer them. There are many good books on English Grammar. Inquire at the City Library, or consult a high school teacher of the subject. Get one which is practical rather than theoretical, and master it. The fact that you are so deeply interested will make you the better student and will enable you to improve the more quickly. Lack of training in grammar is a hindrance to the speaker, but no more of a hindrance than many other lacks which we discover as we go into training.

### Question:

Is the term "we public" out of order? I used it in my speech and was criticized for it, but was not given the correct usage.

### Answer:

It is difficult to give you a direct answer without knowing the context. If we had the complete sentence in which you used the expression, it would be easier. However, in general usage, the expression would not be good. "We people" is a common term, and "we, the public" is in good use, but we question

the "we public" phrase. Give us the complete sentence in which you used it, and we will try to give you the better wording.

### Question:

Will you kindly inform me as to correct procedure and order of each when a speaker addresses the Chair, Fellow Toastmasters, Guests etc. Also, will you suggest the proper method for a speaker in his opening salutation of recognizing visiting officers?

### Answer:

There is no final and absolute prescription of such forms. Customs vary among speakers, each being inclined to follow his own ideas. Our preference is for the simplest form which fits the occasion. You can't go wrong with "Mr. Chairman" or "Mr. Toastmaster" or "Mr. President"—as the case may be—and Ladies and Gentlemen." That should include everyone. If the ladies are not present, leave them out. If some distinguished person is present, he may be included, as, "Mr. President, District Governor Whoozis, and Gentlemen," but it is not necessary. "Fellow Toastmasters, Guests, Visitors, and Ladies and Gentlemen" seems a bit too much.

There is a story which illustrates the point so well that we quote it:

Charles M. Schwab was presented with a medal by the British Iron and Steel Institute a dozen years ago. It was a very dignified occasion. The Toastmaster introduced each of his announcements with "Mr. President, Your Excellencies, My Noble Lords, and Gentlemen." Whether it was to sit down at the table, say grace, sing the national hymn or to introduce a speaker, he used that same dignified form every time. When Mr. Schwab was introduced, he said, with great solemnity:

"Mr. President, Your Excellencies, My Noble Lords, and Gentlemen." Then he mopped his brow and added: "Thank heaven that's over. You see, at home I

would start like this: 'Well, boys.' It is said that even the solemn British brethren cheered him.

Keep your salutation simple and friendly. Too much formality not only wastes time, but smacks of insincerity.

#### Question:

How should we pronounce "the"? Is it "thuh" or "thee"?

#### Answer:

It depends on use. The word is properly suppressed, or unaccented. It is almost a part of the word which follows it. When used before a word beginning

with a consonant, the "e" is practically elided, as in "th' man," or "th' book." When it precedes a word beginning with a vowel, the "e" is sounded, with the long sound, but without emphasis, as in "the earth," or "the apple."

#### Question:

What is the matter with "I'll try and show you what I mean"?

#### Answer:

Try should be followed by "to"—not by "and." You can "try to do"—"try to show"—"try to be"—"try to speak"; "try and" is undesirable usage. Skip it.

## Our Key to Victory

THOMAS W. HENNESSY, Governor of District Six

**B**ACK in 1924, when the Number One Toastmasters Club was organized, war was far from our thoughts. We had just finished the "World War" which was to end wars. The world was at peace, and it was a time to go about self-improvement — to start catching up the threads of those things which had been put aside in order to get the business of war done with.

And now, after 19 years of training ourselves in the art of public speech, we find ourselves again at war. Many of our members are in uniform, but we who remain behind have just as vital work to do as those men in the Armed Forces.

We are the ones who must inspire our fellow citizens to buy War Bonds, to buy Christmas Seals, to contribute to the War Chest, to give our blood, to enlist in the various branches of the Service—in fact, to carry on the war effort on the home front. And who is better qualified to do this than a Toastmaster?

I have found that every man in our organization is one who has the welfare of the Nation at heart. I have found that the Toastmaster is tolerant in his views, respecting the opinions of his fellow men, but determined at all costs that we shall leave nothing undone on the way to victory. The training which these men have received as Toastmasters has developed those traits and has prepared them for the present call to service.

The man who has received such benefits from his Toastmasters training must be willing to work for the common good. He is under obligations to help. His food, clothing, gasoline and fuel may be rationed, but there can be no rationing of time and effort on the Home Front.

We Toastmasters hold a key to victory. We can help win the war through speech. We can help make 1944 the Victory Year. We have done well in 1943, but now let's double our efforts as we come into the home stretch.

Let us use our Key to Victory!

## DENVER TOASTMASTERS ARE CHARTERED



Left to Right: Harry Cannon, Sergeant-at-Arms; Captain Charles Davis, formerly Governor of Arizona District Three; Hon. Benjamin C. Hilliard, Justice of the Supreme Court of Colorado, who served as General Critic for the evening; Captain Robert Carson Smith, who presented the charter; Dick Fenton, President; Jack Hitchcock, Vice-President; D. M. Dompierre, Treasurer; Walter Hedeem, Secretary.

Special interest attached to the charter presentation at Denver in the fact that the charter was delivered by Captain R. C. Smith, long a member of Smedley Chapter Number One, of Santa Ana, and that another former member of the Number One Chapter, R. E. Thompson, of the Colorado State Department of Education, is a member of the club. W. A. Coffeen, formerly of Ventura Toastmasters, who was instrumental in organizing the Denver Club, and Russell Greene, its first president, were transferred to Alaska just two days before the charter meeting. They made the trip on the new Alaska Highway, by automobile, a wonderful trip, as they report it. Coffeen writes: "Who knows but that we may have the opportunity to start a club here!"

## News from the Clubs

### Victory In Seattle

The "Victory" Toastmasters Club of Seattle reports an inspiring joint meeting with the Seattle Number One Chapter. A recently appointed "grammarian," Clarence Holleman, has succeeded in making his fellow Toastmasters select their words with greater care, and is improving the diction of the entire club. Holleman was the winner in a recent contest of humorous speeches in which there were five contestants, one from each of the Seattle Clubs.

### Speechcraft In Indianapolis

All three Indianapolis Toastmasters Clubs are cooperating in putting on a Speechcraft course which promises to be even bigger and better than the course they presented last spring. One of the best recommendations for Speechcraft is seen in the way that so many clubs are repeating it every year.

### From the Middle East

Corporal Robert F. McGinnis, formerly Governor of Indiana District Eleven, postcards from somewhere in the Middle East to send greetings to all his Toastmaster friends. The postcard carries a picture of Daniel's Tomb at Shush, which appears to be in Iran, which is a long way from Indianapolis.

### A Greensburg Holiday

Toastmasters of Greensburg, Pa. held their Christmas party at the Greensburg Country Club, with the ladies present, and with visitors from neighboring clubs of Washington and Pittsburgh, the honored guest being District Governor Lee Hostetler. Speeches and stunts and entertainment filled up a delightful evening. This holiday party has become an annual event for Greensburg.

### Van Wert Toastmasters Work

Round robin letters written to members in services;—All community War Chest Speeches for Van Wert County handled by the Club;—Membership of the Club gradually growing—That is the sort of record being made by this chapter. The War Chest quota for the City of Van Wert was \$25,000.00 for a population of 10,000, and they oversubscribed it. Good speaking service helped.

### Alternate Speakers

At Waynesburg, Pennsylvania, the Club has adopted the plan of appointing an alternate speaker for each meeting. He must come prepared to speak if needed. If not called on at that time, he will be first on the program at the next meeting. Thus provision is made to fill any last minute gap in the regular speech program. The idea is not copyrighted. Other clubs may well adopt it.

### Charter Presentations

At Seymour, Indiana, District Governor Ralph L. Swingley presented Charter Number 255 on December 8th, at a special meeting held at the Seymour Country Club. A delegation from the Toastmasters Clubs of Indianapolis attended to help the District Governor extend a cordial welcome to the new chapter. The flu epidemic cut down attendance, even the club President, Clarence Steinwedel, being unable to attend, but the club was launched under favorable auspices, and is down to work in true Toastmasters fashion.

The new club at Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, was chartered by District Governor LeRoy Hostetler, of Pittsburgh, on November 16th. The meeting was held at the Y.M.C.A. and involved a departure in that following the usual program of speeches and evaluation, Hon. J. Harold Flannery, of the Court of Common Pleas was introduced for an address on "Public Speaking" in which he shared his own experiences in public life with the aspiring members of the club.

A delayed report from Riverton, Wyoming, tells of the charter meeting of the new club in that city, when a delegation of fourteen visiting Toastmasters came over from Casper to aid in the ceremonies. The charter was presented by Dave Foote, of the Casper Toastmasters Club, and accepted by Dale Smith, President of the Riverton chapter. That this club is going right to work is demonstrated first, by the fact that its members have been

busy in the promotion of the various civic and national campaigns, and second, by the appearance in this issue of an interesting article on Table Topics, contributed by A. R. Chase, one of their members.

### Mobile Celebrates

The annual Christmas party of Mobile Toastmasters, held at Admiral Semmes Hotel, not only marked a splendid improvement in the club's work, but attracted an attendance which promises well for future growth in membership. This club hopes to secure the attendance of Past President Ted Blanding, who is stationed not far away, as soon as his duties will permit him to make the trip.

### Tulsa Drills for Oil

Not content with having the highest reported number of members on its roster (30 active and 13 associate members) Tulsa Toastmasters Club is actively promoting the organization of a second chapter in that busy oil city. Thomas A. Hunt, manager of the Hunt Building, is temporary chairman of the new club. Toastmaster R. M. McMahan writes: "As soon as this club is well organized, it is our intention to start preliminary work on a third chapter for Tulsa."

### Greetings from Alton, Illinois

A member of the Alton Toastmasters Club, Harry Marshall, makes a photographic record of each meeting. The club used Christmas cards made from some of these photographs, as a special greeting to members in military service.

# THE DIRECTORY OF TOASTMASTERS CLUBS

REVISED TO JANUARY 1, 1944

(Where officers are not shown, information had not become available at the time this Directory went to press.)

## ALABAMA

MOBILE, No. 226. Wednesday, 6:45 p.m., Y. M.C.A. Pres., Herbert S. Lowell, 114 Kilmarnock St. Sec., Marion H. Beroujon, 1600 Government St.

## ARIZONA

PHOENIX, Maricopa, No. 87. (D-3). Monday, 7:00 p.m., Millers Cafeteria. Pres., Dr. Frank Nelson, 4158 Redwing Pl. Sec., F. W. Stevenson, Rt. 1, Box 1383. Dep. Gov., Jerry Shipley, 1550 E. Indian School Rd.

PHOENIX, Ocotillo, No. 68. (D-3). Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Millers Cafeteria. Pres., R. H. Cornelius, 922 W. Palm Lane. Sec., J. J. Barkley, 306 W. Virginia. Dep. Gov., G. L. Jackson, 2232 N. 14th St.

PRESCOTT, No. 104. (D-3). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Hassayampa Hotel. Pres., D. W. Martin, 349 Park Ave. Sec., O. L. Hinkle, Box 110. Dep. Gov., L. T. Stack, Valley Bank Bldg.

TUCSON, Saguardo, No. 16. (D-3). Pres., Arthur Softley, Rt. 5, Box 788. Sec., Ralph Guthrie, 317 N. Park Ave. Dep. Gov., Paul H. Jones, 1948 E. 10th St.

YUMA, Sunshine, No. 196. (D-5). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Methodist Church. Pres., J. C. Lewis, 390 Madison Ave. Sec., Wayne Miles, 508 1/2 Orange. Dep. Gov., Paul Lipscomb, 676 Eighth Ave.

## CALIFORNIA

ALHAMBRA, No. 34. (D-1E). Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Colonial Inn. Pres., C. A. Meatzie, 14 E. Los Higos. Sec., Clyde Riordan, 71 N. Craig Ave., Pasadena. Dep. Gov., Dr. P. B. Blong, 317 W. Main St.

ANAHEIM, No. 2. (D-1E). Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Parker House. Pres., R. F. Clowes, 555 S. Indiana. Sec., R. C. Marten, Rt. 2, Box 353C. Dep. Gov., Leonard Schwacofler, 126 E. Center St.

ARCADIA, No. 115. (D-1E). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Carpenter's Santa Anita. Pres., K. E. James, 529 Palm Dr. Sec., Orville L. Tulga, 67 W. Orange Grove.

BELL, Industrial, No. 124. (D-1W). Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Grotto Cafe. Pres., F. J. Kerr, 4357 E. Gage Ave. Sec., W. J. Russell, 6217 Riverside. Dep. Gov., Walter Meyer, 6423 Gifford.

BEVERLY HILLS, No. 43. (D-1W). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Sheetz Cafe. Pres., Dr. Ralph Holmes, 1037 S. Holt Ave., Los Angeles Z-35. Sec., Dr. Ray Russell, 232 El Camino Dr. Dep. Gov., R. E. Ecke, 1565 Club View Dr., Los Angeles, Z-24.

BRAWLEY, No. 162. (D-5). Thursday, 6:45 p.m., Planters Hotel. Pres., Fred Fluegler, 306 S. Imperial Ave. Sec., G. I. Young, 608 Main St.

CORONA, No. 132. (D-1E). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Senior High School. Pres., Clifford Haskell, 912 Washburn St. Sec., A. E. Gale, 715 Victoria. Dep. Gov., E. I. Downs, 917 Washburn.

CORONADO, No. 9. (D-5). Thursday, 7:00 p.m., Presbyterian Church Hall. Pres., Ray Boggs, 1605 1/2 San Luis Rey. Sec., F. W. Bredahl, 937 F. Ave., Dep. Gov., W. J. Wakefield, 846 A Ave.

COVINA, No. 76. (D-1E). Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Longworth's Cafe. Pres., W. C. Colver, 529 Banna Ave. Sec., D. M. Spencer, 827 E. Bonita Ave., Azusa.

EAGLE ROCK, No. 109. (D-1W). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Martha Washington Tea Room. Pres., W. J. Baerresen, 5128 Caspar. Sec., John Adams, 4826 Algoma Dr. Dep. Gov., Frank Robertson, 1444 Yosemite Dr.

EL CENTRO, Cactus Gavel, No. 120. (D-5). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Hotel California. Pres., C. A. Irving, 868 S 6th. Sec., H. S. Charlton, 601 Vine. Dep. Gov., C. W. Reed, 320 W. 10th Imperial.

FRESNO, Sierra, No. 135. (D-4). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Hart's Restaurant. Pres., Ray Johnson, 5715 Wishon. Sec., Maurice Abbott, 4159 Kerckhoff, Z-2. Dep. Gov., E. H. Marsella, 6139 Van Ness.

FULLERTON, No. 37. (D-1E). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Kibel's Cafe. Pres., W. L. Waters, 120 E. Commonwealth. Sec., L. A. White, 1010 E. Chapman. Dep. Gov., Dr. W. J. Scott, 416 E. Chapman.

GLENDALE, No. 8. (D-1W). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Sunshine Cafe. Pres., C. H. Moss, 121 W. Chevy Chase Dr. Sec., W. E. Tempel, 2755 Waverly Dr., Los Angeles.

GLENDALE, Jewel City, No. 29. (D-1W). Thursday, 6:45 p.m., Sunshine Cafe. Pres., Curtis Wasson, 851 Graynold Ave. Sec., Ted Linton, 1221 N. Isabel St. Dep. Gov., E. B. Howorth, 3906 Verdugo View Dr., Los Angeles.

HUNTINGTON PARK, No. 14. (D-1W). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Coles Cafeteria. Pres., R. A. McEachen, 3033 Live Oak St. Sec., J. D. Farmer, 2814 California St. Dep. Gov., Gordon Easterly, 8128 San Carlos Ave., South Gate.

HUNTINGTON PARK, Inter-City, No. 243. (D-1W). Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Rendezvous Cafe. Pres., G. Alan Karr, 4867 Filmore St., Bell. Sec., C. A. Barlieb, 8614 San Luis, South Gate. Dep. Gov., L. W. Call, 528 W. 113th St., Los Angeles, Z-44.

HUNTINGTON PARK, Progressive, No. 18. (D-1W). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Coles Cafeteria. Pres., G. L. Barberis, 6517B King Ave., Bell. Sec., M. M. Rhodes, 704 Penn St., El Segundo. Dep. Gov., G. E. Tweedt, 4040 E. Gage Ave., Los Angeles.

INGLEWOOD, No. 114. (D-1W). Tuesday, 6:45 p.m., The Gold Cup. Pres., A. W. Driver, 2617 W. 82 Pl. Sec., C. P. Head, 2720 W. 82d Pl. Dep. Gov., John Gurash, 2613 W. 82d Place.

LA MESA and EL CAJON, Mt. Helix, No. 126. (D-5). Wednesday, 7:00 p.m., La Mesa Country Club. Pres., P. R. Flack, 8015 University Pl., La Mesa. Sec., R. H. Kirkpatrick, 4661 Spring St., La Mesa.

LONG BEACH, Gavel, No. 11. (D-1W). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Willmore Cafe. Pres., Morris Holmquist, 241 Claiborne Pl., Z-7. Sec., R. W. Heath, 5454 E. Ocean Blvd., Z-3. Dep. Gov., V. K. Wagner, 237 Bennett Ave., Z-3.

LOS ANGELES, No. 3. (D-1W). Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Alexandria Hotel. Pres., James M. Gammon, 306 L. A. Stock Exchange Bldg. Sec., F. A. Frazier, 4434 Prospect Ave., Z-27. Dep. Gov., A. H. Jacobs, 1833 S. Westmoreland Ave.

LOS ANGELES, Ambassador, No. 235. (D-1W). Thursday, 7:00 p.m., Weyen's Kenmore Cafe. Pres., Albert Berteau, 5411 1/2 S. Hillview, Z-22. Sec., M. E. Ross, 214 S. Kenneth Road, Burbank. Dep. Gov., George Perkins, 1535 W. 11th St., Z-15.

LOS ANGELES, Angeles Mesa, No. 50. (D-1W). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Eleda Cafe. Sec., O. J. Myers, 3931 Sutro Ave., Z-43.

LOS ANGELES, Downtown, No. 141. (D-1W). Monday, 6:30 p.m., L. A. Athletic Club. Pres. J. P. Rinnert, 4115 S. Normandie. Sec., Ken McNeill, 616 S. Broadway, Z-14. Dep. Gov., Rod Mays, 6380 Lindenhurst Ave.

LOS ANGELES, General, No. 136. (D-1W). Tuesday, 6:00 p.m., Hershey Arms Hotel. Pres., R. E. Guvot, 1146 S. Windsor, Z-6. Sec., W. H. Schwab, 1142-D Federal Bldg., Z-12. Dep. Gov., W. M. Horstman, 163 E. Longden, Arcadia.

LOS ANGELES, Southwest, No. 44. (D-1W). Tuesday, 6:45 p.m., Mareta Pines. Pres., H. W. Hill, 1849 W. 71st St. Sec., A. M. Turner, 9216 S. Harvard Pl., Z-44. Dep. Gov., H. A. Nichols, 4512 W. 62d St.

MONTEBELLO, No. 20. (D-1E). Tuesday, 6:00 p.m., Pres., Lynn Phelps, 2232 Northside Dr. Sec., R. J. Morgan, 219 N. Montebello Blvd.

NATIONAL CITY and CHULA VISTA, No. 108. (D-5). Sec., Wendall B. Allen, 241 Sea Vale Ave., Chula Vista.

OCEANSIDE, No. 78. (D-5). Thursday, 7:00 p.m., Oceanic Cafe. Pres., Guy F. Peto, Box 265, Vista. Sec., Paul Rabe, Rt. 2, Box 967, Vista.

ONTARIO, No. 192. (D-1E). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Broiler Cafe. Pres., Harold Zenz, 530 Princeton St. Sec., W. T. McManus, 135 Bonita Ct. Dep. Gov., Ernest Payne, 836 W. I St.

ORANGE, No. 72. (D-1E). Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Pres., K. A. King, 215 N. Cambridge. Sec., J. E. Donegan, 1025 E. Almond St. Dep. Gov., Wilbur Woods, Rt. 1, Box 357.

PALO ALTO, No. 33. (D-4). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Wilson's. Pres., H. L. Weber, 1850 Fulton St. Sec., John Wickett, 1600 Bryant St. Dep. Gov., Thelo A. Perrott, 954 Forest Ave.

PASADENA, No. 6. (D-1E). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., M. S. Jones, 1205 No. Holliston, Z-6. Sec., Dr. P. J. Pierce, 772 New York Ave., Altadena. Dep. Gov., H. E. Huntington, 369 Elizabeth St., Z-6.

PASO ROBLES, No. 219. (D-12). Thursday, 6:45 p.m., Paso Robles Inn. Pres., Art Trussler, 213 18th St. Sec., S. W. Curry, 2926 Pine St.

PITTSBURG, No. 206. (D-4). Thursday, 7:00 p.m., High School. Pres., H. C. Greenhalgh, 928 Harbor St. Sec., H. B. Munton, 168 School St. Dep. Gov., B. A. Flynn, 1344 Elm St.

POMONA, No. 12. (D-1E). Monday, 6:15 p.m., St. Charles Grill. Pres., M. J. Hull, 1030 N. Caswell. Sec., K. F. Kirkpatrick, 443 Texas St. Dep. Gov., M. S. Hornidge, 525 E. Pasadena.

REDDING, No. 197. (D-4). Wednesday, 7:00 p.m., Lorenz Hotel. Pres., M. J. Clark, U.S.B.R. Sec., W. F. Richards, U.S.B.R. Dep. Gov., W. S. Cussons, 1416 West St.

REDWOOD CITY, No. 27. (D-4). Monday, 6:00 p.m., Methodist Church. Pres., F. W. Gibbs, 259 Jeter St. Sec., S. S. Mayo, 740 Whipple Ave. Dep. Gov., Norman Meyer, 427 Alameda de las Pulgas.

REEDLEY, No. 93. (D-4). Wednesday, 7:00 p.m., Reedley Junior College. Pres., Elliott Taylor, Box 6. Sec., H. R. Renoud, 348 Myrtle Ave. Dep. Gov., P. E. Mitchell, 20 Acacia Ave.

ROSEMEAD, No. 200. (D-1E). Wednesday, 6:45 p.m., Ella Cinders Cafe. Pres., Gilbert Johnson, 1010 S. Ivar St. Sec., L. L. Penland, 846 E. Garvey Blvd., Garvey. Dep. Gov., B. E. Pollock, 1443 Valley Blvd.

SALINAS, No. 49. (D-4). Thursday, 6:45 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., Dr. A. E. Grib, 812 E. Alisal St. Sec., M. E. Lopes, 219 Boeing Ave. Dep. Gov., Lawrence Struve, 41 W San Luis St.

SAN DIEGO, No. 7. (D-5). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., New Palace Hotel. Pres., Charles Danielson, 4530 Santa Monica Ave. Sec., J. Clark Chamberlain, 505 Electric Bldg. Dep. Gov., S. W. Hamill, 1406 Plumsa Way.

SAN FRANCISCO, Downtown, No. 65. (D-4). Tuesday, 6:00 p.m., Manning's. Pres., D. C. Foord, c/o American Can Co. Sec., T. W. Thompson, 417 Montgomery St. Dep. Gov., Sam Johnson, 601 Brannan.

SAN GABRIEL, No. 213. (D-1E). Friday, 7:00 p.m., Normandie Cafe. Pres., R. C. Stanton, 222 Pasqual Ave. Sec., Larry Givens, 560 N. Segovia St. Dep. Gov., Vern Harding, 1495 Harding Ave., Pasadena.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, No. 83. (D-12). Friday, 6:20 p.m., Gold Dragon. Pres., Paul Jackson, Box 63. Sec., Rev. E. E. Krapf, 884 Pacific. Dep. Gov., E. H. Thresh, Jr., 737 Leff St.

SAN MATEO, No. 191. (D-4). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Pool's Restaurant, Burlingame. Pres., J. A. Clark, 237 Elm St. Sec., J. C. Hazlett, 3021 Flores St. Dep. Gov., F. A. Knopp, 15 10th Ave.

SAN PEDRO, No. 111. (D-1W). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., B. M. Bendat, 327 6th St. Sec., W. F. Moore, 1607 W. 266th St., Lomita. Dep. Gov., Bynner Martin, 1346 17th St.

SANTA ANA, No. 15. (D-1E). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Rossmore Cafe. Pres., Perc Fuller, 114 N. Sycamore. Sec., E. S. Wooster, Court House. Dep. Gov., Leon Lauderbach, 1805 Spurgeon St.

SANTA ANA, Smedley, No. 1. (D-1E). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Rossmore Cafe. Pres., R. C. Gardell, 1602 Orange. Sec., D. H. Tibbals, 205 Church St. Dep. Gov., Ernest Webb, 411 W. 17th.

SANTA BARBARA, No. 5. (D-12). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Barbara Hotel. Pres., Charles Hugo. News-Press Publishing Co. Sec., Roger Smith, 409 Calle Granada. Dep. Gov., Vincent Grocott, 901 W. Valerio St.

SANTA BARBARA, Noventa, No. 90. (D-12). Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Whitehouse Tea Room. Pres., Ed Mayer, 326 W. Micheltorena St. Sec., Kenny Fairweather, 3133 Calle Noguerra. Dep. Gov., H. W. Priest, 1318 Chino St.

SANTA CRUZ, No. 150. (D-4). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Santa Cruz Tavern. Pres., Ira Bartlow, Box 423. Sec., H. E. Schultz, Rt. 1, Box 825. Dep. Gov., Paul V. Jordan, 91 Peyton St.

SANTA MARIA, Seminar, No. 89. (D-12). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Rencher's Cafe. Pres., R. W. Gillies, P. O. Box 163. Sec., E. H. Harper, 118 W. Liberty. Dep. Gov., A. P. Weir, 128 W. Church St.

SANTA MONICA, No. 21. (D-1W). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Windemere Hotel. Pres., R. L. Ray, 1141 Berkeley St. Sec., Dr. H. L. Bauer, 1055 Centinela Ave. Dep. Gov., Ray Moir, 707 Euclid St.

SANTA MONICA, Crescent Bay, No. 77. (D-1W). Pres., C. W. Dixon, 11500 W. Pico, West Los Angeles. Sec., Larry C. Lakes, 734 Santa Monica Blvd.

STOCKTON, Delta, No. 80. (D-4). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., Fred Ballew, 428 E. Pine St. Sec., R. M. Pedersen, Y.M.C.A. Dep. Gov., L. V. Peterson, c/o The Stockton Record.

STOCKTON, San Joaquin, No. 64. (D-4). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., Silas Stites, 1721 W. Flora St. Sec., L. O. Kelley, 1251 W. Harding Way, Z-12. Dep. Gov., Cleon Forsyth, 456 W. Mariposa St.

TAFT, No. 231. (D-12). Tuesday, 6:00 p.m., Fox Hotel. Pres., D. S. Peckham, 628 Woodrow St. Sec., J. T. O'Brien, 44-4 M St., 11C Camp. Dep. Gov., H. L. Hales, 618 D St.

VAN NUYS, No. 172. (D-1W). Friday, 6:30 p.m., McCombs Drug Store. Pres., Hugh Daugherty, 14510 Hortense St. Sec., Walter Chapman, 12437 Landale St., No. Hollywood. Dep. Gov., Harvey Hiers, 14938 Greenleaf St., Sherman Oaks.

VENTURA, No. 24. (D-12). Friday, 6:45 p.m., Pierpont Inn. Pres., Ansgar Larsen, Montalvo. Sec., P. A. Downs, 258 Dalton St. Dep. Gov., Arthur Purkheiser, 2158 Palomar Ave.

WALNUT PARK-SOUTH GATE No. 26. (D-1W). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Cole's Cafeteria. Pres., R. E. Wallis, 4348 Raymond, Los Angeles. Sec., S. P. Douthit, 2643 Missouri, South Gate. Dep. Gov., W. G. Dreeke, 8940 Cypress, South Gate.

WATSONVILLE, No. 133. (D-4). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Muzzio's. Pres., Roy Davis, S. P. Depot. Sec., Harry Farris, 200 Blackburn. Dep. Gov., Art Babcock, 410 Main St.

WESTWOOD VILLAGE, No. 30. (D-1W). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Sheetz Restaurant. Pres., Courtney Hertel, 1954 Camden Ave., West Los Angeles. Sec., W. J. Hamrick, 5838 Woodlawn, Z-11. Z-25. Sec., W. J. Hamrick, 5838 Woodlawn, Z-11. Z-25. Sec., W. J. Hamrick, 5838 Woodlawn, West Los Angeles, Z-25.

WHITTIER, Quakerstowne, No. 19. (D-1E). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., William Penn Hotel. Pres., H. D. Pease, 630 N. Comstock. Sec., W. G. Weiler, 117 N. Wash. Ave. Dep. Gov., W. H. Mitchner, 145 Ridge Rd.

## COLORADO

DENVER, No. 254. Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Albany Hotel. Pres., R. L. Fenton, 2660 S. Gaylord. Sec., Walter Hedeon, 1050 Havana, Z-8.

## FLORIDA

ORLANDO, No. 28. Friday, 6:15 p.m., Pearce's Restaurant.

## HAWAII

HILO, Hawaii Chapter One, No. 113. Thursday, 5:15 p.m., Hilo Hotel. Pres., Tsumika Maneki, University of Hawaii. Sec., Robert I. Baldwin, Hilo High School.

## IDAHO

BOISE, No. 67. (D-7). Wednesday, 6:00 p.m., Hotel Boise. Pres., Pete Leguineche, Idaho Bldg. Sec., R. K. McPherron, Rt. 1.

CALDWELL, No. 188. (D-7). Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Scotty's Lunch. Pres., A. C. Garber, Box 81. Sec., John A. Morley, 1007 Grant.

COEUR D'ALENE, No. 247. (D-9). Tuesday, 6:45 p.m., Lion City Club. Pres., E. G. Younger, 206 Military Drive. Sec., W. W. Larsen, 906 Montana Ave. Dep. Gov., Earl W. Somers, 1310 5th St.

FARRAGUT OFFICERS' CLUB, No. 240. (D-9). Monday, 7:00 p.m., Officers' Mess.

FARRAGUT, CPO Club, No. 241. (D-9). Monday, 5:30 p.m., CPO Recreation Bldg.

OROFINO, No. 216. (D-9). Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Erickson's Riverside Inn. Pres., John Eakin. Sec., George W. Cooper. Dep. Gov., Otto Frei.

TWIN FALLS, No. 149. (D-7). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Rogerson Hotel. Pres., Dr. G. R. Tobin, 142 Main, No. Sec., L. M. Hall, 130 9th Ave. East. Dep. Gov., R. E. Jensen, 143 Polk St.

WALLACE, No. 222. (D-9). Monday, 6:00 p.m., Gem Cafe & Jitterbug Cafe. Pres., R. F. Mahoney, Box 1080, Kellogg. Sec., W. W. Hudson. Dep. Gov., Charles Tilford, 132 King St.

WEISER, No. 236. (D-7). Monday, 7:00 p.m., Hotel Washington. Pres., James Hurley, 433 E. Main St. Sec., Clifford Garoutte, 919 E. Park. Dep. Gov., W. E. Graves, 1053 F West.

## ILLINOIS

ALTON, No. 230. (D-8). Thursday Noon, Y. M. C. A. Pres., Herman Wilken, 15 E. Broadway. Sec., R. L. Piper, Y.M.C.A. Dep. Gov., Carl Rosa, 304 Mill St.

CHAMPAIGN-URBANA, No. 195. (D-8). Tuesday Noon, University Y.M.C.A. Pres., James S. Ayars, 510 Iowa St., Urbana. Sec., Lyle E. Bamber, 1110 W. John, Champaign. Dep. Gov., C. E. Simcox, 1007 S. Wright, Champaign.

CHICAGO, Central, No. 96. (D-8). Monday, 6:00 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Hotel. Pres., G. F. Blankinship, Jr., 2307 E. 69th. Sec., Frank Moran, 11121 Vernon. Dep. Gov., D. A. Zimmerman, 7407 Jeffery Ave.

CHICAGO, Englewood, No. 156. (D-8). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Englewood Y.M.C.A. Pres., J. P. Duggan, 6010 S. Union Ave. Sec., H. L. Seinerwerth, 7717 S. Laflin St. Dep. Gov., Herbert Andresen, 6520 Ingleside Ave.

CHICAGO, South, No. 253. (D-8). Friday, 6:00 p.m., South Chicago Y.M.C.A. Pres., Rev. P. J. Folino, 2901 E. 91st St. Sec., A. W. Peterson, 3039 E. 91st St.

CHICAGO, Wilson Avenue, No. 169. (D-8). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Wilson Avenue Y.M.C.A. Pres., J. V. Steagall, 5707 N. Artesian. Sec., John Waddell, 1109 Cleveland Ave., Park Ridge. Dep. Gov., Wm. L. Blake, 6908 N. Wolcott Ave.

DANVILLE, Uncle Joe Cannon, No. 127. (D-8). Monday, 6:10 p.m., Ole King Cole. Pres., Willard Andrews, Musebecky Shoe Co. Sec., P. E. Neumann, Temple Bldg. Dep. Gov., Harry Childs, 1302 N. Gilbert.

JACKSONVILLE, Athenian, No. 174. (D-8). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Dunlap Hotel. Pres., W. M. McCreery, 706 Jordan. Sec., E. C. Smith, 229 Lockwood. Dep. Gov., Dr. L. K. Hallock, 505 W. State.

QUINCY, No. 129. (D-8). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Gardener's Plaza. Pres., W. G. Harvey, 2207 State St. Sec., R. L. Wyckoff, 236 Indian Hills. Dep. Gov., Forrest Otcheck, 1010 1/2 Jefferson.

SPRINGFIELD, Lincoln-Douglas, No. 51. (D-8). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Elk's Club. Pres., John Dial, 2009 S. 4th. Sec., H. D. Cudworth, 2345 Yale Blvd.

## INDIANA

COLUMBUS, No. 39. (D-11). Alternate Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m., Mrs. Mannen's Tea Room. Pres., J. M. Graham, 2816 Riverside Dr. Sec., C. R. Davis, 1101 Chestnut St.

FORT WAYNE, No. 159. (D-11). Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., Laurence Mellinger, 745 W. DeWald. Sec., Howard W. Potts, 841 Broadway.

INDIANAPOLIS, Pioneer, No. 17. (D-11). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., W. H. Martindill, 810 Test Bldg., Z-6. Sec., D. J. Hendricks, 39 N. Webster Ave., Z-1. Dep. Gov., A. J. Jerman, 321 Lemcke Bldg., Z-4.

INDIANAPOLIS, Hoosier, No. 42. (D-11). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., Stanley Troxell, 3440 Colorado. Sec., Roy Price, 6344 Central.

INDIANAPOLIS, Irvington, No. 199. (D-11). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Central Y.M.C.A. Pres., V. E. Cass, 1462 N. Euclid Ave. Sec., C. A. Douglas, 959 N. Hawthorne Lane. Dep. Gov., K. L. Malmgren, 1502 Shannon Ave.

SEYMOUR, No. 255. Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Seymour Country Club. Pres., C. G. Steinwedel, 708 S. Chestnut St. Sec., T. L. Precht, Box 185.

## IOWA

WATERLOO, No. 101. (D-6). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., Cash Cahill, Rath Packing Co. Sec., O. J. Schutte, Waterloo Savings Bank. Dep. Gov., John Hanson, Standard Battery & Elec. Co.

## KANSAS

WICHITA, No. 193. Monday, 6:15 p.m., Shirkmere Tea Room. Pres., E. C. Moore, 3509 E. 2d St. Sec., S. W. Holmes, 630 N. Fountain. Dep. Gov., M. G. Graham, 2415 Rivera St.

## KENTUCKY

ASHLAND, No. 246. (D-10). Friday, 6:30 p.m., Henry Clay Hotel. Pres., H. R. Smith, Henry Clay Hotel. Sec., Wilbur Witten, Third National Bank.

## LOUISIANA

NEW ORLEANS, No. 234. Monday, 6:30 p.m., New Orleans Athletic Club. Pres., A. M. Cowen, 3100 Grand Route St. John. Sec., R. S. Near, 930 Tchoupitoulas St. Dep. Gov., H. S. Hiller, 1654 Jefferson St.

## MINNESOTA

ALBERT LEA, Y.M.C.A., No. 91. (D-6). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Canton Cafe. Pres., Gilbert Svendsen, 211 N. Washington. Sec., Paul V. Webber, City Hall. Dep. Gov., Carl Hillstrom, 1328 Fountain St.

DULUTH, Greysolon, No. 217. (D-6). Tuesday, 6:00 p.m., Holland Hotel. Pres., Russell Ronning, 512 E. 4th St., Z-5. Sec., A. J. Seiffert, 32 W. Superior, Z-2. Dep. Gov., A. I. Johnson, 408 Lonsdale Bldg., Z-2.

MANKATO, No. 175. (D-6). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., H. D. Held, 117 Center St. Sec., Ed Ogle, 643 Mound Ave. Dep. Gov., O. M. Johnson, 211 Ridgewood St.

MINNEAPOLIS, No. 75. (D-6). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Zurah Shrine Temple. Pres., L. M. Jones, 2211 S. 27th Ave. Sec., W. W. Welke, 4901 Elliott Ave. Dep. Gov., Clarence Davis, 5042 Portland Ave.

MINNEAPOLIS, Russell H. Conwell, No. 82 (D-6). Wednesday, 6:00 p.m., Central Y.M.C.A. Pres., Mel Sando, 5620 Dupont Ave. So. Sec., L. C. Anderson, 3712 3d Ave. So. Dep. Gov., Bob Hamilton, 4108 19th Ave. So.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minnesota, No. 166. (D-6). Monday, 6:00 p.m., Central Y.M.C.A. Pres., C. Lindsey, 3242 16th Ave. So. Sec., T. W. Hennessy, 1596 Niles Ave., St. Paul. Dep. Gov., R. F. Leren, 221 W. Minnetonka Pkwy.

MINNEAPOLIS, Gopher, No. 183. (D-6). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., Stewart Richmond, 5420 30th Ave. So. Sec., R. C. Morehouse, 4000 17th Ave. So. Dep. Gov., W. C. Morton, 3024 James Ave. So.

MINNEAPOLIS, Engineers, No. 185. (D-6). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Fountain Terrace Restaurant. Pres., Mark Rowell, 224 S. 5th St. Sec., N. E. Cloud, 2429 N. E. Broadway. Dep. Gov., Hollis Williford, 1515 N. W. Bank Bldg.

MINNEAPOLIS, Mark Twain, No. 205. (D-6). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Central Y.M.C.A. Pres., S. C. Anderson, 4731 Nicolet Ave. So. Sec., C. O. Rolfeason, 4033 45th Ave. So. Dep. Gov., B. J. Ringsrud, 2423 W. 6th St.

MINNEAPOLIS, JTC. No. 209. (D-6). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Medical Arts Bldg. Pres., T. T. Flynn, 5655 Blaisdell, Z-9. Sec., C. M. Dosh, 3840 42d Ave. So. Z-6. Dep. Gov., P. F. Gill, 3219 Bryant Ave., No. Z-12.

OWATONNA, No. 134. (D-6). Monday, 8:15 p.m., Homes. Pres., Geo. Doleman, 135 E. Franklin. Sec., Harold Isackson, State Public School. Dep. Gov., R. O. Brown, 129 E. Fremont.

PRINCETON, No. 189. (D-6). Thursday, 8:00 p.m., High School. Pres., C. C. Mitchell. Sec., Clarence Wicktor. Dep. Gov., Rev. Wm. F. Tinge.

ST. PAUL, No. 167. (D-6). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Y.W.C.A. Pres., H. W. Porter, 628 Grand Ave., Z-5. Sec., E. P. Davis, 1559 Summit Ave., Z-5. Dep. Gov., Ed. Schoen, Rt. 3, Como Station.

ST. PAUL, King Boreas, No. 208. (D-6). Tuesday, 6:00 p.m., Y.W.C.A. Pres., Dr. R. W. Holman, 760 Linwood Pl. Sec., F. O. Lengfeld, 1345 Asbury Ave. Dep. Gov., Waldo Luebben, 2000 Arcade St.

ST. PAUL, Victory, No. 221. (D-6). Monday, 6:00 p.m., Y.W.C.A. Pres., R. S. Lowe, 1841 Rome Ave., Z-5. Sec., R. W. Jones, Jr., 1817 Hillcrest, Z-5. Dep. Gov., A. J. Adam, 1078 Rice St., Z-3.

## MISSOURI

ST. LOUIS, No. 170. (D-8). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Downtown Y.M.C.A. Pres., H. E. Johnston, 7141 Northmoor Dr., Z-5. Sec., N. J. Conston, 5760 DeGiverville, Z-12. Dep. Gov., O. H. Lutz, 1605 Prather, Z-10.

ST. LOUIS, Tyro, No. 194. (D-8). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Northside Y.M.C.A. Pres., Lester Kauffman, 7524 Lynn Ave. Sec., J. C. Mann, 4346 W. Pine Blvd. Dep. Gov., Ernest Clarke, 320 N. Grand Ave.

## MONTANA

GREAT FALLS, First Montana Club, No. 220. (D-9). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Paris Banquet Room. Pres., N. A. Bundi, 1306 2d Ave. So. Sec., A. L. Smith, 221 13th St. No. Dep. Gov., W. T. Tobin, 623 Park Drive.

MILES CITY, No. 239. (D-9). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Metropolitan Cafe. Pres., C. H. Peck, 602 N. Cottage Grove. Sec., M. B. Stallard, P. O. Box 184. Dep. Gov., J. W. Masterson, 1616 Pearl.

## NEBRASKA

OMAHA, No. 229. Monday, 5:45 p.m., Wellington Hotel. Pres., R. A. Norton, 5819 Pacific St., Z-6. Sec., R. C. Coulter, Farm Credit Administration, Z-1. Dep. Gov., R. C. Engberg, 5019 Cass St.

## NEVADA

LAS VEGAS, Basic, No. 248. Thursday, 7:30 p.m., Victory Addition Auditorium. Pres., Raymond Tenley, Box 1150. Sec., Arthur L. Borchers, Box 1150. Dep. Gov., Ross A. Ross, Box 1150.

RENO, No. 178. (D-4). Monday, 6:30 p.m., El Cortez Hotel. Pres., G. E. Johnson, Box 1205. Sec., J. Allen Young, 509 Toiyabe. Dep. Gov., H. J. Rohlfing, 220 Martin.

## NEW MEXICO

ALBUQUERQUE, No. 122. Tuesday, 7:00 p.m., Alvarado Hotel. Pres., Frank Gabriel, 546 N. Aliso. Sec., Jerry Haggard, 600 S. 14th.

## OHIO

AKRON, No. 151. (D-10). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Y.W.C.A. Pres., E. B. Chandier, 345 Diagonal Rd., Z-2. Sec., G. J. McKee, 324 1/2 Crosby St., Z-3. Dep. Gov., S. C. Henton, 471 Edgewood Ave., Z-7.

AKRON, Summit, No. 190. (D-10). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Y.W.C.A. Pres., L. H. Amer, 871 Roslyn Ave. Sec., W. R. Lepar, 1536 Hampton Rd., Z-5. Dep. Gov., A. R. Watson, 519 Parkview Ave., Barberton.

AKRON, Y.M.C.A., No. 201. (D-10). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., Frank Summy, 774 Crestview Ave., Z-2. Sec., C. J. Hoskins, 38 Hawthorne Ave., Z-3. Dep. Gov., George Conrad, 1137 Greenvale Ave., Z-3.

AKRON, Rubber City, No. 214. (D-10). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., J. L. Sheary, 73 W. Burns Ave. Sec., W. R. Wise, 151 Wetmore St., Stow. Dep. Gov., John H. Allen, 804 Chalker St.

AKRON, Progressive, No. 215. (D-10). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Y.W.C.A. Pres., E. C. Warren, 915 S. Arlington St. Sec., D. C. Foglesong, 530 Kathron Ave., Cuyahoga Falls.

CUYAHOGA FALLS, No. 202. (D-10). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Silver Lake Tavern. Pres., E. W. Alexander, 3115 Athens Rd., Silver Lake. Sec., R. W. Eschliaman, 2493 Berk St. Dep. Gov., J. B. Guthrie, 846 Sackett St.

EAST LIVERPOOL, No. 227. (D-10). Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., Wilford Padgett, 118 Almont St. Sec., John Barnhart, 227 E. 3d St. Dep. Gov., Homer Campbell, 1703 Smithfield St.

STEUBENVILLE, No. 187. (D-10). Thursday, 6:00 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., C. H. Wood, Ohio Inspection Bureau. Sec., R. E. Munsee, Y.M.C.A. Dep. Gov., G. F. Gescheider, 168 N. 4th St.

VAN WERT, No. 204. (D-11). Wednesday, 6:00 p.m., Whitehall Inn. Pres., R. P. Rauch, 324 W. Maple St. Sec., R. V. Rinard, 200 E. Raymond St. Dep. Gov., C. S. Frick, 302 South Ave.

ZANESVILLE, No. 257. (D-10). Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., Carl F. Funk, 47 N. 4th St. Sec., Eugene Mizer, 2004 Wilmer St. Dep. Gov., Earl M. Carlton, Y.M.C.A.

## OKLAHOMA

BARTLESVILLE, No. 186. Monday, 6:15 p.m., Burlingame Hotel. Pres., J. L. Swisher, 922 Jennings Ave. Sec., A. L. Goforth, 1529 Maple Ave. Dep. Gov., L. L. Doty, 1417 Shawnee Ave.

TULSA, No. 148. Monday, 6:15 p.m., Bradford Hotel. Pres., R. M. McMahan, Box 2590. Sec., J. A. Mulholland, 1006 Mid-Continent Bldg.

## OREGON

BAKER, No. 55. (D-7). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Hotel Baker. Pres., R. C. Burgess, 307 Hillcrest Drive. Sec., J. M. Updegraff, 1827 Seventh St. Dep. Gov., Victor Lyman, 2410 Fourth St.

EUGENE, No. 145. (D-7). Tuesday, 6:15 p.m., Eugene Hotel. Pres., Howard Needham, 648 W. 6th. Sec., Mervin O. Dahl, First National Bank. Dep. Gov., John Quiner, 751 W. 12th.

HILLSBORO, No. 158. (D-7). Friday, 6:15 p.m., Tulip Ranch. Pres., A. H. Abts, 351 S. Walnut. Sec., R. E. Dugdale, Portland Gas & Coke Co. Dep. Gov., T. H. Bailey, Portland Gas & Coke Co.

MARSHFIELD, No. 249. (D-7). Pres., John Nelson, Box 645. Sec., Wm. Thomas, Myrtle Arms Apts.

MEDFORD, No. 67. (D-7). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Hotel Jackson. Pres., G. A. Buchanan, Mann's Dept. Store. Sec., Ray H. Pence, 33 Willamette Ave. Dep. Gov., Carlos W. Morris.

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PORTLAND, Columbia Empire, No. 171. (D-7). Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Chamber of Commerce. Pres., Dennis Keef, 2315 S. E. Salmon. Sec. Robert McCurdy, 3047 N. E. 31st Ave. Dep. Gov., Ray Berger, 44 N. E. 44th Ave.

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JEANNETTE, No. 233. (D-13). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., B. P. O. E. Temple. Pres., D. O. Mallorie, 207 N. 1st St. Sec., G. D. Fink, 415 N. 3d St. Dep. Gov., John McCleery, 218 First St.

PITTSBURGH, No. 144. (D-13). Thursday, 8:00 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., Edward Murphy, 123 Bayard Place. Sec., Albert Tritinger, Jackson St., Perryville. Dep. Gov., J. P. Maloney, 1030 Berkshire.

WASHINGTON, No. 237. (D-13). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Arms Club. Pres., F. H. Patrono, Washington Trust Bldg. Sec., George J. Mucey, 506 Washington Trust Bldg. Dep. Gov., Dr. J. E. Grice, 67 W. Chestnut St.

WAYNESBURG, No. 242. (D-13). Friday, 6:30 p.m., Fort Jackson Hotel. Pres., W. A. Hill, 137 Huffman St. Sec., F. D. Bell, Box 622. Dep. Gov., W. B. Waychoff, 405 Huffman St.

WILKES-BARRE, No. 256. (D-13). Monday, 7:30 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., George Magee, 1118 Miners Bank Bldg. Sec., E. R. Barnum, Y.M.C.A. Dep. Gov., Peter Jurchak, 1210 Miners Bank Bldg.

## SOUTH DAKOTA

SIOUX FALLS, No. 210. (D-6). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., Frank Vust, 1303 S. Norton Ave. Sec., W. C. Bourne, 544 S. Glendale. Dep. Gov., J. O. Berdahl, 1000 S. Lake Ave.

SIOUX FALLS, Sodak, No. 224. (D-6). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., George L. Lucas, 2000 Pender Lane. Sec., G. E. Funk, 213 S. Spring Ave. Dep. Gov., L. P. Zenner, 906 S. Menlo Ave.

## TEXAS

AMARILLO, No. 211. Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Capitol Hotel. Pres., O. M. Ramsey, 1711 Tyler. Sec., P. B. Carlson, 1013 Bonham.

BORGER, No. 218. Monday, 8:00 p.m., Phillips Assembly Rm. and Co. Library. Pres., Homer Gibson, Box 358. Phillips. Sec., T. L. Wright, Box 406. Berger. Dep. Gov., Edwards Thomas, Box 32, Phillips.

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## WASHINGTON

ABERDEEN, No. 79. (D-2). Monday, 6:30 p.m., Emerson Hotel, Hoquiam. Pres., George McKay. Rutherford Court. Sec., Vincent LeVeille, 2829 Aberdeen Ave., Hoquiam.

BELLINGHAM, No. 60. (D-2). Monday, 6:00 p.m., Bellingham Hotel. Pres., C. F. Oldenburg, 1400 W. North. Sec., G. E. Van Horn, Marietta. Dep. Gov., Dr. W. S. Moore, 405 Bham Nat'l Bank Bldg.

BREMERTON, No. 63. (D-2). Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Mission Cafe. Pres., Lt. Comdr. H. F. MacKay, 4028 Mt. View Drive. Sec., C. W. Johnson, 163-M Russell Road. Dep. Gov., H. B. Hostetler, Box 679.

COLFAX, No. 168. (D-9). Tuesday, 6:30 p.m., Colfax Hotel. Pres., Father Pius Mutter. Sec., H. Dean Morris. Dep. Gov., R. S. Owen.

EVERETT, No. 117. (D-2). Monday, 6:30 p.m., The Grill. Pres., M. H. Elder, 512 Commerce Bldg. Sec., G. M. Platt, 4213 Rucker Ave. Dep. Gov., Ellsworth Stowell, 815 Hoyt Ave.

LONGVIEW, No. 180. (D-2). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Elks Club. Kelso. Pres., Willard Denning, 2853 Hemlock. Sec., Davis Mathes, Jr., 2915 Louisiana.

OLYMPIA, No. 25. (D-2). Tuesday, 6:00 p.m., Marigold Cafe. Pres., R. Paul Tjossem, 1349 E. Bay Drive. Sec., Geo. U. Bryant, 916 S. Adams. Dep. Gov., G. F. Plamondon, 2517 Capitol Way.

ROSALIA, No. 176. (D-9). Monday, 6:15 p.m., Christian Church. Pres., M. W. Miller. Sec., Cecil Calhoun. Dep. Gov., F. B. Goldsworthy.

SEATTLE, No. 10. (D-2). Monday, 6:00 p.m., Washington Athletic Club. Pres., A. J. McFarland, 500 Lakeside. Sec., A. J. Erdman, 602 Marion Bldg. Dep. Gov., Clifford Schlosstein, 2002 Smith Tower.

SEATTLE, Chief No. 23. (D-2). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., James Hull, Securities Bldg. Sec., A. R. Morgans, 300 W. Galer St., Z-99. W. A. Herren, 1333 Dexter Horton Bldg.

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SPOKANE, Monday, No. 47. (D-9). Monday, 5:45 p.m., Dessert Hotel. Pres., D. B. Triplett, W. 441 14th Ave., Z-10. Sec., H. L. Pickell, 1124 W. 25th Ave., Z-9.

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TEKOA, No. 165. (D-9). Thursday, 6:15 p.m., Banquet Cafe. Pres., Louis Denoo. Sec., Arlie Griner.

WALLA WALLA, No. 81. (D-7). Wednesday, 6:15 p.m., Marcus Whitman Hotel. Pres., A. B. Erken, 634 Pearson. Sec., Geo. L. Cheney, 230 Fulton St. Dep. Gov., Dr. J. R. Deagan, U. S. Veterans Hospital.

## WISCONSIN

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## WYOMING

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RAWLINS, No. 223. Thursday, 6:30 p.m., Craig Cafe Grill Room. Pres., C. C. Cox, 515 13th St. Sec., F. R. Anderson, 1309 W. Maple St. Dep. Gov., K. A. Beach, 201 N. 7th St., Sinclair.

RIVERTON, No. 251. Thursday, 6:30 p.m., O'Grady's Cafe. Pres., Paul W. Child. Sec., W. B. McCall.

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VICTORIA, B. C., No. 38. (D-2). Tuesday, 5:45 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., H. B. Howard, 1145 Woodstock St. Sec., J. D. B. Scott, Parliament Bldgs. Dep. Gov., A. McDermid, 2808 Irma St.

WINNIPEG, Manitoba, No. 250. (D-6). Monday, 5:45 p.m., Y.M.C.A. Pres., Ed Hammarstrand, 278 Cordova St. Sec., Max Hoffman, 313 Ash St.

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3. The contests in the Districts should be completed by June 1.

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