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Anniversary Dinner

As this Tidings goes to print, our own Twenty-fifth Anniversary Dinner is about to be held.

Just twenty-five years ago, our club was born and from that time to this, we have made a steady gain with just a few set-backs (in numbers only).

The work and activity has brought all participating therein much joy as well as satisfaction and we can justly be proud of being a member.

We cannot in this issue comment on the Anniversary Dinner as this is written a day before the dinner but we do know that many things have been done to make this the best and most outstanding meeting ever held by the club.

At the present writing, more than 175 guests and members have signed up for the dinner and we are looking forward to the biggest attendance ever enjoyed at our gatherings.

Harry Fraser will be chairman of the evening.

Harry is the only charter mem-

ber still active on our club records. There are however several other men in San Diego who were charter members but who for various reasons allowed their membership to drop. This of course is regrettable but we can still boast of one charter member and there are some additional men who were entered into the club records shortly after the charter meeting, such as Dr. Charles W. Brown, George Hill, Elwood T. Bailey, Honorary member Sam Frazee, Bob Mueller, Art Shoven and the three last named, having been admitted in 1923.

Secretary Bob Mueller, was instructed some time ago to prepare a brief history of our club and this has been done.

A 24-page booklet, "Historical Sketch," has been printed and distributed to those desiring a copy.

Should you wish a copy or desire some additional ones, please advise the Secretary who still has a few on hand for distribution.







Christmas Party Dec. 18

A. Monroe (Monk) Sanders made announcement regarding our annual Christmas Party at the Childrens' Convalescent Home.

This party is to be held at the

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WHERE TO MAKE UP ATTENDANCE

TUESDAY

Brawley, Planters Hotel, 12:10.

Ocean Beach, Women's Club, 2160 Bacon, 6:30

Oceanside, Montys Cafeteria, 314 No. Hill, 12:10

San Diego, San Diego Club, 12:10.

WEDNESDAY

Calexico, De Anza Hotel, 12:10.

National City, Kiwanis Club House, 12:10.

THURSDAY

East San Diego, Masonic Hall, 12:10. Escondido, Jordan's Cafe, 12:15 Yuma, Arizona, Clymer House, 12:10.

FRIDAY

El Centro, Barbara Worth-Hotel, 12:15.

La Jolla, La Valencia Hotel, 12:10.

La Mesa, Ernie's Rancho,

Highway 80 East of Grossm't p.o. 12:10

home on Tuesday noon, December 18, just one week before Christmas and every member and their ladies are supposed to be on hand in order to not only give "Santa" a lift but to let the children know that we do care just a little for their welfare and pleasure.

Nothing impresses itself on the mind of a child more than the kindly interest that we grown-ups take in their well being and they, with their handicaps are entitled to that little motherly and fatherly attention that they crave.

If you have never been up to one of our parties there, it will be well worth your while to start this year and you will find, as have the rest of us, that this event, coming just once a year and at a time when our thoughts must be turned to others to make them happy, will more than repay you for the extra trouble to come out to Thirty-sixth and Logan on Tuesday, December 18th.

This meeting will be in lieu of our regular meeting at the San Diego Club and will of course count as a make-up for attendance.

While we are on the subject of make-ups, attention is called to the need for additional make-ups for December 25th, Christmas day and January First, New Year's day.

Both of these holidays fall on a Tuesday, our regular meeting day and of course there will be no meeting for those days, hence the necessity of making up your attendance at some other Club.

National City meets on Wednesdays at the National City Club house, East San Diego meets on Thursdays at Masonic Hall, La Jolla on Fridays at the Valencia Hotel and La Mesa also on Fridays at Ernie's Rancho, just east of the Grossmont High School.

Try making up at some of these clubs any time between now and the first of January and you will enjoy making new friendships to say the least.







Lloyd Adams of Brawley installed Lieut. Governor

The divisional Meeting and Training School for officers was held as per schedule on Tuesday, December 4th, starting at two o'clock and ending with a dinner at the Dunlac Hotel at seven thirty.

As is customary, this meeting was devoted mainly to the training school under the direction of the incoming Lieutenant Governor

The outgoing officer, Lieut. Governor Von Marshall was presented with his Past Lieutenant Governor's pin as also a gift from the La Mesa Club.

The evening was enjoyed with music of several varieties as well as an inspirational talk by Claude Morrison of San Diego who brought out our duties towards the various tenets and ideals of organizations.

He stressed the importance of

living up to those ideals to which we have subscribed and urged his listeners to more closely live up to the ideals for which this country was founded.

An unusually large number of guests were present from the Kiwanis Clubs of San Diego county but strange to say, our club was represented by only two persons, the installing officer and his lady.

These divisional meetings are very important to the success of any club and also to the understanding of Kiwanis for in this manner do we become more acquainted with the ideas and ideals of Kiwanis.

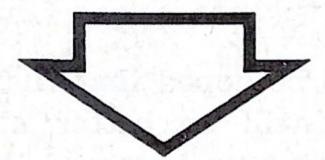
It is to be hoped that the future meetings will be better attended by our own members and it might be well to remember this as attendance at such divisional meetings can also be used as make-ups for attendance.

Bring the Ladies next Tuesday, also on December 18.

NEW MEMBERS

At our last meeting, Phil Davenport and Norman Tolle, two former members were readmitted into the club and we welcome these men back to the "fold."

Both men have in the past been very active in Kiwanis affairs and we know they will still find plenty to do to make themselves better Kiwanians and our club better for having them as members.



The ladies of Kiwanis are invited next Tuesday, Dec. II, to enjoy our program with us.



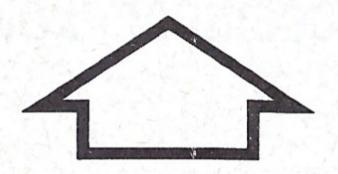
Tuesday, December II, 1945
SAN DIEGO CLUB

12:10 Noon



San Diego High School Choir under the direction of Mrs. W. F. Reper





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