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1955 OUR 40th ANNIVERSARY YEAR

Chips Off the President's Rostrum



Right now I am glad I have no crystal ball. Things have started off so well this year I wouldn't want to look into one. The responses to my requests for men to

head our many committees, the turn out at our organization meeting and the spirit of these team captains are showing is assurance enough that our club is off to a running start for 1955.

The Public Relations Committee has real strength and talent and came to Chairman Norm Tolle's first meeting bursting with ideas and enthusiasm. Out of the meeting came a constructive program of activities which will really make us go "FOR-WARD WITH KIWANIS" in community influence during 1955.

To fully develop this program Norm and his men will need the support and cooperation of every committee chairman and the club as a whole. Don't be reluctant when they call on you.

Our first Board meeting of the year last Monday evening was another big turnout as the non-board members of our Kiwanis Foundation Board of Trustees were also in attendance plus a few "maker-uppers." Something new was added by the attendance of the president and secretary of the Lakeside Club and the secretary of the Lemon Grove Club. They came, they said, to see how the big club ran a board meeting. As Junior wasn't there and I, being (continued on page 2)

Program

TUESDAY, JANUARY 18, 1955

Guest Speaker

Former National Open Golf Champion

Subject

APPLIED PSYCHOLOGY AND ITS RELATIONSHIP TO GOLF, SALES AND OUR EVERY DAY LIFE.



Chairman of the Day

CLARENCE E. BURDETTE

Invocation by John Morrow Philosophy by Howard Wellman

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San Diego Kiwanis Tidings



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President now, had to be in order instead of abetting Junior in disturbing it we put on quite a demonstration of business-like procedure (I hope). In any event a lot of work was done. Board meetings are really fun. Unless you have attended a number you have no idea of the scope of our club activities. Attendance at the regular monthly meeting counts as a make-up too, so join us and add to your understanding of Kiwanis. Next one on Tuesday, Feb. 1st.

Last week the pressure of a crowded programme forced me to call a halt to that wholesale and generous purging of troubled consciences and the flow of justifiably prideful announcements. But like Clementina's footwear, there are no toppses on those boxes and Tom and Jim will have them out again Tuesday. They have no bottoms either. The boxes, I mean.

Let's ALL drive in '55.

Les.

New Members Added Since Last Roster

(Cut out this list and place in your Roster.)

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"GOLF IS A SCIENCE...."

by Anderson Borthwick



They say that when three Englishmen get together they usually form a Society of the Sons of St. George and a cricket field; when two Greeks meet, they form a partnership and a restaurant; when three Scotchmen get together, they form a Caledonian Society and a golf course; and when three Americans meet, they form a committee. Through the introduction of the Scottish pastime of golf and the ingenuity of American committees, golf has made tremendous strides in this country.

The peculiar part of the game is that there has never been a perfect round played, nor will there ever be. Walter Hagen once said that he had hit only two perfect irons or woods in his life. Perhaps the true analysis of the gutta-percha game has been put into words by James Forgan, one of the oldest golf professionals and club-makers of Scotland, whose treatise is as follows:

"Golf is a science, the study of a lifetime, in which you may exhaust yourself, but never your subject. It is a contest, a dual, or a melee, calling for courage, skill, strategy, and self-control. It is a test of temper, a trial of honor, a revealer of character. It affords a chance to play the man, and act the gentleman. It means going into God's out-of-doors, getting close to nature, fresh air, exercise, a sweeping away of the mental cobwebs, genuine recreation of the tired tissues. It is a cure for care, an antidote to worry. It includes companionship with friends, social intercourse, opportunities for courtesy, kindness and generosity to an opponent. It promotes not only physical health, but moral force."

We are privileged at this meeting to have one of the old sages of the Bent Greens and Bermuda Fairways, Olin Dutra, who exemplifies this odyssey of golf. I am sure that Olin will have an entertaining as well as informative message on the coming Jay Hopkins International Matches and the Convair Crippled Children's Society Open.

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