

The First Chapter of the History of the Lincoln Rotary Club was written in 1954-1955, by Richard (Dick) Lee... Mr. Education. Dick did a very excellent job on this Chapter, so we persuaded him to write the second chapter that will bring the history of our Club up to date. May we say, "Dick, this is a job well done."

Since 1954-1955, Rotary Clubs have increased from 8,477 to 15,424, and membership has increased from 398,000 to 723,000....an increase of approximately 82 per cent.

Our Rotary International President, Roy D. Hickman, has asked all of us to "Take a New Look," and as we celebrate the 47th year of the Lincoln Rotary Club, let each of us look with pride at our Club and with determination that the next 47 years will be as good.

We would be amiss at this time if we did not acknowledge two of our Charter Members who still provide their experience and guidance.... Walter K. Jansen and Richard A. Lee..... EXEMPLARY ROTARIANS.

Wendell S. Bevers