

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

June 29, 1962

George Goodall was in his usual place at the head table conducting the last meeting of the Club as President of Portland Rotary.

The meeting represented George's "Swan Song" and all broke into applause when he finally made it, that is, when George presented his regular weekly gem saluting our visitors and managed to get through without that little flaw which added a wonderful touch of humor to his Presidency throughout the year.

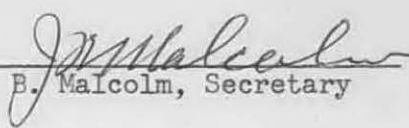
In his farewell address, President George gave credit to those many Rotarians "who have given of themselves far over and above the call of duty." and he concluded his talk with the following thought-provoking remarks:

"How strong is Rotary? As ~~strong as all that~~ is fine and good in tradition. How enduring is Rotary? As enduring as man's love for freedom, for firmness, for his fellow man, and for his God. Gentlemen, that is my image of Rotary, and my challenge to you. Remember, you are Rotary."

George's complete report is made a part of this record.

Adjourned.

Active members present	132
Senior Active	2
Visiting Rotarians	13
Guests	3
Percentage	63.16


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

The most lamentable part of this my farwell speech or of any speech or report I make, is that there is nothing I can say that hasn't been said better by someone else.

Have you ever stopped to appreciate - What a difference a year makes! Fifty-two weeks ago today I looked forward with anticipation, aleit tempered with certain misgivings as I faced that year ahead. What committees were going to do an outstanding job, What men were going to prove the value of Rotary in their lives, to their Club and to the community! Let us pause for a moment and give credit to some of those who have given of themselves far over and above the call of duty.

Perhaps no one appreciates the value of our secretary, Jack Malcolm any more than your President during his year in office. Jack and Rohais with their wealth of Rotary information and willingness to share it are a welcome adjunct and save many embarrassing situations and hours of time and effort. Because of these two faithful secretaries, your officers can and do render a finer performance and a greater service.

Another unsung hero is our Club treasurer, Frank Walker, for countless hours spent in keeping our Club in a sound financial condition. Thank you Jack, Frank and Rohais for the great help you have been this year.

Unlike many other groups, Rotary is dependant almost entirely on the smooth functioning of committees. It is this team work that is essential to the healthy survival of our Club and every club. Time is too short to mention in detail the work of all the committees, thus I will mention only some of the more outstanding accomplishments. Ben Vafiades, Cecil Wheeler and Phil Dand of the House Committee have received many fine compliments for the things their committee has done. As you will recall their first inovation was using napkins embossed with the Rotary emblem which give us just an added touch of Rotary. Tables and the ballroom have been appropriately decorated on

12 different occasions. Can you recall some of them? July 4th, Columbus Day, Armistice Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Valentines, Ladies Dag, Boy Scout Day, St. Patricks Day, Patriots Day, and Flag Day when they spot lighted Old Glory for us. That is a fine record and deserving of recognition.

To me the outstanding achievement of the many facets used by the International Service Committee was the selection of and granting to Martha Hurd, our candidate, the Rotary International Foundation Scholarship, to study next year in France. This sub committee under Earle McKinney has invited Martha to meet with us at lunch that she may learn more about Rotary, as we anticipate that she will be asked to talk to many clubs in France. Halsey Smith and his committee are to be commended for the fine work they have done with this and the exchange student program.

As usual the Youth Service Committee had a fine Boy Scout Program and the High School Students again did themselves proud and were a credit to their shoals. Well done Steve Woodberry and your committee.

Ted Fobes and Ted Moulton with the Classification Committee and Ed Nelson and Horton Gilman of the Rotary Information Committee have processed sixteen new members which leaves us at approximately 236 members where we started just one year ago.

Morris Cox with the Music Committee and Rotary choristers have added zest and pleasure to our meetings this year. An orchid to each in this group.

Fellowship under Clint Rose and Doug Hammett has created much favorable comment from visiting Rotarians. With a club as large as ours fellowship can become a problem, and it is a pleasure to see so many of you fellows warmly greeting our visitors each week.

Past Presiden's Day, Annual Rotary Golf Outing and Dinner, and the Annual Ladies Night were outstanding events of the Special Activities Committee and generated much enjoyment and enthusiasm. The past presidents were especially pleased with the special recognition afforded them at their meeting in January.

Without doubt the program committee is one of the most important of the entire club and Bill Getchell, StandBailey, general chairmen and their quarterly committees presented far better than average programs which aided in keeping our attendance at a reasonably good average for the entire year.

All committees, some in a less spectacular way than others, helped keep the sinews of Rotary supple and strong and ready for action at a moments notice. All committee chairmen and members please accept my sincere thanks and those of the Club for your efforts this past year.

Recently while talking with Eliot Peterson one of the real old timers of our Club, he summed up succinctly and well the sentiment of many of our members. Eliot said that the Portland Rotary Club is a good Club, Portland Rotarians are fine men and I enjoy the fellowship of the Club. That fellow is complimenting every one of you.

I believe Portland Rotary will survive and prosper because it has proved itself worthy of survival.

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June 22, 1962

At 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel, George Garrett sounded the gong and called the meeting to order. This was "New members Day" and was the presiding officer.

Ten of the sixteen new members who have come to Portland Rotary during the past year graced the head table and gave us a splendid program on "Why We Like Maine."

Our neophytes' enthusiasm as migrants or repatriates to the Portland area was inspiring and gave cause to pause for many of us who are sometimes prone to take our blessings for granted.


George Garrett MC'd the program - claimed he had been "conned" into the job by John Kronick on assurances that Rohais did all the work and got everything ready - Rohais was in Gretton Woods! However, no serious hitches developed and George acquitted himself well in the job.

Ray Koshliek, Dick Hayden and Bob Hussey did the speaking on the subject matter of the program and George Garrett did the windup in good Chamber of Commerce style.

Other first termers at the head table were Stan Letson, Rod Ross, who introduced the guests, Bob Walker, Joe Youngs and Harry Sky. Other space fillers at the head table were President George and Ellis Hanson, program chairman.

Adjourned.

Active members present	138
Senior Active	4
Honorary	1
Visiting Rotarians	12
Guests	4
Percentage	66.03


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

June 15, 1962

President George Goodall opened the 50th meeting of his year at the usual time of 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel. It was with deep regret that he announced the passing of a long time member Nelson McDougall at the age of 85. A moment of silence of observed in his memory. Ed Nelson offered an appropriate prayer. The toast to the flag was made more impressive by the lights being out except the one focused on the flag which was gently waving (due to the assistance of an electric fan). One verse of The Star Spangled Banner was sung. All this was in observance of Flag Day.

In fitting observance of Flag Day, our choral group conducted by Marshall Bryant, with Harry Lyseth at the piano, gave a stirring rendition of The Battle Hymn of the Republic.

The group singing was under the direction of Dick Tyler with Harry Lyseth at the piano.

Visitors were introduced and greeted with the distance prize, a Rotary tray, going to Harold Jarvis of Miami Beach, Florida.

Perce Arnold, the last of the winter travelers to return, was given a hearty greeting. More sober news was that Earle Noyes and Tommy Letson were patients in the Medical Center.

Head table guests were members of the choral group - Dave Moody, George Pelletier, Dick Bond, John Wolf, Morris Cox, Charlie Redfern, Dick Tyler, Harry Lyseth, Marshall Bryant and Sumner Bernstein, President of Temple Beth-El, who introduced the speaker.

Our own member HARRY SKY, Rabbi of Temple Beth-El, spoke on "What is True Citizenship?"

An excellent talk. He received a standing ovation.

Adjourned.

Active members present	129
Senior Active	2
Visiting Rotarians	10
Guests	3
Percentage	61.72


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

June 8, 1962

At 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel President George Goodall called the meeting to order by the sounding of the gong and calling on Ed Nelson for the invocation. A toast to the President of the United States and the singing of one verse of "America" followed.

The song session was conducted by Morry Cox with Harry Lyseth at the piano.

The visiting Rotarians and other guests were introduced and cordially welcomed. The distance prize - a Rotary tray - being presented to Dr. Charles L. Outland of Richmond, Virginia.

Mention was made of the Rotary banner of the Montevideo, Uruguay, S. A. Club, the first to be organized in South America (1918), brought back from the International Convention by President-elect Bud Jones.

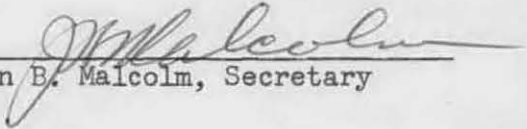
As the program was being presented by the International Service Committee, members of that committee were at the head table - John Robinson, Horton Gilman, Ken Russell, Earle McKinney, Don Simmons, Ray Kibler and Ray Hall.

Vice Chairman Steve Woodberry introduced our own member WILLIAM H. SOULE, Superintendent of Schools, as the speaker of the day.

Following his talk, a report of which is attached, Bill received a standing ovation.

Another excellent meeting was adjourned.

Active members present	133
Senior Active	2
Visiting Rotarians	7
Guests	3
Percentage	63.33


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

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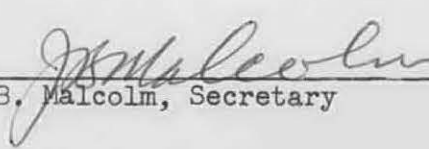
June 1, 1962

Lewiston-Auburn Day with Past District Governor Harry W. Rowe presiding in the absence of Jerry Ross, President, who was attending the International Convention in Los Angeles.

As the editor of the Windjammer gave such a complete report, a copy of the bulletin is attached.

Adjourned.

Members present	136
Senior Active	5.
Visiting Rotarians	20
Guests	7
Percentage	64.76

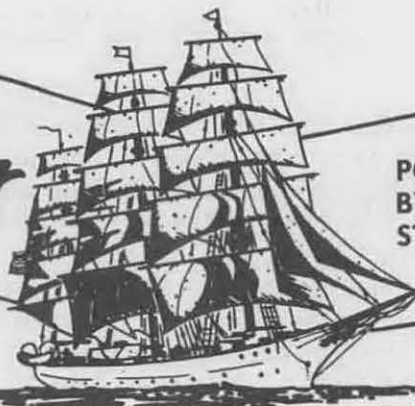


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PROGRAM - JUNE 8, 1962. The speaker will be our own BILL SOULE. Presented under the auspices of the International Service Committee, Bill will discuss the American School System. As Superintendent of our own public schools, Bill is qualified to discuss with authority the accomplishments of American Education and the scope of the challenges for which it must prepare.

LAST WEEK - The Lewiston-Auburn club is to be congratulated upon the fine program presented at Portland Rotary last Friday. It was an outstanding meeting with Past District Governor Harry Rowe at the rostrum, assisted by Bill Flynn who presented the invocation and George Davis who led the singing with the able accompaniment of Bert Cote. Justice Donald W. Webber was the principal speaker. Justice Webber discussed the problem of race relations which he characterized as, "the greatest moral issue of our day." He spoke with rare feeling and conviction of his own observations and experiences in the South. Warning against over-simplification, he, nonetheless, urged the necessity of close personal friendship between individuals of both races in establishing communication between them. He spoke of the terrible waste of talent and leadership in the present discrimination against the negro and the unfortunate effect of that discrimination among the new emergent nations abroad. In moving terms, he spoke of what he called the major imperative - the god-given dignity of all men. The club's standing ovation at the conclusion of his talk was a deserved tribute to Justice Webber and to the Lewiston-Auburn Club.

OTHERWISE AT THE MEETING. The June birthday cake went to BOB WINSLOW on the first draw. MARSHALL BRYANT and BILL LINNELL were honored for nine years of perfect attendance. Past District Governor BILL completed his nine-year record by attending the Rotary International Assembly at Lake Placid, N. Y. For the benefit of our newer members, an International Assembly is held each year, usually immediately preceding the holding of the convention.

The assembly is composed of the president, the vice presidents and other directors, the president nominee and the directors nominee, the general secretary, the treasurer, the district governors nominee of R.I., the members nominee of the general council of Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland, the chairmen of the committees of Rotary International. The purpose of this assembly is to enable these officers and committee chairmen to confer and to plan cooperatively the work and activities of Rotary International and its clubs for the ensuing year, and to give opportunity for Rotary education, instruction in administrative duties and fellowship to those in attendance.

Also on Friday, BILL ALTENBURG, Chairman of the Rotary Service Fund, announced the award of the Fanning Burbank Scholarship to young Paul Berry who was introduced briefly. Paul, a graduate of Falmouth High School, is completing his second year at UMP where he has established a fine record. He will continue at the Orono campus in September.

It was good to have BUNG WHITNEY with us, looking hale and hearty, after his prolonged absence due to being on the sick list.

ATTENDANCE - JUNE 1 - Members present 141. Visiting Rotarians 20. Guests 7. Percentage without make-ups 64.76. MAY 25 - Percentage including make-ups 80.95.

HEAR YE. HEAR YE. Registration details for the District Conference to be held at

IN THE NEWS - HOWARD REICHE, with Mrs. Reiche, presenting gifts to two teachers retiring from service at Portland High School.....HALSEY SMITH, one of eight so honored to receive an honorary degree from the University of Maine at the University's Portland Campus.....DICK BERRY and his wife Catherine featured in a human-interest story in the Express.....JOE YOUNGS with his family in a front-page coverage of expansion needs at the Governor Baxter State School for the Deaf of which he is superintendent.....DUKE BLEWETT, announced as commencement speaker at the graduation exercises at St. Joseph's College on Monday, June 4..... BOB PORTEOUS, featured in Peaks at People and also quoted as main speaker at Memorial Day exercises in City Hall Plaza.

NOTES TO BE NOTED - DON SIMMONS has moved his Hobby Center from Monument Square to a new location at 536 Congress Street, and will be open for business there this week.....Our Rotary banner collection continues to grow. Latest acquisitions were provided by TED FOBES who returned with banners from Rotorua and Christchurch in New Zealand and from Sydney, Australia.....Mrs. Ed Hyde called to thank the Club for the bright yellow "mum" plant sent to ED and to tell us, if all goes well, Ed will return home next week where he will be convalescing for several weeks.....TOBEY ANDERSEN was the speaker at the Augusta Rotary Club on Monday.

THINK ABOUT IT - The third item of The Four-Way Test reads: "Will it build good will and better friendships?" We Rotarians who attend other clubs as guests, when making up our attendance, can create much more good will by remaining for the entire program. Someone has worked hard to get the program, and it is embarrassing to the officers, and a discourtesy to the speaker, to have fifty percent of the audience leave when the program is introduced.

Can a Rotarian conscientiously convince himself that he has "attended" a Rotary meeting when he habitually leaves after eating lunch? It was never intended that the 60% rule - established as an emergency measure only - should be considered as fulfilling the attendance obligation of a Rotarian if practiced regularly. Rotary would soon become extinct if all Rotarians ate lunch and left the meeting. Those who remain indifferent to the more serious fundamentals of Rotary retard its progress and lower its standards. Does what we do "build good will and better friendships?" Clipped.

MEET THE PRESIDENT - With a distinguished career in India's motion-picture industry behind him, Nitish Chandra Laharry, of Calcutta, stands on the threshold of his most challenging assignment in his 33 years in Rotary. He is Rotary's first President from Asia. You will meet him in The Rotarian for July in an article by R. I. Director Krishna Prasada and Past R. I. Vice-President A. D. G. Stewart.

CLUB REACHES TOP RATING; GETS 5000% CERTIFICATE. With the remittance of a check totaling \$2,110.00, the Rotary Club of Bakersfield, California, reached a new high standing as a "5,000% Rotary Foundation Club." It is the first Rotary club to attain this distinction. The contribution makes a grand total of \$100,045.00 donated by the Bakersfield Rotarians to The Rotary Foundation.

COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN PLEASE NOTE. Remember your annual reports are due in the Rotary office not later than June 15th.

LEST YOU FORGET - Absence at a regular meeting of this club may be made up by attendance at a regular meeting of any other Rotary club on any of the six days immediately preceding the day of absence, on the day of the absence itself, or on any of the six days immediately following the day of absence, provided notice of such attendance is given to this club.

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

May 25, 1962

At 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel the gong was sounded by President George Goodall and another meeting got underway. Arthur Bamford of the Salvation Army pronounced a very appropriate invocation previous to the toast to the President of the United States and the singing of "America".

George Pelletier, Harry Lyseth accompanying, helped relax us in our singing.

Doug Hammett, Vice Chairman of On-to-Bretton Woods, gave a pep talk on the District Conference to be held at the Mt. Washington Hotel June 21-23.

A hearty welcome was given to Neils Neilson after a prolonged absence due to illness. The sad note of the meeting was when President George announced that past president Ed Hyde was a heart patient in the Medical Center. No visitors.

Usually the members who have been travelling and vacationing during the winter are asked to stand and be welcomed back, however, President George turned the tables and asked all those who had stayed home and "held the fort" to stand and be recognized. They were greeted with a thunderous round of applause.

Lester Wallace did his usual excellent job in introducing a new member - Benjamin B. Bullman - "Municipal Industrial Development." He was cordially welcomed into Rotary by President George.

Head table guests included Don Stimpson, Bill Soule, Vince McKusick, Arch Dodge and Ted Moulton who presented the speaker.

DR. CHARLES F. PHILLIPS, President of Bates College, talked to us enthusiastically on the subject "The Problem and Spread of Communism." Recently, Dr. and Mrs. Phillips completed an extended journey which included communist and neutral countries. He pointed up the increasing strength and number of communist countries. Their economy is improving at a faster rate than the non-communist countries and 21 years ago, they dominated 7% of the world population, while today, it is 34% and growing. At present we have no policies that give hope of curbing this growth. Dr. Phillips offered several proposals to turn the tide.

Another excellent program.

Adjourned.

Active members present	142
Senior Active	7
Visiting Rotarians	8
Guests	11
Percentage	67.72

John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

May 18, 1962

President George Goodall was in the chair and presided at the 46th meeting of his year. He called on Ed Nelson who offered the invocation previous to the toast to the flag of our Country and the singing of our National Anthem.

The group singing was unusually spirited under the leadership of George Pelletier accompanied by Harry Lyseth at the piano.

Following the introduction and greeting of the visitors, Ed Hacker was welcomed back after an overseas cruise.

Attention was called to the District Conference to be held at Bretton Woods, June 21-23.

Ed Boulos explained the purpose of the Teenagers March, to be held on Sunday, for funds for St. Jude's Hospital where children can be treated for Leukemia. He urged the members to be generous in their contributions.

Miss Miyoko Umeno, a foreign exchange student from Japan, who is attending South Portland High School, presented a banner from Sendai Rotary Club. Miyoko expressed her views that her visit was wonderful in that she had learned to understand America, especially the American youth and that she likes our country and the teenagers.

John W. Deering, "Brokerage - Stocks", was introduced as a new member by Dana Jordan.

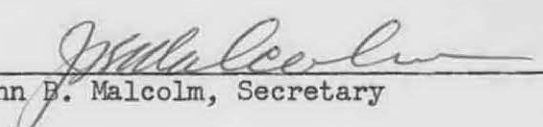
Others at the head table were George Garrett and Elford Messer, host to Miss Umeno, who is living with the Messer family while in the country.

Col. Roger Higgins, U. S. Army, introduced the speaker of the day, CAPTAIN JAMES W. MEDIS, Inspector Instructor, Tenth Engineer Co. USMC. His subject on Armed Forces Day was the make-up and scope of duties of the USMC Reserve.

President George thanked the speaker and presented him with a Portland Rotary tray.

Adjourned.

Active members present	133
Senior Active	7
Visiting Rotarians	10
Guests	4
Percentage	63.55


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

May 11, 1962

The head table looked more natural today with President George Goodall on hand to sound the gong calling the meeting to order. Earle McKinney offered the invocation previous to the usual opening of toasting the President of the United States and the singing of "America". Dave Moody led the group singing assisted by Howard Reiche at the piano.

President George introduced and welcomed the visitors. He also called attention to the District Conference to be held at the Mt. Washington Hotel, June 21-23, and expressed his hopes that Portland would have a large delegation. He made mention of the annual exchange meeting with Lewiston-Auburn Club on May 10th and expressed appreciation to Jack Malcolm, speaker, Harry Lyseth, pianist and George Pelletier, soloist, for taking part.

A hearty welcome home was extended to Fred Schultz who had been in Florida since last December, and to Arch Dodge who had been on a Mediterranean Cruise.

Another new member was introduced by Bob Jordan. Robert H. Walker, "Land Development." President George cordially welcomed him into the Club and presented him with the usual new member material - badge, lapel button, roster, two books - "Service Is My Business" and "Adventure in Service".

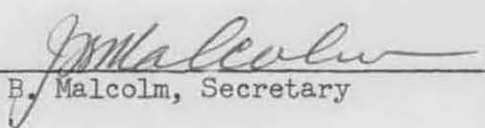
Others on the dias with the President were members of the Vocational Service Committee - Elery Harris, Bob Lunt, Wally Knight, Ed Allen, Frank Landry and Elmer Reisinger, Chairman, who introduced the speaker.

Rotarians were admonished to think objectively, and not controversially, by CAMERON RALSTON in his third appearance before the Club in recent years. He expressed concern about the moral decline as evidenced by crime moving into high places. On the lighter side, as a former Rotarian he had always considered members of Rotary as the "upper crust" of the service clubs; his definition of "upper crust" turned out to be "a bunch of crumbs held together with their own dough."

Mr. Ralston's appearance before Portland Rotary followed a morning talk in City Hall Auditorium before the senior students of the 16 Greater Portland high schools.

Adjourned.

Active members present	146
Senior Active	5
Visiting Rotarians	8
Guests	6
Percentage	70.19


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

May 4, 1962

The "different" look at the head table today was because of the high school seniors, who have been our guests for the past several weeks, were on deck to "take over" the meeting.

William Dugan, acting president, sounded the gong and opened the meeting in an efficient manner.

The visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced and cordially welcomed. The high school principals of the seven high schools represented were asked to stand and be recognized.

The song leader, quartet, trombone and trumpet duet, speakers John Kerry of Cheverus and George Butters of North Yarmouth Academy, all did their level best to run off the meeting in good Rotary style.


100% attendance records were announced as follows - Jack Malcolm, 1 year; Doug Hammett, 4 years.

Our own member ED DANA briefly reminded us of Law Week, so designated by congressional resolution, to remind us of the privileges we enjoy in this country where due process of law in effect makes it possible for us to enjoy our freedoms, something which is denied those who live under the baleful supervision of Communism.

In expressing appreciation for the opportunity afforded them William Dugan paid well deserved tribute to the coaching given them by Steve Woodberry and Jack Mitchell of the Youth Service Committee.

Adjourned.

Active members present	124
Senior Active	5
Visiting Rotarians	4
Guests	17
Percentage	59.90


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

April 27, 1962

President George Goodall opened the meeting by calling on Ray Hall to offer the invocation, proposing a toast to the President of the United States and joining the members in singing one verse of "America".

In his usual vigorous manner, Jack Mitchell led the singing with Harry Lyseth at the piano. The introduction and welcoming of the visiting Rotarians and guests followed. The high school students who will conduct the meeting next week, were given a warm welcome.

Congratulations were extended for 100% attendance records to Larry Watson, 10 years and Mac McAdams, 26 years.

George Frame made an urgent and logical appeal for some Rotary family to take into their home and sponsor a foreign exchange student who would be secured thru the American Field Service program.

President George called attention to the fact that Tommy Letson would be celebrating his 87th birthday on the 28th. This, of course, brought forth a hearty round of applause.

A new member Richard H. Hayden, filling the classification of "Trust Officer", was introduced by his sponsor John Vose. Another addition to the club membership, Joseph P. Youngs, Jr., "Education-School for the Deaf" was presented by John Dorsey.

Others at the head table, introduced by Past President Frank Hinckley, were the following officers of the Y.M.C.A. - Jack Malcolm, Bob Foden, Dick Wolfe and Bill MacVane.

Frank Hinckley, President of the Y.M.C.A., introduced the program. It was a film of a CBS-TV network program presented on the Danny Thomas Show last fall. It was an excellent interpretation of the Y.M.C.A. starring Danny Thomas and trumpet-playing Harry James as a versatile and dedicated Y.M.C.A. youth secretary who turned his back on a high-paying offer to become a professional musician and chose instead to continue his work with youngsters.

Adjourned.

Active members present	131
Senior Active	5
Visiting Rotarians	6
Guests	17
Percentage	63.29


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

April 20, 1962

After President George Goodall sounded the gong at 12:15 in the Myafair Room of the Lafayette Hotel, he called on Brig. Arthur Bamford of the Savation Army to offer the invocation. A toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of "America" was sung.

The visitors were introduced and welcomed by President George. He then presented the head table guests as follows: George Pelletier, Frank Walker, Neal Allen, Ballard Story. Also at the head table was John Nissen who introduced Raymond J. Koshliek - "Baking-Wholesale-Additional Active" as a new member. He was given a cordial welcome by the President.

BILL ALTENBURG, Chairman of the Rotary Service Fund, reported on the present activities of the Fund and urged the members to give generously to this year's request for funds. (116 members contributed \$792 at today's meeting.)


Our Good Friday speaker was The Reverend HOWARD O. HOUGH, founder and pastor of the First Parish Radio Church of America.

He stressed that lathough people are divided by geography, climate, racial origins, language and specific religious and political creeds, the bonds that united all mankind are much greater than the divisive forces.

GEORGE PELLETIER closed the program with a beautiful rendition of the Ave Maria.

Adjourned.

Active members present	134
Senior Active	4
Visiting Rotarians	13
Guests	5
Percentage	65.37


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

April 13, 1962

At 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel, President George Goodall sounded the gong and another meeting got underway. Ed Nelson said grace, the President proposed a toast to the President of the United States and one verse of "America" was sung.

Another sing-song session was enjoyed under the enthusiastic leadership of Jack Mitchell with Howard Reiche at the piano.

The President introduced and cordially greeted the visiting Rotarians. He also requested that the high school seniors stand in a group to be welcomed.

Special guests, introduced by Tobey Andersen, were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bueno of Madrid, Spain, representatives of six radio stations and 36 newspapers in Spain. The Buenos were in Maine participating in Maine's nationally and internationally recognized foreign correspondents exchange program.

Chairman of the Rotary Service Fund, Bill Altenburg, reminded the members that they would have an opportunity to contribute to the Fund at the meeting on Good Friday, April 20th.

Bob Ross had the pleasant duty of introducing his son, Rodney D. Ross, as a new member. He will be additional active to his father - Paper Distributing.

It was Friday, the 13th, all right, and the day carried just the proper kind of weather along. What with several inches of slush dropping on Portland and as many as 15 inches of snow recorded in other parts of the State of Maine, this was the perfect day for us to head for a program on the Magic No. 1. We needed something magic to cheer us up, and our speaker, MR. FRANK ROWE of the N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., contributed just that through his interesting presentation on the new District Distance Dialing System which went into effect April 15th. It was interesting to learn how modern day techniques have brought all of us close to each other through the magic of the telephone, and it was exciting to all to learn that the new system requires an average of only 15 seconds to reach your party anywhere in the United States or Canada as compared to an average of 50 seconds in the past. A timely and interesting talk!

Adjourned.

Active members present	141
Senior Active	3
Visiting Rotarians	9
Guests	17
Percentage	69.12


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

April 6, 1962

President George Goodall called the meeting to order promptly at 12:15 by sounding the gong and calling upon Rabbi Harry Sky for the invocation. Harry repeated the prayer he gave on April 4th at the session of the United States Senate. A toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of "The Star Spangled Banner" was sung.

A spirited song session was enjoyed under the leadership of Jack Mitchell with Allan Howes at the piano.

The President introduced and greeted the visiting Rotarians and guests.

The Youth Service Committee is once again sponsoring one of our favorite activities, the High School Seniors Program. Acting Chairman Steve Woodberry introduced and cordially welcomed the students from the following high schools: Cheverus, Deering, Falmouth, Greely Institute, North Yarmouth Academy, Portland and Yarmouth. They will be with us again on April 13th, 27th and May 4th when they will take over the meeting.

Happy Birthday was sung for those celebrating birthdays in April and Roger Skillings took home the cake.

Ray Frost was given a big hand for the work he did in organizing the South Portland Rotary Club. The plaque presented to Ray by the South Portland Club was on display.

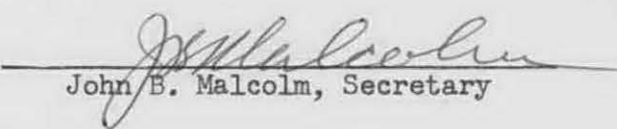
A big welcome was given to the winter travelers who had returned home - Rip Ripley, Mac McAdams, Manny Mansfield, Larry Babcock, Bruno Petersen, Al Milliken, Ward Whyte, Harry Harmon and Frank Bradford.

Head table guests were Don Lawrence, Fred Olson, John Robinson, Bob Ross and Steve Woodberry.

MR. LOUIS P. SHANNON, Manager of the DuPont Company's Extension Division, talked on "Growth Unlimited," which was his analysis of research, creative capital, profit and corporate size as factors in economic growth. He said that our economy was based on a 48-cent dollar, since the Federal government takes 52 cents out of every dollar from corporations on taxes. He said that if there is to be economic growth there should be freedom of growth; and, he added, our regulations and over taxation are deterrents to economic growth.

Adjourned.

Active members present	133
Senior Active	7
Visiting Rotarians	5
Guests	22
Percentage	65.52


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

March 30, 1962

The sounding of the gong by President George Goodall brought silence to the Mayfair Room and another meeting of the Club was underway. The invocation offered by Earle McKinney was following by a toast to the President of the United States and the singing of one verse of "America".

Club singing was led by Dick Tyler with Howard Reiche at the piano.

A cordial greeting was extended to the visitors upon the completion of introductions by the President.

Jim Kelley took a bow for having completed one year of perfect attendance.

Steve Woodberry of the Youth Service Committee announced that sponsors would be needed for the next three weeks for the high school seniors who would be our guests and who would take over our May 4th meeting.

The slate of officers for the year beginning July 1, 1962, which was reported by the Nominating Committee at the March 18th meeting, was unanimously elected. The Secretary cast one ballot.

Head table guests were past and present members of the City Council - Ralph Libby, Sumner Clark, Perley Lessard, Ben Wilson, Sumner Bernstein and Council Chairman Dan Felix. Lester Wallace, also at the head table, introduced the speaker.


The subject of Maine Municipal Government, a timely topic in these spring days of melting snow and town meeting days, was the topic of our speaker. FRANK A. CHAPMAN, Executive Secretary of the Maine Municipal Association, provided a well informed and interesting coverage of the activities of his association in particular and the importance of local government generally.

Mr. Chapman began his remarks with a reference to the necessity for citizen participation in the town meeting - a functioning, as he said, of pure democracy - and closed his remarks with a further emphasis upon the ever greater need for citizen action in government in time to come.

The speaker predicted for the future increasingly complex and expensive activity in local government with a greater need for the guidance trained specialists. It would be apparent to our membership that in these developments, the Maine Municipal Association and its Executive Secretary will have a strong and valuable influence.

Adjourned.

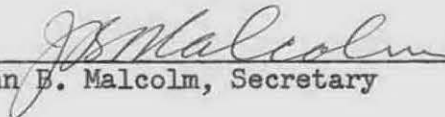
Active members present	129
Senior Active	3
Visiting Rotarians	5
Guests	9
Percentage	63.55


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

OFFICIAL BALLOT

ROTARY CLUB OF PORTLAND, MAINE

President	Joseph S. Jones
1st Vice President	Philip V. Corey
2nd Vice President	William M. Altenburg
Treasurer	Frank E. Walker
Secretary	John B. Malcolm
Directors - 1 year	George W. Goodall
2 years	Norton H. Lamb
	Francis X. Landrey
Sergeant-at-Arms	George H. Brinley
Rotary Service Fund Trustees	Vincent L. McKusick
3 years	Halsey Smith



John B. Malcolm, Secretary

March 30, 1962

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

March 23, 1962

After the meeting was opened by President George Goodall at 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel, Arthur Bamford offered a fitting invocation, followed by a toast to the President of the United States and the singing of one verse of "America."

Following luncheon, the President introduced and welcomed the visitors.

Dick Tyler directed two Rotary songs with Allan Howes at the piano.

Alban Tilman, a visiting Rotarian from Wavre, Belgium, presented his Club's banner to President George.

A letter from the Rotary Club of Montrose, Scotland, in answer to the one sent to them during World Understanding Week, was read.

Past District Governor Bill Linnell urged the members to support their club by attending the Charter Night of the South Portland Rotary Club.

Head table guests were Martin Anderson, Ben Wilson, Harry Lyseth, Carl Eaton, Clayt Sweeney, Walter Hay and Jeff Foster.

Perhaps a college president "will lie in any position in which he is placed", but DUKE BLEWETT proved once again that our classification talks are tops! After listening to Duke, it's easy to understand the progress of Westbrook Junior College.

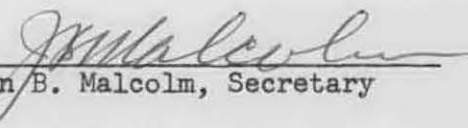
Having endured more college presidents than any other living dean or ex-dean in New England, and having very obviously done his homework in preparation for his talk, Duke has developed what he calls Blewett's Law. It is as follows: "The true capacity of a college or university president is his capacity to inspire."

Duke said he believes a college president is "an educational philosopher first, and a scientist, economist, public administrator, or what-have-you second."

Noting the increasing pressures on college and university presidents, Duke suggested that soon we may have to fold him double to enable him to cast a shadow. But he assured us that most of the presidents measure up to Blewett's Law; and for this we may be proud and truly thankful.

Adjourned.

Active members present	137
Visiting Rotarians	6
Guests	3
Percentage	67.49


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

March 16, 1962

President George Goodall sounded the gong at 12:15, Earle McKinney offered an appropriate invocation, a toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of "America" was sung.

Deference was paid to St. Patrick in three ways - The color of the green in the shamrocks, burning candles at the head table and pistachio ice cream. With Dick Tyler leading and Howard Reiche accompanying, we enjoyed singing "Irish Eyes Are Smiling" and "My Wild Irish Rose."

Another plug for the Charter Night Dinner of the South Portland Rotary Club was given by the President.

Chairman Jim MacKeen reported for the Nominating Committee as follows:

President	Joseph S. Jones	Directors - 1 year	George W. Goodall
1st Vice President	Philip V. Corey	2 years	Norton H. Lamb
2nd Vice President	William M. Altenburg		Francis X. Landrey
Secretary	John B. Malcolm	Sergeant-at-Arms	George H. Brinley
Treasurer	Frank E. Walker	Service Fund	Vincent L. McKusick
		Trustees - 3 years	Halsey Smith


The election to take place on March 30th.

It was Maine Maritime Academy Day. Chairman of the Board of Trustees Ralph Leavitt introduced those taking part.

The report of this meeting which appeared in the Windjammer, is attached.

Adjourned.

Active members present	141
Visiting Rotarians	7
Guests	8
Percentage	69.46%


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

talk. DUKE BLEWETT, President of Westbrook College, has chosen for his subject: "Some Reflections About the College Presidency." You know, that could cover a lot of ground.

SOUTH PORTLAND CHARTER NIGHT - MARCH 31. Let us support and encourage our off-spring club! They have reservations from a number of clubs in Maine, New Hampshire and Massachusetts. Rotarians are also coming down from Canada. Join the fun - it will be an unusual program! BUT, give Rohais (SP 3-7157) your reservations this week early. When their caterer is figuring on a number of places, they need to know just how many there will be, so please cooperate promptly this week for sure. Let's make ours the largest delegation there.

THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE reported the following slate of officers:

President	Joseph S. Jones	Directors - 1 Year -	George W. Goodall
1st Vice President	Philip V. Corey	2 Years	Norton H. Lamb
2nd Vice President -			Francis X. Landrey
	William M. Altenburg	Sergeant-at-Arms	George H. Brinley
Secretary	John B. Malcolm	Service Fund	Vincent L. McKusick
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In proper fashion the report was approved and election will be held March 30th.

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM - As Chairman of the Board of Trustees at the Maine Maritime Academy, RALPH LEAVITT lends a willing hand toward the rearing of young men. Judging by the midshipmen who visited us, a number of other dedicated men are helping too. Since the Academy's training ship, the SS State of Maine, had returned to Portland from her winter's cruise, Rear Admiral George A. King, Superintendent of the Academy, was present to answer the question, "Why cruises?" Of course, they provide an opportunity for practical application of academic studies of seamanship, navigation and engineering, which is vital. Further, however, they, by design, expose the young men through social contacts to ways foreign to our own. Here they can observe and come to respect the customs, hopes and fears of others. According to reports from our American consuls, our midshipmen measure up well.

In turn, Lt. Howard Jordan, Public Relations Officer of the ship, Third Classman Lawrence Gaudreau, Jr., from Cape Elizabeth, First Classman Francis Bromley of South Portland, and Second Classman Thomas Brown from Stroudwater, shared experiences. These included sightseeing tours, invitations to homes for meals and dances, etc. at Hamilton, Bermuda; Bridgtown, Barbados; Salvadore Bahia and Rio de Janeiro, Brazil; as well as at San Juan, Puerto Rico and Port Everglades, Florida. We gather that the age of the people met affected the rating given them by the midshipmen. When the ship crossed the equator, 26 "shellbacks" must have been busy indoctrinating three hundred "polliwogs". Their ship shared berths in port with other Maritime Academy ships from Brazil and Massachusetts.

Captain A. Frank Coffin, skipper of the SS State of Maine, assured us that experiences including going into dry dock for repairs, standing engine and deck watches, chipping and painting, in fact all phases of the entire operation, except those carried on in the galley, were most beneficial to the crew. Naturally, proper supervision was ever present.

We were given a resume of the present building facilities at Castine and plans for the erection in the near future of a new laboratory, a multi-purpose building and a dormitory by John E. Raymond of Ellsworth, who is a trustee and chairman of the Building Committee.

Captain Francis Landrey, chairman of the Board of Visitors, at the Academy, vouched for the fact that steamship companies showed a preference for our graduates.

a new body just created by the town's new charter, has been elected two of our members out of seven - DICK TYLER and HALSEY SMITH.....At a luncheon in the new YWCA building (You should see the building and you'll be proud of it.) DUKE BLEWETT, as Campaign Chairman of the United Fund, held one of a series of leader training sessions. This was for the Vice Chairmen in the Employee Unit.....ROGER HIGGINS pinning a silver leaf on Harry E. Winger, USAF.....ARTHUR BAMFORD among those welcoming a South African Salvation Army officer to Portland.

HERE AND THERE - We learn that our Rotary Foundation Fellow, Miss Martha Hurd, is to be on the program of the Rockland Rotary Club's Ladies Night on March 30th.WARD and MIDGE WHYTE are relaxing in Clearwater Beach, Florida.The LARRY BABCOCKS are vacationing in the Bahamas, while NORTON and VIRGINIA LAMB chose Fort Lauderdale, Florida.....Wanderers who have returned - MORRY COX from Miami where he reports that the weather was delightful. No make-ups for JEFF FOSTER from Antigua, B.W.I. because there are no Rotary clubs there. LES WILLIS was more fortunate - he made up at Santurce, Puerto Rico. AL and GRACE MILLIKEN returned from Jacksonville Beach in time to enjoy a little winter atmosphere. JOHN and CLARA LACY found the weather in Tampa delightful. Sarasota was one of the stopovers for BRUNO and PEGGY PETERSEN. Nassau was BILL and BARBARA ALTENBURG'S destination. The KEN RUSSELLS preferred Bermuda.The ED HACKERS sailed on the S/S Vulcania for a two months cruise to Portugal, Spain, Majorca, Venice and Greeks Island.....BOB MORRISSON has been in New York attending a Pharmaceutical Convention.....BOB LINNELL should have been included in the 100% attendance list for July - December. Sorry, Bob, that your name was omitted.....JESS STOREY looks hale and hearty after his Florida vacation.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS. We quote from a letter sent to JOHN LACY from Mahmoud Kamel, Governor of District 195, Cairo, Egypt. "....Please find enclosed a banner of the Rotary Club of Cairo - which is my home club, as a symbol of friendship and goodwill between our clubs. It has always been my belief that exchanges of banners stimulate goodwill and understanding and that we should always communicate to promote this friendship....."

BEQUEST BOOSTS CLUB TO 4000% RATING. When Rotarian Scott W. Fries died and the instructions he had put down in his will were carried out, the members of his club, Polson, Montana, were deeply moved. Rotarian Fries had left to his club a number of stock certificates with a total value of \$18,343, to be donated to The Rotary Foundation. The gift made the club a 4000% Rotary Foundation Club. Rotarian Fries was a retired high school teacher and principal, who had been a member of the Rotary Club of Polson since 1944.

The highest percentage standing is held by the Rotary Club of Bakersfield, Calif., which is a 4800% Rotary Foundation Club.

(A club contributing amounts equivalent to multiples of \$10 per member is given recognition as a "200%, 300%, etc. Rotary Foundation Club.")

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MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

March 9, 1962

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Dick Tyler with Harry Lyseth at the piano led the group singing.

The visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced and extended the usual cordial greeting.

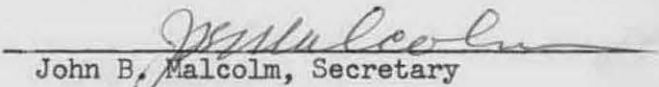
Recognition was given to Stan Bailey for having completed five years of 100% attendance.

Those at the President's table were Bob Booth, Bill Monie, Charlie Baum, Tom Morris, Stick Stickney, Bob Hussey, Elmer Reisinger, Chairman of the Vocational Service Committee; Ed Allen, Vice Chairman, Vocation Service, who introduced the speaker.

Our own good member NEIL SARGENT, under the sponsorship of the Vocational Service Committee, gave a splendid talk on "The Lighter Side of Claim Adjusting." Neil, having been associated for 21 years with a company dealing in all types of insurance, has acquired a background experience that well qualified him to speak on the subject. The talk, documented with samples, such as "The Case of the Open Trap Door" and "The Case of the Chicken Salad Sandwich" proved once again that we do not have to look outside the Club to obtain topnotch program speakers.

Adjourned.

Active members present	128
Senior Active	4
Visiting Rotarians	9
Guests	6
Percentage	63.05


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

March 2, 1962

President George Goodall sounded the gong at 12:15, called on Ray Hall for the invocation, proposed a toast to the President of the United States and joined the members in singing one verse of "America".

Song Leader Dick Tyler and pianist Howard Reiche took over the club singing.

The usual cordial welcome was given to the visitors following their introduction to the Club.

Happy birthday was sung to those observing birthdays during the month of March. Larry Babcock took home the cake.

John Toft took a bow when the President announced he had completed 16 years of perfect attendance.

It was announced that Rotary trays, showing Portland Head Light, would be on sale after the luncheon in the badge room.

Two new members were introduced and cordially welcomed into the Club. Dennis J. Sullivan, "Duplicating Machine Retailing" was presented by Ray Frost, and Rabbi Harry Z. Sky, "Judaism" was introduced by Barney Shur.

It was Exchange Student Day sponsored by the International Service Committee. The program was M.C'd by committee chairman Halsey Smith.

Barney Shur introduced his adopted daughter for the year, Nicole Bruneton from the south of France, who compared the educational programs of France and the United States.

Kristen Riddervold of Norway, living with the Halsey Smith family, also spoke and gave us his impression of our country.

(These two American Field Service students are sponsored by Portland Rotary.)

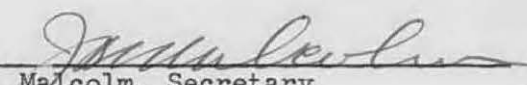
Douglas Bates of Cape Elizabeth, who went the other way and visited the Philippines, explained the difference in the way of life there as compared to home.

Each of these three teenagers spoke well, sincerely and with a touch of humor. It is a tremendous experience for them and also for us to share vicariously in their growing and learning to appreciate the different countries from which they come; to learn about us and for us in turn to learn about them. It is rewarding and should rebolster the faith in young people where all too often critics are screeching about what the teenagers and the world are coming to.

Ray Hall, a member of the International Service Committee, also was at the head table.

Adjourned.

Active members present	130
Senior Active	1
Visiting Rotarians	11
Guests	9
Percentage	64.04


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB
February 23, 1962

Our meeting was opened at 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel with President George Goodall calling on Earle McKinney to offer an appropriate invocation which he did.

Following luncheon club singing was enjoyed under the direction of George Pelletier with Harry Lyseth at the piano.

The visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced and were extended a cordial welcome.

A round of applause was given to the following for completing 100% attendance: Bob Stevens, 1 year; Earle McKinney, 3 years; Frank Bailey, 14 years.

President George announced the following Nominating Committee to bring in a slate of officers for the year beginning July 1, 1962:

Chairman James A. MacKeen, Archibald M. Dodge, William F. Foden, Williams B. Getchell, Joseph S. Jones, Roderick B. Littlefield, Robert Morrisson and Ralph Tully.

In observance of Rotary International's 57th anniversary, Past President George Champlin gave a resume of Rotary's founding and history in a very effective manner.

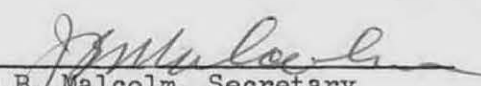
At George Champlin's suggestion it was moved, seconded and voted that we extend greetings to ten foreign clubs selected at random from the Official Directory. This was done by having the speaker of the day select a page number from the directory. The page number was 274. The clubs are as follows: Montroux-Vevy, Switzerland; Montrose, Scotland; Monza, Italy; Moonah, Australia; moora, Australia; Mora, Sweden; Moradabad, India; Morden, England; Morecambe-Heysham, England and Moreno, Argentina.

DR. ROGER C. GAY, President of Nasson College, Springvale, Maine, briefly, but adequately, outlined the tremendous strides we will have to make in college construction and staffing in order to meet future requirements. Both public and private institutions have their place in the general setup and financing is a must if we are to maintain our educational status. The complexities of modern living require more and more technicians, linguists, scientists et al to keep this old earth revolving. These facts, plus the population increases, make it mandatory that federal, state and private funds be used wisely so that more and more facilities can be progressively provided year after year.

Others at the President's table were George Pelletier, Vaughan Wilcox, Bill Soule, Elery Harris, Bill Getchell, Ellis Hanson and Bill Barber.

Adjourned.

Active members present	119
Senior Active	2
Visiting Rotarians	8
Guests	4
Percentage	58.91


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

February 16, 1962

President George Goodall, back from his Florida vacation, opened the meeting promptly at 12:15 by sounding the gong and calling on Arthur Bamford to offer the invocation. A toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of "America" was sung.

The club singing was under the direction of George Pelletier with Harry Lyseth at the piano.

The visiting Rotarians and their guests were introduced and welcomed by the President. Steve Woodberry, Acting Chairman of the Youth Service Committee, then introduced the Eagle Scouts who were guests of the Club.

Recognition was made of 100% attendance records as follows: Joe Shaw, 1 year; Kib Kibler, 10 years, Jack Decker, 8 years. Speaking of attendance, it was announced that Team #2 was the winner of the January Attendance Contest.


Two new members were introduced and welcomed. Karl F. Switzer, "Public Park Service" was presented by Lester Wallace and Neil Sargent introduced Louis H. Burbo, "Automatic Temperature Controls Distributing".

Others at the head table were members who have been staunch supporters of the Scout Movement for many years - Bernie Bernstein, Harry Lothrop, George Champlin, George Goodrich and a Kiwanian, Merrill Luthe, the newly elected President of Pine Tree Council, Boy Scouts of America.

The Youth Service Committee deserves credit for sponsoring a meeting in celebration of the anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America. Young HARTLEY WELCH of Wilton, Maine, was one of five American Explorer Scouts who went on a "Finnhike" which was organized to promote Scouting in Finland. Hartley, with interesting color slides, outlined major features of his experiences as a Scout on his "Finnhike." All of the pictures conveyed the thought that in these young Scouts that came from the free nations of Western Europe, the same high ideals common to the organization where ever it exists, are generating the seed for future peace and understanding among all peoples.

Adjourned.

Members present	134
Visiting Rotarians	6
Guests	17
Percentage	66.67


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

February 9, 1962

In the absence of President George Goodall, Vice President Eugene Martin opened the Valentine Luncheon in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel by calling on Ray Hall to give the invocation. A toast to the President of the United States and the singing of one verse of "America" followed.

After a delicious luncheon was enjoyed, the very beautiful and charming Potato Blossom Queen, Miss Sandra Ackley of Presque Isle, was introduced. After a few words of greeting, she presented Mrs. Jack Jordan a potato prize package.

Those on diets smiled bravely as the presence of the Women of Rotary and other Rotary Anns led to the presentation of not one, but two, February birthday cakes. Mrs. Philip Burnham was the recipient of one and for the fourth consecutive year, Perley Lessard's name was drawn for another cake.

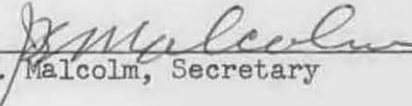
The Rotary Choral Group was in excellent voice, under the direction of Marshall Bryant who also led the club singing.

The program for the day featured MRS. ELSIE MASTERTON of Brandon, Vermont, and more particularly Blueberry Hill. Mrs. Masterton recounted the trials and tribulations of her family in their uphill - and downhill, of course - effort to make their Vermont realstate first a ski resort and then an inn and restaurant. Her story - now a success story - included the rearing of her family, a serious bout with cancer, the writing of several books, including cook books, the entertaining of famous guests, and community service.

Comments heard after the meeting indicated that another successful Valentine Luncheon had been enjoyed.

Adjourned.

Active members present	129
Senior Active	5
Visiting Rotarians	14
Guests	91
Percentage	64.18


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

February 2, 1962

The meeting was held in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel at the usual time of 12:15. Vice President Dana Jordan paid tribute to Past President Lee Whelpley who passed away earlier in the week and a moment of silence was observed in his memory. An appropriate invocation was pronounced by Ed Nelson.

The song session was made more enjoyable by the excellent solo by George Pelletier with Harry Lyseth at the piano.

The visitors were presented and greeted cordially.

Presiding officer Dana Jordan announced the date of the Valentine Luncheon, February 9, to be held jointly with the Women of Rotary, to which all Rotary Anns had been invited. He also reminded the members of the bowling held every Friday evening at Millcreek.

Among our guests at the head table was Julian Orr who is leaving Portland as City Manager to take up a new position in Afghanistan. Mr. Orr was presented with an engraved silver bowl in recognition of his eight years of service to the City of Portland.

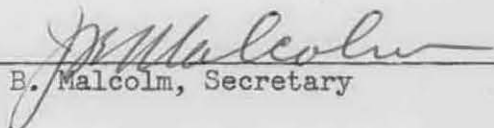
Magazine Committee Chairman Bill Leavitt did a good job in his pitch regarding the Rotary magazine.

Others at the head table were Don Fowler, Barney Shur, Clint Rose, Arthur Bamford, Jack Malcolm and Hugh Saunders, Past President, Westbrook Rotary Club.

Our own ALLAN HOWES did an outstanding job discussing the purpose of a Citizens Committee's survey of the health, welfare and recreation services in Greater Portland. Allan knew what he was talking about because he was chairman of the committee, and from his excellent presentation on the subject "The Survey - Just Another Report or a Blueprint for the Future" it appears that we have before us a very definite blueprint which promises much for the future. It was a most enlightening preview.

Adjourned.

Active members present	139
Senior Active	2
Visiting Rotarians	6
Guests	8
Percentage	69.15


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

January 26, 1962

President George Goodall called the meeting to order by tapping the gong and calling on Ray Hall to give the invocation. A toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of "America" was sung.

Two songs were sung under Dick Tyler's leadership with Howard Reiche at the piano. The visitors were introduced and greeted by the President. 100% attendance records were recognized as follows: Earle Adams and Harry Martin, 8 years; Dick Tyler, 14 years.

A request for blood donors to replace that used for a transfusion for Past President Lee Whelpley was made by President George.

The members were again reminded of the Friday night bowling at Millcreek.

It was announced that the following committees would meet after the luncheon: Youth Service, Classification and the Board of Directors.


Head table guests were Mac McAdams, Harry Lyseth, Dick Bond, Al Moulton, Mickey Maguire, Don Hurd and Bill Soule.

DR. PETER BOWMAN, Director of Pineland Hospital and Training Center, making his third appearance before the club within the past ten years, spoke about the improvements that have been made at the Center in recent years.

Attached is the report of his address as reported in the Windjammer.

Adjourned.

Active members present	127
Senior Active	4
Visiting Rotarians	6
Guests	4
Percentage	63.18


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

ber ALLAN HOWES. Allan is Chairman of the Citizen's Committee which has been taking a long and searching look at the health, recreation and welfare services of Greater Portland during this past year and a half. Allan has chosen for his subject, "The Survey - Just Another Report or a Blueprint for the Future?".

Other Rotarians who have served on the sixteen-member committee are: BERNIE BERNSTEIN, DON FOWLER and DON MARSHALL of the Portland Club, and HUGH SAUNDERS of Westbrook.

President GEORGE will be away on Friday. In his absence, Vice President DANA JORDAN will preside.

RED LETTER DATE - FEBRUARY 9 - is the date for the annual Valentine Party. The Women of Rotary and Portland Rotary Anns will be invited to attend. The Program Committee has engaged a speaker pertinent to the occasion and the Choristers are preparing a short but appropriate musical contribution. So make an early date with your Rotary Ann and bring her to the Valentine Luncheon. Reservations for the ladies are a must.

LAST WEEK'S MEETING - Dr. Peter Bowman, Director of the Pineland Hospital, spoke to the Club on Friday. It was Dr. Bowman's third visit to Portland Rotary in nine years - nine years which have seen tremendous improvements in the Hospital's facilities. Dr. Bowman characterized his first talk to the Club in 1953 as "a list of grievances." On Friday, he expressed his profound thanks to all the citizens of Maine who have recognized and supported the Hospital's needs.

Since 1953, this continued support has made possible, an impressive number of improved services and facilities. A new school building adequately staffed is now in operation; a medical laboratory supervised by a full-time pathologist has been established. In 1955, a thirty-two bed hospital for infectious diseases was constructed which now serves as a facility for the treatment of cerebral palsy patients and for persons suffering from other kinds of brain damage. There are three physio-therapists assisting in this facility. In 1961, a psychiatric hospital for children was opened which will henceforth provide treatment for all mentally disturbed children in the state who otherwise would be assigned to adult wards at Bangor or Augusta.

In response to a question, Dr. Bowman indicated the hospital's most pressing needs at the present time are for a gymnasium and for operating room facilities.

Perhaps the soberest note struck by Dr. Bowman was his expressed concern with the mounting numbers of those who, affected by pre-natal accident or brain damage live out with the aid of modern medicine, a normal life span. To these must be added, as well, increasing numbers of persons incapacitated by terminal but extended illnesses. Society, he said, has no tradition, no past experience upon which a solution to this problem can be based. It is, he suggested, a problem which demands the attention of us all.

All members will agree that we are fortunate in having, in the service of the state, a professional man of Dr. Bowman's stature. Portland Rotary has learned to recognize his competence and to appreciate his compassion for the human beings in his charge.

FROM THE GOVERNOR'S MONTHLY LETTER - Malcolm P. Noyes of Ellsworth has been designated as Governor Nominee of District #779 for 1962-63. "Mac" is Mr. Rotary of his area, a truly dedicated Rotarian. He is a tireless worker and a good organizer. His home is in Franklin, Maine. "Mac" has served in the state legislature, on the local board of selectmen, on the school committee, has maintained 100% attendance ever since becoming a member of Rotary and has been a member of the Ellsworth since its founding. He is past president of the Club and has served on many committees. He is active in Little League, the church and Y.M.C.A. work.

We all will have an opportunity to meet "Mac" and his wife Lillian at the District Conference to be held at Bretton Woods, June 21-23.

= prayer. It met the unanimous approval by the committee and it has not
 = only been our custom over the years, but adopted by other clubs in our
 = District as well.
 = Yes, we will miss "Lee" and his wonderful musical talent which he
 = gave to us so generously.
 = Our sincere sympathy to his devoted wife, Olive, and family.
 = Communicated
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HERE AND THERE - Did you see JACK MALCOLM on TV last week? He appeared in connection with the observance of National YMCA Week. On Wednesday of this week, Jack is going to tell the South Portland Rotarians about "Some Interesting Experiences.".....Last week ROD LITTLEFIELD gave the same group some first-hand information regarding the fish industry.....Leaving February 2 for a sixteen-day cruise, HARRY MARTIN and ROBBIE ROBERTSON. They will visit Cristobal, the Canal Zone, Guayaquil, Puerto Bolivar, and Ecuador.... JOHN PETRLIK has been discharged from a Baltimore hospital and is convalescing in Miami.....While on a recent trip to Chicago, TED MOULTON visited the Rotary International office in Evanston.....EARLE THOMAS was honored by the officers and sales department of the Revere Sugar Refinery at the Parker House in Boston on his retirement from the company after 30 years of service. We all wish you much enjoyment in your retirement, Earle.....BILL MacVANE has been elected to the YMCA Board. DON FOWLER and DON LAWRENCE reelected, and BOB FODEN elected to complete the unexpired two-year term of WARD WHYTE who has resigned..... MARTIN and PETE ANDERSON have been marlin fishing off the Pacific Coast of Mexico. Martin plans a stopover in Phoenix, Arizona before returning home..... MANNY and CAROLYN MANSFIELD are leaving on Saturday to meander to Florida..... 100% Attendance - EARLE ADAMS and HARRY MARTIN, 8 years; DICK TYLER, 14 years.

RECENT PICTURES IN THE NEWS - EARLE MCKINNEY, President of the Southern Maine Association for Mental Health, making arrangements for the appearance of Dr. Louise B. Ames in a public lecture in Portland.....BILL HOLMES pictured among those attending a regional airport steering committee meeting..... HALSEY SMITH welcomed to Washington by Secretary of the Treasury, Douglas Dillon, at a conference of executives from all parts of the country.....LES WALLACE in an interview warning against the dangers of ward politics were city councilors to be responsible only to voters in their own wards.....CECIL WHEELER participating as secretary-treasurer in the presentation of Maine State Skeet Shooting Association award.....DICK BERRY and BOB STEVENS front-paged as members of a legislative committee to study Casco Bay transportation problems.....DUKE BLFWETT and his wife with Mrs. Coles at Bowdoin's John Sloan exhibit.....President FRANK HINCKLEY and Vice President BOB PORTEOUS, of the YMCA, looking on as DON FOWLER presented to the Y's treasurer, a certificate for 300 shares of stock of the Area Development Council.

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MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

January 19, 1962

The sounding of the gong at 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel by President George Goodall brought silence while Earle McKinney offered the invocation which was followed by a toast to the President of the United States and the singing of "America".

George Pelletier did his usual excellent song leading with Allan Howes at the piano.

Nine visiting Rotarians and six guests were introduced and given a most cordial welcome.

The Sergeant-at-Arms collected \$1.00 from Vice President Dana Jordan for being without his badge.

The members learned that Team No. 2 was again the winner of the Attendance Contest for the second week.

Head table guests were Roy Spear, Vince McKusick, Bob Morrisson, Arch Dodge, Merrill Hay, Roger Skillings, Ed Westcott.

President George presented MR. DONELSON F. HOOPES, Director of Portland Museum of Art, as the speaker of the day. The title of his talk - "The Museum - Living or Dead."

Attached is the report of his talk as reported in the Windjammer.

Adjourned.

Active members present	139
Senior Active	3
Visiting Rotarians	9
Guests	6
Percentage	68.14


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

To give his background would literally take a full sheet. So let us but mention that (1) since 1953 he has been in his present position; (2) in 1960 he was General Chairman of the First International Medical Conference on Mental Retardation; and (3) the author of 16 publications. In a word, Dr. Bowman is one of the world's leading medical authorities on Mental Retardation.

AN INVITATION - Miss Ruth Roberts, President of the Victoria Society of Maine Women, has extended an invitation to Portland Rotarians and their wives to attend a luncheon on Saturday, January 27, at 1:00 P.M. in the Lafayette Hotel to hear Dr. John Nicol Mark, well known to Portland Rotarians speak on "What's Right with the World." Luncheon \$2.65 including tax, gratuity and parking. Dr. Mark is a past District Governor of Rotary. He is a lecturer, humorist and clergyman. Reservations should be made through the Rotary office - Spruce 3-7157.

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM - One of the really vital talks concerning the art of living was given last Friday by Donelson F. Hoopes, Director of the Portland Museum of Art. Because what he said was so necessary to say and so well stated, a brief resume of his talk is in order.

A museum is not just a storehouse of expensive and unusual objects; it is a place for the enlargement of one's fund of knowledge and, perhaps more important than this, a place where certain fires of the imagination may be kindled. The primary purpose of any museum, and art museums in particular, is to increase in the individual the talent, interest and enthusiasm that is to one degree or another, within us all. By interest and enthusiasm is meant the potential that may be released at the sight of something meaningful for the creative impulse. We may never say arbitrarily what may or may not be useful or meaningful to those who use and enjoy what museums have to offer.

Who is ultimately responsible for the successor failure of the museum in the community? A useful museum is a living museum; a useless museum, a dead museum. The community itself is directly responsible for the kind of museum it maintains. A living museum makes an effective contribution to the larger life of the community and makes the community a better place in which to live. A good community museum should be such that people come easily and naturally to it and, once inside, gain knowledge, stimulus for culture, and educational growth. A living museum should be for the benefit of the whole community, and not the exclusive domain of a particular segment of the community.

There is a definite and urgent need for the business leaders of the community to be aware of the asset of a living museum and to share in the problems and responsibilities of maintaining it for greater good of all the inhabitants.

Our Rotary members, this Editor hastens to add, can rightfully point to the many fine and large contributions they make from time to time to improving the character and quality of this community. To ask them to take a positive interest in the Portland Museum of Art is but to ask them to extend their potential capabilities to improving the fine art of living.

LADIES NIGHT - Blessed once again with the fair smile of the weather gods, a full moon looked down on 88 Rotarians and their lovely ladies at the Annual Ladies Night at the Lafayette last Saturday.

What a gala affair! Syd Lerman never sounded better, the show with Brenda Larson and Wally Dean was one of the best, with Brenda coming to us directly from the Vienna Room at Steubens in Boston and Wally just back from an 18-week Canadian tour - back to his favorite TV spots where so many of you have viewed him on Ed Sullivan's and Gary Moore's shows. Lovely music from the shows sung by Brenda made them swoon (the men, that is) and rib-tickling laughs from Wally rolled us all in the proverbial aisles - and proverbial they were, not realistic as the crowd gave little aisle room - intimate, I believe, is the term.

Prizes - we had prizes! Big ones, little ones - and the proud recipients were Mrs. George Pelletier, Mrs. Marshall Bryant, Mrs. Robert Adair, Mrs. Donald

Congratulations to Bob Jordan and his committee.

HEARTIEST CONGRATULATIONS, BILL LINNELL. A signal honor was accorded our fellow Rotarian, Past President and Past District Governor, Bill Linnell, and we feel inordinately proud of him. The Board of Trustees of Westbrook Junior College enthusiastically voted this past week to name the new dormitory building to be erected in the spring at the College, The William S. Linnell Building. As President of the Board of Trustees for lo these many years he has given generously of his time and talent to the development and growth of the College so that today it ranks amongst the foremost Junior Colleges in the country.

May you, Bill, go from strength to strength.

ATTENDANCE CONTEST - Team No. 2 has done it again - only six absentees during the second week of the contest. Team No. 1's record - 21 members missing. Come on fellows, how about some make-ups?

PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE - TED MOULTON has been named the first honorary director in the history of the First National Bank of Portland. Congratulations, Ted. FRED OLSON has been named a Director of the same bank.....DUKE BLEWETT is attending meetings of the training grants committee of the National Institute of Dental Research at the University of Alabama Dental School in Birmingham. Duke, the only lay member of the committee, will serve as consultant for the United States Public Health Service. He will review applications and approve grants of the dental research training program.....We forgot to include the NEIL WHITES in the list of regular Florida visitors last week. They spend most of their time in Fort Lauderdale.....Other travelers off to warmer climes are WALLY and LAURA KNIGHT, who are meandering to Arizona for three months; California is HARRY HARMON'S destination; and PAUL and KAY BROWN are Florida bound.....We won't see PHIL and LILLIAN COREY until spring - they are on a trip around the world.....Our apology to past President JACK DANA - his name should have been included with those unable to be present on Past Presidents Day.....A new Director of the Casco Bank & Trust Company is HARMON HUGO..... Our photogenic JACK MALCOLM had his picture taken with three attractive women when the Portland Toastmistress Club presented him last Thursday evening, as General Secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, with a gift for his contribution to the local Toastmistresses. The news item did not state what the gift was, but we assume it was a very valuable reproduction of the Mona Lisa..... More news next week.

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MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

January 12, 1962

President George Goodall presided at the second meeting of 1962 which he opened by sounding the gong at 12:15, and calling on Earle McKinney to give the invocation. A toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of "America" was sung.

The song session was under the leadership of Dick Tyler, at the piano was Harry Lyseth. The visitors were introduced and welcomed. President George called attention to the Ladies Night, January 20th, to the International Convention to be held in Los Angeles, June 3-7, to the Attendance contest - won last week by Team #2.

Tobey Andersen was recognized for having been chosen the outstanding young man of the year by the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Head table guests were Francis Jenkins, Ed Morse, Bill Rines, Frank Landrey, Pete Peterson, Harold Jordan, Perley Lessard, Harry Lothrop and Bob Winslow who introduced the speaker.

GENE LeTOURNEAU, featured sports columnist for the Gannett papers and widely read expert in every kind of wildlife sport, gave an interesting and valued talk that was appreciated by everyone whether he was a rod and gun enthusiast or not. His free and easy, homespun manner of talking added to the delight of his program which was re-inforced with some excellent slides in color. Even if you didn't know the difference between a dry and wet fly and id your shooting with a BB gun you could not resist the pleasure of such a program.

The President the speaker with a Portland Rotary Ashtray.

Adjourned.

Active members present	149
Senior Active	3
Visiting Rotarians	4
Guests	6
Percentage	72.55%


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

January 5, 1962

President George Goodall sounded the gong at the usual time of 12:15 which called the meeting, ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~, to order in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel.

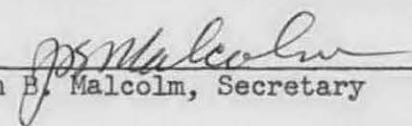
It being Past Presidents' Day, each past president in attendance was escorted to the head table by a member of the Board of Directors. As each one approached the head table, Jack Mitchell accompanied their steps with a blast of the trumpet befitting a king.

Past president Ed ^WNelson offered the invocation, a toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of "America" was sung.

As Bob Ross, reporter for the Windjammer, gave such an excellent report of this meeting a copy is made a part of this record.

Adjourned.

Active members present	153
Senior Active	3
Honorary	1
Visiting Rotarians	8
Guests	6
Percentage	75

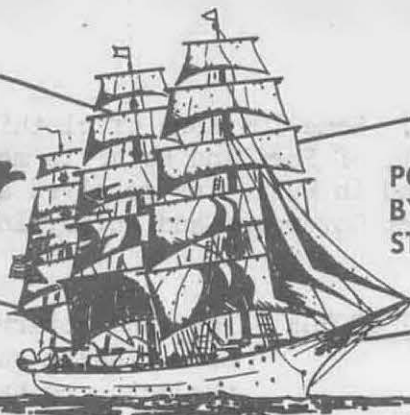


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Next Week's: Marshall Bryant

PROGRAM - JANUARY 12, 1962 - MR. GENE LeTOURNEAU, a native of Waterville, Maine, is a wildlife expert, an authority on hunting and fishing and widely acclaimed and highly regarded as an outstanding example of good sportsmanship. He is a featured columnist for the Gannett Publishing Co. under the title of "Sportsmen Say", as well as the author of numerous articles for wildlife magazines nationally.

LAST WEEK'S MEETING - PRESENT AND PAST PRESIDENTS' DAY. In this order, the available past presidents were escorted to the head table by members of the Board of Directors - George Champlin, Ed Boulos, Frank Hinckley, George Bartlett, Ed Nelson, Charlie Redfern, Bill Linnell, Clem Robinson (now a member of Brunswick Rotary), Neal Allen, Ward Whyte, Ed Hyde, Proc Proctor and Allen Rowe.

Frank Hinckley, as master of ceremonies, gave mirth with his tongue twister - "Let joy be unrefined or unconfined." Charlie Redfern welcomed the visiting Rotarians and guests with, "Hurry back - early and often." Ward Whyte, on his first day back, found "January Mirthdays" to everyone's amusement. Naturally Ed Boulos was called upon to make the drawing for the cake and just as naturally his own name came out of the first basket. Frank immediately called upon George Goodall to make the drawing and just as naturally as not George Goodall's name was on the slips. George donated his prize to the hospital.

Jack Mitchell surely can play the trumpet. As each past president approached the head table he accompanied their steps with a blast befitting a king. Some twenty years ago he introduced the "Trumpet Cheer" at sporting games. This he let us enjoy as long as Duke Blewett would cheer "Fight, Fight, Fight" at the finale. Howard Reiche, as accompanist, assisted Jack while we sang "Hail, Hail the Gang's All Here" "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows" and "Auld Lang Syne".

Bob Jordan was called upon to let us know about Ladies Night, January 20th. He picked up Frank Hinckley's "Joy Unrefined", for the fun of it. Your wives have been let know of this pleasant evening with dancing, door prizes and gifts for the ladies, so please invite them. Next week, to make it easier, how about visiting the table near the badge table. There you can pick up your tickets, \$6.00 per person, or make your reservations.

The new attendance contest for the four meetings in January was explained by Roger Higgins. Our membership will be divided alphabetically in half. Bob Linnell will wind up the first half and Bill Linnell is lead off man for the second half. The plan is simple. The losing half will buy luncheon tickets for the winning half at a meeting (to be announced) in February. Losers just buy two tickets.

The head table guests were introduced by one of their members, none other than our hard working Secretary, Jack Malcolm.

Looking back, Neal Allen, lead us through pleasant reminiscences when the Portland club was young and small. Their aims were high. Civic and social projects were accepted unselfishly in the public good. Meetings were informal. Programs, frequently with stunts, were provided by the members, relieving tension. He spoke of Fred Thompson's giving humorous couplets from Shakespeare, Abe Cummings' French Canadian monologues, Harry Lothrop's memories of Portland in the 90's and Elmer Batchelder's programs filled with pranks and jokes. The first trans continental phone call between east and west coasts by the Mayor of Portland to the Mayor of San Francisco happened during our Rotary luncheon. Some Rotary guests whom Neal mentioned, were Sir Harry Lauder, Admiral Peary and Lieut. Reed.

Looking forward, Bill Linnell offered a challenge for 1962 for us to pick a worthwhile project where ALL the members could lend a hand. Remember the trawler fleet built at Bath and given the French to activate their destroyed

fishing fleet? Some 109 tons of clothing, supplies, food and Christmas toys were gathered by all of Portland Rotary's men and their wives. Bill suggested we take ideas contained in bulletins received at our office from all sources - other clubs, District Governors and Rotary International and APPLY one of them for our purpose.

FROM PRESIDENT GEORGE - Portland Rotary is off to a fine start for the year 1962. BILL LINNELL gave us a real challenge to have a Club project. We have one in the works that we have been considering for the past three or four weeks. It will be announced January 12th. Our attendance contest should generate better attendance and fellowship. In 1962 it's up to you. See you Friday.

THANK YOU - Surely "My cup runneth over." My husband and my relatives do not readily recognize the superlative person named Rohais described in the special edition of the Windjammer - but it makes me very happy.R.R.

HERE AND THERE - Guy Dunton, Fred Gordon, Bill Wing, Harold Schnurle, Lee Whelpley, Percy Dunn, Arch Dodge, Jack Spencer and Ted Fobes are our other past presidents who could not be present.....GEORGE CHAMPLIN received a fine note of thanks from James S. Robbie of Invercargill, New Zealand for our Portland banner, now displayed at their club.....ROGER HIGGINS was the speaker at Scarborough Rotary last week.....The speaker for the South Portland Club last week was JOHN TOFT.....BILL BLAKE, our former member, is joining the Boothbay Harbor Club where he was a charter member.....The Rotary Club at Ithaca, N. Y. thanked us for letting their secretary know that BILL IRVINE now resides in their midst. He was just elected a member of the Ithaca Club.....MARSHALL BRYANT has returned from Boston where he attended meetings of the National Association of Teachers of Singing of which he was the Eastern Governor the past year.....LARRY MYERS is wasting no time in getting acquainted with the Rotarians of the Mill Valley, California Club. The Secretary notes on Larry's make-up card that "he knows us all by name." (57 members.).....BILL HOLMES has been re-elected Senior Vice President of the Greater Portland Chamber of Commerce.....STAN LETSON is back at the office for a few hours each day.....Another member back on the job is GEORGE PELLETIER.....BOB MAXCY, LEE WHELPLEY and NEILS NEILSON remain about the same at the Medical Center..... Pictured in the news - DUKE BLEWETT outlining plans for the education program for campaign workers of the United Fund.....WALLY KNIGHT recorded our meeting last week in its entirety on tape and film.....Could it be possible that the Portland Jaycees think well of our TOBEY ANDERSEN? According to the Sunday Telegram they do! In 1958 they gave him their "sparkplug" Appreciation Award and just this past week they nominated him for their most Outstanding Young Man in Maine Award. Incidentally, the paper listed some 36 activities, awards or association memberships for Tobey. A relative of mine, Rodney Ross, was on the committee that selected Tobey, but I learned their choice through the newspaper.PERCE ARNOLD, wintering in Mount Dora, Florida, has chalked up another year of perfect attendance making a total of five.

FEBRUARY 9TH - This is our Valentine's Party with the Women of Rotary. All Rotary Anns will be invited. Please save the date.

ATTENDANCE - JANUARY 5 - Members present - 157. Visiting Rotarians - 8. Guests - 6. Percentage without make-ups 75. DECEMBER 29 - Percentage including make-ups 79.23. Are you helping your team to be the winner in the January Attendance Contest?

YOU WILL MISS A GALA TIME IF YOU FAIL TO ATTEND LADIES NIGHT ON JANUARY 20TH.

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MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS FOR LADIES NIGHT NOW

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

December 29, 1961

The Rotary Family Day Luncheon got underway in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel when President George Goodall tapped the gong at 12:15. Previous to the Toast to the President of the United States and the singing of "America", Ray Hall offered the invocation. Bob Jordan made an announcement regarding Ladies Night to be held January 20th, then a delicious luncheon was enjoyed.

Club singing was enjoyed under the leadership of Dick Tyler with Dave Moody at the piano. President George extended a most cordial greeting to the ladies and members of their families. Ben Vafiades and Phil Dana presented prizes to several lucky ladies who found the winning numbers on the back of their chairs.

The visiting Rotarians were recognized and greeted. Perfect attendance records were announced as follows: Ray Hall, 1 year; Ray Kibler, 2 years; Hall Baker, 15 years; Ralph Leavitt, 20 years.

The room was made more attractive by the spring flowers at the head table and the carnations that were on each table.

The popular tenor, Lloyd Knight and Mrs. Knight entertained us with several selections that were admirable and sung well.

As well as being Family Day, it was also International Day, the program being presented by the International Service Committee.

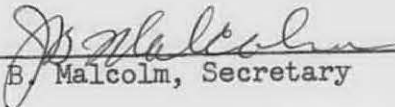
Portland Rotary's candidate, MISS MARTHA J. HURD, winner of the Rotary Foundation Fellowship for District 779, was the speaker. A very bright and outstanding student, now a senior at Mount Holyoke College, she will continue to study in France in the field of History and French Literature.

Martha said she welcomed the opportunity to seek an adventure in education and understanding. She referred to an October Readers' Digest article which indicted the youth of today. In rebuttal she recommends that we must present a true picture of America to the world. The article claimed the youth of today was conformist, had low standards, was materialistic and lacked ideals. Martha feels the record of the youth in our Armed Forces, their dependability in employment, the Peace Corps activity and their desire to understand and be understood is the best answer to the pessimistic doctor. Youth believes in the worth and dignity of youth and of all people.

The concensus of opinion of all who heard Martha is that Portland Rotary chose wisely and well in selecting this young lady to represent us.

Adjourned.

Active members present	132
Senior Active	4
Visiting Rotarians	9
Guests	121
Percentage	63.77%


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

December 22, 1961

The next to the last meeting of 1961 was called to order by President George Goodall in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel, which was decorated in the spirit of Christmas. The invocation, appropriate for the season, was offered by Ray Hall previous to the toast to the President of the United States and the singing of one verse of America.

Christmas carols were sung under the leadership of Marshall Bryant with Harry Lyseth at the piano.

The visitors were introduced and given a cordial welcome by the President.

Bob Porteous called for volunteers to man the Salvation Army kettles.

It was announced tha a provisional Rotary Club was organized in South Portland on Wednesday, December 20, and that future meetings would be held on Wednesdays at 6:15 in Howard Johnson's on Route #1 in South Portland.

Ray Frost and his committee were congratulated on the excellent work done in organizing this new club.

A highlight of the meeting was the tribute to our efficient Executive Secretary Rohais Roberts, occasioned by Rohais' 25th anniversary of the year she decided to cast her lot with Portland Rotary. She was presented a check for \$2,000, a gift of individual members of the Club, to which all had an opportunity to contribute. Past President Bill Linnell made the presentation.

With Harry Lyseth at the keyboard and Marshall Bryant exhorting at the mike, the Club responded well in group singing of Christmas Carols. Our Rotary choristers, under the able direction of Marshall Bryant, did another good job for the Club in their fine rendition of "Winter Song", "Low How a Rose E'er Blooming" and "O Holy Night". Melvin Knight of East Waterboro, guested for absent tenor George Pelletier, who is hospitalized. Other participating members of the group were Dick Bond, Morris Cox, Dave Moody, Charlie Redfern, Dick Tyler and John Wolf.

A splendid inspirational message by our own member The Reverend EDWARD R. NELSON, rounded out a seasonally appropriate program. Past President Ed's talk on Peace - "And on Earth Peace, gave us a lot to think about and much to be hopeful for.

The choristers were seated at the head table with the President, the speaker, and Bill Linnell.

Adjourned.

Active members present	137
Senior Active	4
Visiting Rotarians	4
Guests	4
Percentage	66.18


John E. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

December 15, 1961

Promptly at 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel, President George Goodall tapped the gong announcing that the hour had come for another meeting of Rotary. Our new member Brig. Arthur Bamford of the Salvation Army said the invocation previous to the toast to the President of the United States and the singing of America.

Following luncheon, the song session was under the direction of Dick Tyler with Harry Lyseth at the piano.

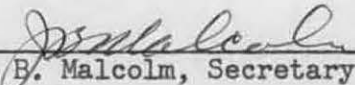
President George made the following announcements: Envelopes on the tables for the Christmas Gratuity Fund. Windjammer Committee to meet at 1:30. John Petrlik in the John Hopkins Hospital for surgery. Lee Whelpley improving at the Maine Medical Center. 100% attendance - Harry Lothrop, 14 years and Ralph Leavitt, 20 years. Bowling at Bowl-A-Rama tonight at seven o'clock. Family Day, December 29th. Read a letter from Honorary member Max Bence who is stationed in Germany.

At the head table with President George and the speaker were Hon. Walter M. Tapley, Associate Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court; Hon. Charles A. Pomeroy, another Superior Court Justice, and our own members Morris Cox, Ed Dana, Frank Hinckley, Bernie Bernstein and Bill Linnell.

HON. ROBERT B. WILLIAMSON gave us all an insight into the complexities of our judicial system. As Judge, he drew a standing tribute after being so ably introduced by our own JUDGE ED GIGNOUX. Judge Williamson explained in a clear concise and complete manner how the new plan for a series of District Courts are to be established throughout the State. With the appointment by the Governor of 18 judges, each one selected by an evaluation plan, it is his opinion that efficiency of the Courts will reach its highest level.

Adjourned.

Active members present	157
Senior Active	6
Visiting Rotarians	7
Guests	6
Percentage	75.85%


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

December 8, 1961

At 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel President George Goodall sounded the gong which called the meeting to order. Previous to the toast to the President of the United States and the singing of once verse of "America", Earle McKinney offered an appropriate invocation.

The members were reminded to place their contributions for the Christmas gratuities for the hotel employees in the envelopes that were on the tables.

A spirited song session was enjoyed under the leadership of George Pelletier with Harry Lyseth at the piano.

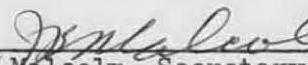
President George introduced and greeted the visitors, reported on the members in sick bay, recognized 100% attendance records - George Brinley, 5 years; Bob Ross, 2 years; - reminded the members of the bowling to be held as usual at Bowl-A-Rama at 7 o'clock, and announced a meeting of the Windjammer Committee to be held after the adjournment of the luncheon meeting.

Members sitting at the head table were Bill Leavitt, Bob Stevens, John Dorsey, Chuck Redman, Bill Foden, Ralph Libby, Bill Tripp and Earle McKinney.

Through the years, we have learned that some of our best programs are those in which we hear from young people. JAMES F. X. WELLEHAN, 23, of Lewiston, who spoke on "A Suggestion for American Policy in Africa", continued this tradition of excellence and inspiration. Newly returned after spending a year as a volunteer teacher in Basutoland, Jim obviously learned a great deal about Africa. A very interesting and informative program by a serious-minded and capable young man.

Adjourned.

Active members present	145
Senior Active	4
Visiting Rotarians	10
Guests	4
Percentage	70.05


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

December 1, 1961

President George Goodall opened the meeting at 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel by calling on Ray Hall to give the invocation. A toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of "America" was sung.

Club singing was under the leadership of George Pelletier with Harry Lyseth at the piano.

President George introduced and greeted the visitors; recognized the members whose birthdays occur in December and presented the birthday cake to Phil Corey whose name was drawn out of the basket; called on Bob Ross, Bill Tripp and Don Bailey to take bows on having completed perfect attendance for two, six and eleven years respectively; bid bon voyage to Larry Myers who leaves Sunday to spend the winter in California; and announced a meeting of the Board of Directors to be held after the luncheon.

Elmer Reisinger, Chairman, Vocational Service Committee, called attention to the "Four Way Test" and "Object of Rotary" plaques on sale for \$2.00 each.

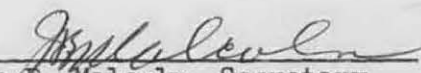
Two new members were introduced and welcomed into the Club. George Frame presented Robert S. Hussey, "Insurance-Life-Additional Active", and Brig. W. Arthur Bamford, "Salvation Army" was introduced by Ben Wilson.

Others at the head table were Frank Hinckley, Don Fowler, Fred Lawrence, Ben Vafiades.

According to previous announcement, Congressman Tupper was to have been the guest speaker; but at a late hour it was learned that the Congressman had to cancel this meeting. Our own member DOUGLAS HAMMETT cheerfully came forward to fill the gap. And an excellent job he did! He gave us a scenic tour of parts of Texas, Mexico, Arizona, California, Colorado, Oregon, Utah, Wyoming, South Dakota, Michigan, Ontario, and the Locks at the St. Lawrence Seaway. His slides had the professional touch, and his comment had the humor of a trained speaker. Perhaps the best tribute paid him lay in the fact that he exceeded his time limit by 10 minutes and none of the members grew fidgety.

Adjourned.

Active members present	152
Senior Active	6
Visiting Rotarians	6
Guests	6
Percentage	72.73


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

November 24, 1961

President George Goodall presided at the meeting which was held in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel at 12:15. Following the invocation by Ed Nelson a toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of "America" was sung.

On the dias in addition to President George and the speaker were Les Willis, Dec McCausland, Frank Landrey, Bob Porteous, Dick Bond, George Bartlett and Bill Linnell who introduced the speaker.

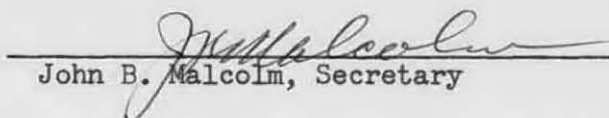
Dick Tyler led the club singing with Harry Lyseth at the piano.

President George introduced the visitors, recognized 100% attendance for Perley Lessard (4 years) and Pete Peterson (17 years), thanked Phil Dana for the Thanksgiving table decorations, announced that Lee Whelpley and Carl Robinson were still hospitalized in fair condition and reminded the members of the Portsmouth Rotary Club meeting on the 30th when R. I. President Joseph Abey would be the speaker.

Our own member GEORGE GARRETT, Executive Vice President, Chamber of Commerce spoke on "Cliches of Collectivism."

Adjourned.

Active members present	122
Senior Active	2
Visiting Rotarians	2
Guests	8
Percentage	58.94%


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

NOVEMBER 17th, 1961

The meeting was called to order by President George Goodall at 12:15 P.M.

The invocation was given by the Rev. Earle McKinney.

A toast was proposed to the President of the United States, followed by the singing of one verse of America.


Following the luncheon, President George introduced the visiting Rotarians and guests.

Special music appropriate for Thanksgiving was presented by the Rotarian Choral Group, Marshall Bryant conducting.

Those seated at the head table were John Petrlik, James Kelley, Ellis Hanson, Alexander Ervin, Bob Haffenreffer, Pete Farnum, Jim Fegley, and Bob Foden. President George introduced the guest speaker, Russ Burgess, of Boston, who presented a program of entertainment. Mr. Burgess is a self-styled "Mentalist", and he exposed the thinking of several of our members.

The meeting adjourned at 1:30 P.M.

Active Members Present	152
Senior Active	7
Visiting Rotarians	8
Guests	3
Percentage	73.08%


John B. Malcolm, Secretary.

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

NOVEMBER 10th, 1961

The meeting was called to order by President George Goodall at 12:15 P.M.

A moment of silence was observed in memory of our departed member, Ed Kelley. The invocation was given by the Rev. Hall.

A toast was proposed to the President of the United States, and one verse of America was sung.

Following the luncheon, President George introduced the visiting Rotarians and guests. Among those present were Capt. Egerton Sawtelle, of Boston, and Dr. Thomas Foster, Honorary members of our Club, and Dr. Milton Proctor, a former member of our Club, who is President Emeritus of Westbrook Junior College.

Singing was led by Dick Tyler, assisted by Allan Howes at the piano.


Those introduced at the head table were Eugene Martin, J. Donald Simmons, Raymond Frost, and his guest, C. Walker Pierce, who is Chairman of a group forming a new Rotary Club in South Portland and Cape Elizabeth, Charles Redfern, Bryan Whitney, Ralph Leavitt, and Horton Gilman, who introduced our speaker, Charles P. Bradford, of the Maine Park Department, who is Supervisor of Historic Sites of Maine, and also a Past President of the Augusta Rotary Club. Mr. Bradford gave an interesting illustrated lecture regarding the historic sites of Maine.

President Goodall announced that there would be a meeting of the Service Fund Trustees immediately following the meeting at 1:30 P.M. in Room 145 of the Lafayette.

He also announced that our fellow member, Dr. Carl Robinson, is a patient at the Maine Medical Center. Visitors are not permitted, but cards would be most welcome.

The meeting adjourned at 1:30 P.M.

Active Members Present	135
Senior Active	7
Visiting Rotarians	8
Guests	3
Percentage	64.90%


John B. Malcolm, Secretary.

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

NOVEMBER 3rd, 1961

The meeting was called to order at 12:15 P.M., President George Goodall presiding. The invocation was given by the Rev. Earle McKinney. A toast was proposed to the President, and one verse of "America" was sung.

Singing was led by Dick Tyler, assisted at the piano by Howard Reiche.

Following the luncheon, President George congratulated members of the club having birthdays during November. The birthday cake was won by Don Fowler, who requested that it be sent to the Children's Ward at the Maine Medical Center.


President George also called attention to the members of our club who have been in community and civic affairs during the past week. Special thanks were given to Halsey Smith, who headed the Advanced Gifts section of the United Fund drive. Other club members who participated in various parts of the drive were also thanked and congratulated on a successful drive. Our member "Duke" Blewett will be the Director of the campaign for 1962.

Announcement was made of a meeting of the Past Presidents' Council to be held immediately following the luncheon in Room 115. The President also announced that there would be a meeting of the Special Activities Committee following the luncheon at a table in the rear of the dining room.

Those seated at the head table were Paul Roberge, John Nissen, Harry Martin, Phil Burnham, Lester Wallace, George Brinley, and Sumner Bernstein, who presented Capt. Woody Ripley, of the Portland Fire Department, as our Speaker of the day. His speech concerned fire prevention in the home, business and shop. Capt. Ridley thanked the members of the club, who through their financial assistance, helped to make this fire prevention program an all year round program.

The meeting adjourned at 1:30 P.M.

Active members present	139
Senior Active	7
Visiting Rotarians	6
Guests	7
Percentage	66.83%


John B. Malcolm, Secretary.

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

October 27th, 1961

The meeting was called to order at 12:15, President George Goodall presiding. After a toast to the flag, and one verse of "America", the invocation was given by the Rev. Ed Nelson.

Following the luncheon, singing was led by Dick Tyler, assisted at the piano by Howard Reiche.

President George then introduced the visiting Rotarians and guests.


Announcements of committee meetings were also made, including the announcement of the November 30th meeting of the Portsmouth Rotary Club to which our club members have been invited, and at which meeting Mr. Joseph A. Abey, the President of Rotary International, will be present. Twelve of our members indicated that they plan to attend this meeting.

Head Table guests - Bob Porteous, Frank Hinckley, Seth Williams, Ed Dana, John Stevens, Frank Bailey, William H. Soule, and Jim MacKeen who presented Mr. Perry Hayden as our speaker of the day.

Mr. Hayden is the Commissioner for Mental Health and Corrections for the State of Maine. The first part of his speech concerned the workings of his Department. The latter part of his speech consisted of anecdotes regarding prisoners he had met while Warden of the Reformatory at South Windham. All of the members enjoyed Mr. Hayden's speech. Many stayed afterwards to ask him questions.

The meeting adjourned at 1:30 P.M.

Active members present	149
Senior Active	5
Visiting Rotarians	9
Guests	7
Percentage	71.64%


John B. Malcolm, Secretary.

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

October 20, 1961

In the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel President George Goodall opened the weekly meeting at 12:15 by asking our guest Rev. Harper Welch, Minister of State Street Congregational Church, to offer the invocation. A toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of "America" was sung.

Club singing was enjoyed under the leadership of Morris Cox assisted by Howard Reiche at the piano.

The President introduced and welcomed the visitors.

Attention was called to three invitations extended to the membership: from Kiwanis to hear a special program put on by the Telephone Company; Lions to hear Representative Peter Garland report on his trip to Russia; Portsmouth, N. H. Rotary Club to hear the President of Rotary International, Joseph A. Abey, on November 30th.

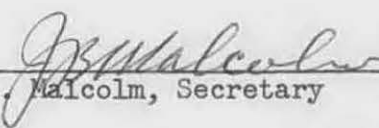
A report on those in sick bay was given - Stan Letson at Maine Medical and Neils Neilson at Mercy - both improving. Clayt Sweeney, in and out of the hospital with a back ailment.

Head table guests - Don Marshall, Mac McAdams, Fergy Ferguson, Phil Reiman, Bill MacVaen, Muz Bacastow, Rev. Harper Welch and John Lacy who introduced the speaker.

We were privileged to have as our speaker DR. WILLIAM L. NUTE, JR., a medical missionary, who serves in Turkey under the United Church Board of World Ministries. Very early in discussion, it was apparent that Dr. Nute has had a wealth of experience, that he knows the history and the people of Turkey, and that he is interested in the government, the people and their welfare.

Adjourned.

Active	147
Senior Active	6
Visiting Rotarians	6
Guests	3
Percentage	70.63%


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

October 13, 1961

President George Goodall presided at the meeting which was held in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel. Promptly at 12:15 the gong was sounded and Earle McKinney offered the invocation.

Club singing was under the direction of Morris Cox with Allan Howes at the piano.

A small group of visitors was introduced and given a cordial welcome by the President.

Recognition was given to Al Milliken who observed his 50th wedding anniversary earlier in the week, to Lee Whelpley who was present after a heart attack, to Al Moulton, Jr. who is leaving for a year's tour of duty with U. S. Medical Corps. Appreciation was extended to Ed Boulos for making possible the picture of Columbus on display in observance of Columbus Day.

The members were reminded that the bowlers were meeting at the Bowl-a-Rama at 7:00 P.M. Jack Hardy read an invitation from the Kiwanis Club for the members of Rotary to join with them at their October 24th meeting to hear a program to be presented by the American Telephone and Telegraph Co. under the direction of Mr. R. W. Sageman. On the sick list are Stan Letson, showing improvement at the Maine Medical Center, Neils Neilson, a patient at the Mercy Hospital and Clayt Sweeney at the Medical Center.

Applause was heard for the following 100% attendance records: George Champlin, 1 year; Ed Boulos, Sr., 3 years and Don Hurd, 5 years.

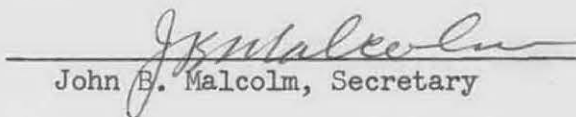
Ken Colson introduced John E. Kronick, Business Machines - Cash Registers, as a new member and he was given a cordial greeting of welcome by President George.

Members of the International Service Committee were at the head table - Steve Woodberry, Vice Chairman, John Robinson, Jack Hiller (his first appearance for months due to illness), and Chairman Halsey Smith who introduced the speaker.

The speaker, DR. PHILIP SCHMIDT-SCHLEGEL, German Consul in Boston, presented the views of his Western Germany on the current Berlin crisis, reiterating the right of the Allies to be in Berlin, and the right of freedom for the people in Berlin, all under international agreements. The Western Allies, he believes are much closer together as a result of the Berlin crisis, and cited as an example the European Common Market which England may join after negotiations for her entry, now in progress, are completed.

Adjourned.

Active members present	139
Senior Active	7
Visiting Rotarians	2
Guests	9
Percentage	66.83


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

October 6, 1961

After the meeting was called to order by Prexy George at the usual time of 12:15, Ray Hall, Rector of Trinity Church, gave the invocation. A toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of "America" was sung.

Group singing was under the leadership of Dick Tyler with Harry Lyseth at the piano.

The visitors were introduced and greeted. The members having birthdays in October were recognized and John Robinson won the cake. It was announced that both Stan Letson and Lee Whelpley were in the Maine Medical Center while Neils Neilson was confined to his home.

As it often happens, the men who were recognized for completing 100% attendance, were absent. They were Pete Anderson, 10 years, and Ray Frost, 16 years.

Another announcement was that the District Institute for American clubs would be held in Augusta on October 7th.


Head table guests were Hall Baker, Don Hurd, Bob Morrisson, Barney Shur and Joseph Horsley, Associate Executive Secretary of the United Fund.

The first speaker was MRS. ETELLE CARLSON, former Director of Public Relations for International House at the University of California in Berkeley. She explained many of the ways in which Rotarians could participate in the program of indoctrinating foreign students in our ways of democracy.

HALSEY SMITH introduced the United Fund film "The Photo That Won in a Walk" which was a jim dandy. Captain HOWARD EVANS, Financial Secretary of the Northern New England District of the Salvation Army, gave an excellent resume of why we all should support the United Fund.

Adjourned.

Active members present	127
Senior Active	5
Visiting Rotarians	4
Guests	4
Percentage	61.06


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

September 29, 1961

On the dot of 12:15, President George Goodall rang the gong and the assembled crowd quieted down and came to attention in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel. After the invocation by Ed Nelson and a toast to the President of the United States, one verse of "America" was sung.

On the dias with the President and the speaker were, Lin Eliason, Len Driscoll, Ken Colson, Herman Burgi, Ed Allen, Chuck Williams, a Tobey Anderson and Peter Mills who has completed his term as U. S. District Attorney and is moving back to Farmington to take up private law practice.

Club singing was directed by Dick Tyler with Harry Lyseth at the piano.

President George introduced and greeted the visitors. The distance award, the last for this season, was presented to Joseph Lewis of Kingsport, Tenn.

Announcement was made of several committee meetings to be held at the close of the luncheon.

The members were also notified of the hospitalization of Past President Lee Whelpley who had suffered another heart attack.

Attention was called to the District Institute to be held Saturday, October 6, in Augusta; and also to Fred Gordon's birthday on October 1st, when he would celebrate his 85th birthday.

Edward Y. Blewett was elected to fill the vacancy on the Rotary Service Fund caused by the removal from the city of William L. Irvine. The term to expire June 30, 1964.

Bill Altenburg, Chairman of the Service Fund, reported that the Rotary Service Fund Trustees had honored Fanning J. Burbank for his recent generous bequest to the Fund by establishing a Fanning J. Brubank Scholarship Fund at the University of Maine in Portland. It will give outright a \$400. scholarship to a worthy student recommended by the Dean of UMP and also acceptable to the Trustees of the Service Fund.


ALFRONSO R. IBARQUEN of Farmington, a familiar speaker to many of our Rotary members, presented an interesting outline and facts concerning the ancient Mayan Civilization and Culture.

In his opening remarks he urged the support of the Multiple Sclerosis Society's efforts to gain funds for their research purposes.

Mr. Ibarquen charged no fee but a contribution, by the Club, was made to the Multiple Sclerosis Society of which Mr. Ibarquen is chairman.

Adjourned.

Active members present	144
Senior Active	7
Visiting Rotarians	13
Guests	6
Percentage	69.23


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

September 22, 1961

President George Goodall opened up our meeting in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel in his customary manner by calling on Ray Hall to say grace. previous to proposing a toast to the President of the United States. One verse of "America" was sung.

Because of the nature of the program club singing was omitted.

The president introduced and welcomed 12 visiting Rotarians and four guests. He then presented the distance award to M. H. Jess of Springfield, Missouri.

Committee meetings were announced and recognition was given for 100% attendance records - Dave Moody, 5 years; Ed Allen, 14 years; Frank Walker, 25 years.

Members of the Music Committee were seated at the head table - Dave Moody, Dick Tyler, Jack Mitchell, Harry Lyseth, Earle McKinney, Marshall Bryant, Allan Howes, Howard Reiche, George Pelletier and Morris Cox, Chairman.

"It just goes to show that you don't have to go outside your own club to get good talent for a program," was one of the remarks heard as we left the meeting, singing the praise of an outstanding performance by MORRIS COX and his PORTLAND ROTARY MUSIC ENSEMBLE. ALLAN HOWES narrated this fine program.

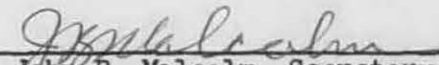
Going into details of the program would be an impossibility. Let us say that if Liberace calls it quits after HARRY LYSETH'S and HOWARD REICHE'S presentation of the theme from the Threepenny Opera, we wouldn't be surprised, and when the Choral Group sang such difficult pieces as "Dear Land of Home" from the tone poem "Finlandia," we were glad that the club did not seek outside talent for this program.

The group was directed by MARSHALL BRYANT with HARRY LYSETH as accompanist. It is comprised of GEORGE PELLETIER and RALPH LEAVITT, first tenors; JACK MITCHELL, CHARLIE REDFERN, DICK BOND and JOHN WOLF, second tenors; DAVE MOODY and DICK TYLER, baritones, and MORRIS COX, bass.

Another excellent meeting recorded.

Adjourned.

Active members present	146
Senior Active	8
Visiting Rotarians	12
Guests	4
Percentage	70.19


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

September 15, 1961

President George Goodall presided at the meeting which was held in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel. Following the invocation, given by Earle McKinney, a toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of America was sung.

On the dias, in addition to the President and the District Governor who was the speaker of the day, were Past District Governors Duke Blewett, Bill Linnell and Harry Lyseth; and George Frame, Dana Jordan, Frank Walker, George Champlin and Dick Berry.

Jack Mitchell led the club singing with Allan Howes at the piano.

President George introduced and extended a warm welcome to the visitors. The distance prize being awarded to Dennis J. Sullivan of Albany, New York.

Recognition was given for 100% attendance records - Rod Littlefield, 11 years, and Bill Foden, 17 years.

George Frame gave a report in depth of the golfing and etcetera activities of the Club on Tuesday's outing at the Portland Country Club. He congratulated Messrs MacDonald (visiting Rotarian from Japan) Dana Jordan and other winners - although from the report George gave it is clear that everyone who attended was a winner.

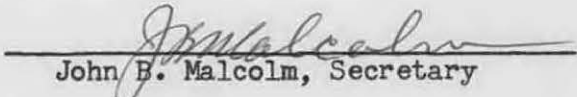
The members were reminded of the Club Assembly to be held in the evening at which the District Governor would preside.

Our District Governor, GEORGE E. SARGENT, Waterville, was our guest and speaker. He discussed the goals of Rotary and laid new stress on the importance of action in International service. He also pointed out the importance of putting the principles of Rotary into action in personal life, in business conduct and in club and community affairs.

Following the Governor's address, President George, on behalf of the club, presented the Governor an engraved silver plate.

Adjourned.

Active members present	134
Senior Active	5
Visiting Rotarians	9
Guests	3
Percentage	64.12


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

September 8, 1961

At the appointed hour of 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel, President George Goodall bonged the bell and called on Ray Hall to offer the invocation. A toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of America was sung.

Jack Mitchell in his usual enthusiastic manner, led the group in singing with Allan Howes at the piano.

The visiting Rotarians and guests were warmly welcomed by the President. The distance prize being awarded to Charles Westgate of Medford, Mass.

Paul Kennedy who had been absent for several months, was given a most cordial welcome, along with Frank Bailey who was given a pass by his doctor from the Maine Medical Center so that he could the meeting.

A hearty round of applause for Clint Rose who completed 31 years of 100% attendance. 23 years of which was obtained before his coming to Portland.

George Pelletier, Vice Chairman, Special Activities, urged the members to sign up for the Bowling League being organized for Friday evenings.


The head table was graced by Neils Neilson, Ed Boulos, Frank Walker, Bill Barber, John Vose, Ralph Tully, Doug Hammett and George Champlin.

The speaker of the day was JOHN LACY, our Ambassador to the Rotary Convention held in Tokyo, Japan. John, who has attended four International conventions, showed 180 slides of his trip to Japan and Hong Kong. In his own, patented, homespun manner, which is more effective than polished oratory, John described his visit to Tokyo and on his way back his visit to Hong Kong. The pictures were well taken in color and told more than words can say, of what transpired at the Rotary convention.

President George asked for a large attendance at next week's meeting to greet District Governor George E. Sargent of Waterville, who would be making his official visit to the Club at noon and who would preside at the Assembly in the evening.

Adjourned.

Active	157
Senior Active	6
Visiting Rotarians	3
Guests	5
Percentage	75.12


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

September 1, 1961

President George Goodall opened our weekly meeting in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel at 12:15 by asking Bill Baggs to offer the invocation. The usual toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of "America" was sung.

George Pelletier led us in club singing. As always, we enjoyed the melodious accompaniment of Howard Reiche. Fourteen visiting Rotarians and six guests were introduced and cordially welcomed. Dr. Charles Outland of Richmond, Virginia, who has been making up at our Club for 26 years, was awarded the distance prize. Our former member Sub Smith of Franklin, Virginia, waived this honor thus making it possible for Charlie to receive a year's subscription to "Down East" magazine.

The birthday song was sung for those celebrating birthdays in September. George Goodrich took home the cake.

Dave Moody and Pete Peterson were responsible for the beautiful flowers at the head table.

It was announced that our hostess, Mrs. Lillian Connolly, had had a bad fall and wouldn't be with us for awhile.

Bob Jordan, Chairman of Special Activities, in his usual capable and humorous manner, reminded the members of the Golf Outing to be held at Portland Country Club on Tuesday, September 12th.

President George announced that John Lacy had completed 3 years of 100% attendance and that in checking his own badge, found that another bar had been added, making a total of 19 years.

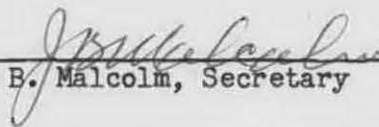
Head table guests were Vaughan Wilcox, Jack Atwood, Charlie Swicker, Norton Lamb, Bob Brackett, Dick Berry, Harry Harmon and Bill Baggs. We were all sorry to hear that Bill is leaving Portland to take up new duties in Cincinnati, Ohio, but were happy to learn that he will continue in Rotary under his present classification "Salvation Army."

While headlights were being turned on all over the State to remind us to be careful over the Labor Day week-end, WILLIAM I. MCKENZIE, Executive Secretary, Maine Highway Safety Committee, gave us a firsthand and very forthright account of the State's accident record, what causes accidents and what might be done to reduce the tragic death toll on our highways.

A very worthwhile program which should make us all think.

Adjourned

Active members present	139
Senior Active	6
Visiting Rotarians	14
Guests	6
Percentage	66.51


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

August 25, 1961

President George Goodall, tapped the gong at 12:15, called on Ray Hall to give the invocation and proposed a toast to the President of the United States which was followed by one verse of "America".

George Pelletier added enjoyment to the singing period by singing one of the hits from "Carousel" accompanied by Howard Reiche at the piano.

Visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced and cordially welcomed by the President who then presented the distance award to Emil Miller of Jacksonville, Florida.

Recognition was given for 100% attendance records - Al Moulton, Jr., 2 years; Ben Wilson, 9 years.

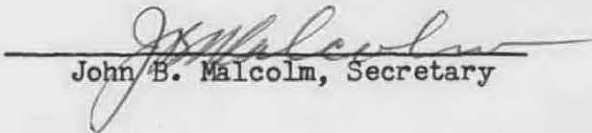
Attention was called to Bill Baggs, Ed Gignoux and Jack Malcolm whose pictures appeared in the press during the week.

An outstanding program was presented by the International Service Committee. The attached Windjammer gives a full report of the meeting.

Peter Smith, District Assistant to Representative Peter Garland, was also seated at the head table.

Adjourned.

Active members present	128
Senior Active	5
Visiting Rotarians	14
Guests	9
Percentage	61.25


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

parts a bit. Captain McKenzie just this week returned from temporary duty at Camp Lejeune. From those who know, this energetic and well informed young man is a hard working and seriously dedicated public servant who does not hesitate to take issue with overworked cliches and outmoded safety programs.

Are traffic laws tough enough - what to do about youth at the wheel - why so many one-car accidents - what about the point system - is "scare" technique effective - do people really want safety - - - these and many other provocative questions will be up for consideration at this meeting.

For your own possible future peace of mind, as well as perhaps your ability to earn a livelihood, please read or reread the revised Maine Point System.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY FELLOWS - It is time to renew your driver's license. Cecil Wheeler (1), Jess Storey, Pete Peterson (2), George Goodrich, Neal Allen (3), Dick Tyler (6), Clint Rose (7), Pete Anderson (8), Stick Stickney (11), Ed Westcott, Bob Ross (16), Doug Hammett, Larry Watson (17), Jenk Jenkins (18), Walter Story (21), Merle Bacastow (22), George Pelletier (24), Guy Dunton (25), Summer Clark (28), Ballard Story (29), Roger Higgins (30). The drawing for the birthday cake will take place on Friday.

LAST FRIDAY'S PROGRAM - This was International Service Committee Day at the head table. BARNEY SHUR introduced himself as "Papa", which is what his new "daughter" Nicole Bruneton calls him. He likes it, too. She's a lovely brunette from the Pyrenees on the Mediterranean between France and Spain. After HALSEY SMITH, known as "Father", introduced his 6'6" "son", Kristen Riddervold who hails from Bekkestua, Beerum, Norway, he outlined the plans of his committee. The four subcommittees - 1. Exchange Student Program - GEORGE FRAME, 2. Rotary Foundation - EARLE MCKINNEY, 3. International Contacts - HORTON GILMAN, 4. International Programs - BUD JONES, as head men, are endeavoring, each in their own field, to exercise the greatest influence for good in as many corners of the world as possible. To help toward this end, HALSEY invites all the members of the Portland Club to assist with participation, suggestions and criticism.

We can take a lesson in speech from Miss MARTHA HURD, our Club's candidate for the Rotary Foundation Fellowship 1962-63, with her poise, pronunciation, and pertinent points made. She gave us vistas of her past as to why she had chosen French literature and history as the subjects she wishes to study and teach. The motivation to learn is what makes people tick. Children investigate their world for colors, shapes and tastes. They ask WHY - does the moon rise, WHY - is time, WHY - do I have to use my fork? From curiosity, people seek education, which should not only give them knowledge of why the past and present is as it is, but, inspire them to leave the world better than they found it. Based on the study of the experiences of those who have gone before, people living now, as individuals, can formulate judgment to influence our future through better choice of solutions to problems. "In short, history seems to me the best possible fulfillment of the curiosity, research and judgment that is education. This is why I have chosen to study and to teach history."

NORTON PAYSON - son of our HAROLD - and president of the Scarborough Rotary Club, introduced JAMES BARKER, Scarborough visitor under the auspices of the Institute of International Living. Young Mr. Barker, with wit, humor and candor, and the aid of slides projected on the screen, led us delightfully from Hadrian's Wall (the top of the Roman Empire's edge) through the Thames valley to London and Abraham Lincoln's statue there. With his descriptions, we enjoyed not only the White Horse Vale and Windsor (his home town), but Pubs - one he had not visited and one he had - after cricket matches.

If Miss Hurd can teach history as well as Mr. Barker can sell some of England, her students should gain education and, perhaps, even wisdom.

MUSIC - Thanks to GEORGE PELLETIER, we enjoyed our music period last Friday, which included a little frosting on the cake when George sang a bit from "Carousel". HOWARD REICHE added to the program by being the accompanist, but also as each student guest was introduced, he played music indicative of the country from which he or she came. You recognized the "Marseillaise" and "God Save the Queen, but did you know that Norway contributed "Ja Vi Elsker Dette Laudet"?

IN THE NEWS - JACK MALCOLM, at the Education Forum held at City Hall, was caught chatting with Kermit S. Nickerson, Maine Deputy Commission of Education and Franklin B. Dexter, Baldwin, New York.....BILL BAGGS' three brothers surprised him with their presence at a farewell dinner given for Bill at Sebago..... ED GIGNOUX administered the oath of office to Miss Lucia M. Cormier when she became Collector of Customs for District 1.....JOHN NISSEN has been elected regional governor of the American Bakers Association. The region includes all New England states.

CHIT CHAT - Mr. E. Noel T. Henry, a Rotarian from Portland, Australia, paid an official visit to Portland, Maine, and enjoyed exceedingly the hospitality shown him by PETE ANDERSON at Sebago Lake.....BILL IRVINE'S last meeting before departing our company, was punctuated by sitting by and introducing Martha Hurd..... Congratulations will be in order to AL and GRACE MILLIKEN who will be observing their 50th wedding anniversary in October. As some of their eleven children and thirty-nine grandchildren will be unable to be with them at that time a summer reunion was held at the home of their son, Carter, in Falmouth. Sixty-four were in attendance.....100% ATTENDANCE - AL MOULTON, JR. - 2 years, BEN WILSON - 9 years. President GEORGE announced that our members in the Club are to be divided into 20 teams. More on this Labor Day Week.

ATTENDANCE - AUGUST 25 - Members present 133. Visiting Rotarians 14. Guests 9. Percentage without make-ups - 61.25. AUGUST 18 - Percentage including make-ups 80.38.

MAKE-UP OPPORTUNITIES - MONDAY - Brunswick....TUESDAY - Westbrook and Scarborough. WEDNESDAY - Biddeford.....THURSDAY - Kennebunk and Lewiston. FRIDAY - Sanford and Rockland.

GUS SAYS lots of women would make better wives if they weren't so busy trying to make better husbands.....The Scandal Sheet, Graham, Texas.

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MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

August 18, 1961

President George Goodall rang the gong at 12:15 and opened the meeting by calling on Bill Baggs for the invocation which was followed by a toast to the President of the United States and the singing of one verse of "America".

The club singing was under the direction of Morris Cox with Dave Moody at the piano.

A large group of visitors was introduced and greeted by the President. The distance prize being awarded to Y. Uzumara of Sapporo, Japan.

It was announced that the Service Fund Trustees, Music Committee and the Third Quarter Program Committee would hold meetings after the luncheon. Also that the District Governor would make his official visit to the Club on September 15th, consequently committee reports, in duplicate, would be due in the office not later than September 11th.

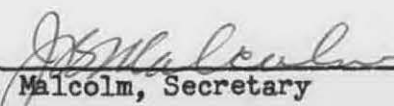
Head table guests were John Dow, Dick Frost, Rod Littlefield, Bill Getchell, Ed Jordan, Roger Hodgkins and Bill Irvine who will be leaving Portland as he has accepted an appointment as coordinator of projects in teacher and administrator education in New York State.

MR. DANIEL A. PRAGER, Vice President of the National Foundation for Consumer Credit and a very capable speaker, addressed the Club on "Problems and Values in Consumer Credit."

He told the members that intelligent use of consumer credit has aided mankind and benefitted the free enterprise system more than any other single economic development in our generation. Also, "those who say the American people have gone overboard in the use of credit, extended themselves beyond ability to pay, caused inflation and other tragedies, don't make sense," he said. "It is not true. If the American people had not used their credit our latest recession would have been much rougher."

Adjourned.

Active members present	130
Senior Active	6
Visiting Rotarians	27
Guests	5
Percentage	61.90


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

August 11, 1961

President George Goodall sounded the gong at the usual time of 12:15 and opened the meeting by calling on Earle McKinney for the invocation. A toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of "America" was sung. Following luncheon Marshall Bryant led the group in singing two songs with Howard Reiche at the piano.

Another large group of visitors were introduced and cordially greeted by the President. The distance prize being awarded to F. A. Westphal of Tulsa, Oklahoma.

President George bid farewell to Ray Leiman who is moving to Schenectady, N.Y.; called on Sub Smith, a former member, to stand for a special greeting; recognized Dec McCausland for having completed 10 years of 100% attendance; thanked Dave Moody for the beautiful dahlias which graced the head table.

The following amendment to the Constitution was proposed:

"That Section 1, of Article V of the Constitution of the Rotary Club of Portland, Maine, as amended, be further amended by deleting therefrom the following words and punctuation "South Portland, Cape Elizabeth", and that as amended said section shall read as follows:

"Section 1. The territorial limits of this organization shall be as follows: Portland, Falmouth, Yarmouth and Cumberland."

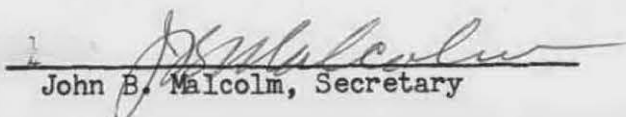
It was so voted.

Members of the International Service Committee were seated at the head table - Ken Russell, Barney Shur, Steve Woodberry, Harmon Hugo, Bob Lunt, Bill Linnell, George Frame and Ray Kibler.

According to our speaker, HONORABLE KARL L. RANKIN, his subject, "Certain Aspects of Our Foreign Relations", was selected for the same reason that the minister spoke on "What Hath God Wrought": to secure latitude. In his twenty minute talk, Mr. Rankin concentrated many phases of our foreign relations in an informative and interesting manner. His talk, which was very stimulating, incited a ten minute period of quick questions and fast answers and developed such opinions as: U. S. will undoubtedly settle Berlin issue without war - neither side wants to fight; there are greater danger points in other places in the world; we will probably just have to live with Cuba; common market in Europe is a good thing - it unifies the West; it would be disastrous to admit Red China to the United Nations; "no strings attached" is a misnomer when applied to foreign aid - there are always strings attached but no improper political considerations such as interference in internal affairs of the recipient.

Adjourned.

Active members present	142
Honorary	1
Senior Active	6
Visiting Rotarians	20
Guests	4
Percentage	67.62


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

August 4, 1961

The tapping of the gong by President George Goodall called the meeting to order in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel at 12:15 P.M. Bill Baggs said grace, a toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of "America" was sung.

After lunch, the singing was under the leadership of Dick Tyler with Earle McKinney at the piano.

Twenty-eight visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced and welcomed by the President.

Bob Booth won the birthday cake. During the drawing, President George reminded the members who were celebrating their birthdays during the month of August to secure their drivers livenses.

Announcements of several committee meetings to be held at the close of the luncheon, were made.

President George called attention to the fact that many Portland Rotarians making up at Westbrook were leaving immediately after the luncheon which caused embarrassment to the speaker and to the Westbrook Club.

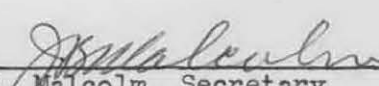
Those seated at the head table were Elery Harris, Bill Whyte, Jack Hardy, Vaughan Wilcox, Dick Wolfe, Phil Dana, Bill Baggs.

All the drama, humor and anecdotes we had expected erupted from the speaker - REV. JOHN N. FEASTER. His rapid-fire repertoire of incidents mystified many of us - how come Portsmouth, N. H. Congregationalists could influence him to leave a delightful spot like Kennebunkport (despite what a certain Mr. Currier has stated recently). Stories followed each other in quick sequence. John called them "boners" but they bounced off the members as humdingers. We all sure got a lesson in history, biology, geology and theology, all in one lump.

A thoroughly enjoyable meeting.

Adjourned.

Active members present	136
Senior Active	5
Visiting Rotarians	24
Guests	4
Percentage	64.46


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

July 28, 1961

The meeting was held in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel and President George Goodall presided. Previous to the toast to the President of the United States and the singing of one verse of "America" Ray Hall offered the invocation.

After lunch, President George called on Jack Mitchell and Allan Howes to take over for the singing period.

The visitors, including honorary member Les Harrison, were introduced and welcomed. Arch Dodge was cordially greeted on his return from a European trip. Attention was called to Roger Higgins, George Garrett and Bill Holmes, whose names and faces appeared in the news.

100% attendance records were announced: Steve Woodberry, 1 year; Bob Lunt, 10 years; Charlie Redfern, 14 years.

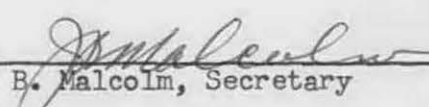
Head table guests included Ballard Story, Bob Linnell, Elmer Reisinger, Bob Ross, Cecil Wheeler, Mickey Maguire, Less Willis, Col. Robert Stone, guest of the speaker; and Robbie Robertson, Chairman, Visiting Committee, who made a brief report on the activities of his committee.

Once again we were made aware of the fact that some of our best programs are presented by our own members. COL. ROGER E. HIGGINS, Commanding Officer, Maine Sector, XIII Army Corps, was the speaker. Intended to be a follow-up on President Kennedy's message on preparedness it was indeed a clarification of effectiveness of the system of "Reserves" - his talk did not include reference to the sustaining force of the National Guard.

Col. Higgins comments and information should convince everyone we want to get away from "having to do it again" only to come out with a restless sort of peace.

Adjourned.

Active members present	139
Senior Active	6
Visiting Rotarians	26
Guests	3
Percentage	65.88


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

July 21, 1961

The third meeting of the new year got underway at 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel. President George Goodall called on Bill Baggs for the invocation. A toast to the President of the United States was proposed and one verse of America was sung.

Jack Mitchell and Earle McKinney took over the singing period.

The President introduced and welcomed the visitors. He also called on Ed Westcott to stand and be greeted after his long absence due to hospitalization.

The flowers at the head table were due to the generosity of Pete Peterson.

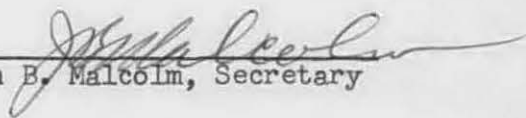
Tom Foster, Ralph Leavitt and Bill Baggs were mentioned for having their names and faces in the news. Wally Knight was thanked for making available to the Visiting Committee a Stereo Viewer and beautiful scenes of New England for use by hospitalized members.

Head table guests included Fred Olson, Dick Tyler, Ray Frost, Martin Anderson, Walter Parmalee, George Goodrich and Charlie Redfern.

MAURICE J. WARNER, Chairman, Maine Civil War Centennial Committee, spoke to us in connection with the Centennial of the Civil War.

Adjourned.

Active members present	141
Senior Active	6
Visiting Rotarians	19
Guests	5
Percentage	66.84


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

July 14, 1961

President George Goodall called the meeting to order promptly at 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel.

It was with profound sorrow that he announced the passing of our fellow member Dr. Fred S. Woods who had been a Rotarian for 24 years. A moment of silence was observed in his memory previous to Ed Nelson offering an appropriate prayer.

An enjoyable song session was under the leadership of Music Committee Chairman Morris Cox, who sang a solo accompanied by Allan Howes at the piano.

Another large group of visitors was introduced and welcomed by the President.

Rotary Night at the Brunswick Summer Playhouse was given another plub.

Head table guests were Walter Hay, Phil Reiman, Bill Altenburg, Al Moulton, jr., Don Lawrence, John Wolf, George Brinley and George Champlin.

The program was sort of a double-barrelled affair, and a most unusual one.

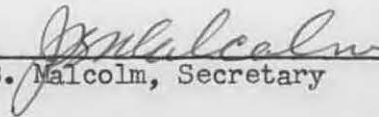
GEORGE CHAMPLIN, immediate past president, did an outstanding job outlining the pros and cons regarding the possible establishment of a Rotary club in the South Portland - Cape Elizabeth area.

The second half of the program you can't say enough about - in fact, even the speaker didn't have a chance to say enought about his topic! our fellow member JOHN LACY told us about his jet trip as a delegate to the Rotary International Convention in Japan. Laughter and applause frequently prevented us from getting the whole story.

The Mayfair Room was nicely decorated, thanks to 39 banners brought home from Japan by John. One of them contained The Four Way Test in Japanese.

Adjourned.

Active members present	148
Senior Active	6
Visiting Rotarians	13
Guests	1
Percentage	70.89


John B. Malcolm, Secretary

MEETING OF THE PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

July 7, 1961

The first meeting of President George Goodall's year was opened promptly at 12:15 in the Mayfair Room of the Lafayette Hotel. Earle McKinney offered an inspiring invocation previous to the toast to the flag and the singing of the Star Spangled Banner.

The singing was under the leadership of George Pelletier with Allan Howes at the piano.

The visiting Rotarians were introduced and cordially greeted by President George.

In observance of Independence Day, a small American flag was on each table along with a new innovation - luncheon napkins with the Rotary emblem embossed on them.

Attention was called to Tuesday, July 25th, Rotary Night at the Brunswick Summer Playhouse. The production - "Vagabond King".

Head table guests - Gene Martin, Don Bailey, Bob Porteous, Clint Rose.

Earle McKinney, Chairman of the Foundation Fellowship Committee, presented the name of Martha Hurd as our Club's candidate for the Fellowship for the academic year of 1962-63.

Earle moved that Portland Rotary Club endorse Martha Hurd as this Club's applicant. The Club so voted.

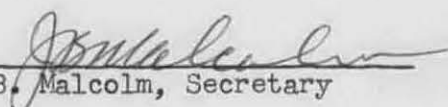
The program was delightful. Miss Irma Black, speaking for Miss Victoria Crandall, producer, Brunswick Summer Playhouse, told us of the activities of the theatre personnel and the coming productions.

Lawrence Brooks, accompanied by a fine concert pianist, Miss Moreland Kortkamp, entertained with several songs from various productions presented at the Playhouse.

The stars were introduced by Marshall Bryant, Vice Chairman of the First Quarter Program Committee.

Adjourned.

Active members present	151
Senior Active	6
Visiting Rotarians	14
Guests	7
Percentage	70.23


John B. Malcolm, Secretary