

SOUTH PORTLAND

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SOUTH PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB ON THE MAINE COAST

"BUG" LIGHT

"PORTLAND HEAD"

MEETS 6:15 WEDNESDAYS AT HOWARD JOHNSON'S RESTAURANT

Allen Rowe, Jr.
President

Donald W. Kinne
Editor

July 7, 1965

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM - President Tom opened his final meeting and President-Elect Allen introduced the visitors for the evening and indicated his willingness to turn the job over to John Nadeau, Vice-President-Elect. Mark Stimson led us in song and with Golden Fingers Jennings performing in top shape, the musical part of the program was enjoyed by all.

PROGRAM - Roger V. Snow, State Senator, and co-owner of the South Portland Cape Elizabeth Journal, and Westbrook American, will be the speaker. He was chairman of the Education Committee of the 102nd Legislature and will discuss the progress made during the recent session of the Legislature. Part of the program will be devoted to the answering of questions concerning the 102nd Legislature.

ABSENTEES - B. Bailey, E. Barrett, N. Clifford, K. Dennison, R. Hall, D. Jordan, A. Keniston, R. Kilgore, F. Lyman, S. Milton, W. Pierce, B. Sheriff, C. Soule, J. Vose, G. Wilcox, J. Barrows.

GOODWILL AMBASSADORS - R. Kilgore, D. Yerxa - Scarborough; W. Pierce, J. Vose, B. Jennings - Portland; L. Wilcox - Reading, Massachusetts; A. Keniston - San Francisco.

ANNUAL OUTING - Just a reminder - Sunday, July 11th - Dick Kilroy's camp - Anne and man - Limited parking, so pool the ride - SEE YOU THERE. Directions: North Windham turn right at light. Turn left at Brown Cove Road and follow the sign.

NEW MEMBER - President Tom introduced F. Howard Williams, Classification: Ice Cream Distribution, sponsored by Lloyd Pike, and presented him with his Rotary Pin. Congratulations, we are proud to welcome Howard to the Club.

FAREWELL - President Tom then presented his farewell address and spoke briefly on the theme, "Live Rotary." In conjunction with this theme, Tom reviewed the progress made by the Club in the following areas: Membership, Rotary Information, Attendance and Fellowship, Public Relations, Vocational Service and Community Service. In reviewing these phases of a full Rotary Club life Tom reminded us that sacrifice and devotion were a very important part of this life and we should all be ready and willing to perform whatever duty is requested of us by our elected officers, in other words, don't say "Let George do it!", be willing to accept your share of the necessary work load. President Tom also brought out one other point that I feel is a bit of advice we should always keep in mind, "We should not lose track of our purpose and become only a fund raising organization, but put it in its rightful place in our Rotary Program."

In a surprise move, President Tom presented the gavel and President's pin to Allen Rowe, Sr., who just 25 years ago was inaugurated as President of the Portland Club. In a few well chosen words, Allen, Sr., presented the gavel and pin to his son and all who were there could feel the pride of the presentation. President-Elect Allen accepted the gavel and spoke briefly of the honor of being elected and his willingness to accept the responsibility. President Allen's first official act was to present John Nadeau with his Vice-President's pin and along with this the chairmanship of the Christmas Tree Committee.

The following are the Officers and Directors of the 1965-66 Rotary year:

- President - Allen Rowe, Jr.
- Vice-President - John Nadeau
- Secretary - Ron Tripp
- Treasurer - Dick Jordan
- Vocation Service - Tom Walters
- Community Service - Keith Dennison
- International Service - Mark Stimson
- Club Service - Ralph Strachan

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July 14, 1965

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM - President Allen opened his first meeting and made his first order of business, the presentation of a Director's pin to Keith Dennison - Community Service. Vice President John Nadeau introduced visiting Rotarians. Rotarian Ray Frost introduced his guest. A stimulating and melodic group of songs was lead by Lloyd Knight, ably assisted at the piano by Bob Jennings. Your editor presented President Allen and the club with the South San Francisco Rotary Club banner.

Roger V. Snow, State Senator, and co-owner of the South Portland Cape Elizabeth Journal and Westbrook American and chairman of the Educational Committee of the 102nd Legislature, presented highlights of some one hundred and fifteen Acts of educational legislation which came before the 102nd Legislature. Senator Snow's remarks covered such areas as the Crash Program for the University of Maine, secondary education, feasibility of school districts and the accreditation requirements for teachers.

PROGRAM - Inasmuch as this bulletin was prepared prior to Sunday, July 11th, it can only be assumed that you enjoyed your program as did your editor as guests of Dick and Mary Kilroy at their camp at Little Sebago Lake. However, assuming the possibility that inclement weather did cancel the Outing (heaven forbid) I am sure someone will announce the program today!

Note: President Allen announced that in case the Outing was cancelled the official meeting for this week would be Wednesday noon 12:15, July 14th - Howard Johnson's Restaurant

ABSENTEES - N. Clifford, A. DiMatteo, D. Gacetta, R. Green, E. L. Inness, E. H. Inness, D. Kennedy, R. Kilgore, B. Kilroy, B. Moulton, B. Raymond, H. Roerden, B. Sheriff, W. Simpson, M. Stimson, J. Vose, T. Wainwright, G. Wilcox, D. Yerxa.

GOODWILL AMBASSADORS - J. Barrows - Ellsworth; W. Pierce, S. Milton, D. Kilroy, R. Green - Westbrook; B. Sheriff, M. Stimson, B. Bailey - Scarborough; F. Lyman - Rangeley.

A WORD FOR THE ROTARY BULLETIN - A good Rotary bulletin is as basic for a Rotary Club as a local newspaper is for a community. The Editor of the Rotary bulletin has a challenging opportunity to make a very definite contribution to the progress of his club, but needs your help. Therefore, please let your Editor know of any item that you believe should be in print. (Phone 775-3151 or 773-6918)

To our new President "Allen" and his wife May, our heartiest congratulations and sincerest best wishes for a full and enjoyable New Year in Rotary.

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July 28, 1965

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Editor

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM - President Allen opened the program by requesting Vice President, John Nadeau, to introduce the eight visiting Rotarians. Mark "the golden voice" Stimson lead us in song accompanied by Bob (roving fingers) Jennings at the piano. The group was in excellent voice. President Allen then introduced the guest speaker, Donald Loring, Personnel Director of Fairchild Semiconductor, South Portland, who - in turn - introduced his assistant, Jack Carter. Mr. Loring then proceeded to up-date the group as to the progress of Fairchild in the Portland area during its first three years from July 19, 1962; then outlined its expansion program which was recently started with the breaking of ground to enlarge its Plant from some 48,600 to approximately 150,000 sq. ft. This expansion, Mr. Loring explained, would, he estimated, increase the employment by Fairchild by some 20%. With the assistance of Mr. Carter, Mr. Loring then showed a film on the production of a transistor.

PROGRAM - Speaker, Karl Emerson, President Portland Pipe Line Corp., will address the club on the progress and future plans of his organization.

ANNOUNCEMENTS - President Allen announced that the District Governor's visitation date will be October 7th - time and place to be announced. This announcement is made with the hopes that all club members will find it possible to secure this date from any other commitments.

ABSENTEES - N. Clifford, A. DiMatteo, R. Green, R. Kilgore, D. Kilroy, B. Kilroy, B. Lamy, B. Moulton, B. Raymond, H. Roerden, W. Sheriff, W. Simpson, T. Wainwright, T. Walter, G. Wilcox, J. Toft, L. Knight, M. Kelly, H. Williams.

GOODWILL AMBASSADORS - B. Barrett, B. Raymond, R. Hall, W. Simpson, D. Kennedy, B. Moulton, R. Kilgore, K. Dennison - Scarborough; N. Clifford, D. Yerxa, J. Toft - Portland; L. Wilcox - Somerville, Mass.; (2) N. Clifford, A. Keniston, B. Bailey, H. Roerden, M. Stimson - Westbrook; J. Nadeau - Brunswick; J. Vose - Reno, Nevada; J. Barrows, A. DiMatteo, T. Wainwright, W. Pierce, B. Sheriff - Portland; R. Green, B. Raymond, H. Williams, L. Pike, R. Hall, T. Wainwright, W. Simpson, B. Moulton, B. Kilroy - Scarborough; L. Wilcox - Reading, Mass.

ATTENDANCE RECORD - One year's attendance, July 1964 - June 1965 (53 meetings)

- 100% - 53 meetings - Dennison, Frost, Green, Ed H. Inness, Ed L. Inness, Keniston, D. Kilroy, Nadeau, Pierce, Raymond, Rowe, Simpson, Strachan, Tripp, Vose, Wainwright, Walter.
- 52 meetings - Kinne, Lyman, Moulton, Wilcox, Yerxa
- 51 meetings - Lee (46 meetings)
- 49 meetings - Hall, Pike, Sheriff, Stimson
- 47 meetings - Lamy
- 46 meetings - Bailey
- 45 meetings - Kilgore, Siatras
- 44 meetings - Jennings, Kennedy, B. Kilroy, Milton, Roerden
- 43 meetings - DiMatteo, Gacetta
- 40 meetings - Barrett, Clifford

Six Months attendance, January - June (26 Meetings)

- 100% - 26 meetings - Dennison, Frost, Green, Ed H. Inness, Ed L. Inness, Keniston, D. Kilroy, Kinne, Moulton, Nadeau, Raymond, Rowe, Simpson, Strachan, Tripp, Vose, Wainwright, Walter, Toft, Barrows, Knight (13 meetings)
- 96% - 25 meetings - Lyman, Pierce, Pike, Wilcox, Yerxa, Wilson
- 92% - 24 meetings - Stimson, Lee, Pratt
- 88% - 23 meetings - Bailey, Hall, B. Kilroy, Lamy, Milton, Sheriff
- 84% - 22 meetings - Gacetta, Kelly (13 meetings)
- 80% - 21 meetings - Clifford, Kennedy
- 76% - 20 meetings - DiMatteo, Jennings, Jordan, Siatras, Barrett
- 72% - 19 meetings - Kilgore, Roerden

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LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM - Karl D. Emerson, President of the Portland Pipe Line Corporation brought us up-to-date on the expansion that is currently being undergone by that Company. A 24 inch line is being laid beside the existing lines; a 12 inch line laid in 1941, and an 18 inch line laid in 1950. Of course the deepening of Portland Harbor, also currently underway, will allow tankers of up to 900 feet in length and 43 feet drafts to dock at the Company's Pier #2. Some other interesting facts brought to light include: \$163,900 in property taxes to South Portland, a payroll of \$1,318,300 and a total expenditure in Maine alone last year of \$2,641,300. The Area is certainly very pleased that business is good at the Pipe Line, and wish them continued successes. And we are very appreciative that Mr. Emerson took the time to address us. We hope that he can visit with us again some time soon.

THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM - Staff Sergeant Donald L. Anglin, Publicity Director for Army Recruiting in Northern New England will be our speaker. Sergeant Anglin has just returned from Korea. He will speak to us comparing the Korean and Viet Nam wars, and I imagine also touch on the most recent increase in the draft call, and the campaign for more voluntary enlistments. A most timely subject.

ABSENTEES - Bailey, DiMatteo, Gacetta, Green, Keniston, Kilgore, Kinne, Moulton, Raymond, Roerden, Sheriff, Simpson, Stimson, Wainwright, Walter, Wilcox, Lee, Pratt, Knight, Williams.

GOODWILL AMBASSADORS - Ed L. Inness, Toft, Kinne, Walter, Ed H. Inness - Westbrook; Ralph Strachan - Somewhere?; Sheriff - Pittsfield, N. H.; Green - Gardiner; Wilcox - Reading, Mass.; Bill Kilroy, Vern Wilson - Portland.

GOVERNOR'S VISIT - A correction has been made in the date of District Governor Sam Low's visit. October 27th is the date, and as in the past this will be a Ladies' Night as well. All Committee Chairmen will meet with Governor Sam at 4:00 in the afternoon. In preparation for this, they will be expected to prepare reports of their plans for the Rotary Year in duplicate. These written reports must be turned in to President Al anytime between now and the 1st of October. Why not do it right away so you won't have to worry about it later. Also your plans for this Rotary year should be made and even in operation by now. So put them on paper.

FROM THE MAILBAG - "I wish to express my deepest appreciation for the wonderful scholarship that was awarded to me. I will be attending Southern Maine Vocational Technical Institute in the Fall of 1965 and this scholarship will be of great significance to my future education. I will try to live up to this gift by attaining the best ranks that I can next year and continuing with good ranks until I graduate. I realize that good grades will enable me to have a more stable future after I graduate. Thank you again. Sincerely, Ernest Elliott Jordan, Jr."

OUR FRENCH AMBASSADOR - Marie should be arriving in South Portland shortly after our meeting of this week. So brush up on your Bonjours and be prepared to give her a South Portland welcome. This should be a thrilling experience for all concerned, so everyone be sure to participate in the adventure.

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LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM - Staff Sergeant, Donald Anglin, Publicity Director for Army Recruiting in Northern New England, discussed many of the comparisons between the Korean Conflict and the present Viet Nam situation. Sergeant Anglin, who recently served as editor for the army magazine - Stars and Stripes - in the Korean Theater, outlined a detailed history of the facts leading to the Korean War and expressed his personal opinion that, because of the United States' assistance to the South Korean people, this nation would always be a stable friend of free peace loving nations. He also indicated that, in his opinion, a successful conclusion to the Viet Nam situation would add that nation to our list of friends.

THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM - THE PROGRAM YOU HAVE BEEN WAITING FOR IS HERE!...Marie Jose' Gilmert, our student guest from Paris, France, has arrived and will be presented to the Club...Marie will bring us greetings from the Abbeville Club which she visited the second week in July...Also Ray will show us the Slides sent to us about Abbeville...He has looked them over and says they are excellent...Abbeville also sent a tape recording explaining the slides...The tape is a real professional job...background music and all...Let's give Marie a big turnout and a real "Down East" welcome...You'll have fun too.

GOODWILL AMBASSADORS - B. Bailey - Lincoln; R. Kilgore, T. Wainwright, B. Moulton, D. Kilroy, B. Raymond, L. Knight, T. Walter, H. Roerden, W. Simpson, J. Toft - Scarborough; M. Kelly, H. Williams, N. Clifford - Westbrook; A. DiMatteo - Barre, Vermont; R. Green, A. Keniston, B. Sheriff, Ed Innes - Portland; H. Roerden - North Conway; N. Pratt - Fort Kent.

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS FOR THE ROTARY YEAR 1965-66

CLUB SERVICE - Director Ralph Strachan
Attendance - Don Kinne, John Barrows; Classifications - Al DiMatteo; Club Bulletin - Art Keniston, Vern Wilson; Fellowship - Newt Pratt, Frank Lyman, Ed L. Inness, Howard Williams; Magazine - Hal Roerden; Membership - Dick Yerxa, Bob Moulton; Program - Stan Milton 7/1/65. Ron Hall 10/1/65, Warren Simpson 1/1/66. Lloyd Knight, Bob Jennings 4/1/66; Public Relations - Bob Jennings, Lloyd Knight; Rotary Information - Ray Frost, Dick Kennedy, John Vose, Chet Soule; Sergeant-at-Arms - Ralph Green.

VOCATIONAL SERVICE - Director Tom Walter
Buyer Seller Relations - Bruce Bailey; Competitor Relations - Blaine Raymond; Employer-Employee Relations - Lloyd Pike; Four Way Test - Lou Siatras; Occupational Information - Bill Kilroy; Trade Associations - Dick Kilroy.

COMMUNITY SERVICE - Director Keith Dennison
Community Safety - Walker Pierce; Crippled Children - Bud Barrett; Interact - Ed H. Inness; Rural-Urban - Ted Wainwright; Scholarships, Awards, Student Loans - Frank Lee, Nat Clifford; Student Guests - Ralph Kilgore; Youth - Ralph Kilgore.

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE - Director Mark Stimson
International Contacts - Ray Frost; International Information - Bob Lamy, John Toft; International Student Projects - Dan Gacetta; Rotary Foundation - Bill Sheriff, Henry Berke.

In cases where there are more than one on a committee the first listed is the Chairman. Chairmen, don't forget your written reports to President Al no later than October 1st.

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August 13, 1965

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM - President Allen opened the meeting and Vice President, John Nadeau introduced a large number of visiting Rotarians and one guest. This was our week to welcome our special guest from France, Miss Marie Jose Gilmert. Mark Stimpson introduced Marie and gave a report on his past week's activities in getting Marie from Logan Airport to this club. Marie Jose is from Paris. We had originally requested a student from our "Matched Club" in Abbeville, France but were advised by The Experiment Ambassador Scholarship Program, that it was impossible to pinpoint a student from one place and after a long correspondence, it was decided to have our Paris student visit the Abbeville club before coming to this country and to South Portland. She did that and gave some interesting observations of the Abbeville club, the most significant being that as a group, the Abbeville members were younger than those of the South Portland club.

Ray Frost showed the slides sent by the Abbeville club, and a tape recording furnished a fine commentary on each of the pictures. These slides and tape were sent some time ago but wound up in Louisiana. The pictures were beautiful and the commentary most interesting.

Lloyd Knight lead the singing. In honor of our special guest, Lloyd asked for "La Marseilles" and he and Bob Jennings did a good job on it. The other club members assisted - we think.

PROGRAM - Program Director Stan Milton has lined up a return program which promises to be both interesting and amusing. Lew Colby, the only Weatherman who is barred from playing golf at the Kennebunk course will discuss "Weather". Mr. Colby is the Channel 6 Weatherman for Station WCSH and is Channel 6 Promotion Director. Those of you who heard Mr. Colby two years ago will remember that we are in for a few good laughs.

ABSENTEES - This item has been discontinued as it serves little purpose.

GOODWILL AMBASSADORS - B. Moulton, J. Vose, B. Raymond, B. Sheriff, L. Siatras, R. Kilgore, T. Wainwright, L. Knight, Scarborough; M. Stimpson, W. Pierce, A. DiMatteo, J. Toft, Portland; B. Bailey, D. Kinne, D. Gacetta, M. Stimpson, T. Walter, Westbrook; L. Wilcox, Somerville, Mass; B. Sheriff, Brunswick; F. Lyman, Oldtown; W. Simpson, World's Fair, N. Y.; M. Stimpson, Ambassadoring.

ANNOUNCEMENTS - President Allen called attention to the new dinner tickets which are now being used and cautioned that they must be filled out with name and date as that is your assurance of being credited with attendance.

ATTENDANCE RECORD - July 88.30%

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August 25, 1965

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LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM - Vice President, John Nadeau, opened the meeting with some prompting from the floor and Secretary, Ron Tripp, introduced the twelve visiting Rotarians and one guest. The club was again honored by the presence of our special guest from France, Miss Marie Jose Gilmert, who expressed her pleasure in being in this country and thanked Mark Stimson for his family's hospitality during her visit in their home. She also mentioned how much she was looking forward to her visitations in the homes of other Rotary members.

Lloyd Knight lead the singing, ably assisted by Bob Jennings and Alexis Cote of the Portland Rotary Club at the piano. A piano duet was then enjoyed by the membership. Editor's note: (It is only on rare occasions since Lloyd Knight joined our organization that the piano is heard.)

Lew Colby, "Mr. Weatherman" of Channel 6 - WCSH TV, delighted the club with an amusing oration titled "Maine Weather - A Study In Lies, Lore and License". This was a return engagement and based on his acceptance, he will undoubtedly be requested to be with us again in the future.

PROGRAM - Program Director Stan Milton announces that next week's program will be another of interest. He has obtained Mr. Campbell Niven, Publisher of the Brunswick Record, The Bath Times, and co-owner of The South Portland-Cape Elizabeth Journal, who will speak on Newspapers, Weeklies.

GOODWILL AMBASSADORS - Lefty Wilcox - Reading, Mass.; John Toft - Westbrook; Dick Kennedy - Concord, N. H.; John Barrows - Ellsworth; Ron Hall, Blaine Raymond, Bob Moulton, Ted Wainwright, Ralph Kilgore, Warren Stimpson, Mike Kelly - Scarborough; Art Keniston, Bill Sheriff, Ralph Green - Portland; John Toft, Ed H. Inness - Westbrook; Ralph Kilgore, Howard Williams, Warren Stimpson, Keith Dennison, Frank Lyman, Bob Moulton, Dick Kennedy - Scarborough.

PERSONALS - It should be noted that two of our members, in the interest of public service, have accepted a position on the Greater Portland United Fund Campaign Team for 1965. Mark A. Stimson, Vice President - Beecher Agency, will serve on the Direct Solicitation Unit and Miles A. Kelly, District Traffic Superintendent - New England Telephone Co., will serve on Employee Unit. It is always a pleasure to announce participation in public service by our members. We know these gentlemen will do an outstanding job.

SMILE TIME - Psychiatrists say girls tend to marry men like their fathers. Now we know why mothers cry at weddings.

THOUGHT FOR TODAY - "I am only one, but I am one. I cannot do everything, but I can do something. And, what I can do, I must do. And what I must do, By the grace of God, I will do." Edward Everett Hale.

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September 1, 1965

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM - President Allen opened the meeting, then introduced the seven visiting Rotarians and called upon John Toft to introduce his guest. He also read a letter from Miss Linda Hahn, American Field Service, who expressed her thanks for the Club's assistance in sponsoring her trip.

Lloyd Knight lead in the singing, assisted by Bob Jennings at the piano. At this time the Club recognized the wishes of our special guest, Miss Marie Jose Gilmert, who expressed her desire to hear the singing of "Carry Me Back To Ole Virginia", a favorite of hers. We now wonder if this is still so.

The Club was honored by the presence of Mr. Campbell Niven, Publisher of the Brunswick Record and the Bath Times, who spoke to the Club on Community Service. He pointed out that each individual in any community has an excellent opportunity of serving his community because of the many various clubs and organizations. He noted that, even in a small community such as Brunswick, that there are some two hundred of these organizations. He also went on to explain three points which he felt were of value to each of us in our decision as to how we could best serve our community. First, by occasionally debriefing ourselves as to which service we could give of our best; secondly, choosing to participate in a service in which we had a personal interest - this would assist us in giving our best; and thirdly, by soliciting for this organization an opponent, thereby creating an atmosphere of competing against elements adverse to the purposes which we are trying to accomplish.

PROGRAM - Stan Milton, Program Chairman, has obtained - as our guest speaker - Mr. Jack S. Atwood, Chairman - Maine Highway Safety Commission (also Stan's boss at WCSH - Radio - TV). Mr. Atwood will speak on "Highway Safety and The Function of His Commission."

GOODWILL AMBASSADORS - Dick Yerxa, Blaine Raymond, Bob Moulton, Lloyd Pike, Warren Simpson, Mike Kelly - Scarborough; Dan Gacetta - Boston; Al DiMatteo - New Haven; Ralph Green - Gardiner; Warren Simpson, Al Rowe - Portland.

ANNOUNCEMENTS - Evening meetings will be reconvened September 8th - the Wednesday following Labor Day.

District Conference will convene at the Samoset Hotel, Rockland, Maine, May 19th, 20th and 21st, 1966 - please note on your calendar.

President Allen announced that our July District Attendance position was eighth at 88.3%. This leaves room for improvement.

SMILE TIME - The speed and power of the new cars helps to bring places closer together - like this world and the next.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY: by Kim Saville, daughter of Rev. John K. Saville, Anaheim, California - **FAMILY LIFE:** ---- A man's income may be quite modest; his trousers may be shiny; he may never hold an office or a position of social esteem, but IF for a HALF HOUR before he comes home each night his children have their noses pressed to the window pane ---- THAT man is a SUCCESS in Life."

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September 8, 1965

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM - President Allen opened the meeting. Vice President John Nadeau was called upon to introduce the eleven visiting Rotarians which he did, but not until he had properly thanked those members, or perhaps he said that member who so thoughtfully prompted him when he took over when President Allen was absent on August 25th. His sincerity was really touching.

Our pretty little French guest was with us again today having spent the past week with Lloyd Knight and his family. Lloyd led the singing with Bob Jennings assisting on the piano. They thought that a fitting number to please our French guest and tie in with weather would be - "Let a Smile be Your Umbrella on a Rainy Day". It was not in the book, nobody knew the words, (including Lloyd) and it turned out a bit soggy.

Guest speaker for the day was Mr. Jack S. Atwood, Chairman - Maine Highway Safety Commission who gave a very interesting and instructive talk on "Highway Safety and the Function of his Commission." Previous to his talk, he distributed questionnaires to all members requesting us to answer a number of questions as to which of several common mistakes in driving we remembered having made. Evidently most of the members answered these questions conscientiously as Mr. Atwood told us that ours were average answers. Most all of us admitted that we had exceeded the speed limit at times and many stated that they had driven while tired. After his talk Mr. Atwood showed a film called the "ABC of Defensive Driving." Included in the film were the following.

- A - Attitude
- B - Back Down (giving way)
- C - Clear Space

Mr. Atwood quoted TV Commentator David Brinkley's statistical study on driving which shows that if all 1965 model cars were lined up on a four lane highway, they would reach from New York to Los Angeles. These statistics also show that 14 or 15 super highways would be needed to accommodate all types of traffic from Coast to Coast.

PROGRAM - Stan Milton, Program Chairman, advises us that our guest speaker this week will be our exchange student guest, Marie Jose Gilmert, who will show a collection of slides. These slides were mostly taken in Paris.

GOODWILL AMBASSADORS - John Toft, Bill Kilroy, Lefty Wilcox - Portland; Ray Frost - Harrisburg, Va.; Tom Walter, Al DiMatteo, Blaine Raymond, Bob Moulton, Ted Wainwright - Scarborough; Howard Williams, John Barrows, Bruce Bailey, Ralph Green - Westbrook; Frank Lyman - Old Town; John Nadeau - Jamestown, N. Y.

ANNOUNCEMENTS - President Allen wants to remind all members that EVENING meetings will be resumed September 8th. There will be a Director's meeting following the regular meeting this week.

The District Fellowship committee is looking for nominees for study abroad.

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LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM - Marie Jose spoke of some of her impressions during her visit in our country. Her views were candidly presented, and obviously thoughtfully formulated. She then showed slides of Paris and other regions in France. An extra bonus of the night was the presence of 21 of our Rotary Anns. Congratulations should go to Dick Kilroy for this pleasant addition to our audience. The friendships formed between Marie Jose and members and their wives seem to be growing each week. We only wish that she could spend more than just these few weeks with us and we thank her for her fine program.

THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM - Another special coming up. It's World Series time again for all you sports fans. We will have our new annual film of last year's World Series. An added attraction will be the Cape Elizabeth Little League Champions, who will be our guests. Let's have everyone turn out to honor these boys and enjoy an evening of the National Pastime.

GOODWILL AMBASSADORS - Hal Roerden, Dick Yerxa; Westbrook. Bill Sheriff; Claremont, N.H. Blaine Raymond, Dick Kennedy, Lou Siatras, Ray Frost, Bob Moulton, Dick Kilroy, Ralph Kilgore, Ted Wainwright; Scarborough. Warren Simpson; Calais. Newt Pratt: Bangor. Ralph Green; Rochester, N. H. Bill Sheriff; Laconia, N. H. John Vose, Al DiMatteo, Mark Stimson, Art Keniston; Portland. Lefty Wilcox; Somerville, Mass.

ALL AMERICA CITY signs at the Portland Bridge and in Thornton Heights were erected with the help of our Club, along with other service organizations in the City. So make sure all your friends notice them. A very fine job was done by John Donnelly and Sons on their design and erection.

DIRECTORS' MEETING - The twice postponed Directors' Meeting will take place right after the meeting Wednesday. Y'all come now.

NIGERIAN MAILBAG CALL - From Frank Lee, who is teaching in Western Nigeria this year.
"Dear Club: We are pretty well settled here in Abeokuta, West Nigeria. Since today is Rotary day for you I thought that I would write to my friends and fellow Rotarians (can it count as a make-up?). So far we love it here. At present the school is on break and will open Sept. 10 so we will have plenty of time to settle and see some of Western Nigeria, anyway! The flight from New York was very calm and smooth. Took only 10 hrs. Very tired when we arrived but got plenty of rest the next day. Our home and the school is very nice, but the country is very under-developed in many areas. The people are very friendly and pleasant to be with. Their customs are much different from ours, but we will adjust well I'm sure. The weather is beautiful now. We are in the middle or latter part of the wet season so it rains for a short time each day. In fact, Sunday it rained for about 1 hour and the rain gauge measured 3.2 inches, which I think is more than it has rained in Maine all summer. The temperature is about 75 or 80 degrees most of the time, but right now, humidity is about 95%. Of course we have an air conditioner for the bedrooms, so it is very comfortable most of the time, maybe even a little chilly at night. I have not seen even one mosquito since I've been here, but I'm not at all unhappy, because when you do find one it has a 99.99% chance of being a carrier of malaria. From time to time I will write to you all as a Club. We would enjoy hearing from you people." Frank's address is: Frank Lee, P. O. Box 89, Abeokuta, West Nigeria, Africa.

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September 22, 1965

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LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM - President Allen opened the meeting by presenting our special guest, Marie Jose Gilmert, with a remembrance gift (jewelry - made in the state of Maine). Marie then made a few parting remarks, thanking the Club for sponsoring her trip. We all hope Marie enjoyed her stay here as much as the membership enjoyed her presence. Vice President John then introduced the thirteen visiting Rotarians.

The Club was honored by the presence of the Cape Elizabeth Little League "Champs". Their manager, Bob Bencks, outlined the details of their fight to the top. Coach Keith Weatherbie then introduced the attending members of the team. Both "Little Leaguers" and "Big Leaguers" then enjoyed a film of the 1964 World Series between the World Champion St. Louis Cardinals and the New York Yankees, thanks to Ron Hall and Coco-Cola.

THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM - Mr. Joe Cobb, Public Relations Director of the Maine Central Railroads, will speak on the "Future of Railroads".

GOODWILL AMBASSADORS - Walker Pierce, Don Kinnie, Bill Kilroy, Tom Walter, Ralph Strachan, Dick Kilroy - Westbrook; Bruce Bailey, Warren Simpson, Lloyd Pike, Hal Roerden, Blaine Raymond - Scarborough; Art Keniston, Lloyd Knight, John Vose - Portland; Lefty Wilcox - Somerville, Mass.; Mike Kelly, Howard Williams, John Nadeau - Westbrook.

ANNOUNCEMENTS - President Allen asked that those having proposals for classifications and membership, please bring them to the attention of the Membership Committee as soon as possible.

A collection for waitress Vickie, was taken to assist her in incidentals required for her trip to Paris.

A tip of the hat to Ralph Green for his excellent display of club banners.

At the Board of Directors meeting, secretary Ron read a letter of resignation from Nat Clifford, which the board of Directors reluctantly accepted. We will all miss Nat's pleasant personality.

Bowling time again - Any member not present at the last meeting, interested in joining the bowling team, please contact John Nadeau.

ROTARY INFORMATION -

Q. Should Rotarians hold membership in other service clubs?

A. Rotarians are urged to refrain from dividing their interest and energies by accepting membership in other service clubs.

Q. Can my club help in the extension of Rotary to a nearby town?

A. Yes. Each Rotary club should inform itself as to what nearby towns are prospective localities for new clubs and, after gaining the approval of the district governor and under his supervision, make a survey of these towns to determine whether or not they could support a successful Rotary club.

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LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM - President Allen opened the meeting and Vice President, John, then introduced the seven visiting Rotarians. Ray Frost lead the singing. Of course we sang the Railroad Song!! President Allen announced that the club jumped from eighth to third place in the District Attendance Record for the month of July. Let's keep going 'til we reach the number one spot.

Mr. Joe Cobb, Public Relations Director of the Maine Central Railroads, spoke, bringing the club members up to date as to what is commonly referred to as the "fight between the railroads and the trucks". Mr. Cobb expressed the position of the railroads - that this was not a "fight with the trucking industry" but a desire on the part of the railroads to promote fair competition, in order that the railroads might stay in business. He pointed out the necessity of this because of the part played by the railroads in the economy of the state.

THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM - Program Chairman, Stan Milton, has come up with a program which all will find exceptionally entertaining and will, therefore, not want to miss. Ellen and Lloyd Knight, accompanied by Mrs. David DeBree, will entertain with a music skit "Around The World In Song". Lloyd, as you know, is affiliated with WGAN Radio and TV. Lloyd made Ellen's acquaintance at the Academy of Vocal Arts in Philadelphia. Upon completion of their training at the Academy, both were on Broadway - Ellen, in "Up In Central Park" and Lloyd, in "Annie Get Your Gun". Lloyd then turned his talents to network acting with CBS. He was winner on the Arthur Godfrey talent scout program. He joined WGAN at the time the TV station was inaugurated.

GOODWILL AMBASSADORS - Warren Simpson - Boston; Blaine Raymond, Lloyd Knight, John Toft - Scarborough.

ANNOUNCEMENTS - Last reminder to all committee chairmen - committee reports due October 1st.

ROTARY INFORMATION -

"Rotary does not seek members and size; rather, its purpose is to bring into its fellowship men of character and zeal, wherever such men are united in making "Service Above Self" their daily guide. To accomplish this, every Rotary club needs to look within itself and to take steps to make itself more representative of the business and professional life in its locality, and of ever more and greater service".

GENERAL SECRETARY MEANS' LETTER TO R. I. OFFICIALS

SOUTH PORTLAND ROTARY CLUB

ROSTER OF MEMBERS - MAY 21, 1965

<u>NAME</u>	<u>CLASSIFICATION</u>	<u>BUSINESS PHONE</u>	<u>HOME PHONE</u>
Bruce Bailey	Industrial Rubber Products	799-1753	Same
Earlon Barrett	Gasoline Dispensing Equipment	772-0617	799-0127
John Barrows	Metal Products - Fabrication	773-5671	797-2135
Henry Berke	Senior Active		772-8038
Larry Carey	Drugs-Distributing	799-3230	Same
Nat Clifford	Excavating Contracting	799-6600	Same
Keith Dennison	Pharmacist	799-6820	Same
Al DiMatteo	Granite Monuments-Distributing	799-3136	Same
Ray Frost	Senior Active		799-7758
Dan Gacetta	Chocolate Products-Distributing	799-4555	Same
Ralph Green	Specialty Foods-Distributing	772-5551	799-5707
Ron Hall	Carbonated Beverages	773-3871	772-7753
Ed H. Inness	Photography-Developing & Printing A. A.	799-7571	799-3280
Ed L. Inness	Photography-Developing & Printing	799-7571	799-4984
Bob Jennings	Television	772-4661	799-0525
Dick Jordan	Commercial Banking	773-5349	799-2526
Mike Kelly	Communications - Telephone	773-9921	799-7708
Art Keniston	Newspaper-Classified	775-5811	772-3194
Dick Kennedy	Canned Goods-Distributing	799-5843	Same
Ralph Kilgore	Education-Elementary	773-2024	774-5536
Dick Kilroy	Real Estate	799-2221	799-6153
Bill Kilroy	Refined Oil Products-Distributing	799-2211	799-7161
Don Kinne	Laundry Machinery-Manufacturing	799-1581	799-2465
Lloyd Knight	Television - Additional Active	772-4661	799-2943
Bob Lamy	Electrical Appliances-Retailing	799-5575	799-6594
Frank Lee	Education-Secondary	799-2481	773-4239
Frank Lyman	Motor Freight Transportation	772-0572	799-2577
Stan Milton	Radio	772-0181	799-5090
Robert Moulton	Plumbing & Heating	799-6062	Same
John Nadeau	Publicity-Outdoor Advertising	773-4768	799-0876
Walker Pierce	Automobile Retailing	799-7333	781-4212
Lloyd Pike	Sea Moss-Processing	799-1515	799-5757
Newt Pratt	Fire Prevention-Sprinkler Systems	799-4228	799-0592
Blaine Raymond	Motels	774-0289	Same
Harold Roerden	Refined Oil Products-Marketing Engineer	774-2664	799-6149
Al Rowe, Jr.	Building Materials-Distributing	799-5825	799-6552
Bill Sheriff	Boiler Manufacturing	799-5665	Same
Lou Siatras	Dentistry	799-6823	799-2116
Warren Simpson	Retail Hardware	799-6191	799-0227
Chet Soule	Past Service		799-2423
Mark Stimson	Real Estate A. A.	799-2221	781-4652
Ralph Strachan	Groceries-Merchandising	773-0211	799-5648
John Toft	Senior Active		799-0376
Ron Tripp	Retail Fuel Oil	799-7144	799-6636
John Vose	Senior Active	772-1941	799-4309
Ted Wainwright	Potato Farmer	799-0601	Same
Tom Walter	Refined Oil Products-Distributing	799-2211	799-5260
Granville Wilcox	Pickle Distributing	799-6375	Same
Vern Wilson	Senior Active		781-5346
Dick Yerxa	Garden Supplies	799-2241	773-5235

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