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South Portland

TWO LIGHTS

South Portland — Cape Elizabeth Rotary Club
On the Maine coast



Portland Head Light
Cape Elizabeth

Wednesday 6:15 p.m. at Purpoodock Club, Spurwink Avenue, Cape Elizabeth

January 2, 1991

A Moving Program

Dorothy Janson, the mother of Fred Janson, provided us a moving program on what Christmas was like in the Philippines during World War II. This was certainly a fitting program for the season and for the times and made us all think of the importance of maintaining peace. Mrs. Janson told us of being interned by the Japanese and of seeing much devastation. She spoke of how thrilling it was to see the liberation forces of the United States coming into Manila. One of the liberators turned out to be Dick Kilroy. Thank you to Fred and to Mrs. Janson for an inspirational evening.

Richard E. Jordan

Dick Jordan, a charter member of our Club, has moved to Raymond and is leaving us effective December 31, 1990 to join the Windham Rotary. President Joe noted that Dick has been an outstanding Rotarian and has espoused the Rotary ideals in his community. Dick was a member of the Cape Elizabeth Board of Selectmen and served as the second chairman of the Cape Town Council. He was a past president of the Greater Portland Council of Governments and received its regional citizen of the year award in 1980. He was one of the founders of Regional Waste Systems and has been a volunteer fireman for Cape Elizabeth. Dick was presented a recognition plaque from the Club and received a standing ovation from all assembled.

Perfect Attendance

Dick Kilroy, another charter member of our Club and our first President, was awarded a 29 year Perfect Attendance pin making him the only member of our club to never miss a weekly meeting since the inception of our Club. Bill York was also awarded a pin for 18 years perfect attendance making him the only member to have perfect attendance in a single month at both Rotary and at Planning Board meetings. Congratulations to both!

Harry Russell

Harry Russell is resigning from the Club due to increased demands on his time. Harry was a loyal and hardworking member for many years and he and Marlene will be missed at our many functions.

Rotary News

Lot Cleanup is December 29 at 8:00 a.m... District Governor Dan presented an RI Presidential Citation for Outstanding Service Through Fellowship and a Governor's Trophy Award for former President Jack Roberts for our club's achievements last Rotary year... Thank yous were received from WGME for help in fingerprinting, from SP City Hall for a Christmas tree and from Mahoney students for a tree we gave them to bring to a soup kitchen...

ROSTER

Please check the roster on the reverse for any errors. Give corrections to the Club Secretary.

HAPPY NEW YEAR





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Bagdasarian, David L "Dave"	Fran	Dentistry	797-5834	799-78
*x Butler, Paul F	*Janet	Senior Active - Food Distribution	773-5683	799-15
*x Carson, Robert N Jr "Bob"	*Penny	Senior Active - Beverage Distribution		799-80
Conroy, Joseph P "Joe"	Elizabeth	Education, Secondary	799-2221	799-59
Critchley, Jacqueline "Jackie"	Douglas	Banking, Commercial	775-1000	934-20
Davidson, Dan L	Edie	Public Relations	892-6766	767-46
Drivas, Peter	Dolores	Senior Active - Engineering	799-6204	799-62
Dube, Philip A "Phil"	Claudette	Senior Active - Travel Service	767-3366	773-01
Flynn, Robert "Bob"	Michele	Computers	775-7200	799-78
S*† Gacetta, Daniel J "Dan"		Senior Active - Liquor Distribution		799-45
Gemme, Frank E	Lynne	Communications, Equipment	883-5161	767-28
+*x Giftos, Sarando P "Sam"	*Hélène	Senior Active - Accounting		799-31
Goodrich, Wayne	Ellie	Consulting, Employment	799-6192	799-40
* Hennessy, Thomas J III "Tom"	Rita	Real Estate, Appraisal	767-2394	799-40
Hobbs, Jeffrey R "Jeff"	Sue	Funeral Directing	799-4472	799-88
*x Holden, Richard B Jr "Dick"	Maureen	Senior Active - Insurance	772-7434	799-79
Janson, J Fred "Pred"	Bev	Add'l Active - Real Estate, Commercial	799-8541	767-41
Johnston, Bryce R	Stacie	Banking, Savings		846-90
Kane, David M "Dave"	Paula	Banking, Finance	774-5961	775-32
S*x Kilroy, Richard F "Dick"	Mary	Senior Active - Real Estate Residential	799-2221	799-61
King, Leonard "Len"	Carol	Benefit planning	799-6224	799-62
x Knight, Lloyd R "Captain"	Ellen	Senior Active - Television	797-9330	799-29
* Kourakos, William "Bill"	Sophie	Senior Active - Insurance		799-17
LeClair, Joanne M "Joanne"		Pipeline, Human Resources	767-0457	657-41
Levasseur, Robert C "Bob"		Paper, Technical Services	799-2788	799-18
Livingston, Alec C	Susan	Insurance	773-5661	799-71
Maher, Michael C "Mick"	Elizabeth	Engineering, Electronic Components	775-8100	767-53
* McGovern, Michael K "Mike"		Government, Town	799-5251	767-31
*x Mooers, Daniel W "Dan"	*Shirley	Senior Active - Law, Litigation	775-7444	799-72
Newell, Christopher C "Chris"	Chris	Medical Supply, Orthopedic	839-5410	799-71
Pappas, Nicholas "Nick"	Nickie	Senior Active - Investments	774-6311	799-16
Pearson, Carl Elliot	Angela	General Services	799-2702	799-27
x Roberts, John E Jr "Jack"	Shari	Government, Welfare Administration	767-3201	767-45
Russell, James "Jim"	Vicke	Janitorial Supplies, Distribution	797-8240	773-66
S*x Simpson, Warren S	Velma	Senior Active - Hardware	799-6191	799-02
Skypeck, Thomas E "Tom"	Elizabeth	Investments	773-0344	767-55
† Smith, David E "Dave"	Naomi	Tax, Management	773-3894	799-68
Smith, William P "Bill"	Joan	Investments, Management	775-5678	799-19
Stanton, William R "Bill"	Lucy	Senior Active - Variety Store		761-18
*x Stewart, Douglas "Doug"	*Pamela	Public Utilities, Water	774-5961	767-23
Thompson, Timothy "Tim"	Nancy	Insurance, Financial Services		799-66
* Wagner, Anton G "Tony"	*Sally	Specialty Chemicals	799-8541	799-79
Winship, Roberta "Agnes"		Banking, Consumer Lending	799-6767	883-27
S* Yerxa, Richard J "Dick"	Priscilla	Senior Active - Power Equipment	781-3130	883-42
*x York, William A "Bill"	Diane	Senior Active - Engineering	799-8533	767-08

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January 9, 1991.

January 2, 1991 Meeting

President Joe Conroy opened the meeting at 6:15 pm.

The Invocation was given by Tony Wagner

Club Business

President Elect Bill Kourakos announced the following Visiting Rotarians in attendance:

Rick Yerdon--Portland Club
Capp Cowan---Portland Club
Liz Herman---So.Portand/Maine Mall Club

The following Guest was introduced:

Lore Israel (Jack Roberts)

Song:

The Club was led in song by Joanne LeClaire. Everyone enthusiastically "God Save The Queen".

Happy Dollars:

Dan Mooers, Jack Roberts, Tony Wagner, Fred Janson, Tim Thompson, Chris Newell, Nick Pappas, and Bill Kourakos.

Fine:

Joe Conroy-- picture in newspaper

Raffle:

The raffle was conducted by Joanne LeClaire. Doug Stewart donated the gift certificate for the Channel Crossing. The winner was Fred Janson.

Club Announcements:

January 9th--- Directors Meeting
January 13th-- Prospective Candidates
January 23rd-- Club Assembly
January 30th-- Spouses Night

Club Announcements (continued):

Basketball will start again on Jan. 7th at 7:15 pm. in the Cape Elizabeth Middle School Gym.

Guest Speaker:

Tom Hennessy introduced Debbie Vilasuso, Executive Director, South Portland Health Services. Ms. Vilasuso is a native of Maine who lives in Cape Elizabeth. This organization was founded in 1921. The Home Health Care unit services over 3,000 individuals per year. This group is often referred to as "Visiting Nurses". There are eight nurses who provide different types of care to the sick at home.

Ms. Vilasuso spoke about the other types of existing programs: Child and Maternal Health Program, Child Health Clinic, Preventive Health Program, Child Abuse Program, and various screening tests. The newest program to be initiated is the Hospice Program for the terminally ill.

Ms. Vilasuso stated that home care is cheaper than institutionalized care by a reduction factor of 2 to 3. Home Care is not a replacement for institutionalized care but is an excellent alternative for certain types of care.

Program Schedule:

January 9th---Jeff Hobbs
January 16th---Sam Giftos
February 6th---Classification
February 13th--Dick Holden

Rotary Knowledge:

The title of Paul Harris's autobiography was "My Road to Rotary".

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BASKETBALL SCHEDULE
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Mon.	Jan. 7	7:15-9:15 p.m.	Cape Middle School
Thurs.	Jan. 17	7:15-9:15 p.m.	Cape Middle School
Mon.	Feb. 4	7:15-9:15 p.m.	Cape Middle School
Thurs.	Feb. 14	7:15-9:15 p.m.	Cape Middle School
Mon.	Feb. 25	7:15-9:15 p.m.	Cape Middle School
Mon.	Mar. 4	7:15-9:15 p.m.	Cape Middle School
Thurs.	Mar. 14	7:15-9:15 p.m.	Cape Middle School
Mon.	Mar. 18	7:15-9:15 p.m.	Cape Middle School
Mon.	Apr. 1	7:15-9:15 p.m.	Cape Middle School

NOTES: (1) This schedule has been approved by Sue Weatherbie,
Community Services, 799-2868.

(2) Cost this year is \$3 per night per player for the gym use.
We must pay for the entire year in advance.
Visitors play free their first night.



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The Invocation was given by Alec Livingston.

Club Business:

President Elect Bill Kourakos announced that no Visiting Rotarians or Guests in attendance.

Song:

The Club was led in song by the "Dynamic - Duo" of Agnes Winship and Carl Pearson. Three songs were performed.

Happy Dollars:

"Happy Dollars" were contributed by the following: Mike McGovern, Bob Flynn, Bob Carson, Sam Giftos, Dan Mooers, Tom Skypeck, Frank Gemme, Tim Thompson, Joe Conroy, and Warren Simpson.

Raffle:

This week's raffle was conducted by Jackie Critchley. Bob Flynn won the 50/50 raffle.

Club Announcements:

"Happy Birthday" was sang to Jeff Hobbs.

Warren Simpson and his wife, Velma, celebrated their 48th Wedding Anniversary.

January 13th -- Meeting for potential new members.

January 18th -- Charter Night at Kennebunkport.

Club Announcements (continued):

January 23rd -- Assembly Meeting

January 30th -- Spouse's Night

Perfect Attendance Award was presented to Warren Simpson for 29 years.

Guest Speaker:

Jeff Hobbs introduced Guest Speaker, Bill Hemmens, Executive Director, of "The Center For Grieving Children". Mr. Hemmens founded this organization in 1987 after his sister's death. The Center is dedicated to Mary Hemmens Higgins; to her daughter, Erin; and to childhood and children everywhere. The Center provides help to children and their families in coping with living after a love-one has died. This is the first facility of its kind in northern New England. The mission of the Center is to provide support to children between the ages of 3 and 18.

Mr. Hemmens asked for volunteers to donate their time and talents to help others through a difficult time.

Next Week's Program:

Guest Speaker will be Mr. Joel Russ, Vice President and General Counsel, Maine Chamber Of Commerce and Industry. Mr. Russ is a resident of Cape Elizabeth. The topic will be the " Business Agenda for Maine ". Frank will introduce Mr. Russ.

Rotary Knowledge:

There are approximately 1.08 million Rotarians.

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*x Carson, Robert N Jr "Bob"	*Penny	Senior Active - Beverage Distribution	799-8029
Conroy, Joseph P "Joe"	Elizabeth	Education, Secondary	799-2221 799-5990
Critchley, Jacqueline "Jackie"	Douglas	Banking, Commercial	775-1000 934-2059
Davidson, Dan L	Edie	Public Relations	892-6766 767-4682
Drivas, Peter	Dolores	Senior Active - Engineering	799-6204 799-6204
Dube, Philip A "Phil"	Claudette	Senior Active - Travel Service	767-3366 773-0108
Flynn, Robert "Bob"	Michele	Computers	775-7200 799-7814
§x Gacetta, Daniel J "Dan"		Senior Active - Liquor Distribution	799-4555
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Janson, J Fred "Fred"	Bev	Add'l Active - Real Estate, Commercial	799-8541 767-4101
Johnston, Bryce R	Stacie	Banking, Savings	846-9097
Kane, David M "Dave"	Paula	Banking, Finance	774-5961 775-3213
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King, Leonard "Len"	Carol	Benefit planning	799-6224 799-6224
x Knight, Lloyd R "Captain"	Ellen	Senior Active - Television	797-9330 799-2943
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Levasseur, Robert C "Bob"		Paper, Technical Services	799-2788 799-1879
Livingston, Alec C	Susan	Insurance	773-5661 799-7149
Maher, Michael C "Mick"	Elizabeth	Engineering, Electronic Components	775-8100 767-5346
* McGovern, Michael K "Mike"		Government, Town	799-5251 767-3191
*x Mooers, Daniel W "Dan"	*Shirley	Senior Active - Law, Litigation	775-7444 799-7290
Newell, Christopher C "Chris"	Chris	Medical Supply, Orthopedic	839-5410 799-7151
Pappas, Nicholas "Nick"	Nickie	Senior Active - Investments	774-6311 799-1604
Pearson, Carl Elliot	Angela	General Services	799-2702 799-2702
x Roberts, John E Jr "Jack"	Shari	Government, Welfare Administration	767-3201 767-4526
Russell, James "Jim"	Vicke	Janitorial Supplies, Distribution	797-8240 773-6695
§*x Simpson, Warren S	Velma	Senior Active - Hardware	799-6191 799-0227
Skypeck, Thomas E "Tom"	Elizabeth	Investments	773-0344 767-5549
§ Smith, David E "Dave"	Naomi	Tax, Management	773-3894 799-6878
Smith, William P "Bill"	Joan	Investments, Management	775-5678 799-1925
Stanton, William R "Bill"	Lucy	Senior Active - Variety Store	761-1836
*x Stewart, Douglas "Doug"	*Pamela	Public Utilities, Water	774-5961 767-2351
Thompson, Timothy "Tim"	Nancy	Insurance, Financial Services	799-8541 799-7997
* Wagner, Anton G "Tony"	*Sally	Specialty Chemicals	799-6767 883-2743
Winship, Roberta "Agnes"		Banking, Consumer Lending	781-3130 883-4275
§ York, Richard J "Dick"	Priscilla	Senior Active - Power Equipment	799-8533 767-0883
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JANUARY 16, 1991 MEETING

In the beginning...

President Joe called the meeting to order at approximately 6:15:11. The **Pledge of Allegiance** and **My Country 'tis of Thee** were followed by the invocation given by **Fred Janson**.

Then there was some...

The evening's entree was described by the waitstaff as: **SEAFOODAL-SOMETHING** served with spinach topped with a delicate cheese sauce. The usual salad was offered with a thick, creamy Italian dressing. Desert consisted of two kinds of layer cakes.

And it continued...

President Joe excused **Bill Kourakos** from introducing visiting Rotarians... as there were none. **Past-Pres Roberts** introduced exchange student **Laura Israel** as a most honored guest. **Michael McGovern** led us in song. The selection: **Battle Hymn of the Republic** being more significant than realized, was sung with great emotion. The raffle was won by **David Kane**. He will be enjoying \$25.00 worth of pizza from the House of Pizza. **Past-President Paul Butler** conducted the raffle. **HAPPY DOLLARS** were given by **Frank Gemme, Michael McGovern** and **Dan Davidson**.

Until it was announced...

PROPOSED NEW MEMBERS:

1. Mark Ayres-Accounting
2. John Doyon-Finance Accounting

JANUARY 23rd - CLUB ASSEMBLY (Please have your fund-raising ideas ready)

JANUARY 30th - ??????????????????????

FEBRUARY 23rd - SPOUSES NIGHT (Please stay tuned for more information...)

Also, **PRES Joe** announced that the club has received a couple of postcards from **Dave Hitchcock** who is traveling through **INDIA**. And finally, **Jack Roberts** said that the South Portland Health Services is looking for volunteers for its Board of Directors.

And then introduced...

Joel Russ, General Counsel, Maine Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Russ is a life-long resident of Cape Elizabeth. He lives in the Oakhurst area with his wife and two sons. Joel graduated from the University of Southern Maine School of Law. Immediately upon graduating, he was appointed to head Portland Landmarks. Following his tenure there, Mr. Russ started his own development company that eventually led him to his current position as a lobbyist with the Chamber of Commerce (CC). **more..**



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The CC is a non-profit, non-partisan group representing more than 600 businesses in the state. Nearly 50 percent of its members represent companies with fewer than 25 employees. Joel insisted that all the CC members are equally represented. The CC is led by a 55 member Board of Directors that is going to try its best to wade through the more than 2400 bills filed by the legislature this session. Mr. Russ said that his group reviews each bill and then determines which bills affect its members both positive and negative.

There were some sobering statistics stated relative to the current state of affairs in the State of Maine. Mr. Russ highlighted ten issues seriously impacting the business environment. He went on to pinpoint three areas that the CC will be concentrating its energies this session.

The first is the balance of economic versus environmental value and the inter-relationship between private industry and its public counterpart. Secondly, is the state's inconsistent fiscal policies dealing with tax incentives and the overall business mentality; and finally is a complete overhaul of the state's Workers Compensation program.

Joel's presentation was informative and many thanks to **Frank Gemme** for inviting him.

And in closing...

Dist. Governor Dan Mooers requested a moments silence to reflect upon the news that the multi-national forces in the Persian Gulf launched an offensive against the IRAQ occupation of Kuwait....



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DISTRICT GOVERNOR PRAISED FOR KEYNOTE SPEECH

District Governor Dan Mooers received praise from Bob Carson for his keynote speech at the Charter Night welcoming Kennebunk Rotary Club into District 778.

Dan used this year's R.I. theme as his topic: Honor Rotary With Faith and Enthusiasm...And, according to Bob it was well received by all attending. Dan gave a history of Rotary and of his involvement with it. He spoke with great faith and enthusiasm and indeed gave Rotary honor.

RAFFLE WINNER ACCUSED

Thomas Hennessy won a \$25 Savings Bond provided by **Agnes Winship**. However, there were soon cries of "fraud" as Tom had also sold and distributed tickets. Rumor has it that there is to be an investigation conducted by Price-Waterhouse and Publisher's Clearinghouse as to the authenticity of the raffle. Also, if Johnny Carson releases Ed of his evening duties, he will be selling tickets and drawing the tickets each Wednesday.

TREES, PLEAS AND T.V.???

Bill "X-mas Tree" Kourakas reported that net profit from the Tree Sale was \$9600. on sales of just under \$65,000. He was given a Standing Ovation for his efforts. Bill wished to give heartfelt "thanks" to all who assisted him. He wishes next year's organizer well and suggested that a few of the new programs started this year continue. Included are the Salvation Army drop-off box for canned goods and tree donations to the needy.

The **Dave and Bill Smith Show** specializing in Scholarships reported that there are still some available. Please call for details.

Junior Achievement is looking for volunteers to teach Basic Business Courses. The classes once a week for 12 weeks. Each class is 40 minutes and comes complete with lesson plans.

Also, United Way is soliciting volunteers to staff its many committees...Please

contact **Frank Gemme** for details.

Dan Mooers suggested serious consideration be given to a T.V. Auction as a supplementary Fund-raiser. He reported that the Portsmouth Club netted nearly \$40,000 with their event. Saco hopped on the band-wagon last year and net proceeds were close to \$20,000. **Bill York** volunteered to head the investigative team and quickly recruited **Jim Russell, Len King and Bill Kourakas**.

The mighty Elm might once again grace the streets of South Portland and Cape Elizabeth if **Tony Wagner's** committee is successful in its efforts to gain support from the local Boy Scouts. With the help of **Len King, Agnes Winship and Tom Skypeck**, the group hopes to plant 100 seedlings which will arrive this Spring. Eventually, the seedlings will be sold to area homeowners and donated to local municipalities. If successful, the seedlings will continue to be shipped and the trees sold as a community service and an environmental benefit.

Save the French dressing...**Dan Davidson** is clearing the dust from last year's painters sign-up sheet. The Portland Head Light project looks like a go...please call if you can help.

Chris Newell has offered to organize a "mentor" program for new members. The idea is to help make the transition into the club easier and more comfortable by assigning an "older" member that would be available for questions and guidance. Not only would this benefit the new member, but it would help renew the "faith and enthusiasm" in the older member.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN

Nicholas "Happy Pappy" Pappas led the club in a wonderful tribute to our troops serving in the Persian Gulf. Although the sound of a 'GONG' was heard...Happy was encouraged to direct another...OH CANADA! O'say if you could hear. Please see the rotation schedule for Nick's next songleader slot sometime in November...

BITS AND PIECES

Warren Simpson gave the invocation. **President Joe Conroy** introduced...No visitors! No guests! New barkeep! French dressing...

Michael McGovern suggested the need for new songbooks. It was heard that Portland has great books...please make-up at least once a month at Portland and "borrow" a copy so that we might all see it.

Boothbay and Damariscotta-New Castle are seeking to be redistricted to 778. And in a related note, the Maine Mall Club has changed its name to: Casco Bay Sunrise-Portland Area...more details as they rise.

Lore Israel will be staying with the **Jack Roberts** family for the remainder of the school year.

Dan Mooers has been nominated to serve on **Rotary's Council of Legislation**. The Council is responsible for all legislation regarding R.I. The representative will report to his respective district as to any changes and/or updates.

A LA CARTE..from the chef's desk-

Chicken Creole, usually served over rice or pasta, was delicately placed beside creamy, whipped potatoes and garden fresh peas. The salad-crisp, freshly picked and properly chilled was once again offered with the now famous French dressing. Although, rumor has it that this type of dressing can be an excellent paint additive...lets ask Mike what color the trim is at Portland Head?

Following the entree, Mocha-raisin iced-cream was served with the usual selection of International Coffee and assorted French Cognacs and Imported Cuban cigars...

COMING ATTRACTIONS

January 30th - Very Special Arts-Maine

Host: Dave Webster

February 23rd - Opposites Night

February?????- Belgium: A Pictorial

March 6th - Wayne Davis: Trainriders

"JUST DO IT!" -Bob Carson



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VERY SPECIAL ARTS OF MAINE LEAVES REPORTER ENLIGHTENED IN THE DARK

Correspondent **Michael McGovern**

Reporter Michael McGovern was left in the dark Wednesday evening as the guest speaker turned out the lights at the Purpoodock Club.

David Webster, Executive Director of Very Special Arts of Maine provided the Rotary Club with a slide show highlighting a program founded by Jean Kennedy Smith.

Special Arts provides the developmentally disabled an opportunity to express themselves through art. Many participants have benefited immensely by the hands-on approach to communications and learning.

Webster said that there is also a band which allows the participants to enhance their abilities to work together. He feels that the arts are an increasingly intricate part of society and that any communities that don't embrace the idea are losing the opportunities for cohesiveness.

Very Special Arts of Maine needs board members, mentors, and fundraising ideas for a \$10,000 goal. We thank Mr. Webster for his presentation and **Bryce Johnston** for hosting him.

PORTLAND CLUB MEMBERS SEEKING ASYLUM

There were at least 3 members of the Portland Club "making up" Wednesday evening along with 3 members from other area clubs. There is speculation that the issue may be related to dietary concerns.

Najeeb Lotfey, a regular visitor to the South Portland-Cape Elizabeth Club, was quite impressed by the evening's dinner fare. He enjoyed the desert so much that he requested a second helping only to be turned down. However, **past-Pres Paul Butler** assisted the weary Lotfey and gave him the treasured morsel.

It was mentioned that **President-elect Bill Kourakas** was absent having prior knowledge of the onslaught of visitors. It can only be assumed that he was involved in secret negotiations to provide the asylum that may be requested.

SP-CE ROTARY IS LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD CITIZENS

The Rotary Awards Program is looking for nominations for those citizens who best exemplify R. I.'s **Service above Self** in their daily activities. According to **Bill Smith**, there will be four awards given this year.

Two awards will be given to each community. One for an outstanding municipal employee and the other for an outstanding resident. Deadline for nominations is the 15th of March with the awards being presented mid-June. The winners receive a beautiful hand-crafted plaque made from imported hardwoods and highlighted by a gold nameplate...

Last year's winners of this prestigious award were: Bill

Jordan, Frederica Wagnis both of Cape Elizabeth; and Joseph Greeley of South Portland.

DID YOU KNOW?

Classified on the rotation schedule indicates that some lucky person will be giving a classification talk. **Chris Newell** will be the host this Wednesday February 6th.

While on that subject... the Official Rotary Rotation Schedule is available. It provides weekly duties through September 18th. Copies are available from **Pres. Joe Conroy** or myself. Also, **Frank Gemme** would like to remind everyone that it is up to the individual to get a replacement if he/she is to be absent and/or unable to fulfill his/her weekly duty.

Last night **Bill Smith** gave the invocation. **Dick Yerxa** provided the raffle prize. **Bill York** collected tickets, and **Nick Pappas** got all wet winning a Honeywell Water Meter...

The desert wasn't ice-cream! It was fudge-swirled, vanilla flavored yogurt. And yes, that was Italian dressing available to compliment the salad... the Entree was a delightful filet mignon, diced and delicately spiced, served over a bed of fluffy, white rice.

Lenny King celebrated his 29th birthday for the 20th time January 25th. **Michael McGovern** reminded all interested parties about the District Conference being held in Quebec during June. This will be the last one involving #779...

Jack Roberts, Wayne Goodrich and Bill York gave Happy Dollars. Bill actually gave two... but I'm not sure if the second one was to celebrate his daughter's assignment as an exchange student to Indonesia next year OR if it was the second installment on his tip to the barkeep in New York City that charged him \$6.50 for a martini...

Bill got his money's worth by plugging the Portland Player's current production: NUNSENSE. Also, he is still soliciting fund-raising ideas... no matter how crazy they might sound... how about a New York City night? Please contact: **Bill Kourakas, Len King or Jim Russell.**

COMING EVENTS.....

February 6th..... Director's Meeting
February 23rd..... Other Half Night**
**This evening's event (Saturday) marks the 86th anniversary of Rotary International AND celebrates World Understanding and Peace Day. Governor Dan Mooers is the host for the evening.

February 6 Invocation..... **Dan Davidson**
Raffle..... **Bill York**
Song Leader..... **Jim Russell**
Sgt at Arms..... **Bob Flynn**

February 13 Invocation..... **Peter Drivas**
Raffle..... **Dave Bagdasarian**
Song Leader..... **Warren Simpson**
Sgt at Arms..... **Bill Stanton**

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NEW FUND-RAISER IS SUCCESS...

Bill York has successfully launched a new fund-raiser that could set records throughout the Non-profit world. In less than ten minutes he helped the club raise \$44.00! That's right! It works out to \$4.40 per minute or one hour per member and we could raise in excess of \$10,000.

You see, first Bill misunderstood the Official Rotation Schedule and didn't provide a raffle prize...so, the evening's prize was a 50-50. Then, he bought his ticket...sat back...was asked to draw the winning ticket...sat back...and won!

Immediately there were cries of "fraud" and "fix" to which Bill casually replied:

"Whatever is collected for Happy Dollars...I will match." And again...sat back.

Too bad for New York Bill. **Bob Flynn** was in town and rallied the club to come forth with dollars that caused Bill to write a check!

Editor's Note: Due to the massive onslaught of Happy Dollar givers it is impossible to list everyone's name.

THE HIP BONE'S CONNECTED TO THE THIGH BONE...

Chris Newell gave one of the most disjointed classification talks in club history. Claiming to be ill-prepared, Chris got a leg up on everyone by introducing a guest named Arthur Itis. He told us about Chris' occupation.

Chris and Brian Williamson are co-owner's of ORTHOEAST, a medical supply company specializing in orthopedic "spare parts" and instruments required for their proper installation and maintenance. Essentially, he is a salesman...and proud of it! He and his partner cover a territory comprised of New Hampshire, Maine and Vermont. They have another full-time salesperson that assists in this very competitive market.

The typical week for Chris consists of lots of travel and at least three days in the operating rooms of area hospitals assisting the surgeons with technical information relative to his products. He usually has a vast inventory with him as there are many different sizes and types of "parts" for different people. According to Chris this caused some apprehensive moments when he was first married...but he assured his wife that she would not find closets stuffed with body parts.

The type of items sold by ORTHOEAST are mostly synthetic pins, ball joints, bearings made from Titanium, Cobalt Chrome and high density polyethylene. Through the years there have been dramatic improvements in the technologies used in orthopedics. However, it was cautioned that the intent of orthopedic surgery is to lessen the pain and to allow the patient the ability to maintain mobility and independence. It is not a guarantee to complete renewal of the body and/or the previous level of activity.

Overall, his presentation was the best in recent history and was deserving of an extra hand...

NEW MEMBERS INDUCTED

Two new members were inducted into the South Portland-Cape Elizabeth Club. **Laurenz Schmidt** was introduced by **Mick Maher**. Laurenz works with Mick at National Semi-Conductor. He is married and lives in Gorham with his wife and two daughters. Originally from Germany, Laurenz has traveled extensively. He enjoys activities that increase the Cardiovascular system and is looking forward to his involvement with the club. Already his personal ideals and achievements parallel the Rotary ideals.

Michael McGovern introduced the second inductee. **Mark Ayers**, a partner with McDonald, Page Corporation lives in Cape Elizabeth with his wife and son. He specializes in automobile dealer financing and related areas. Mark was born in Portland. He attended Gorham Schools and graduated from UMO. He enjoys skiing and running.

Welcome to you both!

Bits and Pieces...

Jim Russell was voted Official Songleader by **HE-MAN Flynn** for his talent and brevity. Jim led us in a rousing rendition of: When The Saints Go Marching In... Hopefully they won't go on an empty stomach...but then again if they had the choice between Pasta Tube Cannons and Green Pea Cannonballs...perhaps they would! All was not lost. The Banana Cake with Triple Sec Vanilla frosting made even the "Return of the French Dressing" re-run seem bearable...film at 11:00!

Perfect attendance without make-ups: **Butler, Conroy, Critchley, Gemme, Goodrich, King, Levassuer, McGovern, Mooers and Pearson**. Perfect attendance with make-ups: **Giftos, Kourakas, Roberts, Russell, Simpson, Smith, Stanton, Stewart, Thompson and York**. Attendance for the month of January: **86.84%**

Invocation given by **Dan Davidson**. Introductions of visitors and guests...not applicable! **Bill Smith** reminds everyone that the deadline is nearing for nominations to this year's **Rotary Awards Program**.

Happy B-day to **Jackie Critchley**. Happy Anniversary to **Alec and Susan Livingston**. Many thanks to all from **Dan Mooers and Shirley** for a wonderful year!

PREVIEW OF COMING ATTRACTIONS....

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| FEBRUARY 13 | Invocation..... | Peter Drivas |
| | Raffle..... | Dave Bagdasarian |
| | Song Leader..... | Warren Simpson |
| | Sgt at Arms..... | Bill Stanton |
| FEBRUARY 21 | Invocation..... | Phil Dube |
| | Raffle..... | Paul Butler |
| | Song Leader..... | Tom Skypeck |
| | Sgt at Arms..... | Phil Dube |

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Jack Roberts will be sponsoring the program on the 27th of February.

SPICE ROTARY CLUB BASKET BALL DRIBBLES...

There seems to be a lack of support for the basketball program. According to Dan Davidson there are plenty of positions available. So, for those who lost their schedule this space will be dedicated to remind you of the dates a couple of weeks in advance...

THUR FEB 14 7:15-9:15 Cape Middle School

MON FEB 25 7:15-9:15 Cape Middle School

MON MAR 4 7:15-9:15 Cape Middle School

It costs \$3.00 per player per night. Guests play free the first night. If you need further info, please contact Dan, Jack Roberts or John Connell.

AN ODE TO JACKIE'S BADGE

I saw it laying there all by itself.
Like an unwanted book upon a shelf
Its face turned upwards for all to see
Asking "Why doesn't she wear me?"
With lightning speed I asked Jackie "Why?"
As quickly asked she gave a reply-
It's to mark her place, said she, as the moments
were fleeting;
So everyone knows just where she is eating
Then to me she posed a question:
I was taken back by the mere suggestion...
Was I going to report about her badge on the table?
As a reporter... you bet, as long as I'm able!

Super Bowl XXVI odds

Danny Sheridan's odds against winning the 1992 Super Bowl, to be held in the Metrodome in Minneapolis:

Buffalo Bills	5:1	Denver Broncos	100:1
New York Giants	6:1	Seattle Seahawks	100:1
San Francisco	6:1	New Orleans Saints	200:1
Los Angeles Raiders	10:1	Green Bay Packers	750:1
Philadelphia Eagles	12:1	Detroit Lions	1,000:1
Washington Redskins	12:1	Dallas Cowboys	5,000:1
Kansas City Chiefs	20:1	Indianapolis Colts	10,000:1
Houston Oilers	25:1	San Diego Chargers	10,000:1
Minnesota Vikings	25:1	Atlanta Falcons	50,000:1
Miami Dolphins	50:1	Tampa Bay Bucs	50,000:1
Los Angeles Rams	50:1	Phoenix Cardinals	100,000:1
Chicago Bears	50:1	New York Jets	250,000:1
Pittsburgh Steelers	75:1	Cleveland Browns	750,000:1
Cincinnati Bengals	75:1	N.E. Patriots	1 million:1

Organizational myth

It's widely believed that, to use your time most effectively, a piece of paper should only be handled once.

Reality: Most organized people handle paper *twice*—first to sort it into tasks, then to act on it.

... the US federal debt in 1990 was \$12,848 per person? Total debt was \$3.2 trillion. Five years before: Total debt was \$1.8 trillion—\$7,614 per person. Ten years before: Total debt was \$0.9 trillion—\$3,981 per person.



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SMILE!! I'VE BEEN WORKING ON THE RAILROAD

P.S. Someone's in the kitchen with Dinah

Warren Simpson, a charter member of the SPCE club, was the songleader for the first time in 29 years... and look what we've been missing. He led us in two songs. First, to set the mood, he selected "SMILE". Then, he dedicated "I've Been Working on the Railroad" to Ray Frost. It seems that Ray was songleader for the better part of two months quite a few years ago...for a good part of that time there was work being done on the railroad... and the club sang about it!

According to unconfirmed sources, Warren would like to substitute for anyone unable or unwilling to lead the club in song. He can't stand the thought of waiting another ten months.

WEATHER SCHOOL

How much energy (as a percentage of total energy released) does the Earth receive from the Sun? That question was asked by Wednesday evening's speaker.

Dick Holden introduced Channel 6 meteorologist Joe Cupo who spoke about 'BALANCE'. Confused? So was everyone else until Joe put it into perspective.

It seems that Joe's mom sent him a media care package from his hometown. Included was an article about water...ya' know, the liquid stuff that covers nearly 80% of the Earth... which is kind of mysterious since the temperature here is too warm for the individual atoms that combine to form this life-sustaining molecule...

Don't worry, Joe told us that the two hydrogens and one oxygen are good buddies and share a Polar kind of relationship due to the Vanderwall (sp?) forces they share...

It doesn't really matter HOW? as long as it does. This is an example of the amazing abilities Mother Nature possesses to balance our planetary environment. He cited a few examples of balance playing a part in the so-called "Greenhouse Effect" as well.

Bill York asked Joe why he has lasted so long in Maine. Simply put, he likes it here. The native New Yorker has been in Maine for 12 years. He enjoys the people and he loves meteorology. Joe explained with enthusiasm the advances in the field and says that in the not too distant future the 3-5 day forecasts will be as accurate as the current 1-2 day forecasts... Right!?

Tom Skypeck asked for the lowdown on tomorrow's storm (by the time you receive this bulletin it will have been last week's storm)

"Probably 3-6 inches of snow before changing over to mixed precipitation... a real mess!" But, it depends how it tracks...

Michael McGovern, substituting for the absent Joe Conroy and Bill Kourakas, presented Joe with an Official Rotary Weather Mug. He suggested Joe set it outside and

if it was full in the morning his forecast would probably be correct. Joe thanked the club for the mug but kept repeating...

"... Dave Bagdasarian is supposed to be at Rotary and he leaves early to go skating... next week he's supposed to fill a hole in my teeth and he's going skiing..."

TOUR de BELGIQUE

Deux jeunes filles tres speciales de Belgique vont presenter au club des dias de... their native Belgium on February 27th. **Lore Israel and Laurence Jardot**, both Rotary Exchange Students, hosted by SPCE and MM have collaborated on this program.

The students are looking forward to a pictorial journey which will educate us and remind them of their loved ones at home. Lets present ourselves in full-force for what promises to be an interesting evening... no passports required!

****Jack Roberts provided this announcement completely in French... my computer doesn't speak French. However, the first line simply reads: Two very special young ladies from Belgium will present the club with a slide presentation of...**

BITS AND PEACES

District Governor Dan Mooers made referenceto RI President's letter that Mike McGovern read earlier stressing the importance of promoting peace in a non-political way. Dan made two requests of everyone: **A:** Be present at the February 23rd meeting so that we may share together a Moment of Peace and **B:** Wear a piece of white ribbon behind your Rotary pin symbolizing peace and neutrality through the ideals of Rotary International.

Jack Roberts provided the invocation. **Agnes Winship** conducted the raffle for a Bookland Gift Certificate provided by **Dave Bagdasarian**... and the winner was... **Jeff Hobbs**.

There were no visiting Rotarians and no guests. There were a few very important reminders... **Bob Carson** still hasn't heard from all invitees to next Saturday's "OTHER HALF" dinner. The event marks the 86th Anniversary of RI and observes **WORLD UNDERSTANDING AND PEACE DAY. Please RSVP ASAP TO BOBC!!**

Jack Roberts said the courts are in fine shape for some good B-Ball! Coming up:

Mon February 3rd 7:15-9:15 Cape Middle School
Mon March 4th 7:15-9:15 Cape Middle School
Thurs March 14th 7:15-9:15 Cape Middle School

Happy Dollars were given by: **Mick Maher, Jeff Hobbs, Nick Pappas, Warren Simpson, Bob Carson, Mike McGovern, Frank Gemme, Bob Flynn, Phil Dube, Tim Thompson and Bill York.**

Bill was especially happy that he didn't have to match this week's Happy Dollar take...

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WHAT'S COOKING

There was a rumor around the club that the management of Purpooduck received copies of the bulletin... this set the culinary review staff scrambling!?

Recently there were reports that the evening's fare wasn't *up to par*, especially the sausage *lynx*... It was even suggested that someone from Rotary International *drive* to town and put an end to all this *putting* about...

Then, a *punny* thing happened... the food improved... Italian dressing graced the freshly tossed salads; Cornish Hens stuffed with lobster and shrimp were served with generous portions of red potatoes and de-cobbed corn.

The dessert gave new meaning to cheese cake. Placed upon a pool of Truffles liqueur and topped with your choice of cherries, strawberries or blueberries, the delicate, rich cheese was... unimaginable!

Of course, the usual International Coffee and Sambuca selection was presented topping out another "out-of-this-world" experience.

COMING ATTRACTIONS...

February 23rd.... Lobster!

February 27th.... Flynn

(You're doing the invocation, Bob!) And joining you as hosts for the evening's festivities... **Bob Carson** has the Raffle; **Dave Smith** is leading us in song; **Jack Roberts** is taking us on a trip with two young ladies...

March 6th has **Dan Gacetta** giving the Invocation; **Joe Conroy** selling the lottery; **Bill Smith** directing our voices; and **Dave Kane** sponsoring a person hoping to take all of Maine on a trainride... CHOO! CHOO!



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WORLD UNDERSTANDING AND PEACE DAY...IT WORKED!

More than 100 Rotarians and their "other half" companions turned out Saturday February 23rd to celebrate the 86th Anniversary of Rotary International and to observe a moment of silent reflection for World Understanding and Peace...

Joined by exchange students representing 12 foreign countries, the members of the South Portland-Cape Elizabeth Rotary hosted, in conjunction with District Governor Dan Mooers, an evening filled with love, laughter, lobster and lotsa coffee. Also attending were members of clubs from Maine, New Hampshire and Massachusetts.

The Fellowship Hour provided ample opportunity to get acquainted with fellow Rotarians and to meet the students. It also provided time to prepare for the Purpoodock version of a "Traditional Maine Boiled Lobster Dinner".

Hopefully the tradition of the Purpoodock version will not become one. It would be wrong to expound about the elegant place settings with fine china, polished silver and clean, white linens... simply put, it would only upset those that DID attend. To continue on with descriptions of lobster, properly boiled to a lovely pink-red color allowing for the delicate meat to maintain its succulent juices, as it is displayed upon a bed of wild rice centered between a sprig of parsley and slice of lemon in the shape of the Rotary wheel... such carrying on would be... wonderful! It would not pass the 4-Way Test however!

The "dinner" was followed by an International Coffee Tasting. Gerri and Sam Brook, owners of Portland Coffee Roasting Company presented six coffees representing Turkey, Columbia, Hawaii and... sorry, I'm not a coffee drinker... but the reception from coffee-drinkers was quite positive.

The evening continued with two video excursions. The first to Mexico and the second to Festival Night at the International Assembly. The latter provided a glimpse of Dan Mooers (and other governors) in their secret life as actors.

Overall the evening was a great success. It provided a time to interact with people from around the globe and to confirm R.I.'s commitment to World Understanding and Peace...

"LET THERE BE PEACE ON EARTH"

Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me;
Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be.
With God as our Father, we the family.
Let us walk with each other in perfect harmony.
Let peace begin with me, let this be the moment now.
With every step I take, let this be my solemn vow;
To take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally.
Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me.

BRUXELLES SPROUTS SUPER STUDENTS

Two exchange students from Belgium provided the club with an extraordinary trip to their homeland. Laurence Jadot and Lore Israel, both 18-years-old are spending the current year with SPCE and CBSPA (South Portland-Cape Elizabeth and Casco Bay Sunrise of Portland Area... Formerly MEMALLPORTAREA)

Laurence is actually from Yuoiv, Belgium. She is an only child but states that she now has two brothers in Cape Elizabeth and a sister in Canada. She is undecided about college.

Lore is from Bruxelles. She has two brothers and an exchange brother from Brazil currently living in her home. She is planning on studying Biology at the University of Bruxelles.

These young ladies presented a delightful trip which opened the eyes of all club members to the beauties of Belgium.

MISCELLANY...

The tall, tanned treeman has returned from the Southern United States to introduce guests and visitors. **Pres-elect Bill Kourakas** had the pleasure to mention Earl Leavitt and Dan-beside-Tom...

Fred Janson provided the invocation and following another "traditional" dinner **Dave Smith** led us in song. Of course, since we sang: **Take me out to the ball game**, Dave couldn't help but sharing a bit of Clemen's salary trivia... Did you know that Roger makes more money per pitch than Dan Mooers makes per billable hour?

Speaking of dollars... the raffle, conducted by **Agnes Winship** raised \$20 for **Lore Israel** since she won the prize which consisted of two wrapped boxes given by **Bob Carson** unable to be consumed by a minor so it was auctioned by **Jack Roberts** and purchased by the **Bill of York** and the **Winship Banker**.

Two Cape Elizabeth High School students told of the adventures of Soccer and Theatre as it inter-relates with the world of academia. Jody Lewis, the star athlete and Garth Altenburg, the thespian kicked about some of their achievements and future expectations to a crowd that was definitely a captive audience. **Tony Wagner** and **Frank Gemme** introduced the two with great enthusiasm having personally known them and watched as they have grown throughout their lives. Tony would also like old copies of the Rotarian to use in making folders for student speakers and visitors... please bring them to the club and hand them to the Sargent-At-Arms.

There were lots of Happy Washington's given by: **Frank Gemme, Mick Maher, Sam Giftos, Dick Yerxa, Jack Roberts, Bill Smith, Wayne Goodrich, Laurenz Schmidt, Tom Skypeck and Tom Hennessey.**

(CONT)

AYNE GOODRICH

1 ASHBOURNE COURT
SOUTH PORTLAND, MAINE 04106



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"There's a 10-day trial period to see if you're compatible."

REMINDER... Director's meeting next Wednesday. **Pres-Joe Conroy** invited all to attend. Also, the CBSPA will change its Thursday morning meetings at 7:15 to the Holiday Inn By The Sea effective March 7th.

BARGAINS!! Three nights in Quebec for \$900... talk to Joe about bus transportation... speaking of going places, **Bill Kourakas** will be attending a PET Conference in the near future... Don't ask!

MENTOS... Coming soon to a Rotary Club near you! **Mick Maher** will make available a catalog of various items relating to Rotary. Please see Mick for more information.

A split second is the time that elapses between the moment you step into a perfectly adjusted shower and the moment when someone turns on the washing machine and the dishwasher and flushes every toilet in the house.

An ironworker was nonchalantly walking the high beams above the street on a new skyscraper, while the pneumatic hammers made a nerve-jangling racket and the compressor below shook the whole steel structure.

When the worker came down, a man who'd been watching him tapped his shoulder. "I was amazed at your calmness up there. How did you happen to go to work on a job like this?"

"Well," said the other, "I used to drive a school bus, but my nerves gave out."

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ALL ABOARD....

According to Wayne Davis, the sound of "All Aboard" will once again echo in the Maine air.

Davis is part of TRAINRIDERS/Northeast, a group "working to bring passenger train service to the Northeast".

The group was formed in June of 1989. It is comprised of current and potential trainusers, interested citizens, businesses and associations committed to bringing modern and efficient passenger trains to Northern New England.

The presentation, complete with a slide show (the second in two weeks) was very informative and thought provoking. Along with the visual aids, Mr. Davis made available printed information which provided facts and figures on the Economic, Environmental, Growth Management and Convenience benefits of trains. Additionally, the goals of TRAINRIDERS/Northeast is expounded on by the literature.

Davis added some very vivid examples of what trains used to be thought of as:

"... arriving at South Station... one could run out of the tunnel and if the pigeons didn't get you, the winos would!"

And he concluded with the progress in European railways as well as the great improvements in Boston and Washington, D.C.

To obtain more information you can write to: **TrainRiders Northeast**
Box 4869 * Downtown
Station
Portland, ME 04112

Or, you can call: **879-7245**

The club would like to thank **Dave Kane** for hosting Wayne Davis and the TRAINRIDERS/Northeast.

SING! EVERYONE SING!

The first selection in the songbook was chosen by **Bill Stanton**... and boy can Bill lead a song!

Bill York was retained by Bill to help with voice coaching. The two did a fine job... however; there was a rumor that the advertising executives at Purpoodock Club might be naming

to next week's meeting because of the song's lyrics...

"All of your troubles will vanish like bubbles" ... they thought would be perfect for the next **VANISH** commercial. But, as of press time, they've decided to hire the **TIDY BOWL** man. They lured him away from Johnson and Johnson by promising him a bigger boat.

FROM THE KITCHEN??

Good question... although I must admit, the salad really was fresh, crisp and surprisingly refreshing... without the extra-tangy French dressing.

The entree was a deceptive delight. Thinly sliced London broil with sauteed Bermuda onions was bathed beneath a rich, royal red wine based gravy.

Delicious, diced carrots delicately decorated with dried Durkee parsley was set beside a half-baked, home-grown Aroostock County potato....

But wait! The ultimate culinary masterpiece was yet to arrive... yes! The Purpoodock mock-Apple Crisp.

It was served in the usual fruit cocktail, champagne toast, ice-cream, what-have-you multi-purpose crystal goblet. McIntosh Apples, diced and spiced, were found beneath a generous, nutrient laden blanket of nut bran cereal. And... at the apex of this creation... a teasing taste of hand-whipped cream... Mmmmmmmmm!!!

TIMEOUT!!

Buy Old Masters. They fetch a much better price than old mistresses.

-Lord Beaverbrook

Some are wise
And some are otherwise
-Proverb

Behind every successful man is a woman with nothing to wear.

-Anonymous

The only way to keep your health is to eat what you don't want, drink what you don't like, and do what you'd rather not.

-Mark Twain

MISCELLANY...

The following things are said in rhyme-

Or you could call it 'rap' if you can keep good time.

Happy Dollars given by Kourakas, Davidson, Thompson and Flynn

In fact, for winning the raffle... the Bob Flynn did it again

But that's just part of it-there's a story to tell

The winner was originally the guy that rings the bell

But President Conroy was being polite

When his number was drawn... he said he gave the gift that night

So the Bill of York drew number three-eighty-five

And that's when Flynn started to jive...

Quickly he was quieted by the future President

Who told of a PET seminar that he recently went

He also introduced visitors that numbered two

Scott Carlisle from Portland and from Windham... Dick Jordan... who?

Tim Thompson was next with details of THEATRE NIGHT

Hors D'oeuvres and refreshments it should be a delight

Broadway Bound is the name of the show

Part three of a trilogy... Neil Simon's if you didn't know

For further details contact Tim at his office or home

773-4190 is work and 799-6669 is the other phone

The invocation by Dan Gacetta was given

And Happy B-day to Dan Mooers for 39 years he's been living

Three more dates to dribble on the courts

Mon 3/18; Thurs 3/28; and Mon 4/1... with basketballs not torts

And next week's duties so that noone is baffled

Frank Gemme the invocation, Jackie Critchley item to be raffled

Len King host the program... this rhyming can't go on...

Bill Smith - Congratulations! You're leading us in song!



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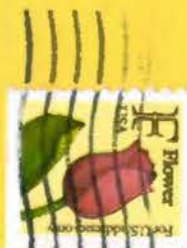
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A DAY AT MAINE'S ECONOMY BEACH...

According to Steve Adams, Maine's Chief Economist, the future doesn't look too bad...

He also admitted that economics is more accurate analyzing historical data than predicting futures.

Adams said that Maine was caught by three waves (more like a tsunami) which played a dramatic role in the state's current situation.

Not unlike the other New England states, Maine was enjoying the sun in the "C.L.U.B. M.E.D." atmosphere of the 1980's... Consumer's Love of Unsecured Borrowed Money Equals Debt!

And, like its sister states, was crushed by the Feds raising interest rates, investors became cautious, and speculators pulling back.

Then, consumers got very conservative; SO DAMN IN SANE tried to do his thing; and the world reacted by raising oil prices which broke the spirit of the Northeast and blackened the sands of Paradise.

BUT, that's okay! The State of Maine was lucky enough to benefit from the quantitative improvements in technology, manufacturing and the overall business infrastructure.

Looking ahead, Mr. Adams predicts ten years of qualitative improvements which will allow Maine to renew its "Club Med" membership. However, these improvements will have to take place in all industries as the marketplace is becoming more competitive.

The most important industry will be service related. Productivity and overall quality will have to change dramatically.

Steve is convinced that following February's numbers (rumored to be the bleakest of all) the economy should improve... ever so slight... but improve nonetheless.

He fielded questions ranging from Capital Gains Investment Incentives (CGII's) to Environmental Rules and Regulations (ER&R). Both answers were put to rest with the mandate that everyone has to pitch in to look at "the big picture" of the future. The "I want it... Gotta' have it... What's in it for me?" mentality has to stop.

WET AND HEALTHY

Paul Butler will be hosting James Murton, owner of North Country Rivers Rafting Company, this Wednesday. The program should move along **rapidly**.

Canoe (can you) think of a more **current** topic... perhaps Joanne LeClair is more **fit** to answer. She is hosting the program on the 3rd of April.

Thomas Downing, Director of USM's Lifeline Center for Fitness, Recreation and Rehabilitation will present: "USM Lifeline: Walk/Jog to Heart Transplant".

It may not be any more current, but rumors are **circulating** that it's stough to **beat**. Of course, these 'punny' little stories are nothing compared to the actual presentations... **BETHERE!**

CHARITABLE FUND REVENUE SHORTFALL SOLUTION FOUND

Using a complex mathematical formula which combines a bit of theatrical magic, Tim Thompson has found a way to offset our Christmas Tree Sales revenue shortfall.

THE FORMULA: 4-11-91 GO TO $CB^2 \times 1/3 + B^2M + B^2 \times 2/3$;

EQUALS: The South Portland-Cape Elizabeth Theatre Night April 11th, 1991 at the Thaxter Theatre in South Portland. You'll see (C) Broadway Bound (B^2) which is the last of Neil Simon's trilogy including: Brighton Beach Memoirs (B^2M) and Bilouxi Blues (B^2).

This final part has Jerome returning from the Army to enlist his brother Stanley in an adventure to fame and fortune. There will be sub-plots and twists along the way through this entertaining narrative.

Please call Tim if you have questions and/or if you need more tickets... or if you can't sell the tickets which you should've received... which if you haven't received them... call Tim.

Now, if you are confused... call Tim. If you're not confused... CU@B² 4-11-91!! By the way, this night is in lieu of Wednesday's meeting 4-10-91.

CARLTUNES

Each week by another name, This section won't be the same. Here you'll try to figure out What this guy is all about. What was missed at our meeting last Do I read it S-L-O-W or fast?

Happy Dollars were given by those Like Warren Simpson... TV shows Upon which Bob Eliot reported that Snow Shovels is not where it's at! New York City Bill... chauvinist... Said something that wasn't missed By Davidson, Dan nor by the ladies three:

"Hang him high from the nearest tree!" Bob Levasseur gave, so too Frank Gemme, I believe that's all of them! Visiting... Dick Jordan... again... Has Windham already banished him? Frank Gemme was the raffle winner Invocation... Sam Giftos... before dinner

Montana bound Tim Thompson led the song "HOME ON THE RANGE" sung loud and strong!

The rhymes will stop short Because there's two dinner reviews to report...

So with a question I'll stop and let you ponder if you will:

"Does Purpoodock have a special team trained in case of a French Dressing spill?"

DINING OUT

March 13th

The crisp, white linens seemed to melt over the tops of the tables... (too bad the butter couldn't do the same over the rolls)... the fine China was placed delicately so that the Prime Rib, sliced thin and stuffed with a lightly seasoned spinach and Butternut squash souffle wouldn't reach too high into the clouds of fluffy-white potatoes.

Banana cake laced with vanilla frosting and fresh whipped cream were offered with cognac and mixed liquores.

March 20

After a dream-like dinner last week it was surprising that the chef chose to follow-up with another classic...

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DINING OUT (cont from pg. 2)

Beginning with the fresh tossed greens and colors salad, one's taste buds could get no relief.

Immediately, spiced prosciutto ham displayed beside baked macaroni Au Gratin was served. As usual, French wines were offered...but, noone drank. The true test of taste were not to be disturbed by even the finest of vintage.

Desert followed...another masterpiece! Imported cheeses, hand stirred and poured onto a crust of sweet croutons to yield a cheesecake unknown in this part of the world...

CORRECTIONS

The Editor apologizes for anyone's bottom that was inadvertently cut off...it was an equipment malfunction at our printing plant...

BY GEORGE! BY LAWS!

Please see the two suggested revisions to Sections 5 and 6 of our By-Laws. These changes must be published in order to hold a vote...

If you are as confused as I, please speak up at the next meeting so that matters can be clarified. Thanks.

COMING UP...

There will be no meeting 4-10-91
Your attendance at Theatre Night on the 11th is respectfully requested...

March 27

Invocation
Wayne Goodrich
Song Leader
Doug Stewart
Raffle
Dan Davidson
Sgt at Arms
Bob Flynn

April 3

Invocation
Thomas Hennessey
Song Leader
Tony Wagner
Raffle
Phil Dube
Sgt at Arms
William Stanton

PROGRAMS

April 17th - Bob Levasseur
April 24th - Mick Maher

BROADWAY BOUND...
April 11, 1991

Section 5 should read as follows:

Before May 1 the President-elect shall prepare or cause to be prepared a budget of estimated income and estimated expenditures of the year for internal and external funds. The membership shall be notified at least twice in writing that the budget has been presented to the Board of Directors and that it will be voted on at a specified meeting in June. When the budget has been agreed to by the board, it shall be reported to the membership no later than July 1 and shall stand as the limit of expenditures for the respective purposes unless otherwise ordered by action of the board.

Section 6 should read as follows:

At the end of each fiscal year, the external fund shall have a cash balance that equals or exceeds the net income from the Christmas tree sale of that year and the club's liabilities.



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T'S ENOUGH TO MAKE YOU SICK!

The President-elect of Blue Cross of Maine showed some sobering statistics Wednesday evening relating to health care costs in Maine and throughout the country.

Andrew "Mickey" Green, a Cape Elizabeth resident, told the club about the continuing inequities between personal, private and public sector support of health care and the disproportionate costs.

Although Green said that Maine did a better job than some states at containing costs... that still isn't saying much. The numbers presented are in the mid-B's currently and are rapidly approaching the high-B's... That's "B" or... BILLIONS!! The current trend has the numbers quickly nearing the T's by the mid nineties... That's "T" that rhymes with "B" and that spells: TRILLION TROUBLE!

Mickey, a prospective Rotarian, hopes that legislation will be passed by Congress in the not too distant future to revamp the current U.S. system.

He said that the comparisons to, and possibilities of mirroring the Canadian System are still being considered. Too, he said there are some glimmers of hope that progress will be made... and it has to if the United States expects to remain competitive in the world marketplace.

There was emphasis placed on the fact that the issue no longer affects just the poor. The health care problem exists within the working middle-class as small businesses are unable to provide benefits and remain competitive.

Mr. Green's presentation, including visual aids, lasted about 10 minutes. He said normally it would take 45 minutes to present such detailed information... but he knew we were incredibly intellectual and capable of absorbing, assorting and retaining the much better than most

creating a High School Constitution. She said that the students have been soliciting opinions from teachers and staff relative to its content.

She was quick to add that the students should ultimately have a say in what goes on at their school.

Elizabeth Scheetz, also an active participant in various organizations, sees her volunteer work at Mercy Hospital the most rewarding. She said that the feeling of having someone that looks forward to seeing you on a daily basis is a very good feeling. She also enjoys being a part of the hospital environment. The nurses help to make the volunteers comfortable and are readily available for assistance and informal training in the seemingly trivial but very important daily activities. Sometimes just a friendly word or a funny story is worth triple its volume of medication.

Oh Say, DID YOU HEAR?

The infamous use-my-last-name-if-you-check-into-a-hotel Bill Smith led the club in a NATIONAL ANTHEM that made the Bangor Airport saxophone rendition sound like a gazoo recital. The beams of the Purpoodock Club shook with the power released as the members paid tribute to the STAR SPANGLED BANNER.

Then, Bill led an encore with SING A SONG TO ROTARY. The song, sung to the tune of the Maine Stein Song, also caused the beams to tremble.

Next week... Is it true that there is a Stewart Duet? We'll see, because it is Doug's turn to lead.

Bed's & Breakfast's Needed

Host Families are needed for Group Study Team heading this way from Mexico. Due to unforeseen circumstances, the Sanford Club is not able to fulfill its hosting responsibility.

They will have a little free time without scheduled events on Saturday and Sunday. Otherwise, they will be attending meetings daily.

More information can be obtained from Sam Giftos or Joe Conroy. It is important that they be contacted no later than Wednesday's meeting.

WINNERS AND DINNERS

Sam Giftos was the winner of two free Rotary dinners at the Club... all losers get three! The prize was given by Jackie Critchley who was torn between the dinners or a million shares of Maine Savings stock... she chose the one with the highest value.

Tom Hennessey sold the tickets... Bryce Johnston gave the invocation and Joe Conroy rang the bell.

RHYME THYME

Please let me know if this doesn't work; I'd be happy to change it... to work out the quirk...

But it's easy to say what must be said
And a little more enjoyable to be read.
Kouraks, Bill the President-Elect,
Introduced guest... Norm Levesque.
Three were given... Dollars Happy
Davidson, Roberts, York and Pappy
B'day wishes to Butler and McGovern
We sang twice... ears are still recoverin'
Reminder to all we're Broadway
Bound;

In your mailboxes there are tickets to be found.

Tim Thompson is the Theatre man
Sell eight tickets if you can!

If there's no way... tell him while there's still-
Plenty of selling time before the 11th day of April.

That's the day, hors d'oeuvres start at 7 P.M. or so

Complete with wine and stuff before the 8 o'clock show.

Tony Wagner also has a show to share
McCauley H.S., March 22 - Schooner

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ASSETS		LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCES	
CURRENT ASSETS		CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Cash - checking	\$45.36	Accounts payable	\$0.00
Cash - savings	7,998.89	Accrued liabilities	7,839.63
Accounts receivable	0.00		
Certificate of Deposit	33,000.00		
	<u>41,044.25</u>		<u>7,839.63</u>
EQUIPMENT		FUND BALANCES	
Trailer	900.00	Unrestricted	17,730.17
Allowance for depreciation	(900.00)	Restricted - Environment	2,474.45
	<u>0.00</u>	Restricted - Bug Light	13,000.00
			<u>33,204.62</u>
	<u>\$41,044.25</u>		<u>\$41,044.25</u>

The club has made donations in the past to the Foundation of Rotary International. These donations can be used to name Paul Harris Fellows for each \$1,000 donated.

The current amount available for naming Paul Harris Fellows is \$13,222.98.

Douglas Stewart
 Treasurer
 February 28, 1991

REMINDERS

Basketball still has some court time remaining... March 18th; March 28th and April 1st. Cape Elizabeth Middle School is the place, 7:15 to 9:15 is the time... **BETHERE!**

The leaders on the 20th are...

Invocation: Sam Giftos
 Song: Doug Stewart

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	Unrestricted Fund	Environment Fund	Restricted Fund
INCOME			
Xmas trees	\$9,649.81		
Family fun day	0.00		
Deering Oaks Festival	1,229.56		
Theatre night	0.00		
Miscellaneous	0.00	\$,000.00	
Interest income	1,116.91	77.73	
	<u>12,396.28</u>	<u>\$,077.73</u>	<u>0.00</u>
EXPENDITURES			
Scholarships	4,300.00		
Student exchange	1,238.74		
Rotary foundation	1,239.63	2,000.00	
Girl's and Boy's state	600.00		
Project graduation	0.00		
Senior citizens party	831.00		
Faculty exchange	200.00		
The Aids Project	500.00		
Student visits	50.00		
Vocational awards	30.00		
S Portland City Hall Xmas Tree Seedlings	145.00	603.28	
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	<u>9,134.37</u>	<u>2,603.28</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Net income (Loss)	3,261.91	3,474.45	0.00
Balance at June 30 1990	14,468.26	0.00	13,000.00
Fund Balance	<u>\$17,730.17</u>	<u>\$2,474.45</u>	<u>\$13,000.00</u>
Fund Balance	\$17,730.17		
Balance required at year and per by-laws	20,290.00		
Available for donations	<u>(\$2,519.83)</u>		

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A ROTARY MEETING

There are many topics upon which poets do ponder...
 Very few from these United States, most from yonder
 Telling tales of love, lust, by no means meant to shock-
 Unless you are appalled by: The Rape of the Lock.
 Seriously, it was a poem by Alexander Pope
 About some young man, a Lord... a dope?
 Seems he cut off a lock of a young ladies hair
 And angered her family... but that's not why we're here!
 The meeting on the 27th day of March, 19-91
 Was as usual relaxing, enjoyable and fun!
 "Hello, Jackie" sign the blue card, hand her a ten
 Another buck to Agnes (Fleet won't accept Yen)
 You'll get a raffle ticket and put a badge on your lapel
 Perhaps you'll visit the barkeep before you hear the bell.
 Find a table and be shocked by what you see...
 Close your eyes, shake your head, then count to three
 And surprise! It's true! There's Italian dressing tonight
 Because the French dressing was sent on a special flight
 Overseas to Saudi Arabia, to the oil-fields of Kuwait-
 When poured over burning well-heads... it works great!
 First it douses the flames then it's lifted into the air
 Now Saddam really has something to fear...
 Because, as it reacts with the heat coming off the sand
 It turns into orange rain and covers the land.
 The camels drink it, and when it is time to pass...
 Noone thought it was possible from organic gas?
 That's another story... there's still more to say here
 About the evening meeting so lets pick up where-
 We Pledged our Allegiance, sang: My Country
 'Tis of Thee and quietly reflected what it is to be free.
 Wayne Goodrich was appointed to give the invocation
 AMEN! Our taste buds were treated to a sensation
 An island of vegetable lasagna, shaded by a broccoli tree
 Ice-cream with chocolate sauce, regular, de-caf ortea?
 Acting Pres. Bill rang his bell and started to speak:
 "There are no visitors dining with us this week."
 He asked Tony Wagner to lead us in vocal exercise,
 Then rose Tony and Bill York before our eyes.
 It seems that Tony's singing skills lacked a bit
 So Bill would lead: If You're Happy And You Know It
 And Tony would act out the various parts three...
 Clap your hands, stomp your feet, shout ROTARY!!
 As an added bonus since it was such a difficult song-
 Tony would pay a dollar for anything he did wrong.
 To say it was fun wouldn't begin to describe the sight
 When Tony and Bill danced from left to right.
 After being gonged by President-elect Bill
 The raffle was won by one that does fill
 Teeth that is, Dr. Bagdasarian, first name: Dave
 Prize: a book, strange title, which Dan Davidson gave.
 Conducted by Agnes Winship, the Fleet banker
 For selling the tickets we sincerely 'thank her'.
 Kourakas, Mooers, Carson, Giftos, McGovern and
 Four others let go Happy Dollars from their hand...
 Janson, Winship, Schmidt and finally Bill of York
 Who raised questions and perhaps to Jackie you'll talk

And ask her what kind of film was contained within
 The brown paper bag delivered by Bob Flynn,
 Passed off to Bill York titled: Woman of Rotary
 Why is it that noone else was allowed to see?
 All was not lost as James Murton did proclaim:
 "The rivers of Maine are never tame!"
 Owner of North Country Rivers Rafting Company
 He showed us a film that made it east to see
 That white-water rafting on the rivers in Maine
 Will make an impression, you'll never be the same.
 To put in words what was shown on the screen
 Would take pages numbered one through fifteen.
 For hosting the program... Paul Butler "thank you"
 If you'd like some information: Dial 923-3492.
 Announcements were many so I'll print in bold
 All the things that you should be told...
Director's meeting Wednesday April third
 And we'll be painting Portland Head Light it was heard
 Tony Wagner is dusting off the **sign-up sheet**
 It's a challenging project, but one our club can meet.
 Of course the specs provided by Mike, Manager of Cape
 Showed the typical governmental red tape!
 Mick Mahre **reminds everyone** that he
 Has a catalog of **all things ROTARY**
 Hats, pins, books, shirts, license plates and more
 Please see him soon for a page by page tour.
 Jackie is urging all who can **go to Quebec**
Register NOW! Use your credit card not a check!
 The Joint District 778/779 Conference will be here soon
 At the Quebec Hilton the 13th thru 16th days of June.
 For more information see Jackie post haste
 The 85 percent exchange rate is a shame to waste!
 Mooers, Carson, McGovern, Giftos have already been
 To scope out the scene... I hope they remember when-
 They tried to recall during the Happy Dollars...
 But apparently got confused by the Happy Hours!?
 I've included the Preliminary Program which shows...
 Nobody really knows what time each evening goes!?
 But at our club we know in advance what's going on-
 There are a few exceptions, but usually just the song.
 Next week's lucky persons are listed in rhyme
Invocation: Tom Hennessy, and the raffle this time
 Is **Phil Dube**... but the song has got me confused...
 Wagner is listed... but we've already been abused.
 I'll let the President figure out what to do,
 However; **Joanne LeClair's program** is all set to
 Tell us about the Lifeline Center at USM
 Thomas Downing, its director, will tell us about them.
 Sargent at Arms will be the **Man of Arms Flynn**
 And the following week we should all be in
 The Thaxter Theatre watching Broadway Bound.
 Please make sure that the word is spread around.
 And when not around here, if a meeting you can't make
 Please cut out the enclosed and with you take;
 The make-up opportunities that exist in District 778.
 (Apologies if they're not all up-to-date...)

District
778 / 779
Conference

Make-Up Opportunities



Monday
 Brunswick, ME 12:00 p.m., New Meadows Inn
 Exeter, NH 12:15 p.m., Exeter Inn
 Manchester, NH 12:15 p.m., The Chateau
 Nashua, NH 12:15 p.m., Nashua Country Club
 Rochester, NH 12:15 p.m., Nicholas I
 Rumford, ME 12:00 p.m., Mexico Congregational Church
 Waldoboro, ME 6:30 p.m., Aunt Lydia's Tavern
 Waterville, ME 12:00 p.m., Martin's Inn
 Wells, ME 7:30 a.m., Poli's Restaurant

Tuesday
 Augusta, ME 12:00 p.m., Comfort Inn
 Bangor, ME 12:15 p.m., Holiday Inn
 Bath, ME 12:15 p.m., New Meadows Inn
 Bethel, ME 7:30 a.m., Bethel Inn
 Concord, NH 12:15 p.m., Cat 'N Fiddle Restaurant
 Hampton, NH 12:15 p.m., Ashworth Hotel*
 *June through August 7:30 a.m. Ashworth Hotel
 Kittery, ME 7:30 a.m., Day's Inn
 Newburyport, MA 12:15 p.m., Elks Lodge
 Quebec, QC 12:15 p.m., Chateau Frontenac
 Scarborough, ME 6:15 p.m., Dunstan Schoolhouse Rest.
 Somersworth, NH 7:30 a.m., Suzelle's Restaurant
 Westbrook, ME 12:15 p.m., American Legion Hall

Wednesday
 Bar Harbor, ME 12:15 p.m., Regency Hotel (Mt. Desert Island)
 Biddeford Saco, ME 12:15 p.m., Colonial Hut Restaurant
 Dover-Durham, NH 12:15 p.m., Friendship Inn
 Durham-Great Bay, NH 7:30 a.m., New England Center
 Freeport, ME 7:00 a.m., Ocean Farm
 Ogunquit, ME 12:15 p.m., Jonathan's Restaurant
 Oxford Hills, ME 7:30 a.m., Gold Street Restaurant, So. Paris
 Seabrook-Hampton Falls, NH 12:15 p.m., Luka's Greenhouse
 South Portland-Cape Elizabeth, ME 6:15 p.m., Purpodock Club

Thursday
 Bangor, ME (Area Breakfast) 7:00 a.m., Holiday Inn
 Boothbay Harbor, ME 6:30 p.m., 58 Townsend Ave.
 Gardiner, ME 7:30 a.m., Rotary Hall
 Kennebunk, ME 12:15 p.m., Glen-Mor Rest.
 Lewiston-Auburn, ME 12:00 p.m., Ramada Inn
 Queen City-Manchester 7:30 a.m., Howard Johnson
 Saco Bay, ME 7:30 a.m., Chatanooga Function Hall
 South Berwick, ME 7:15 a.m., Commons Bldg (Berwick Acad.)
 South Portland-Maine Mall, ME 7:15 a.m.
 Holiday Inn By The Bay
 Windham, ME 12:15 p.m., Charlie Biegs Restaurant

Friday
 Bath, ME (Sunrise) 7:00 a.m., Elks Club
 Portland, ME 12:15 p.m., Portland Club, 156 State St.
 Rockland, ME 12:15 p.m., Samoset Resort
 Sanford-Springvale, ME 12:00 p.m., Town Club (Sanford)
 York, ME 7:15 a.m., York Harbor Inn

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

THURSDAY JUNE 13:
 02:00 - 06:00 Registration
 06:00 - 07:00 Social Hour
 07:00 - 09:30 Dinner Conference Opening
 09:30 ... Fellowship Activities

FRIDAY JUNE 14:
 07:45 - 08:45 Breakfast
 09:00 - 12:30 District Business Meeting
 12:30 - 02:00 Luncheon
 02:00 - 05:00 Special Attractions
 06:00 - 07:00 Fellowship Hours/Cocktail
 07:00 - 10:00 International Friendship
 Dinner
 10:00 ... Showtime

SATURDAY JUNE 15:
 07:45 - 08:45 Breakfast
 09:00 - 12:30 "Preserve Planet Earth"
 (Seminar)
 12:30 - 02:00 Luncheon
 02:00 - 05:00 Special Attractions
 06:00 - 07:00 Fellowship Hours/Cocktail
 07:00 - 10:00 Governor's Banquet
 10:00 ... Music Dancing

SUNDAY JUNE 16:
 A.M. Memorial Service
 Catholic Mass
 Luncheon/Checkout

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