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Program Review

Invocation Victor Lowrey
 Sweetheart Kathleen Lamb
 Introduction of Guests Lum Edwards
 Introduction of the District Governor Benny Hughes

Once each year the Rotary club is host to the district governor for his official visit.

It is his duty to give suggestions, outline his policies if he chooses, generally get acquainted with the club and establish a working relationship that will carry them through a successful year of Rotary accomplishment.

Last week Farley Sanford, of El Campo, accompanied by his charming Rotary Ann, made that official visit and left the club members with higher resolve to carry out Rotary's high ideals. He heard reports at the assembly meeting Tuesday night and at the Wednesday meeting pointed out that many of the fundamental principles of the UNSECO charter have long been an integral part of Rotary.

Rotary's ceaseless work for world peace was highlighted.

He stressed personal accomplishment when he said that "every member of every committee is an important cog in the Rotary wheel. Any one failure slows down the progress of the club, and the slowing down of one club slows down the progress of Rotary International."

"Rotary stands as a beacon light in the world today," he asserted pointing out that it is a vital instrument in the world for helping to bring about world peace. And, he said, "when there is a Rotary club in every community that is capable of supporting a Rotary club we shall have fulfilled our duty."

He lauded the work of the committee of the Beaumont club which is now making surveys to the end of establishing Rotary clubs in the smaller surrounding cities. This committee is headed by Benny Hughes.

It was pointed out that Rotary now has 7100 clubs in 73 countries, with a membership of 342,000.

While Governor Farley was meeting with the assembly and the club luncheon his Rotary Ann was honor guest at a party headed by Mrs. Paul Tullos wife of Vice-President Paul Tuesday evening and at a luncheon for past governors' wives at noon Wednesday as the guest of Rotary Ann Ruby Reed.

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This Week

"MAKE MINE MUSIC" — A FIFTEEN MINUTE SNAPPY PROGRAM FURNISHING MUSIC MEN LIKE. IRISH BALLADS BY K. O. BLACKMON.

VOCAL DUET BY LYNN GORDON, "MISS TEXAS FOR 1947" AND LYNN TONEY, WITH MRS. GEORGE CALDWELL AT THE ORGAN.



Gene Vanhoozer
Program Chairman

Program Committee: Gene Vanhoozer, chairman; Charlie Weinbaum, Jr., Vice Chairman, I. K. Moorhouse, Ben Shipley & Ed Easterling.

ATTENDANCE

October 18, 1950

Club Membership	284
Members Present	246
Per Cent Attendance	86.62
New Members: A. H. Schultz, Wayne Wilson, Lacoste Ellis, Fred Neumann, John Pevateaux.	

MAKE UPS

L. B. Gough	Dallas
Bill Hoppe	Orange
W. B. Johnson	Dallas
John Thomas	Dallas
Carl Levy	Petersburg, Va.
A. C. Love	Austin
Roy Maness	Dallas
Marshall Muse	Longview
W. C. Ross	Galveston

We are sorry that J. B. Streater's name was left off the list of those of our present members who were members of the club in 1919-20. He was and he is.

John Thomas and Nell and L. B. Gough attended the Dallas Rotary Club Inter-City meeting and saw "South Pacific." A. J. Coburn, Judge Johnson, Roy Maness also attended the Rotary Luncheon.

Congratulations to George Murphy. He has been elected head of the Texas Association of City Attorneys.

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Echoes

Belatedly, we announce that Si Ivers is Grandpa III with the arrival of a baby boy to Son Richard Henry, Jr., and wife of Austin. Dick is a student at the University of Texas.

New Member John Pevateaux (Telephone Service) and Rotary Ann Retha announce the arrival of a new baby girl.

Sorry to hear that Carl Kennedy has gone to Baptist Memorial Hospital, Houston, for several weeks treatment.

Charlie Wyatt-Brown talked to the Exchange Club last Tuesday on his work with the Alcoholics Anonymous organization.

This ad appeared in an Idaho newspaper: "Young man, 27, with 350 acres of farm land, would like to meet charming young lady with tractor. Please send picture of tractor."

Club Assembly

Last Tuesday evening while wives of the board of directors entertained Rotary Ann Nora Sanford, our District Governor Farley Sanford was honor guest at our Rotary Club Assembly held in the Mirror Room and attended by all major committee chairmen, members of the board of directors, past district governors and new members since our last club assembly.

With 44 present, reports from each of our committees, their plans and accomplishments were heard by the Governor followed by his talk which included suggestions for carrying our Rotary's program this year.

Invocation by Herf Weinert was followed by Opening Remarks by President Randy. Kelsey Lamb, chairman of Club Service, called upon all club service chairmen. L. B. Gough gave the Vocational Service report; E. L. Robinson called for all Community Service reports and Bob Akers gave the report for International Service. Frank Betts, chairman of R.I. Fellowships for Foreign Study, reported on this work.

New Members are customarily invited to Club Assembly in order that they may get a view of Rotary

at work, and Jack Hardy was chosen to represent these new members with a talk on "Impressions of a New Rotarian." The Governor was introduced by Jack Neil and following the Governor's Message, President Randy adjourned the meeting.

About 8 Pairs Of Little Shoes

The request came from the State Department of Public Welfare, Child Welfare division. This is a state agency supported in part by Jefferson County with offices in the courthouse. Its field is not restricted to the city of Beaumont, but is county wide. The demands for its services are endless, but usually it is able to take care of its needy children. This request for 8 pairs of shoes at one time placed an unusual burden upon its funds. Coupled with the need was the urgency, since after many months of trying to find a permanent home for all four children, an invitation has been received from the Waco State Home, but with the minimum requirement for clothing and two pairs of shoes each and also a time limitation attached to the invitation.

Thanks to our members and our president, the four children will now at least be together and at one place permanently, even though they will not be with their mother and father. In addition new Rotarian Don Beach (Shoe Retailing) offered a 20% discount on the little shoes. Ray Lighthall and Walter Casey offered to pay the balance if our coins didn't total \$50, but it was unnecessary to call on them. We even went over a little.

Farmer's Party

Make ready for a good time at our Annual Farmer's Party. It will be held Wednesday, November 8th at the Fairgrounds beginning at 11:30 a. m. The tickets will be \$2 each for Rotarians and their guests and 600 invitations to farmers and ranchers of the area have gone out.

Rotarians may purchase their tickets at the Rotary Office. This is urged in order that we may know how many to plan for. Cards will be placed at the table this Wednesday for making reservations.

PLEASE NOTE: Attendance will be counted by writing the name of the Rotarian on the reverse side of the tickets which will be sold in the Rotary Office and by Sergeant-At-Arms Ewell Strong and his committee at the gate. President Randy asked for a show of hands at meeting last week of those who would not be able to attend to see if it might be necessary to have a small luncheon at Hotel Beaumont. So few indicated they could not attend, it is problematical whether this will be done.

Games including Bingo will be played with prizes furnished by local merchants given to the winners: Prizes have been donated by Gulf Lumber & Mfg. Co., Gulf States Utilities; Klein Jewelry, The Phelan Co., Shepherd Laundry, The Stedman Co., J. C. Penney Co., Dr. Keller Maier, White House Dry Goods Co., and Winton Automatic Gas Co.

Members of the Farmers Party Committee are: Howard Stagg, Chairman, Hubert Oxford, Vice Chairman, Jim Talley, Willie Gilbert, Ed Hamm, Jerry Brenner and David Birdwell.

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