

W T D Tidings



When Secretary Bill Whitney brought me the March activity report to sign I realized with a slight sense of dismay that more than one-fourth of this brand new year of

1955 had gone the way of all time. We have done well indeed so far but there are some weak spots in our record. So I've asked Ed Scott, Achievement Report Chairman, to review our first three months and advise us where we stand and what we need to concentrate on to give us a well rounded record for the year.

I think that if they were asked, most of the committee chairmen would say that what they needed most was better attendance at committee meetings. The fellows who take the responsibility for leading the committees need the ideas, the work and the support of every member. It's not that we are set on winning any particular award, but we should be up there with the leaders, for that is where we belong.

The Gum Machine committee is doing swell—but they need **your** help to get more machines placed. With San Diego growing the way it is there must be good locations vacant. Grab one for **Chick. Clyde Cunningham** and his Membership Committee have been working overtime against a starting handicap of some severe losses by transfers, illness and death. There are classifications open, and good men available to fill them—probably only waiting **your** invitation to become one of us.

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Program

TUESDAY, APRIL 19, 1955

SAN DIEGO HIGH

KEY CLUB

MUSIC AND ENTERTAINMENT

Under the direction of Mr. I
instructors at San



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President.....

Singing.....

Sgt. at Arms.... }

Activity Report...

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Those donating cakes for the "Armed Services" on April 7th were Virginia Oviatt, Bertha Kidd, Gladys Ingram, Rhoda Gehres, Jerry Cunningham, Barbara Hayes, Nina Smith, Georgia Borthwick, Mertie Lewis, Mae Bell Talbot, Dolores Hill, Nell Frazer, Inez Loftin, Florence Fehlmann and Edna Atherton.

Gwendolyn Booth, who is chairman of the project, will act as hostess, assisted by Mary Berry and Peggy Angus. All three also donated cakes.

The following non-members also helped out: Mrs. Percy Rooks, Miss Dorothy Curtis, and Lois Hood.

Flash!!! Our Baby's Calling Us!

El Centro Kiwanis celebrates 30th anniversary MAY 6th. San Diego Kiwanis sponsored them 30 years ago. They want us to come over and put on the program for them. This is a real MUST. How can we refuse or fail? You'll hear details on this from **Griff Hayes** and **Del Thurber**.

Griff Hayes Inter-Club Reminder



Interclub with Chula Vista will be held at the Chula Vista Country Club, Tuesday, April 19th. Let's make it good.

From the Mail Box



Greetings from the Philippines! Last Friday I boarded a plane in Davao which is a city on the southern end of the southernmost island of the Philippines on my way "home" to Manila after a week of visiting various agencies of national and local government. On the plane I picked up the Philippines Herald. My thoughts quickly returned to San Diego to Kiwanis and the Breitbard Foundation when I noticed the headlines about Little Mo — naturally with a San Diego date line. All the papers carried one or more wire service stories with a picture. A couple of the clippings are enclosed. I suppose these are typical of the tremendous publicity she's given the home town all around the world.

The family and I have quickly accustomed ourselves to this land of coconut palms, banana trees and homes on stilts — but the weather has been quite "exceptional" as is so often true in San Diego. A couple of months from now when they turn the heat on I'll probably wonder why I left San Diego!

Best regards,
Gordon Peterson

Chuck Holloway Reports on Gum Machines



Chuck presented Pres. Les with a check for \$95.13 last Tuesday, as the club's share from the gum machines for the month of March.

PROGRAM FORECASTS



PROGRAMS SCHEDULED

April 26—"Indonesia—The World's Youngest Republic" by Kiwanian Joe Stephenson, and the 20-30 Club Annual Program, Chairman Don Durnal.

May 3—"Operation Handclasp" Chorus will sing.

May 10 — U. S. - Canada Goodwill Week. L. G. Chance, Canadian Consul in Los Angeles. John Jones, Chairman.

May 17—"The Transistor." Science program by Telephone Co.

May 24—Armed Forces Day. Bill Berry, Chairman.

May 31—"American Foreign Policy in Europe for 1955." Dr. Enos Generales. Herb Peiffer, Chairman.

June 7—N.A.M. Program (tentative)

June 14—To be announced.

June 21—La Mesa Kiwanis at San Diego Joint Meeting. Program by La Mesa Club.

June 28—To be announced.

Now Hear This

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I haven't room to mention all the committees—but when your chairman calls a meeting remember it is for **your** Kiwanis Club he is working and give the man a hand—a helping one I mean, not a round of applause!

Les

We regret to inform our members



of the passing of
Arthur Shoven
on Monday
April 11th

Arthur joined Kiwanis in 1924 and was President in 1936. Our heartfelt sympathies are extended to his wife and family.