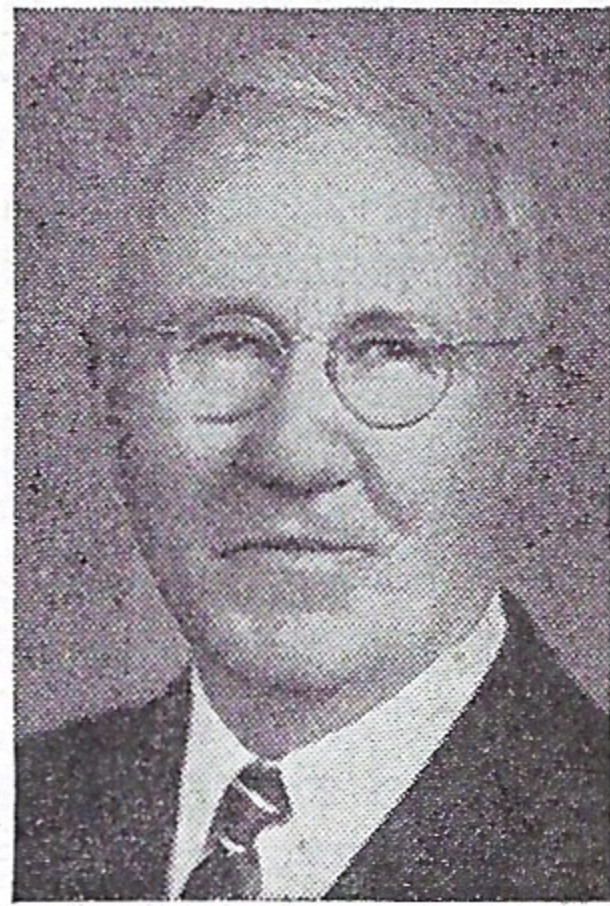




1920 - DECEMBER 4 - 1945
SILVER ANNIVERSARY



W. H. FRASER
First President

This week we celebrate our Twenty-Fifth Anniversary as the Kiwanis Club of San Diego.

This is by no means a light matter, for the club has prospered in spite of many adverse conditions through which it travelled during this quarter of a century.

As a means of celebrating this affair in proper manner, the club will enjoy a special evening dinner and the members and wives will all take an active part in the

program and meeting, for it is to be a gala event in our club's history.

A special booklet is now in preparation giving an early history of the club, its activities and other interesting information of the life of the club.

There will be a list of all Presidents, a list of charter members and a list of the present membership. This booklet will be issued in lieu of making this issue of the Tidings an unusual one as is the usual custom on such occasions.

There are however, a few remarks to be made regarding the formation of the club which was first started in August of 1920, with the first meeting of the club held at the U. S. Grant Hotel.

This was followed by regular meetings as a starter until the charter presentation on December 4th of that year.

The dinner was held at the Hotel Del Coronado with a large assembly of members and guests present. The charter was presented by District Governor Leslie W. Henry,

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WHERE TO MAKE UP ATTENDANCE

TUESDAY

Brawley, Planters Hotel, 12:10.

Ocean Beach, Women's Club, 2160 Bacon, 6:30

Oceanside, Montys Cafeteria, 314 No. Hill, 12:10

San Diego, San Diego Club, 12:10.

WEDNESDAY

Calexico, De Anza Hotel, 12:10.

National City, Kiwanis Club House, 12:10.

THURSDAY

East San Diego, Masonic Hall, 12:10.

Escondido, Jordan's Cafe, 12:15

Yuma, Arizona, Clymer House, 12:10.

FRIDAY

El Centro, Barbara Worth Hotel, 12:15.

La Jolla, La Valencia Hotel, 12:10.

La Mesa, Ernie's Rancho,

Highway 80 East of Grossm't p.o. 12:10

who got us off to a right start, for in twenty five years, the club has held its own even though there were many in-between obstacles to overcome principally the depression period which cut a deep swath in our membership figures.

Immediately thereafter and to be exact, at an election held on December 7th, 1920, W. H. (Harry) Fraser was elected president of the newly chartered Club and we pay him honor at this time, for he is the only charter member still active on our roles.

There have been many men in Kiwanis who have done much for the club but with the enthusiasm and kindly administration of Harry, the club pays honor to him as Chairman of the Anniversary dinner and party to be held.

The Committee, consisting of the following have made careful preparations for an event that will go down in our club's history, its Silver Anniversary.

Committee:

Harry Fraser, Chairman; Ed and Cleo Scott, Berma and Elsie Bonham, Donald and Gertrude Hansen, Bob and Lou Mueller, Leo and Sarah Calland, Bob and Jean Frazee.

Invitations have been sent to all members and their wives and owing to the limited space available for the dinner and dancing, members should immediately make proper returns on cards sent for that purpose.

Did you send in that reservation card for our Silver Anniversary dinner?

Make-up "Holiday" ends.

Original attendance rules to govern starting Jan. 1.

WARTIME PROVISIONS RESCINDED BY BOARD EFFECTIVE DEC. 31

Modified attendance rules have been in effect during the war. They served well in aiding members to maintain their club attendance in those strenuous days.

Now that the war is over and conditions revert to a more normal state, the International Board at its recent meeting in Chicago unanimously rescinded the temporary provisions allowing make-up attendance within the calendar month in which a member was absent, by attending board or committee meetings. Action suspending the present modified rules will become effective as of December 31, 1945.

Following January 1, 1946, attendance must be computed in accordance with the Official Rules for Attendance, which allow credit for make-up at another club six days prior to an anticipated absence by a member from his own club meeting, or within six days following his absence.

Moreover, the International Board voted that on December 31, 1945, the modified rule extending privileged membership to Kiwanians in non-uniform war service will be suspended. Such members who have been given privileged status under the wartime measure will return to their original active status, and clubs are urged to be governed accordingly.

"Oh! woe is me"

'Ever hear this one?

Nine ways to defeat the purpose of a Kiwanis Club were listed in the weekly bulletin published by the Kiwanis Club of Yeadon, Pennsylvania.

The bulletin, edited by Ray G. Wallick, secretary of the Yeadon club, attracted the attention of Lister Armstead, lieutenant governor of the 14th Division of the Pennsylvania District as well as the General Office.

According to Yeadon Kiwanians, the nine ways to defeat a club follow:

1. Don't attend.
2. If you attend regularly, find fault, without offering constructive suggestions.
3. If the weather doesn't suit you, don't come. You'll be known as a "fair weather clubman."
4. Never accept office or work on a committee. Then howl like a spoiled child if no one asks you to serve.
5. Just come down to the meetings for the luncheon, and then compare it to the hamburger place down the street.
6. Kick about the programs. When you are asked for ideas, simply say, "What's the use! They're run by a clique."
7. Hold back your dues till the last minute and give the secretary the jolting jitters.
8. Be selfish. Don't bother recommending for membership qualified representatives of unfilled classifications.
9. Do nothing to increase the usefulness of your club to the community. Say, "George will do it." And when George does it, and the club is commended, stick out your chest before your friends and say proudly, "That's my club."

OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, December 9th.

Friends of Dr. and Mrs. Elliott G. Colby are invited to attend an open house Sunday, December 9th, in the afternoon from two to four o'clock at their residence 3134 Ibsen Street Point Loma.

More Military Members return to active list

It was a pleasure to welcome back into our midst two of our Military members, Dr. Elliott G. Colby, who returned sometime ago and is now again on our regular list and Dr. Hiram (Hi) Newton, who made his first visit to the club last Tuesday.

Elliott will soon be located in his new offices and Hi is already re-located in his former offices at 1203 Bank of America Building.

Sheets for the roster will shortly be issued for these and other members as soon as their pictures are available.

Our speaker next Tuesday will be Lisle Shoemaker, Director of the Sports page of the San Diego Daily Journal.

Lisle was a war correspondent and will tell us of his experiences in the war zones.

PROGRAM

Tuesday, December 4, 1945

SAN DIEGO CLUB

12:10 Noon

SPEAKER OF THE DAY

LISLE SHOEMAKER

Subject

"War Correspondent
Experiences"

PROGRAM CHAIRMAN

L. GLENN STURGIS

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It is interesting to get the various view points from men who were in the active field of battle and saw things there, each from his own view point, so we can expect to have an interesting talk from a newspaper man.