



Past President honored by International

A new International feature which we believe is a good one was the presentation by Lieutenant Governor Von Marshall of a certificate of appreciation for services rendered as president for last year to Berma Bonham.

This certificate originates in International headquarters and bears the signature of Ben Dean, International President, and Pete Peterson, International Secretary.

Presidents come and go and too frequently too little afterthought is given to those who have served their club as its presiding officer.

These certificates are a step in the right direction to at least give a "Has Been" some little printed thought of appreciation, and we express our thanks to International President Ben and Secretary Pete for their thoughtfulness in this direction.

Membership gains

Our membership now comprises 106 active members and eight military service members; a total of 114 members.

The Membership Committee has several new members in prospect and the officers are expecting an

increase of several members a month so that we can eventually build the numerical strength up to the 150 member class.

The Child Welfare Committee has much in mind for work for all and also funds will be needed for various projects which the Club has already and will undertake in the near future.

However, in getting new members into the club we must all bear in mind that our attendance as well as active participation will be needed and we will have to do better than we did last Tuesday when 15 members were conspicuous by their absence. Our percentage went way down to 85.7 per cent for the meeting but undoubtedly will be raised with "make-up attendance at Committee and Board meetings held this week.

Sports Committee active

In their monthly report, the Sports Committee advises that they have met and are considering sports activities for the year which include bowling as well as other games.

A skating party is also in contemplation for sometime later in the year but the opportunities for having some real fun are endless, says the committee.

Good work, boys, keep it going.

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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, Oceanic Cafe, 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.
- Esecondido, 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.

All about Social Security

Of major importance to San Diego are the problems confronting the worker and to enlighten not only those who come under Social Security benefits but those who are called upon to assist in the payment towards these benefits, a series of lectures has been arranged under the title of

Social Security Problems

A series of seven lectures and discussions on topics of growing importance, presented by the San Diego Vocational School and sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

Community leaders in business, the professions, labor, social work, and government are invited to attend these meetings and to contribute to the open discussions which will follow each lecture.

February 20: "Why Did Social Security Come? Security Programs Here and Abroad." Dr. Kenneth E. Barnhart, Professor of Sociology, San Diego State College.

February 27: "Problems of Children and Adolescents." Dr. Richmond Barbour, Director of Guidance, San Diego City Schools.

March 6: "Problems of Adult Security. Unemployment Compensation." Mr. Walter Franz, California Department of Employment. "Workmen's Compensation. Old Age and Survival Insurance." Mr. Roger McCullough, U. S. Social Security Board.

March 13: "Problems of Adult Security. Meeting Drepensions. Federal Housing, Etc." Dr. Kenneth E. Barnhart.

March 20: "Jobs for San Diegans. Prospects for Private Enterprise in San Diego." Mr. Frederick Sykes, Acting Manager, San Diego Chamber of Commerce. "Public Work." Mr. Glenn Rick, San Diego City Planning Director.

March 27: "Problems of Health

and Medical Care. Proposed Health Insurance. Legislation. California and U. S. Plans" Dr. Kenneth E. Barnhart. "The Private Physician and Prepayment Insurance Plans." William C. Black, M.D.

April 3: "What Can Labor Contribute to Security?" Mr. Robert Noonan, Federated Trades and Labor Council. "What Can Management Contribute to Security?" Mr. Emery Sherwin, San Diego Gas and Electric Company.

Dates: Tuesday evenings, February 20 through April 3, 1945.

Time: 7:15 to 9:15, with intermission.

Place: Room 621, Spreckels Building.

Enroll: In the lecture room. There is no charge for the course.



Using the Kiwanis slogan, "We Build," Sen. Ed Fletcher, San Diego County's veteran legislator in the state senate at Sacramento, applied it to an interesting and informative resume of the water and land resources development of California and particularly of the improvements made in San Diego County and in the San Joaquin and Sacramento river valleys, given the Kiwanis Club at this week's meeting of Tuesday evening. The speaker was introduced by Rollin E. Reed, program chairman.

Senator Fletcher's remarks stemmed from 58 years of residence in San Diego, much of the period having been devoted to public service. He is starting his 12th year as a member of the state senate from this county. He said he came to this city as a boy of 14. He said he and Mrs. Fletcher have been married 49 years and have seven boys and three girls,

with five of the boys in the armed forces.

"I love to build dams and to build roads," he said. He first told of highway development and the fight he had waged to get improved and shorter highways out of San Diego, especially to Yuma, stating that the fight is still on for a low level highway and for an improvement of Highway 395, that will reduce the mileage to Riverside by 36 miles.

Taking up the matter of more water for San Diego and San Diego County, he indicated that he was not so keen about getting the additional supply from Colorado River because of the poor quality of that water, as he was in getting more water from the watersheds nearer to San Diego. At least 52 per cent of the water from the nearby watersheds is wasting into the ocean and he quoted reliable engineers as stating that 75 per cent of the water from Lake Hodges has been lost to the ocean the past 25 years, a waste sufficient to have supplied the entire needs of the city of San Diego.

Expects Survey by State

The speaker said he was more optimistic about prospects for more development of the nearby water resources now that the city council had appropriated \$10,000 and the state an equal sum to be used for an early survey of these resources and particularly of the best possible sites for more dams with which to impound the extra water needed for San Diego. "Our chances will be greatly improved, especially for getting state and federal aid," he indicated by getting the approval of the state engineer and the army engineers before decision on plans is made.

Guests at Tuesday's meeting included Lieut. Glenn Martin of Ocean Beach, a guest of Glenn Jones; E. A. Bagnell, son-in-law and guest of Tom Plant; and Anthony De Pietro, a guest of Dr. W. B. Oster.

It will be fine if you
bring the ladies and A FINE
If you do not.

Next Tuesday will again be LADIES' DAY and according to the hands raised at the last meeting, there will be approximately fifty ladies as guests to greet the speaker of the day.

Dr. E. Stanley Jones will be our guest speaker and comes to us with as fine an array of qualifications as any speaker we have had for a long time.

Dr. Jones is a Missionary Evangelist and has traveled extensively throughout the world with much time spent in India.

He is an author of twelve books and is an eloquent speaker, so we can look forward to having an excellent meeting next Tuesday, so be sure to bring the Ladies to enjoy this treat with us.

Dr. Frank Lowe will be program chairman.

Baseball held the spotlight in last Tuesday's meeting with a motion picture of the 1944 series games which were most interesting to all of us.

This national sport might well be called "The Sport of Kings" for what better King could there be than baseball.

Idols have been made of literally hundreds of men through the game and these serve as models for youth to pattern.

No part of our armed force is complete without its baseball team to vie with one another for the championship in their field of battle so our encouragement through


PROGRAM

Tuesday, February 27, 1945
SAN DIEGO CLUB
12:10 Noon

LADIES DAY

SPEAKER OF THE DAY
Dr. E. Stanley Jones
Missionary Evangelist

PROGRAM CHAIRMAN
Dr. Frank M. Lowe
Religious Education



every means possible should be given.

The picture was brought through Andy Borthwick and was shown through the courtesy of Mr. J. D. Knight of the San Diego County Visual Education Department who also furnished the equipment.