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## NOTICE

For the month of JUNE our club has entered into an attendance contest with the Kiwanis Club of New Orleans La. More details next Tuesday

Are YOU going to be the weak link?

## CLUBS REPORT ATTENDANCE GOALS

A total of 156 clubs has reported perfect attendance for one or more months during the first quarter of 1945. Of this number, many had 100 per cent records for all three months.

April, the designated "perfect attendance month" promises to provide an all-time record when reports are received.

Kenneth F. Woodbury, chairman of the International Committee on Attendance, urges all club secretaries to notify him at the close of each month when their clubs have attained the 100 per cent goal.

Post cards, listing clubs, month and per cent in attendance, should be mailed to him at Room 908, 26 Journal Square Bldg., Jersey City, 6, N. J.

### Our May attendance 90.42%

## URGE KIWANIS AID IN STEEL SCRAP DRIVE

The Conservation and Salvage Division of the War Production Board is again appealing to Kiwanis clubs for assistance in meeting a critical situation.

Inventories of heavy melting grades of steel and cast iron scrap in the hands of steel mills have dwindled to where they are at a danger point.

Reference is made in the letter of Mr. W. T. Hoyt, Director, Conservation and Salvage Division, to the effective cooperation received in previous scrap drives. This appeal, which is for heavy grade scrap, is no less imperative.

State and local salvage committees have been urged to enlist all available organized assistance in the spring collection, and it is hoped that all Kiwanis clubs, when requested, will respond in the same wholehearted and effective manner as in the past.

# JUNE MAGAZINE CITES POST-WAR HOUSING, LAUDS AKRON PROJECT

In his second of two articles on this subject, Leo Cherne, in the June issue of The Kiwanis Magazine, predicts the postwar world will give more people a chance at better living. He says the "dream house," however, is not around the corner, and like heaven it will re-

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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.

main to tempt you for the rest of your life. Unlike heaven, you will be able to enjoy some samples in this world. In other words "your dreams are getting better all the time."

## June 16 - 17, the dates

The Youth Service Committee invited members to sign up for attending the two major projects of the Camp Fire Girls rehabilitation program, one at Balboa Park and the other at Cuyamaca.

The Cuyamaca project will be open for two days to members aid and those wishing to take part should notify Dick Barbour. The dates are June 16th and 17th. Transportation will be furnished those needing same.

Next Tuesday we are to have a very important message given us by Major Albert J. Stowe, of the Military Intelligence Department. Major Stowe will talk on "Security of War Information." The program chairman will be our new member Major "Walt" Yaecker.

#### Maternity Home

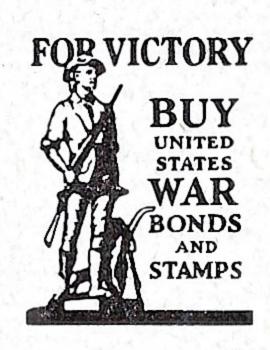
Sponsoring a Home for Unwed Mothers has been the major project of Akron, Ohio, Kiwanians since 1921. International President Ben Dean recently took part in the burning of the mortgage on the \$35,000 building, the second home the club has owned. In the past 20 years Akron Kiwanians have invested \$75,000 in this worthwhile undertaking, described in the magazine's "Activity Story of the Month."

#### Merchant Marine

Did you know in the three years after the United States entered the war, its shipyards built more than 4,300 ocean-going ships and hundreds of smaller vessels? This record has given maritime leadership to the United States, according to Vice Admiral Emory S. Land, U.S.N. (Ret.), who, in the June issue of The Kiwanis Magazine, declares it is the obligation of the United States to use its maritime leadership and power after the war for promotion of an international commerce that will be fair to the entire world.

#### Barber Shop Quartet

SPEBSQSA! Knew it would get you. It's not anything spelled backward, but "Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America." Their slogan is "Keep America Singing" which they think is a good safety valve in these days of pressure. President of the august society is Phil W. Embury, past president of the Kiwanis Club of Warsaw, New York. Read about it in the June Magazine.



## THE OCEAN BEACH

The Mohammedan religion is the main cause of Persia being a backward country. Dr. Chas. W. Lamne of San Diego, who spent 30 years in that country, told the Kiwanis Club at the Tuesday evening meeting. He went there in 1913 to establish the first hospital in Tabriz, Persia's second city, where the population totaled about 200,000, he said. He blamed the ignorance and backwardness of the Persians on the Mohammedan priests who have kept the common people in ignorance in order to rule the country to their own advantage. The religion of Mohammet is really the ruling force in that country of approximately 600,000 square miles and 15,000,000 people, all except about 100,000 Christians and Armenians being Mohammedans. Don Cochrane was program chairman for the evening.

At the business session, Fred Edwards of the Edward's Flower Shop, was initiated into membership. He was introduced by Glenn Jones, membership chairman, and inducted into membership by Milton Lancaster, a past president.

Guests at the meeting were: Capt. Burritt S. Mills of Tulsa, Okla., a past secretary of the local club, who came to town that day; Ed. R. Griswold of the San Diego Kiwanis Club, and Dr. R. J. Lamne of San Diego, a guest of Dr. Alfred Sand.

J. O. "Tom" Plant wil be program chairman for next week's meeting and will have for speaker, Treasurer Warren Mead of the San Diego Padres Baseball Club and several of the players as guests.

The speaker at Tuesday's meeting gave an interesting account of the life and customs of the Persians and punctuated his remarks with many incidents of his ong experience in that country, particularly in the treatment of their ills as they came to the hospital that he established.

# Tom Bomar returns from Military Service

It was a pleasure to welcome back into the club our Past President Tom Bomar, now returned from Millitary Service.

## NEW MEMBERS

Believe it or not, five new members were conspicuous by their absence at our last Tuesday's NEW MEMBERS' DAY program.

We know of one, Father Luther, who had a good excuse as he was in the east attending the funeral of his father, but the others . . . well, we will look forward to their make-ups for last Tuesday and hope they will be present from now on for the rules regarding attendance are to be followed out according to the consensus of the board of directors, and "no fooling."

Two new members were introduced last Tuesday. They are: Dr. W. M. Knudtson, Osteopathic Physician, located at 412 Washington Street, and Charles N. Miller, of the Simon-Miller Pharmacy, 1270 Fifth Avenue.

Both of these men are young upstanding men and we are looking forward with a great deal of pleasure to get to know them better and have them participate in the work of Kiwanis. It is certain that they will enjoy the club and its work.

The program last Tuesday was under the guidance of the Kiwanis Education Committee with Russ Stowell, Chairman, presiding. Past Lt. Gov. Bob Mueller made a short talk giving the new members a brief history of Kiwanis and bringing out their duties to the club.

## PROGRAM

Tuesday, JUNE 4, 1945
SAN DIEGO CLUB
12:10 Noon

SPEAKER OF THE DAY

Maj. Albert J. Stowe

Subject

"Security of War Information"

PROGRAM CHAIRMAN

Maj. "Walt" Yaecker

## Bond Sales to date: \$521,695.00

Jim McKinney, chairman of the War Bond Committee, reported a total of \$521,695 in War Bonds sold, the members having subscribed more than \$35,000.00 of that amount.