



The Builder

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Just as well the heralded program for last meeting did not materialize. Instead, the green light was given Tom Ludcke to paint a brilliant picture of the Club's latest enterprise, to wit: RUMMAGE SALE.

Net result: Upwards of TWELVE HUNDRED DOLLARS. And how come? Hearty enthusiasm; wonderful cooperation by all, including women folks.

While we members are presently acquainted with the story, nevertheless, The Builder publishes the facts, that a future generation may know what we did in year 1950. As they say in court, "Let the records show."

Coupled with last year's balance, our directors have a substantial lemon to cut into many pieces for youth service benefits. Quite a job too for judicial handling.

The underprivileged shall not want. For them, a Merry Xmas.

"Economies In One Lesson" - Text for to day's discourse. MR. KENNETH J. SMITH, Speaker. Chairman, Russ Stevens.

"Santa Cruz Or Bust" - the slogan for our delegation of four men, four women, en route to District Convention, Sunday next.

Directors meet this Tuesday Eve. with Chuck Campbell.

NINETEEN FIFTY ONE OFFICIALS :

President,	Jim Clarke
Vice-President,	Tom Ludcke
Treasurer,	H.O. Williams
Sgt. At Arms,	Svl Borel

DIRECTORS:

Louie Galeazzi, Gordon Jones, Clint Robinson, Ray Waincott. F.M. Passalacqua, Garry Rosenberg, Perry Beeson, Bill Reynolds.

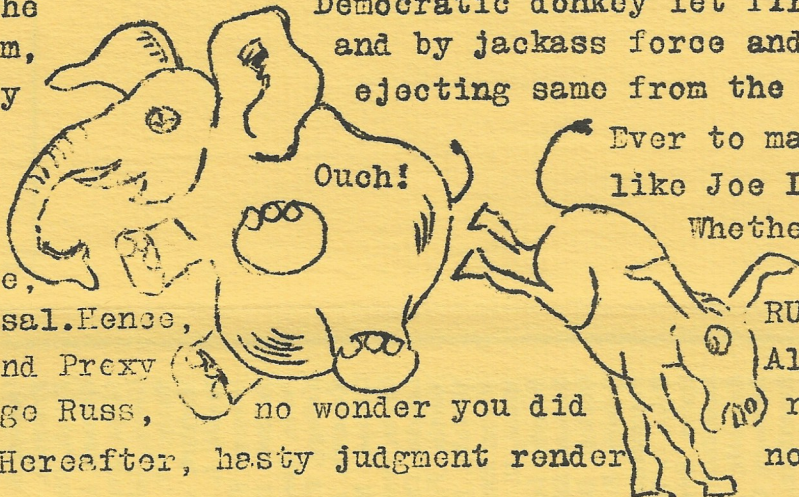
By way of observation, what a potential wrecking crew, this! Is it curtains for '51? Can we hope to survive? Time'll tell.



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In the last bulletin why did we not mention "elephant?" The scene herein is the answer. At last presidential election all GOPs must recall how the old pachyderm, so thoroughly Democratic donkey let fire at the poor and by jackass force and violence, ejecting same from the political platform. Wow ! Ever to make a comeback ? Yah, just down & out. like Joe Louis. Jumbo is whether black, or he's no more at our disposal. Hence, RUMMAGE SALE. Prosecutor and Prexy Al, get the picture now ? Judge Russ, no wonder you did remit the editor's fine. Hereafter, hasty judgment rendered not. Just another unjust verdict and you're likely to be disbarred, disrobed, excommunicated and unfrocked.



PART II

With great enterprise, ingenuity and patriotism Chairman Don Lewis comes forward with a humdinger of a program, to wit:

Louie Luciani is billed for a ten minute talk on civilian defense. Dr. Clint Robinson will tell us where the medical profession fits into an emergency program.

Capt. Bill Sanderson promises to give his view on where the military would fit into emergencies.

We heard a sound lesson on Economics by Mr. Kenneth J. Smith which demonstrated that a "lumberjack" can be a big man as well. And we don't have to go outside our own club to show this to the world.

Wonder who's this guy.

Big gathering at Chuck's last week when a full house matched ten pairs of officers and make ups. In other words, large representation of directors and laymen - the latter trying, and successfully, to square their attendance record.



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Said Pinnly Frisch to Wainscott Rgy ; "We're in a hell of a fix to day. I have the program, so have you. Ain't this a pretty how do you do ? Let's charge it to 'his nibs" Jim Clarke. 'Tis he who's left us in the dark - whether it's you, or maybe me. Our lumberjack must muddled be."

Flash !! The mix-up now has been unmixed. Wainscott's program now is fixed. And here it is:

Talk and film showing the making of Nekoosa bond paper, from tree to merchant. Mr. Ed. Dwyer of Santa Rosa, plus an "accomplice" will do the honors.

That home talent of last week was OK. Chamber of Commerce Louie, Medico Clint and National Guard Bill wised us up on civilian defense. So completely filled with their respective stuff were they all they had to do was unload same upon us.

Four men, four women back from the Convention. We'll be hearing from the delegatss - sometime. Maybe to day. Maybe not.

A new recruit is coming in this day for a lecture, Kiwanis pin, and some literature.

Ten years ago this time The Builder said: "Who is he who will supinely sit and hear excoriated, lambasted, ridiculed some worthy citizen, friend, layman, statesman or institution ? To sail the Kiwanis ship with cheerful crew and even keel argues pleasant voyage and safe landing."

Thus far, at this political season we've escaped all this. May it continue. Let the partizan politician make his campaign outside Kiwanis Hall.



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"WHAT YOU CAN BUY FOR SIX MILLION DOLLARS" - subject to be analysed, dissected and disposed of by Mr. William A. Hynes to day. We're anxious to learn the answer so that we may put in a winter's supply of catables before another price jump. Tom Ludeke, Chmn.

From the tree in the forest to the love letter in your pocket the evolution of paper was traced by word and picture Tuesday last. Mr. Tiny Larmloue and Mr. Ed Dwyer, the entertainers. Sometime paper may be precious. We should handle with care however we use it.

Now, back at Lytton Home is our former member Al Sander - a most welcome guest last meeting. May he be more than a guest soon.

Walls of our dining room all but busted one week ago. What with Key Club boys and guests galore those waiting ladies were squeezed plenty while on duty. But they seemed to like the treatment. A mixture of business and pleasure.

Sonomans, Past Lt. Governor Al Grinstead et al, stormed the meeting eloquently broadcasting their club's Twenty Fifth Anniversary. Date: October 28th, this Saturday night. Old Sonoma is deserving of our participation. Let's storm that citadel with numerical strength.

Relzy Aikin now a Healdsburg Kiwanian. We like your looks, Relzy, and we sure like that name too. Unusual to be sure. Also, unique, rather puzzling, mysterious. Does it smack of chivalry? Is it poetic? romantic? In all the realm of nomenclature where do we find the like of it? Do forgive us, Relzy, for playing upon the name. But give us the derivation, or free translation thereof.



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Subject: "AN AMERICAN TRAVELOGUE" A representative of the Greyhound bus Company will be on hand to present this screen picture.

Chairman, Finnly Irish

On information and belief, plus the testimony of William A. Hynes, seconded and implemented by Tom Judeke, the Pacific Gas & Electric Company is not only a going concern, but a corporation both useful and substantial. Like Kiwanis, it has its place in the community. Thanks, Tom, your speaker has the class - a worthy exponent of a six hundred million dollars institution. WOW.!!

What is the fate of those dining room chairs - property of the American Legion? Are these made to sit down on; or, was their breaking strength to be tested out on the hard wood floor? Let's put it up to Legionaire Jess Ratchford for decision.

We hope there was decent representation at Sonoma's Twenty Fifth Anniversary, Saturday night last. This, notwithstanding a number of our key ambassadors were mule-tailing in Nevada.

There should be no doubt about a delegation going over to Saint Helena November 6th. And, ^{distance} non-preventing, the boys up north will like to see some of us at Hender/^{son}Center Charter Night, at Eureka, Saturday night, November 4th.

Judge:

From an exchange:

"What is your name, occupation, and what are you charged with?"

Van: "My name is Sparks, I'm an electrician, and I'm charged with battery."

Judge: "Officer, put this live wire in a dry cell! "