



The Builder

Published Weekly by the Kiwanis Club of Healdsburg, California

DECEMBER 7th, 1948

Chairman Finnly Frisch opines and states that: He's had a hell of time in trying to land some sort of speaker; that he has searched city and country, mountain and sagebrush, but to little avail; that as final and discouraging resort he has picked up one Russ Stevens, presently manufacturer of sawdust, and formerly a lumberjack way up in the Scotia Redwoods. Come if you are so disposed, stick it out if you can. If not, you can "make up" at the directors' meeting at Earl's, 7 P.M. this Tuesday Eve.

This may be something of a redeeming feature: We learn now that the said speaker's speel will be a dissertation on "Twenty Six Seven." This popular and presently all-absorbing subject, so uppermost in the citizens of our land, still needs a little more elucidating. After hearing Russ orate perhaps those who came to scoff remained to praise.

December 21st, at Lytton's

The editor did have a hunch concerning Elmer's bovine bunch. He did display (it was to laugh! that family bull and cow and calf. Enormous brute, from tail to tongue. Said longhorn too, so heavy hung! Just what our dairies do require - potential prized prolific sire. As for his consort, to wit: cow, - a perfect mate for him, and how! Immense like he, both square and round, that udder reached high to the ground. Could nurse, you'd think, a score of pets - at least a flock of quirtuplets. Last, not least, and what a calf! Pa an Ma, not by a half had functioned well and with renown to bring such progeny to town. All in all, hilarity to gaze on such anatomy.

Now, rather than commit more sin we bring to end this BULL-etin.



The Builder

DECEMBER 14, 1948

Published Weekly by the Kiwanis Club of Healdsburg, California

In his address, this meeting, Jack Thomas will tell us, devoutly, that

"IT'S CHRISTMAS EVERY DAY" We hope our cleric is right, for we'd like that many presents.

Don Lewis, Chairman.

What an eloquent tribute Russ received at Finnly's hands ! "The best speech this year." Followed by, "It's the only one I have been able to hear." Left handed complimenting cuss. What a pal ! This Fin.

Just the same, our Past Governor did spot the true value of Twenty Six Seven, whether in gold or in spiritual things. Fine talk.

As we write, a quintette of the best of us are getting set for the northern city, Eureka, for the annual school of instruction for officers. Eureka - May they find it.

Next Tuesday where do we go from here ? Have it in mind ? Better.

Dec. 7th, For housing and hospitalizing the directors, thanks to Earl & "Jo." A constructive business session.

Achievement report in the making. Help us out with account of deeds accomplished. We may have forgotten, or have never known, some services personally rendered.

One certain pseudo athlete, one year ago this day, broke the record in the "standing high fall", competing with Ed Beeson, in reverse. He still believes in the Resurrection of the Body.



The Builder

THIS TUESDAY EVE. AT LYTTON HOME

Published Weekly by the Healdsburg Club, Healdsburg, California

Another Night With the Kiddies. Promptly at SEVEN o'clock members, wives and friends will repair to the large dining room for a program of pleasure, withal, exercises in keeping with Christmas time.

Club officers will be in charge. Superintendent Smith, our own good Kiwanian, will make his debut at this annual function.

For members who cannot be on hand there will be a round table at our usual meeting place from 12 to 12-30 - this for the purpose of protecting attendance.

Once again, as this December week returns, we old timers (what's left of us) are looking backward to the days of much beloved "Bill" White, who, with his estimable wife, graced the speaker's table, commanding respect - even reverence - so lovable a man was he. As the Colonel reads this bulletin down in South Pasadena he is certain to reflect and reminisce on those days when (his) Knighthood Was In Flower; when the Whites tenderly guided the welfare of hundreds of youths at this very Lytton Home.

Bill will be happy to learn that the "Home" is now in excellent hands; that all is well under the guidance of Capt. "Larry" Smith; that the Healdsburg Kiwanis Club still preserves the same solicitous regard for this worthy institution as of yore.

At last meeting our new Lieutenant Governor, Herb Quaintance, was received with the due courtesy and deference attendant to his important office and to his personal self. Good skiing, Herb.



The Builder

Published Weekly by the Kiwanis Club of Healdsburg, California

The Night of December 16th

At Lytton Home, at Seven. Annual Christmas Party for the kiddies, and all of us. What a glorious event to look forward to! We cherish the thought of commingling with the under-privileged boy and girl each Christmas time, and all should be on hand.

A most entertaining program has been arranged, a sumptuous dinner, as of yore, is a foregone conclusion, and Christmas carols will be the order of the evening. BRING YOUR FRIENDS.

For the very, very few who possibly cannot attend a round table will take place at Legion Hall, Tuesday, at noon.

One week hence, as we've said previously, Christmas will be observed at usual headquarters in appropriate manner, and we'll feast on the fruits of our own cooking, for we've wonderful chefs in our aggregation. None can afford to cut such opportunity as this.

Those Boys' Boxing Bouts! The best of the kind since memory runneth not to the contrary. We spike this as a Kiwanis achievement, for our own Al Barbieri was the inspiration, the instrumentalist and the instigator of the whole show. Such genuine sport as this should assist in killing off juvenile delinquency in our land. The house was jammed, deportment perfect, boys well trained, and all were happy. And Al was forced to take a bow.

Another reminder of what's ahead: This party to night at Lytton; Our home cheffed feed on the 23d; Installation Night, Jan. the 6th.