

THE BUILDER

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Dec. 2, 1941 - Chairman, Neil Parsons. Guest speaker, Miss Dorothy Spurling, District Nutritionist of State Department of Public Health. Subject: Nutrition and National Defense.

Was there a screw loose; or was it a termite that raised ructions with Mr. Gosliner's projector last meeting? Anyhow, the mechanical speaker seemed to have its mouth full of meal, thereby converting the well intended English into something smacking of pig latin.

But we did see those diabolical denizens of the wood fairly capsizing great structures - so allergic are these to timber foundations. Messrs. Graham and Gosliner express deep regret that their machine should demur at the critical moment.

When the directors meet this Thursday morning time will be set for our "ladies night" at Lytton Home. Probably Dec. 16th.

Sorry to lose "Workhorse" Gino Buffi who has gone to Napa - no, not for treatment, but for real business. He'll be back. And Santa Rosa club will profit by our loss in Price Acuff. We're mailing his passport now.

School of Education for officers, Napa, Sunday, Dec. 7th.

Thoughtfulness of and for others - a good Kiwanis teaching.

THEREFORE, again let us not forget to canvass our respective districts and list names of needy families whose children, or themselves, may be candidates for Christmas baskets. Do it now!

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We look forward to no blackout this Tuesday evening, December 16th.

On the contrary, a bright, even brilliant event is due to take place.

It will be at Lytton Home, at 7 o'clock, where and when we grown-ups and wives will commingle with scores of little tots in a Christmas party.

Hizzonor Roy Haley has the program in hand. Consequently, it must be of the up and up kind.

Won't it seem like the old days - days of Bill White and the better half ?

Now, folks, forget the usual rendezvous this Tuesday noon, and strike out northbound for Lytton at 6-30.

Remember this is our regular weekly meeting - only at an irregular place and time. A meeting to gladden the hearts of youngsters, as Kiwanians are wont to do. The first Christmas get-together under the reign of the Colliers here. Be there.

Excerpts from President of Kiwanis to President of United States:

"In 2200 towns over 114,000 Kiwanians stand by ready for your Call."

"We have been attacked by forces which seek to destroy our homes, our churches our freedom and our democratic society." "Destroy the enemies which seek to destroy us."

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This is the 23d day of December, 1941.
Notice the little red white and blue boy posted all
around town this Christmas week, and yelling with
mouth wide open -

ALL'S WELL

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Well, that's the spirit of Healdsburg; that's the spirit of
Kiwanis.

At this Christmas meeting there'll be no "weeping and gnash-
ing of teeth"- no sadness - everything joyful. And why ?

The Japs have taken unto themselves a thoro going shellacking
at the hands of US - meaning United States and us. And we are
happy to day. So, why worry ?

Consequently, there's going to be music in the air. "Sugar"
Sweet' has a sweet program in the making - choristers from
the High School rehearsing Christmas carols as we go to press.

And the dining room will take on holiday atmosphere - so says
Walt Marshall of the House committee. No doubt, the menu will
smack of genuine Christmas flavor. Rather inviting, no ?

Tuesday night's festivities wrought a reincarna-
tion of olden days at Lytton Home. Sixty five of the
best of us (including ladies) dispensed with, de-
voured and digested roast turkey etc, etc, and drunk
to the health and happiness of 125 youngsters
Many thanks to hosts, Major & Mrs. Collier.

MERRY CHRISTMAS - says The Builder.

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EXTRA

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ALL ABOUT TODAY

Major (dono) Collier is the man of the hour. Herb is bringing a galaxy of youthful actors from the Home who in perfect histrionic fashion will present a playlet, bidding Adieu to the OLD, and usher in a *Happy New Year*

And this is not all. Col. Arch Layman, men's social service secretary, Western Territory, Salvation Army, will address us.

Sounds like a wonderful program, Herb; and are you trying to eclipse the High School Christmas carolers of last week? Well, we'll make no enviable comparisons. The club congratulates yourself and Owen for these enterprising efforts at this holiday season.

Nice ovation, that, to Joe Thompson Jr. guest of ours, together with dad Joe Sr. We're for our home boy Joe - Young American worthwhile is he.

President Charlie's school of instruction "went into session", as per schedule, Thursday last. Now you know your stuff, committee chairman; Let's get going.

If we are going to remember December Seventh at our insular land Hawaai, let's not forget January 13th, at Healdsburg - Installation (ladies) night.

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