



The Builder

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Big day for our Key Club Boys. It is meet and proper that their Installation of Officers take place with us in weekly meeting assembled. Accordingly, Chairman Walt Wright has arranged for such program. This organization is now firmly established and we're very proud of it, sponsors as we are.

Straight from the shoulder Capt. Sam Kirkpatrick told us plenty on the relation of his department to the traveling public. "Something must be done," said he, "to stop this terrible killing." Cooperation must increase. The traffic problem cannot be solved by one group.

Don Oakleaf's theory to fine every man but one just didn't work out in practice. Had he included By Gibbs and excluded the editor justice would have been served. But Don meant well, maybe.

For the next few weeks our "associate editors" take over. Look for samples of extraordinary journalism the like of which All Kiwanis never heard of.

President Jim came through with the price of his lumber Ad. But here's a different attitude altogether. Read below:

Seems to us it's pretty bad when a firm don't place an Ad - like the rich P G & E when it costs but a small fee. A man both business-like, and wise, should in The Builder advertise. For six bits, maybe more, now, Tom Ludeke, don't get sore. 'Twould make yourself a lot of friends, and pay your firm big dividends. When you're out on that campaign bent for the next year's PRESIDENT don't take the risk to be the "goat" and suffer loss of a huge vote.



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This Tuesday- The graduating class, Healdsburg High School, 1951, our guests today along with their faculty advisors. To each Kiwanian at least one, not more than two seniors as his special guests to be escorted and hosted for this event. Woe be to any clubman without a senior guest.

To present the KIWANIS SCHOLARSHIP	Perry Beeson
To present the KIWANIS PLAQUE	Lawrence Smith
Guest speaker	Sam Gardner of San Rafael
Chairman of the day	Tom Ludeke

In retrospect we salute an outstanding meeting last week. Our Key Club guests and their installation ceremonies. Kiwanis and boys at work, truly inspiring, and our gratitude to Lyle Ingols and his fine committee, Norm Schwiertert their faculty advisor, all for the fine things they have done. Our congratulations and wishes for a successful year for the new Prexy Lee Anderson and his corps of officers.

Happily also did we welcome that quintet from neighbor and foster child Ukiah Kiwanis Club, headed by their Prexy Walt Woodward. Food and some unusual refreshment their reward to take home in abundance. Too bad that they must travel so far though to recover property pilfered by visiting Kiwanian. May our "grand jury" investigate this information and indict the guilty that we may have opportunity for a trial.

Directors meeting at the home of Pres. Jim Clarke same last Tuesday eve is worthy of special editorial comment. Kiwanis again at work was no better exemplified than this particularly well attended and highly interesting meeting. The long discussions pro and con ticket selling, ticket passing out to members, sitting duck Kiwanians, all of it worthy of any town hall meeting anywhere at any time. Subject is pertinent however. Significant fact that activities and interests of this Kiwanis Club are so worthy that exploitation of each project has now reached the place where we must reflect and assay our club ability to embrace all that has drawn so many into action has caused some reflection as to methods that may be permissible without giving offense in seeking the accomplishment necessary.

Tie in with this discussion the announcement shortly to be forth coming of the dates and committees for our annual WHITE ELEPHANT SALE. Consider that the beginning of this annual event two short years ago brought the promise that with an all out effort on the part of each member we would have sufficient funds to further the action of our projects without any further undue personal approach to members in weekly meetings.

Budgets of finance have been arranged, committees appointed to accomplish things, this editor suggests a campaign to start budgeting our ability to undertake projects and refuse any that are not annually programmed and approved in advance to match our financial ability to pay for. Might be too bad if everything ran too smooth, we would miss these arguments as of last directors meeting.



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Dear Mamma Mia:

Thisa week the Presidente, Jeemy da Clark, he say to me, "Luigi, da jodge hes go onna vacaish, so you writa da Kiwanis Boolitin,". Oakly-doakly I say, "I'm a writem op."

So, Mamma Mia, da fost ting what I'ma tella you is about da beega da program anna da Auditorium. Soch a nice bonch ofa young bambinos what is comma outa da High School. Da High School here Mamma mia, is not lika Italy; when you finish da school inna Italy, you finish, but in America mosta da bambinos go to a moch higher school.

Anyways everbody shes a so happy, and Sig. Tomasco Ludcke, hes'a inna charge of da chairs do soch a nice job. Hes'a alla time so re-lapsed. He intatroduce anada fine man shes'a call Sam Gardener who maka da fine speech, but Mamma mia, I'm notice some of da boys not listen so good because dey looka da pretty girls.

When dey giva da prize to da besta student everybody shes'a clap lika crazy. Clara Niguma wins da prize. She's'a say shes'a stody somemore how to fixa da toots, and for da besta pupil and citizen da Clob hes'a give a plack to Ruth Elaine Oakleaf, and Papa Oakleaf who'sa Dottore poosha da plack to his bambino personal.

Now Mamma mia I'ma gonna tella you about da treep to Eureka. Dees a people shes'a go: Ernesto Frandsen, Russo Stevens, Birone Gibbs, Valtero Wright, Sig. and Sig.a Roi Doolan, Sig. and Sig.a Stanlo McNulty, and Sig. and Sig.a Relzo Aikin. Everybody she'sa go have one fine time, da only ting is da troub is da air ina Eureka mosta affect some da men cause da nexta day dey have headache, dat'sa too bad. Also, somebody tella me dat disa man Ernesto Frandsen hes'a try to poosha da trucks offa da road.

Thisa week "Lungo" Price she'sa gonna bring a man called Bill Shackleton whosa gonna talk on somathing.

So, arrivederci, Mamma mia.

Resp. your son

Luigi Giovanni Battista Galleazi



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Dear Mamma Mia:

Sacramento! Again thisa week I'm gotta write da Booletin. Itsa lika dis; Alberto Huddart he meeta me onna da strit anda he say to me, "Luigi, my littla ponkin haid, you writa da Booletin lasta week anda nobody shes can read it, so disa week you try agin see what you do".

What can I say? Mamma Mia, I no can insult such a beeg man lika sig. Huddart, so I do.

Da only troub is lasta week she'sa costa me one bock, disa Booletin business isa lika da mondey say when he spit inna da cash register, "Dis is gonna run into da money."

So I maka da reports.

Lasta week Lungo Price he bringa da man who'sa talk plenty about da basins and everybody she'sa get polluted, anda how da water she'sa upstate when it'sa down state she's need it, and no got it. I'ma tella you Mamma mia, I don onderstan' moch about dat business, maybe he shoullda drink some good red wine and forget alla dat water business.

Thisa week Francesco Passalacqua, (hisa poppa shes come from Italy), is gonna have a musician wit him, by da name "Sugar" Sweeten, who'sa gonna talk about "Alcoholics Unanimous". (Dats da fella whosa no lika red wine).

Wellm Mamma mia, we hope for da best,

Resp. Luigi Giovanni Battista Galeazzi.