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THIS WEEK

Professor Gibbs of the Healdsburg Elementary School will present a program entitled 'Book of Knowledge'. Better sharpen up your wits boys.

DIRECTORS MEETING

The directors have voted to set the luncheon fee at \$5.70 per month until the end of the year. At that time the new Board will reconsider and try to set it on a permanent basis. Visitors will pay \$1.35 per meal. The chairman will be entitled to a free meal for the speaker and that is all.

WE SLIPPED UP

last week and failed to welcome our new member Col. Macacknie. May we extend our hand of fellowship and hope that you as we, will find in Kiwanis some of that for which all men search.

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THIS WEEK:

Mr. Clement T. Marks will explain the sport of big game hunting with bows and arrows. Mr. Marks is known throughout the United States as a leading performer in this field. He is also known to some of our members, having lived in the Windsor area for the past five years. There will be time after hearing Mr. Marks to trade in your rifles for bows before the deer season opens. Stan McNulty is program chairman.

INTERCLUB MEETING - JULY 15:

This meeting with the Santa Rosa Club at Mark West Springs has been cancelled. The dates of the Santa Rosa Fair have been moved up and the big parade is scheduled for the same evening.

ANNUAL SAN RAFAEL BARBEQUE:

This ladies' night affair is still very much on the books, and it is hoped that a good crowd from Healdsburg will attend. It is to be held at Keaton's Shack in El Verano on Saturday, July 17, at 7:00 p.m.

NEW CLUBS:

"SANTA ROSA SUBURBAN," a thriving new Kiwanis Club, now meets at the Saddle & Sirloin restaurant in Montgomery Village on Wednesdays at 12:10 p.m.

A new Kiwanis Club has also been organized in Petaluma through the efforts of Sonoma. There is some talk of holding a joint inauguration with the new Santa Rosa Club on September 18.

With Willits and Fairfield, four new Kiwanis Clubs have been organized in Division 8 this year, and more opportunities are under investigation.

FIRECRACKERS:

The patriotic boys and girls who loosed the firecrackers at last Tuesday's meeting have had their money's worth in repercussions. Some members, who are physically upset by such noises, will look for a quieter place to eat if there are any more firecrackers. The ladies of the Auxiliary may recommend that we bring our own box lunches to meetings in the future.

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THIS WEEK:

An old friend, Tom Luck, will be the speaker today. Tom has become something of a rover since he left Healdsburg. We have not been able to catch up with him by phone to find out what is cooking. It is a good guess that Tom will discuss problems in his particular field of public relations. However, Tom could talk on many subjects, including the White Elephant Sale. This program is brought to us through the special effort of Jerry Miller, program chairman.

ODE TO AN OLD HAT:

This symposium has been contributed by a distinguished member whose style of writing is signature enough - - -

Mr. Editor, - Some ancient history do you ask? Well, here it is. Long years ago a certain smart (?) bunch headed by Finnly Frisch thought to gang up on Ed Quinn. They mailed him marked "Collect" a parcel containing a most inelegant or nondescript chapeau. But the would-be receiver wised up and refused to receive. Whereupon the Postmaster exacted from Fin six dimes - postage. History to be sure. But the OFFICIAL RECORDING follows:

How sad to think that in our fold are skulls which no gray matter hold.
I weep for a non-compos ment whose dome has many rooms to rent.
Their plot smacked of the greenest kid, for HOW they shipped that grotesque lid -
so simple, stupid, weak of mind; - well, samples of the jackass kind.

Inscribed on each guy's empty dome should read the sign, "Nobody Home."
For if they had some donkey sense they'd saved their jeans just 60 cents.
Now what those numskulls deserve most, is learn to never ship by post
a parcel marked with C.O.D. - O Lord, what fools some mortals be!!!

REMARKS:

If there is another version to this story, we would like to have it for the record.

ATTENDANCE:

The vacation season has taken its usual toll on attendance, and the following members will have plenty of company in planning make-ups for July:

Al Barbieri, Tom Beahm, Ed Beeson, Ernie Biasotti, Len Boyd, Phil Cadosi, Charlie East, Ernie Frandsen, Finnly Frisch, Roy Haley, Don Jackson, Gordon Jones, Valt Marshall, Fred Martin, Ross MacKechnie, Jerry Miller, Jack Mounts, Francis Passalacqua, Bill Reynolds, Leland Sayre, Louie Schwab, John Sciarra, Harold Sullivan, Bernal VanCleave, Dale Wetzler, Bill Wolking, Jack and Dave Wheeler.

For a change we recommend the Santa Rosa Suburban, meeting at the Saddle & Sirloin in Montgomery Village, on Wednesdays at 12:10.

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THIS WEEK:

We will hear how the Sotoyome Soil Conservation District has developed since it was organized in the spring of 1953. This progress report will interest many Kiwanians who have worked on the project from the beginning. Bill Bagnani of Geyserville is president this year and Ted Kellogg secretary of the Board.

Warren Wood, District Conservationist, will illustrate his talk on past, present and future problems with colored slides. Jack Mounts will preside.

FISHING:

Speaking of stories, Finnly Frisch, Roy Haley and Don Jackson have some to tell about their recent fishing trip to the Mattole River west of Weyott. The first big job was to stretch an enormous tarpaulin between the trees to keep the fog out of their bedroom, dining room, kitchen and lounge. The fishing was no problem. Brief trips to the river produced the legal limit. If they were too busy to fish, they simply drew on emergency rations of ham and T-bone steaks.

BOARD MEETING:

The host for the August 3rd meeting will be Chuck Campbell. Take route 101 south through the underpass until you get to the first fruit stand on the left. Turn left into a dirt road and continue to a white house on the hill. Help yourself to the sheep in passing.

The Board will consider at this meeting the application of San Rafael to transfer out of Division 8 and join San Francisco.

LADIES' NIGHT:

We will definitely have a ladies' night dinner sometime during the third week of October. A special effort is being made to find a program that will appeal to the ladies. If you have any ideas, please see the House Committee.