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## H.K. ROTARIANS RECEIVE DECORATIONS

**F**OUR Rotarians and one Rotary-Anne of the Hong Kong Club were among the 36 local residents who received the insignia of decorations and awards conferred upon them by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth in the last Birthday Honours List. At a brilliant ceremony in the Ball Room of Government House last Wednesday, December 29, the presentations were made by His Excellency the Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham, G.C.M.G., while the citations accompanying the awards were read by the Hon. the Acting Chief Justice, Mr. T. J. Gould.

The citations read at the ceremony in respect of the four Rotarians and one Rotary-Anne were:

**Rtn. (Dr.) Arthur Woo—O.B.E.**

Dr. Arthur Woo has been actively associated with many charitable and public services in Hong Kong and has always given his wide medical skill and administrative experience to any worthy cause.

*Editor's Note:* Dr. Woo, a charter member of the Hong Kong Club, has been a Rotarian since 1930, and was once a President and R.I. Administrative Adviser. In 1947, he was Assistant in charge of the South China area to the then District Governor for China, Rtn.

(Dr.) C. T. Wang. Rtn. Woo was then responsible for the organising of the Macao Rotary Club. He is now a Senior Active member.

**Rtn. Major B. C. Field, M.C.—M.B.E. (Military)**

On the reforming of the Royal Hong Kong Defence Force, Major Field was one of the first to step forward to offer his services. In his capacity as 2nd-in-Command he has worked constantly for the good of the Regiment encouraging the young entry and always ready to help and advise.

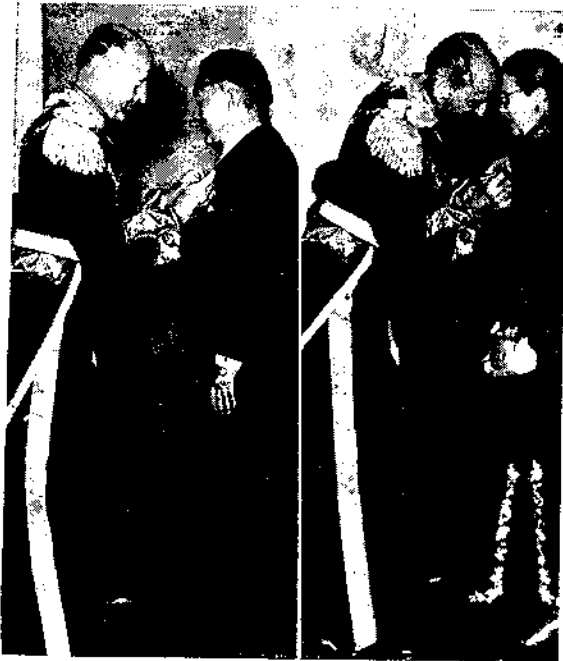
*Editor's Note:* Rtn. Field has been a member of the Hong Kong Club since 1931 and twice Hon. Treasurer during the 1931/32 and 1946/47 Rotary Years. His

Classifications are Real Estate (major) and Real Estate Agency (minor).

**Rtn. Fung Ping-fan—  
St. John's Ambulance Award**

*Editor's Note:* Rtn. Fung, who received the Commander of the Most Venerable Order of St. John of Jerusalem, joined the Hong Kong Club shortly after its charter in 1930. A Senior Active member, Rtn. Fung was President of the

Our First Meeting in 1955  
will be  
A  
New Year Fellowship Meeting  
At  
Winner House, Jan. 5, 1955



Photos show Rtn. (Dr.) Arthur Woo and Rotary-Anne Lady Lo receiving their respective insignia of decorations from His Excellency the Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham. This and the other photos were made available to *Tung Fung* through the courtesy of *Wah Kiu Yat Pao*.

Hong Kong Club during the 1949/50 Rotary Year.

### Rtn. W. J. Gorman— Queen's Fire Service Medal

During his four years in Hong Kong as Chief Officer, Fire Brigade, Mr. Gorman has done much to improve the efficiency of the Fire Brigade. On the night of the Shek Kip Mei fire Mr. Gorman displayed considerable courage whilst carrying out his duties.

*Editor's Note:* Rtn. Gorman was inducted a member of the Hong Kong Club about six months ago. His Classifications are Government Service (major) and Fire Brigade Engineering (minor).

### Lady Lo—M.B.E.

Lady Lo has an outstanding record of public service extending over many years. Having a high sense of duty, Lady Lo has freely given her time, energy and advice in the promotion of numerous charities and good causes.

*Editor's Note:* Lady Lo is the wife of Sir Man-kam Lo, an Honorary Member of the Hong Kong Club.

### At Rotary Last Week

**N**OTWITHSTANDING the small attendance, our regular luncheon meeting at Winner House last Wednesday featured an exceptional example of Rotary fellowship and instruction. In addition to the 25 members present, two guests, Messrs. Jack Huang and G. S. Stokes, and three Press representatives participated in our meeting. It was the first time since the inauguration of our Club that there was not a single visiting Rotarian present.

On behalf of our Club, President John Yuen extended our most sincere wishes for a Very Happy and Prosperous New Year to all those present, while Hon. Secretary Pat Cha read out the Season's Greetings sent to us by many fellow Clubs near and far, including the Los Angeles Club, Hongkong Island West Club, Macao Club, Keefung Club, Singapore Club and Manila Club.

Called upon by Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms Seven Shih, four of five members succeeded in reciting the wording of the Four Way Test. They are Rtns. S. H. Ma, H. C. Yang, Ben Lee and John Yuen. The one who failed was Rtn. Joe Bao for which he contributed \$5 toward our Community Service Fund. Although not called upon, Rtn. Y. F. Chen frankly admitted that he could recite only three of the four sentences of the Four Way Test, for which he voluntarily made a contribution.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Jack Huang, of Pan-American World Airways, members pre-



Sir Alexander Grantham congratulates Rtn. Fung Ping-fau (left) and pins the Queen's Fire Service Medal on Rtn. Gorman.

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## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other member Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

Fellowship Meeting to which all our members (Island East) have been cordially invited to attend by President W. V. Pennell.

### KOWLOON (Thursday):

"Question Time" Meeting—members may be called upon (by drawing lots) to render a two-minute speech.

### ISLAND WEST (Friday):

Fellowship Meeting.

sent saw a 20-minute colour film, "Wings to Hawaii", which depicts scenic spots and various holiday facilities in Hawaii.

After Rtn. Pat Cha had thanked Mr. Jack Huang, President John Yuen adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary Clubs the world over.

At the Hong Kong Club's weekly luncheon, interesting colour travelogue movies were screened. They were taken by Rtn. W. J. Hawkings during his travels around the world following his retirement. He was accompanied by his Rotary-Anne, Mrs. Hawkings who gave a running commentary while the films were shown. The films included a visit to Rotary International's new Headquarters, and close-ups of the Secretary-General and the Far East Director of R.I., and scenes in Paris during the R.I. Convention there showing the large number of people who attended the convention.

There were also scenes of the vast golden prairies of Canada and parts of the U.S.A., the Rockies and a variety of other popular scenic spots on the North American Continent.

The greater part of the films, however, dealt with historical scenes and the scenic beauty of Switzerland and France, including Mount Blanc, Lucerne, the Field of the Cloth of Gold, Flanders with the poppies in full bloom in the fields, and the White Cliffs of Dover.

One of the most interesting was a series of pictures of the Chinese cemetery in France where the fallen of the Chinese Labour Corps in the First World War lie buried. The great gateway has appropriate inscriptions in Chinese, and the

cemetery is carefully tended by a British Service man who gives it all his time and attention.

The lively and often amusing commentary by Mrs. Hawkings added greatly to the effect of the films, and both Mr. and Mrs. Hawkings were warmly thanked by Past President D. S. Hill for the entertainment.

Among the visiting Rotarians was Dr. Campbell Begg, one of Johannesburg's leading medical specialists and a Rotarian of 30 years' standing. He and his wife are visiting the Far East on holiday, and are including in their itinerary places of interest off the beaten track—like the Burma-Siam Railway and Angkor Wat—as well as the more accessible tourist centres.

At the regular meeting of the Hongkong Island West Club at Golden Dragon Restaurant, Rotarian A. de O. Sales of the Hong Kong Club outlined the Jaycee organisation, its structure and manner of operation.

Rtn. Sales, who is the International Chairman of the Education and Social Betterment Commission of the Junior Chamber International, also spoke of its objects and policies.

He said: "It is my contention that the value of the Junior Chamber must not be assessed by the results of its projects. One cannot ask how much each project has been of benefit to the community.

"Instead, I am convinced that the Junior Chamber has an important role to play in any community for it brings clearly to the attention of the young men their obligations towards those with whom they live. It provides them with an avenue of service and it inspires them to action."

"For young men, Jayceism is thus a mission. For any community, it is indeed a strong challenge," concluded the speaker.

The luncheon of the Rotary Club of Kowloon took the form of a monthly Business Meeting.

### Attendance

Of our 29 members, 25 were present at our last meeting at Winner House on December 29, representing 86.21% as follows:

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## G.A. MEETING—JAN. 7

The Chairmen and members of the Golden Anniversary Sub-Committees are reminded to attend the forthcoming meeting to be held at the Gloucester Hotel (8th floor) at 5.30 p.m. on January 7.

It is learned that the meeting will review the recommendations submitted by various Sub-Committees, after which it is hoped that decisions will be made as to the forms and arrangements for carrying out the Golden Anniversary celebrations.

## What Is Rotary?

Rotary is a world fellowship of business and professional executives who accept the "Ideal of Service" as the basis for success and happiness in business and community life. In Rotary, thoughtfulness of others is regarded as the basis of service, and helpfulness to others as its expression. Together they constitute the Rotary "Ideal of Service."

Rotary's universal appeal is that it offers a practical means of enlarging one's friendships, participating in community-betterment undertakings, promoting high standards in business and professional life, and advancing international understanding, good will and peace.

To attain its "Ideal of Service" to humanity, Rotary seeks all that which brings people together and it avoids all which separates them.

Rotary is not a secret organization. Rotary does not seek to supplant or to interfere with any religious or political organization. It assumes that its programme of service is in accord

with all religions, and it does not concern itself with a Rotarian's politics. Rotary expects him to be faithful to his religion and loyal in his citizenship.

Rotary Clubs around the world are planning to observe Rotary's Golden Anniversary, 23 February—2 June, 1955. In 50 years, the Rotary ideals of friendship, fellowship and service to others have spread to the six continents. They have been accepted by men of practically all nationalities—with many different political and religious beliefs—by more than 395,000 business and professional executives in 89 countries and geographical regions.

## A Trust

Membership in the Rotary Club is a trust. Each classification is loaned for a time to outstanding men, leaders in their business or profession. Upon the use of this trust depends not only their individual attitudes toward Rotary, but it controls the opinions of the public toward our Club.

*Rotary says in effect to the new member: "Here is an unused classification. You may borrow it, but ultimately you must give an account of your stewardship."*

This accounting must be made to society, your vocation, and to your friends in Rotary. But more searching than all else is the "stock-taking" you must make of yourself:

Has this privilege made you more service conscious, in your own Club, your particular vocation, the civic life of your community, and the interdependence of all nations? Does it show an increase in service and leadership rendered over other years?



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## INTER-CITY FORUM TO ELECT DISTRICT GOVERNOR

**T**HE election of a District Governor for China, the Colony of Hong Kong and Macao will be on the agenda of the forthcoming two-day Inter-City Forum, opening in Taipei on April 8. This was disclosed by Rtn. Sunny Chang, Hon. Secretary of the Taipei Rotary Club, when he addressed the regular weekly meeting of our Club at Winner House last Wednesday.

As one of the delegates representing the Republic of China, Rtn. Sunny, who is Commissioner of Taipei Customs, arrived in the Colony last Tuesday to attend the six-day conference of the Subcommittee on Trade of the United Nations Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East (ECAFE).

Speaking on the Rotary extension programme in Taiwan under the leadership of R.I. Administrative Adviser T. F. Wei and President E. T. Tsu of the Taipei Club, Rtn. Sunny said that in addition to the two provisional Clubs of Pingtung and Taipei West which have already been formed, organisational meetings for four other Clubs in Chiayi, Taichung, Changhua and I-Lan would be held one after the other in the near future.

Rtn. Sunny was quite certain that all the six scheduled Clubs in Taiwan would receive their Charter from Rotary International before the end of the fiscal Rotary Year on June 30, thereby increasing the number of Clubs in Taiwan to 11 with an aggregated membership of 490.

*Editor's note: In view of Rtn. Sunny's statement, it can be safely predicted that by the end of next June, there will be 16 Clubs in our District having a combined membership of at least 734 distributed as follows:*

Race Relations in U.S.A.  
will form the subject of a talk  
by  
Mr. Carl Rowan, noted author  
at our meeting tomorrow at  
Winner House

Rotarians	
11 Clubs in Taiwan	490
Hong Kong Club	113
Kowloon Club	55
Island East Club	29
Island West Club	27
Macao Club	20
<b>Total 16 Clubs</b>	<b>734</b>

*Should the Kowloon Club and the Macao Club succeed to promote and inaugurate one Cantonese speaking Club each in their respective territories as recommended by the R.I. Administrative Adviser, we would then have 18 Clubs with at least 800 Rotarians in our District. The Editor will be pleased to receive information in this connection from the Kowloon and Macao Clubs.*

Continuing his address, Rtn. Sunny added: "There are 10 million people in Taiwan and we will work harder to have more Rotarians there."

On behalf of the host Club (Taipei), Rtn. Sunny renewed President E. T. Tsu's invitation to all Rotarians in the Colony and in Macao to visit Taipei and attend the Inter-City Forum there.

Referring to the Inter-City Forum agenda, he said that Rotary International has already assured Administrative Adviser T. F. Wei that at the next R.I. Board's meeting, the question of creating a District for China, the Colony of Hong Kong and Macao would be considered since the area would have 16 Clubs by June 30.

Rtn. Sunny said that it was the wish of Rtn. T. F. to have the election of a District Governor included in the agenda of the forthcoming Inter-City Forum which has been tentatively arranged as follows:

**APRIL 8 (FRIDAY)**

1. Morning Session
2. Formal Opening
3. Message from President Chiang Kai-shek who may attend in person
4. Address of Welcome by the Governor of Taiwan
5. Objects of the Forum by R.I. Administrative Adviser T. F. Wei
6. Afternoon Session
7. Taipei Rotarians' Open House with Fellowship Dinner to visiting Rotarians and Rotary-Annes
8. Peiping Opera at the City Hall

**APRIL 9 (SATURDAY)**

1. Morning Session
2. Afternoon Session
3. Election of a District Governor
4. Anniversary Dinner at the City Hall
5. Address of Welcome by the Premier of the Republic of China.
6. Message from the District Governor-Elect
7. Message of Greetings from visiting Presidents of other Clubs.

**APRIL 10 (SUNDAY)**

1. Conducted Tour of Taipei and its vicinities.

Concluding his speech, Rtn. Sunny requested those fellow Rotarians who plan to attend the Inter-City Forum to advise the Taipei Club as early as possible through their own Clubs in order to facilitate arrangements for entry and exit visas with the Chinese Government.

Following Rtn. Sunny's address, a 10-minute tape-recorded message from the Oshkosh Rotary Club, Wisconsin, U.S.A., was played through the courtesy of Rtn. Duggie Hill of the Hong Kong Club. The message, prepared for the purpose of fostering further the International Service, told of the Oshkosh Club's activities during the past 38 years on the four avenues of Rotary service and of the history, population, industry and other interesting aspects of the city.

Chartered in 1916 with 20 members, the Oshkosh Club today has 105 Rotarians elected from the city's population of 41,000. The average weekly attendance of the Club in the past 38 years has been well over 80 per cent.

Extending its greetings to Rotarians throughout the world, the message of Oshkosh Club said: "We can build friendship through business while we are doing business with friends."

Earlier at our meeting, President John Yuen thanked Rtn. Colin Ure of the Hong Kong Club for his kindness in agreeing to present our bannerettes to some of the Rotary Clubs in New Zealand and Australia which he may visit during his two-month holiday there. Accompanied by his Rotary-Anne, Rtn. Colin left Hong Kong last Saturday for New Zealand. It was also announced by President John that Rtn. Guy Harden of the Hong Kong Club will shortly proceed to Taiwan for a brief business trip.

Led by Rtn. Wilson Wang, all those present sang "Happy Birthday To You" to Rtns. Henry Chang (Jan. 11) and Ben Lee (Jan. 1).

Rtn. K. S. Chang, Chairman of the Programme Committee, thanked Rtn. Sunny Chan and Rtn. Duggie Hill on behalf of our Club, after which President John adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Taipei Rotary Club.

**Other Clubs' Meetings**

All the other Clubs in the Colony conducted their last week's sessions in the form of fellowship meetings. At the Hong Kong Club, members also heard the tape-recorded message from the Oshkosh Club and witnessed the remarkable naming of the names and classifications of all the Rotarians present by Rtns. George Lin and A. J. Picciotto.

The Kowloon Club had several of their members delivering a two-minute talk each, while nine of the members at the Island West meeting each related a brief interesting episode of their life.



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- Mr. David
  - M. L.
  - Percy



Rtn. Sunny Chang, Hon. Secretary of Taipei Rotary Club, speaking at our Club's meeting at Winner House on January 5.

### Attendance

At our last weekly meeting on January 5 at Winner House, 25 of our 29 members were present, representing 86.12% as follows:

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### VISITING ROTARIANS

<i>Name</i>	<i>Home Club</i>
Rtn. Sunny Chang	Taipei
"    Colin Ure	Hong Kong
"    Guy T. Harden	"
"    C. C. R. Shekury	"
"    Alfred Ho	"
"    Daniel Koo	Island West
"    M. L. Liang	Ipol

### VISITORS

<i>Name</i>	<i>Introduced by</i>
Mr. David Ling	Rtn. Edwin Tao
"    M. L. Woo	"    Colin Ure
"    Percy Liang	"    Henry Chang

### Latest Board Meeting

THE decision by the specially-appointed Recreation Centre Project Committee to call off the building of a Recreation Centre on the ground of the North Point Kaifong Association, King's Road, as our Club's first community service project was unanimously approved by the Directors at the last Board meeting held at Winner House on Friday (Jan. 7).

Specially invited to the Board meeting, Rtn. Ron Bennett, Chairman of the RCP Committee, said that his Committee had held altogether six meetings and paid one visit to the North Point Kaifong Association and discussed the project with one of the Association's responsible officials. The Committee also had one interview with Mr. K. Keen, Social Welfare Officer.

In view of the information obtained from the Association and from the Social Welfare Officer, Rtn. Ron said that his Committee had come to the decision that the original Recreation Centre Project could not be carried out as the policies of the N.P. Kaifong Association would not conform to the principles of Rotary.

After approving the Committee's decision, the Board resolved to change the name of the Committee which will henceforth be called the Annual Project Committee (APC) and authorised the APC to continue its investigations and to recommend a new project. All the existing members of the RCP Committee and the Community Service Committee will continue to serve as members of the Annual Project Committee.

The Annual Project Committee will most probably submit its formal recommendation for a new programme at tomorrow's (Jan. 15) regular meeting as the Committee has already studied one social service project recommended by the Social Welfare Officer.

In addition to the above, the Board also approved the following resolutions:

- 1) That Rtn. Ron Bennett be recommended to the International Service Committee as its additional member.
- 2) That Rtn. Marsh Stayner be appointed a member of the Programme Committee.
- 3) That at the suggestion of Hon. Treasurer Y. L. Nie, Rtn. Y. F. Chen be appointed Hon. Assistant Treasurer.
- 4) That the Chairmen of various Committees send copies of their official correspondence with other Clubs to Hon. Secretary Pat Cha.

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

programmes of other member Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

**HONG KONG (Tuesday):**

*Speaker:* Dr. P. S. Lokanathan, ECARF Executive Secretary.

*Subject:* Economic Situation in Asia.

**KOWLOON (Thursday):**

*Speaker:* Mr. Carl Rowan, noted American author, due to arrive in Hong Kong today (Jan. 11).

*Subject:* To be announced in the meeting.

**ISLAND WEST (Friday):**

*Speaker:* Rtn. (Dr.) E. T. Tseung, of the Hong Kong Club.

*Subject:* A Brief History of the Rotary Movement in Hong Kong.

### Golden Anniversary News

**A** MEETING of the Joint Golden Anniversary Sub-Committee was held at Gloucester Hotel last Friday (Jan. 7), at which President W. V. Pennell (H.K.) made a lengthy report on the progress of the Festival Sub-Committee. Due to lack of space, *Tung Fong* regrets being unable to publish Pres. Pennell's report until the next issue.

The meeting also discussed subjects concerning the publication of a Rotary History Booklet, the Golden Anniversary Project and the strengthening of the Publicity Sub-Committee.

It has not yet been decided whether the Rotary History Booklet would be published separately in the English, Chinese and Portuguese languages or in a combined tri-lingual edition. The Sub-Committee was requested to study the matter further and to submit estimates on printing and the number of booklets required.

The Golden Anniversary Project Sub-Committee made a recommendation on a certain pro-

ject which was extensively discussed, after which the Sub-Committee was asked to make further studies and suggest alternative projects. It was, however, made known by Pres. Pennell that the sum available for the project would now be \$25,000 instead of the original figure of \$50,000.

Due to the unexpected departure from the Colony on a two-month holiday in New Zealand of Rtn. Colin Ure (H.K.), it was decided to appoint more members to the Publicity Sub-Committee. It will now consist of at least two members from each Club. The Kowloon Club has nominated Rtn. Lim Hoy Lan; the Island West Club, Rtn. Au-Young Pak-Chuen; and the Island East Club, Rtns. Henry Chang and Pat Cha as their respective additional members to serve on the Publicity Sub-Committee. The Hong Kong Club has yet to name their two members.

The Banquet or Ball Sub-Committee has asked each Club to submit the number of members and their ladies wishing to attend the function. It has not yet been decided whether Rotarians may be permitted to invite guests in view of the limited accommodation. The function will honour and acknowledge the leaders in our community in volunteer service.

### Island West Club Ball

**T**HE Rotary Club of Hongkong Island West will hold its first annual Charity Ball on April 15, Friday, tentatively at The Ritz.

The entire proceeds of the function will be in aid of the Club's maiden community service project. According to its provisional programme, the Club will sponsor handicraft training schools for women and children in Hong Kong and Kowloon at the cost of \$25,000.

Due to high blood pressure and on doctor's advice, Rtn. Tommy Chan has resigned from the Island West Club. We wish Tommy a speedy recovery.

As result of Tommy's resignation, the Island West Club now has 27 members.

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## TENTATIVE G. A. PUBLICITY PROGRAMME

**A** 13-MEDIUM publicity programme for Hong Kong and Macao to publicize the Rotary movement and its principles in conjunction with commemorating the Golden Anniversary of the world-wide Rotary organization in February has been mapped out and is to be submitted by the Publicity Sub-Committee for approval of the Clubs' G.A. General Committee.

The nine-man Sub-Committee will spend the next three weeks collecting and compiling Rotary information and data and making the necessary arrangements with various parties concerned to launch the publicity programme which will last for 18 days from February 10 to February 27, the day following the G.A. Banquet and Ball.

At a meeting last Wednesday, Jan. 12, the Sub-Committee discussed the object, medium and schedule of the publicity programme as well as the division of work among its nine members. The Sub-Committee which has two joint Chairmen in Rtn. K. T. Wang (English) and Rtn. Henry Tang (Chinese) was assisted by Rtn. Gin Su, Secretary of the Clubs' G.A. General Committee, at its meeting last Wednesday, which was presided over by Rtns. K. T. Wang, assisted by Rtn. Henry Chang.

The nine-man Sub-Committee which will meet at least once a week from tomorrow is represented by the following Clubs:

*Hong Kong Club:* Rtns. Ron Mender (Hon. Secretary) and Francois Sun.

*Kowloon Club:* Rtns. Dave Edwins and Lim Hoy Lan.

*Island West Club:* Rtns. Henry Tang (Chairman in Chinese) and Au-Young Pak-Chuen.

*Island East Club:* Rtns. K. T. Wang (Chairman in English), Pat Cha and Henry Chang.

Through the courtesy of Rtn. Ron Mender, it is hoped that the minutes of future meetings will be recorded by Mrs. Mender.

As agreed upon unanimously at last Wednesday's meeting of the Sub-Committee, the publicity programme will have the following duties to perform:

- 1) OBJECT: to publicize (a) the movement and principles of Rotary; (b) the Golden Anniversary; (c) the history and background of the five Clubs in Hong Kong and Macao; (d)

*Next Meeting:* January 19, 1955

*Speaker:* Rtn. G. M. Hughes, of the Hong Kong Club.

*Subject:* The Most Human Business in the World.

## PROGRAMME CHAIRMAN'S HOSPITALITY TO COWAN



Rtn. K. S. Chang, Chairman of our Programme Committee, entertained Mr. Carl T. Cowan, noted American author and journalist (the guest speaker of our last meeting), at a dinner party at Savoy Lounge last Thursday night. Photo shows from left to right (seated) Mr. George Woo, Mrs. Ehrlich, Mr. Bud Briggs and Mr. Yang Chang Han; (standing) Mr. Jimmy Wu, Miss Wang, Mrs. K. S. Chang, Rtn. K. S., Mr. Carl Cowan, Mrs. Cowan and Mr. Arnold Ehrlich.

past community services of the five Clubs; and (e) the events during the G.A. Festival Week.

2) **MEDIUMS:** to use as the 13-medium (a) the Press; (b) Broadcasts; (c) Posters; (d) Billboards; (e) Cinemas; (f) Handbills; (g) Postal Frankings; (h) Window Displays; (i) Trams; (j) Buses; (k) Ferry Boats; (l) Display Cards at Restaurants; and (m) newspaper advertising.

3) **SCHEDULE:** to carry out the 13-medium publicity programme from February 10 for 18 days through February 27.

4) **DIVISION OF WORK:** This subject was casually discussed and it is hoped that a definite division of work for each of the nine members will be decided upon at tomorrow's meeting.

It was tentatively arranged that Rtn. Gin Su will request the Chairmen of the various G.A. Sub-Committees to send their minutes of meetings to Rtn. K. T. Wang (Hong Kong Plywood Mfg. Co., 1-A Percival Street, Wanchai, Tel. 71081) for preparing publicity materials.

Rtn. Gin Su has also kindly promised to discuss the use of trams, buses and ferry boats for our publicity programme with the authorities concerned. He will also approach the Postmaster General for stamping the Rotary Golden Anniversary postal marks on all out-going and incoming mail during our publicity period.

While the Sub-Committee will work out its estimates for carrying out the 13-medium publicity programme, Rtn. Gin Su will approach the G.A. General Committee for a budget to cover the expenditure.

It was further agreed at the meeting that Rtn. Pat Cha will look after the preparation and compilation of the publicity materials and Rtn. Henry Chang the designing of layouts for posters, billboards, handbills, newspaper advertisements and window displays.

### At Rotary Last Week

**T**HE Role of the Newspaper in Social Changes" was the subject of talks given at two Rotary Club meetings in the Colony last week by Mr. Carl T. Cowan, noted American Negro newspaperman. He was in Hong Kong for six days on a lecture tour of the East under the auspices of the U.S. State Department's international educational exchange programme.

At our meeting last Wednesday and at the meeting of the Kowloon Club two days later, Mr. Cowan observed that the very corner-stone of civilisation today was in social changes and that many people asked for a larger bowl of rice, for a larger share of luxury, but the thing they really wanted most was dignity.

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The noted American author and journalist said that the way to bring about this change was to make man master of his own fate. "Let him have the right to speak freely, worship freely, move freely and so forth," he said.

Mr. Cowan contended that social changes could be brought about by free newspapers in a free society. The newspaper must concern itself with the problems of the people. If they neglected this, then, they were not doing their job properly.

He recalled that the *Chicago Daily News* had printed some very revealing features about the slums in Chicago. These stories inspired people to do something and the slums were cleared.

Mr. Cowan said that one of the reasons he had undertaken the tour was because his paper—the *Minneapolis Tribune*—had been of the opinion that "it isn't right that we should know so little of Asia, an area where decisions are made that might affect us so much."

The speaker said that many problems of the world would be solved if "we toss aside politeness, sit down and face the brutal truth man between man."

"In my travels," he added, "I have seen many people ask for a larger bowl of rice, for a larger share of luxury—but the thing they really want most is the demand for dignity."

Speaking on racial discrimination in America, Mr. Cowan said that while there was "individual discrimination" the problem was not as serious as it was a few years ago when "the individual would have the support of the group."

"No person or group in the world has succeeded in bringing about so much of a change in racial discrimination in the past as has the American Negro," said the speaker. Here, again, he added, the Press played an important part.

The speaker was thanked by Rtn. Marsh Stayner at our meeting and by Rtn. Jim Vaughan at the meeting of the Kowloon Club. After Rtn. Marsh had thanked Mr. Cowan, President John Yuen adjourned our meeting with a Toast to Rotary International with which was associated the Rotary Club of Singapore. Earlier at our meeting, the birthday anniversary (Jan. 15) of our Vice-President K. C. Goh was noted.

### H.K. Meeting

**H**ONG KONG has undergone a "revolutionary change" from a trading centre to a manufacturing centre. Dr. Palamadai S. Lokanathan, Executive Secretary of ECAFE, told the Hong Kong Club at its weekly luncheon at Paramount Ballroom last Tuesday.

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### Visits To Other Clubs In Dec.

**N**INE of our 29 members paid 31 visits to other fellow Clubs in the Colony and Malaya during the month of December, according to a monthly report released by the Attendance Committee which was compiled by Rtn. Seven S. C. Shih.

Rtn. Joe Bao topped the list and visited every meeting of the three fellow Clubs in the Colony in addition to attending each meeting of our Club, thus achieving the 400% attendance record in December.

Rtn. Alan Yin managed to attend three of the five meetings of the Singapore Club during the month under review. Rtn. Alan is in Singapore busily installing air conditioning systems in several theatres there. We hope that he will soon return to Hong Kong.

It is believed that Rtn. Joseph Fung, son-in-law of Rtn. Alan Yin, visited the Kuala Lumpur Club on several occasions during December. A report will be carried in the Bulletin as soon as we receive a report on Rtn. Joseph's attendance from the Kuala Lumpur Club.

A breakdown of visits during December by our members to other Clubs follows:

Name	Clubs Visited	Date
Rtn. J. C. Bao	Hong Kong	Dec. 7
	"	14
	"	21
	"	28
	Kowloon	2
	"	9
	"	16
	"	23
	"	30
	Island West	3
	"	10
	"	17
	"	24
	"	31
Rtn. Ron Bennett	Kowloon	23
" Pat Chia	Hong Kong	7
" Henry Chang	"	21
	Kowloon	25
	Island West	10
	"	24
" Seven Shih	Hong Kong	7
	Kowloon	23
" Fred Tan	Hong Kong	21
" Edwin Tan	Island West	3
" Alan Yin	Singapore	1
	"	8
	"	22
" John Yuen	Hong Kong	14
	Kowloon	23
	Island West	24
	"	31
" Joseph Fung	Kuala Lumpur	Nov. 24

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. T. Y. Tung

*Subject:* From Cotton to Yarn

### KOWLOON (Thursday):

Annual Reception for Officials and Village Leaders from the New Territories.

### ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Dr. Y. H. Tsao

*Subject:* Problem Children

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Dr. Lokanathan, introduced by Pres. W. V. Pennell, spoke on general economics in the Far East. He thanked Hong Kong for its hospitality to the ECAFFE delegations, and said he hoped more meetings would take place here.

Despite the difficult times the Colony has experienced, Dr. Lokanathan added, he had been impressed by what the delegates had found. "We had been told that Hong Kong was a free port, but it was only when we saw for ourselves that we realized that it has been transformed from a trading centre into a manufacturing centre."

Hong Kong should, however, recognize that there were problems facing other countries, "countries which are wholly dependent upon a few export commodities."

Commenting on economic problems, Dr. Lokanathan said that one of the most important involved the question of raising capital and ECAFFE was giving some attention to this problem.

One of the main purposes of ECAFFE was to "take a step forward" every year. He concluded that he realized that the problems would take some time to settle out but that progress was being made.

## Island West Meeting

THE history of the Rotary movement in Hong Kong was related by Rtn. (Dr.) F. I. Tseung at the weekly luncheon of Rotary Club, Hongkong Island West, at the Golden Dragon Restaurant last Friday.

Dr. Tseung said the subject was appropriate as Rotary all over the world would soon celebrate its Golden Anniversary. The Rotary Club of Hong Kong would also soon celebrate its Silver Jubilee.

### Attendance

Forty-three persons attended our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on January 12. Among them were seven visiting Rotarians, six of them from the Hong Kong Club, nine guests and three representatives from the Press.

Of our 29 members, 24 were present at the meeting, representing 72.41 attendance as follows:

Rotarians present . . . . .	24
" on leave . . . . .	3
" absence excused (Rtn. Seaker Chan) . . . . .	1
" absent (Rtn. K. Y. Shang) . . . . .	1
Total . . . . .	29

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Bill Anderson	Hong Kong
" Gin Su	"
" Joe Wolfe	"
" James Choy	"
" W. F. Koo	"
" P. Y. Koo	"
" Daniel Koo	Island West

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Dr. C. Y. Chen	Rtn. Seven S. C. Siuh
Mr. H. H. Tseng	"
" G. S. Stokes	" Ben Lee
" Mak Ping Fui	" Y. C. Fogg
" Lee Tsu Zung	" S. W. Zao
" Carl T. Bowan	Guest Speaker
" Arnold Ehrlich	Rtn. John Yuen
" George Woo	"
" J. Kima	" Bill Anderson

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## \$10,000 GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY FUND

**A**DVANCE funds of \$2,500 from each of the four fellow Clubs in the Colony, has been called in by the Clubs' Golden Anniversary General Committee for financing necessary expenses in connection with the joint celebration in Hong Kong of the 50th Anniversary of the world-wide Rotary organisation.

This was one of the decisions reached at the latest meeting of the General and Sub-Committees held at Gloucester Hotel last Tuesday, January 12. Presided over by Pres. W. V. Pennell (H.K.), the meeting also elected Pres. H. C. Fung (Island West) to be Hon. Treasurer of the G.A. General Committee.

The \$10,000-fund contributed by the four Clubs will be used for meeting expenses for costumes of the different nationalities reminiscent of the year 1905 (the year of Rotary inception) and for printing historical booklets, posters and dinner tickets. It is learned that 3,000 historical booklets in both the Chinese and English languages will be printed—500 of which will be bound with heavier covers.

At the recommendation of the Banquet Sub-Committee, it was decided to charge \$20 per head to the Banquet and Ball to be held at the Peninsula Hotel on February 26.

The General Committee also decided to allocate 10 Passes (four to the Press, one to the Peninsula Hotel and three to others) for photographing the Banquet and Ball event.

On the following day (Wednesday) at the American Club, members of the Publicity Sub-Committee held their second meeting at which decisions were reached on several important matters. Assisted by Rtn. Gin Su (General Committee's Hon. Secretary), Chairman K. T. Wang reported that the General Committee had slashed the Publicity Sub-Committee's original 13-

medium publicity programme to five for which a sum of \$1,000 has been allocated for carrying out the programme.

The five medium to be used by the Publicity Sub-Committee

will now comprise:

1. Newspaper write-ups
2. Broadcasts
3. Posters
4. Cinemas
5. Window Displays

Rtn. Henry Chang was instructed to re-design the colour scheme of one of the two poster layouts, which had received approval of the

*Next Meeting:* January 26, 1955  
*Speaker:* Mr. H. H. Tseng  
*Subject:* Technique of Chinese Painting

Sub-Committee, and to incorporate the Chinese version into the same poster. He was also instructed to submit an estimate of the number of posters to be produced at a cost of \$500.

Rtn. K. T. Wang explained that cinema advertising may be dropped in case we fail to obtain free screening time from theatres. Rtns. Gin Si and Pat Cha were authorised to approach various cinema houses in this connection.

Window displays will take the form of posters together with Rotary wheels and the bannerettes of the five Clubs, including Macau. Rtn. K. T. Wang has kindly promised to donate all the Rotary wheels required for the window displays.

It was suggested that advertisements in free of cost space solicited from member Rotarians be further considered despite the General Committee's ruling out of this media at its last meeting. Instead of individual small-space advertisements in various newspapers, it was suggested that half-page advertisements in several newspapers on February 23 be considered. The Sub-Committee has, therefore, instructed Rtn. Henry Chang to prepare a programme with the estimated costs which would be submitted to the General Committee for its approval.

In this connection, Rtn. Henry offered a quarter-page (7" x 11") free advertising space in his newspaper. Rtn. Henry said he was prepared to contribute two pages (16" x 23"), carrying comprehensive information about the Rotary movement, to be distributed to the readers of his newspaper.

Should the General Committee wish to have additional copies of the two-page special sheet, Rtn. Henry said that it may cost about 2 cents each to be paid by the General Committee. It was thought that 30,000 extra copies costing approximately \$600, could be used for free distribution to the general public—at the projected football match and other G.A. festival events.

### Emergency Board Meeting

An emergency meeting of our Club's Board of Directors was held immediately after our last weekly luncheon at Winner House on January 12, at which the Directors approved the payment of \$2,500 as an advance from our Club to the G.A. General Committee.

The Board also decided to offer drinks and the 50th Rotary birthday cake out of the Club's fund to all Rotarians attending the regular meeting of our Club on February 23. It is expected that some 160 to 180 Rotarians will attend this meeting. On that day, lunch will be charged at \$7 per head.

### At Rotary Last Week

THE Rotary world in Hong Kong was strengthened by five additional members last week, increasing the aggregated number of Rotarians of the four Clubs from 224 to 229. The Kowloon Club admitted Rtn. K. M. A. Barnett, who, it may be recalled, had recently resigned from the Hong Kong Club upon his transfer to the post of District Commissioner of the New Territories. The Island West Club inducted four additional members in Messrs. Kai Hoo-sai, Y. N. Wang (a former Rotarian of the Canton Club), Ho Ting and Yuen Chir-kwong.

The present strength of membership of the four Clubs in the Colony is as follows:

Hong Kong Club	113
Kowloon Club	56
Island West Club	31
Island East Club	29
Total	229

Speaking at the Island East Club meeting last Wednesday (Jan. 19), Rtn. G. M. Hughes of the Hong Kong Club dealt with the life insurance business in a very light and interesting manner, giving sound advice on purchasing policies. He said the insurance business believed in helping a man to help himself in securing security.

Rtn. Hughes had been in the insurance business for over 26 years and he called it the most human business in the world because it delved into man's personal life, his hopes and fears, his plans for his children and his love for his wife.

Life insurance was really not the right term as life could not be insured, said Rtn. Hughes. It was really income insurance. The power of life insurance was to assure a person of his income or part of his income when he became too old to work or to provide for his wife if he died young.

Life insurance, he said, was the best accepted way to replace income either by death or old age.

It was not quite true, he continued, to say that insurance companies would not insure a person if he was not in the best of health. It was only natural, he said, that the healthy person did not seek life insurance whereas the person with poor health did. Thus, the companies had to have an average quality of risk. If they did not, they would go out of business.

All life insurance premiums were based on the "mortality table"—a statistical record of the deaths in every 100,000 people. One of the items of this table was the fact that as people

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grew older they could expect to live longer, added Rtn. Hughes.

He continued that in principle, life insurance companies did not concern themselves about the individual but the people on the whole. Thus, it was not difficult to estimate how much premium to charge people so as to be able to pay claims as they are made.

The insurance companies, he said, endeavoured to pay just claims as quickly as possible, and he issued a warning to people taking out policies to answer all the questions on the questionnaire as correctly as possible.

"Unless insurance companies deny payment of claims by bad applicants, then the genuine ones will have to pay more premium," he concluded.

The speaker was thanked by Rtn. Wilson Wang, after which President John adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which were the Rotary Clubs of Whiteville (N. Carolina) and Cloverdale.

### Attendance

Twenty-three of our 29 members attended the regular luncheon meeting at Winner House on January 19, representing 79.31% as follows:

Rotarians present .. .. .	23
.. .. on leave .. .. .	3
.. .. absence excused .. .. .	3

Total .. .. . 29

We missed Rtns. Marsh Stayner, S. H. Ma and Hsi Yu-I, whose absence from the last meeting was excused.

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. G. M. Hughes	Hong Kong
.. R. Y. Cheng	"
.. Lee Braxton	Whiteville, N. Carolina, U.S.A.

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. G. S. Stokes	Rtn. Ben Lee
.. George Chan	.. Henry Chang

### Hong Kong Club Meeting

**M**ORE than 150 million pounds of cotton are consumed by the 13 spinning mills now in operation in the Colony, Rtn. T. Y. Tung told Hong Kong Rotarians at their weekly luncheon at the Paramount Ballroom last Tuesday.

Rotarian Tung, speaking on "From Cotton to Yarn," said that the cotton industry was fairly new in Hong Kong—it had not been able to

get a foothold till after the war since before then the cost of living was higher in the Colony than in China and the Colony's weather was not suitable.

At that time, the speaker explained, there was no air-conditioning and the humidity was not conducive to the spinning of cotton. A spinning mill which had its foundations in Causeway Bay 60 years ago was forced to move to Shanghai after an unsuccessful attempt to overcome these difficulties, he added.

All the machinery now employed in the mills had been imported. Raw cotton, which come in hydraulically pressed bales, was imported from Pakistan, East African and South American countries.

Of the 21,000 bales of spun cotton produced monthly by the Colony's mills, 9,000 bales were consumed locally and the rest were exported.

Rtn. Tung attributed the quick rise in the local cotton industry to Imperial Preference on exports to the United Kingdom.

He also explained the cleaning, blowing, cutting and rolling processes involved in the spinning of cotton.

President W. V. Pennell thanked the speaker for "an informative talk."

### Kowloon Club Meeting

**T**HE Kowloon Club played host to some 50 village representatives of the New Territories at its weekly luncheon at the Peninsula Hotel last Thursday.

President Bill Grimsdale described the function, an annual one, as one of the highlights of the Club's activities.

In inducting him as an additional member of the Club, President Grimsdale wished Rtn. Barnett every success in his new appointment of District Commissioner. He added that residents in the New Territories would no doubt enjoy the benefit of Rtn. Barnett's knowledge of the Chinese people and their customs.

Mr. Wong Bing-ying, representative from Taipo, spoke on behalf of the New Territories representatives. He thanked the hosts for their invitation and the opportunity of meeting the Rotarians. He also thanked the Kowloon Rotarians for their interest in the welfare of the population in the New Territories and for assistance given in health and irrigation problems.

Mr. Wong presented the Kowloon Rotary Club with a banner to mark the occasion.

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## Island West Club Meeting

JUVENILE delinquency has become an international problem in view of the increasing number of cases of teenagers becoming narcotic addicts in the United States and the rise in juvenile crimes in Europe and Asia, Dr. Y. H. Tsao said in a talk at the weekly luncheon of the Island West Club at the Golden Dragon Restaurant last Friday.

Dr. Tsao attributed juvenile delinquency to lack of interest of parents toward their children, broken families and omission of religious training.

He also said that the present world tension had instilled in the younger generation a feeling of uncertainty and fear.

Dr. Tsao advocated the opening of more good schools, recreation facilities, vocational training, segregation of young offenders from professional criminals and promotion of self-expression as some of the ways to fight juvenile delinquency.

Prior to Dr. Tsao's talk, four new members were inducted in a brief ceremony by President H. C. Fung.

They were Messrs. Kui Hoa-san, Y. Y. Wang, Ho Ting and Yuen Chiu-kwong.

### THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

#### HONG KONG CLUB

(Wednesday instead of Tuesday):  
"Australian and Indian Day"—programme arranged by members of the two Nationalities.

#### KOWLOON CLUB (Thursday): Business Meeting.

#### ISLAND WEST CLUB (Friday):

A colour-film entitled "Wings to Cuba and Carribean" will be screened at the meeting through the courtesy of Pan-American World Airways.

## Letters To The Editor

Sir,

If our Club receives "News Broadcast" from Rotary International as it should, will it be beneficial from an educational point of view to all concerned to post it up at our regular meetings?

AN INTERESTED MEMBER

Sir,

None of us can fail to feel gratified at all the kind comments lavished upon us from all quarters, indeed, we can justly feel proud for all the bouquets that have been handed to us by friends, and members of our sister Clubs, especially in view of the fact that this Club is not yet one year old.

Thinking of the old saying, "Well begun is half done", I have full hopes for the bright future of our Club!

In connection with the proper development of our Club, I recall what our Advisor, Rtn. Charlie Wei said: We must develop all aspects of the four avenues of Service evenly. Over development in one or negligence in the other is not healthy.

No one can deny that we have made a good job of our Club Service, but what about the Community Service, the International Service, and the Vocational Service. Together with this question, another constantly bothers me: Is every member taking equal interest and given equal opportunity to take part in the Club's affair?

Healthy development of our Club can only be attained through balanced progress in the four avenues of Service by the combined effort of every Rotarian. Just like a human body, a club cannot grow properly if one over exercises some of the organs, and leave the rest idle. How can we be healthy if some members are overburdened with duties, whilst some do not take part at all.

In order that we may have regular opportunities to discuss and rectify our shortcomings, it is suggested that we have a closed meeting once a month. In such meetings, non-Director members should be encouraged to speak their minds, as the Directors already have their monthly meetings whereby they may air their opinions.

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## ARE YOU GOING TO THE INTER-CITY FORUM?

If so, please let the Hon. Secretary of your Club have the following information in the next 10 days in order to have the completed application forms for entry into Taiwan in the hands of our Administrative Adviser before the end of February:—

1. Name in Chinese (if Chinese) and English
2. Nationality (birth place)
3. Age
4. Address
5. Business and Name of Firm with address
6. By steamer or plane
7. Length of stay

If accompanied by Rotary-Anne, the above information must also be given.

This was advised in a letter received from Rtn. Charlie T. F. Wei, the R.I. Administrative Adviser, last week, which reads:

"Now that we are actually in the Golden Anniversary Year and all of us are making final plans for its celebration, I feel I should remind you of the invitation extended to you by the Rotarians in Taiwan to attend the Golden Anniversary Celebration in Free

China which will take place during the week of April 4 to 10, 1955, in Taipei. The first four days will be devoted to general celebration and the remaining three are set aside for the Inter-City Forum.

"I have been asked by Rotarian R. C. Chen, past president of the Taipei Club, who is the overall Chairman of Golden Anniversary Committee in this area, to request all of you to cooperate by announcing the dates of the G.A. celebration and Intercity Forum at Taipei at an early meeting, ascertain the number of members who will make the trip and let us have their names and other necessary information in ample time for us to complete the entry formalities.

"The Rotarians here will do their best to simplify matters wherever possible, but they will need your cooperation, and the earlier we start to negotiate, the better we shall be able to succeed.

"All Rotarians desiring to make the trip are requested to furnish us with the following . . . (Editor's note: the information required by Rtn. Charlie is detailed earlier

A business meeting to discuss, among other things, our Club's first community project will be held at our NEXT LUNCHEON (February 2) All our members are urged to attend the meeting (at Winner House) which will be closed to guests. Rotarians from other Clubs will, however, be welcome.

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## THIS WEEK'S . . .

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### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Mr. Frank S. Hsu, Secretary of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

*Subject:* Promotion and Protection of Hong Kong Trade and Industry.

### KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Mr. Roy Dunlop.

*Subject:* Rediffusion Around the World.

### ISLAND WEST (Friday):

The programme will be announced at the meeting.

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in this story).

"Entry permits usually require 2 guarantors; if Rotarians taking the trip can supply them, so much the better, but Taiwan members will endeavour to arrange an en bloc guarantee for those who have no facilities.

"Accommodation—It is possible that some of the visiting Rotarians have friends here who will put them up during their stay, but in case hotel reservations are required please indicate preference to enable us to make suitable arrangements. For your information the rooms at "Friends of China Club" are NT\$165 (*Editor's note:* Approximately HK\$37) per day (one or two persons), and those at the Grand Hotel run from \$75/85 (single) to \$115/150 (double) per day but there are de luxe suites for \$200, \$300 and \$400 per day, the extra cost for 2 persons in these suites is \$50 per day. Any person desiring accommodation at the OMEGA Hotel may also be arranged. The rates there are slightly cheaper, but some of you may prefer to stay there on account of accessibility.

"I must not fail to remind you that all Rotarians desiring to make the trip are requested to have a dozen passport size photos ready to meet all requirements.

"As soon as we know the exact number

of people coming, we shall mail you the application forms for you to fill. The completed forms *must* reach us before the end of February to give us ample time to secure necessary sanction . . .

## At Rotary Last Week

**A** UNIQUE event was witnessed at our weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on January 26: our guest speaker not only entertained us with an interesting talk on "Technique of Chinese Painting" but also helped us raise \$225 for our community service fund by auctioning two of three paintings he drew on the spot immediately after the talk. The third was presented to Rtn. Stephen Williams, a visitor from the Kansas City Rotary Club.

At the same meeting, bannerettes were exchanged between our Club and the Rotary Clubs of Kansas City and Ithaca (New York).

Our speaker, Mr. H. H. Tseng said that Chinese painting was basically different from Western painting in that Chinese painting was subjective, idealistic and artistic, while Western painting was objective, formal and scientific.

"The inner beauty of Chinese painting consists of the shapes of subjects and technique," said Mr. Tseng. "Every object on God's earth, irrespective of size, colour, of nature, dead or alive, can be taken as the subject of a painting. The choice of a subject is the first requisite of a good artist. Then, basing on the subject, through the artist's imagination and inspiration, a painting of true beauty is composed."

He added: "The technique includes the use of brush and ink. The use of brush in Chinese painting is like writing Chinese characters. By transferring the different technique of Chinese calligraphy into painting, all shapes can be reproduced. Sometimes, due to the perfect application of the ink, colours become unnecessary."

Mr. Tseng pointed out that Chinese painting also embodied the poetry, character and imagination of the artist, as well as the mode of the "Old Masters." All these elements determined the quality of a painting.

He added that Chinese painting must be seen in the right perspective before it could be appreciated fully, otherwise the impression could only be "skin-deep."

Rtn. Seven S. C. Shih thanked the speaker, after which President John Yuen adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International

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### HONG KONG CLUB MEETING

As President W. V. Pennell was engaged elsewhere, last Tuesday's (Jan. 26) weekly meeting was presided over by immediate Past-President George Lin, who congratulated the Australian and Indian members on the special occasion—their National Day.

Being the Australian and Indian National Days, the meeting's programme was arranged by members of those two nationalities, which included a short speech by each of the seven Indian members present. The Australian members gave their allotted time to Rtn. H. C. Menzies who delivered the major speech of the day. All in all, the meeting had eight speakers.

### KOWLOON CLUB MEETING

The meeting of the Kowloon Club last Thursday took the form of a discussion session on the affairs of the Club.

### ISLAND WEST CLUB MEETING

Last Friday's regular meeting broke the attendance record of the Island West Club since its inauguration last April. A total of 63 members, visiting Rotarians and guests were present to see a colour travelogue, "Cuba and Caribbean" provided by Pan-American World Airways.

Among those present were Hon. R. R. Todd, who participated for the first time in the Club's regular meetings as its Honorary Member, Rtns. Kwok Chan, Jerry O'Donnell, George Liu, K. A. Moh and John Yuen.

### Latest on G.A. Publicity

THE Publicity Sub-Committee of the Golden Anniversary Committee held its third meeting at the American Club last Wednesday (January 26) at which further views were exchanged among its members on the five-medium publicity programme.

Presided over by Rtn. K. T. Wang (West), the meeting was attended by Rtn. Ron Mander (HK), Francois Sun (HK), Pat Cha (East) and Henry Chang (East). Mrs. Hilda Mander was present to record the minutes of the meeting.

Rtn. Pat Cha apologised for the fact that he could only stay for a short while, and told members present of the action he had taken during the past week. He had not been able to contact

### Attendance

Of our 29 members, 21 attended our last weekly meeting at Winner House on January 26, representing 72.41% as follows:

Rotarians present	21
on leave	3
absence excused (S. L. Yuen & K. S. Chang)	2
absent (Hsi Yu-I, T. S. Wang & H. C. Yang)	3
Total	29

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. P. Y. Koo	Hong Kong
.. Paul Work	Ithaca, New York
.. Dia Nath	Rangoon
.. Stephen Williams	Kansas City

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. H. H. Tseng	Guest Speaker
.. Philip Hsia	Rtn. S. C. Shih
.. W. J. Wang	"
Dr. Edward Chow	"
Mr. G. S. Stokes	.. Ben Lee
.. Philip Tang	.. Marsh Stayner
.. Alexander Shang	.. K. Y. Sang

the American University Club, but would try to do so before the next meeting.

Regarding the standard newspaper release, he had read through the sheet form and had selected six suitable items. He suggested that, say, 20 copies be made of these articles together with any other reports of local interest. This material would then be on file, and if and when it was decided to send these articles to the newspapers, he suggested they should go out under cover of a letter saying on which day Rotary International will celebrate the 50th Anniversary, and that we were enclosing these various articles regarding this worldwide organisation leaving the choice of selection for publication to their discretion. He discussed the matter of getting stories on the local Rotary Clubs in Hong Kong and Kowloon. He asked the Chairman to ask Rtn. Henry Tang if he would write a story for the West Club.

*Banners for Window Displays.*—Rtn. Cha stated that the East Club has 50 banners available, but he thought the Hong Kong Club would not have so many. He suggested that the use of paper flags or drawings of banners should be considered.

Rtn. K. T. Wang informed members that the dates for publicizing the Golden Anniversary are from the 10th-27th February.

Rtn. Henry Chang reported on the following matters—

*Posters.*—The redesign with the Chinese wording was approved, but the colour scheme is to be changed. According to estimates of his Company, with \$500 we would be able to produce 2,000 posters in 2 colours or 1,000 in three colours (this price includes blocks, etc.). The size would be 21" x 30", printed on 80 lb. book paper.

It was agreed by the Committee that 1,000 posters in 3 colours would be adequate.

*Newspaper Advertisements.*—Rtn. Chang estimated that it would cost \$3,463 for a half-page advertisement for one day in five newspapers. He said he would donate space in his four publications. To take a ¼-page space instead of ½-page space would cost \$1,680.40. He suggested that if each Rotarian donated \$20, this would finance our scheme for a half-page advertisement or alternatively \$10 for a quarter-page. He suggested that if this method were decided upon, contributions could be made through their Clubs.

Rtn. R. A. Mander said the idea was sound, but it depended on how many other subscriptions Rotarians would be called upon to make for the Golden Anniversary.

After discussion it was decided that a quarter-page would be sufficient.

Rtn. Chang said that he was willing to offer two extra pages in his newspaper to be distributed to his readers, or at any event on which the General Committee decided, which would carry information about Rotary. He was prepared to

## ATTENTION PLEASE!

The following members are requested to pay \$30 each to Hon. Treasurer "Dragon" Y. L. Nie for the cost of their respective advertisements which appeared in *Tung Feng* between Vol. 2, No. 15 (Oct. 12, 1954) and Vol. 2, No. 30 (Jan. 25, 1955) editions:

Rtns. John Yuen, Joe Bao, S. C. Shih, H. C. Yang, K. T. Wang, Seaker Chan, Bill Nichol, Ben Lee, Fred Tan, S. W. Zao, Y. L. Nie, Y. F. Chen, K. Y. Shang, S. L. Yuen, Jimmy Wu and K. S. Chang.

offer the General Committee 30,000 copies of this two paged supplement of his newspaper at \$500.

Rtn. Wang said that regarding the newspaper write-ups, he would have the articles for the newspapers copied and would send them out with a covering letter to the various newspapers.

Regarding the Cinema, we must await reports from Rtn. Su and Rtn. Cha.

The question was discussed of having handbills distributed in conjunction with any cinema advertisement, and it was decided that this point was to be followed up.

*Window Display.*—Rtn. Mander said he had received approximately 30 offers of display windows on the Hong Kong side and he hoped to raise this number to 50 but would supply a final list at the next meeting. The Kowloon side the responsibility of Rtn. Lim Hoy Lan.

Rtn. Wang presented a rough idea of the window display—it was decided to include Macao's banner in the display, and also to have the wording in Chinese and English.

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## SCHOOL PROJECT FOR DEAF APPROVED

THE maiden project of our Community Service calling for the building of a School for the Deaf in our area (Island East), as recommended by the Annual Project Committee instead of the recreation centre programme originally submitted by the Community Service Committee was unanimously approved in principle at our weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on February 2.

Presided over by President John Yuen, the business session was given a detailed report by Rtn. Ron Bennett, Chairman of the Annual Project Committee, on the activities of the members of his Committee prior to receiving the Board's approval on January 7 for calling off the original recreation centre scheme.

Since January 7, Rtn. Ron said, members of his Committee visited two schools for the deaf—the Government-sponsored School for the Deaf at Diamond Hill, Kowloon, and the privately-operated deaf school on North Point Road in our area. The former was giving boarding and education to approximately 70 children under Government supervision and with government's financial support, while the latter was accommodating 30 pupils through the efforts of a Chinese couple, both deaf, who had received special Western training in Shanghai.

The deaf school on North Point Road, said Rtn. Ron, was housed in a moderate-sized flat with three class-rooms and was being run as a private enterprise to which the deaf couple devoted their whole time making about \$250 a month jointly after deducting all expenses.

Rtn. Ron added that this school could extend special education and training to more deaf children if it had more space. He pointed out that according to Government information, there were about 3,000 deaf children in the Colony and added that Government no doubt would be interested in seeing the establishment of more deaf schools.

Rtn. Ron and another member of his Committee had already consulted with Mr. K. Keen, Government's Social Welfare Officer, who, according to Rtn. Ron, was interested in our scheme and further indicated that we might be successful in applying for a piece of land from Government for the purpose.

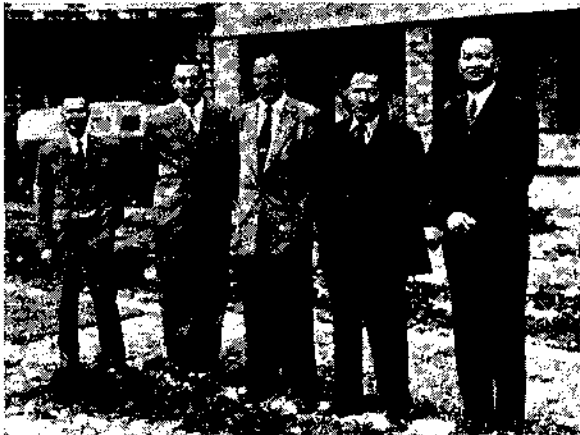
At the conclusion of Rtn. Ron's report, a number of our members raised several points. There were suggestions that we should cooperate with the couple running the deaf school on North Point Road; that we should apply for a grant from Government for financing 50% of the construction cost of the school; that the deaf couple

Next Meeting: February 9, 1955

Speaker: Rtn. K. C. Goh

Subject: Rotary—What It Is?

## VISITING THE SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF



The Annual Project Committee (left) recently paid a visit to the School for the Deaf at Diamond Hill, Kowloon, and distributed free gifts to the children (right) there. Photos were taken by Rtn. Jimmy Wu.

should be approached to ascertain whether they would be willing to merge their school into our project and that after its completion the project should not be a perpetual responsibility of our Club.

Following a lengthy discussion and expression of views on the points raised by our members, including President John, Chairman Ron and Rtns. K. S. Chang, Marsh Stayner, Fred Tan and Y. C. Fogg, President John formally tabled the Annual Project Committee's recommendation for building a School for the Deaf in our area as our first community service with the money raised at our last Charity Ball and at our previous weekly meetings (totalling about \$27,000) for approval. The recommendation received unanimous approval.

Earlier at our last meeting, Rtn. Seven S. C. Shih led all present to extend Happy Birthday greetings to Rtns. Fred Tan and S. H. Ma

### THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other member Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

**HONG KONG (Tuesday):**  
Fellowship Meeting.

**KOWLOON (Thursday):**  
*Speaker:* Rev. A. Kangeras.  
*Subject:* A talk on Norway.

**ISLAND WEST (Friday):**  
The programme will be announced at the meeting.

(both on February 2), and Rtn. Ron, acting Chairman of the International Service Committee, read out letters of greetings and best wishes sent to us by the Rotary Clubs of Stockholm East, Mazatlan (Mexico), Toronto and Cebu (the Philippines).

The meeting was adjourned by President John with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Stockholm East.

### OTHER CLUBS' MEETINGS

At last week's regular meetings of other fellow Clubs in the Colony, the Hong Kong Club heard a talk on the "Promotion and Protection of Hong Kong's Trade and Industry", the Kowloon Club was told of the activities of "Rediffusion Around the World" by Mr. Roy Dunlop and the Island West Club was given an insight to the life and educational aspects of the great Kwangtung educator—Chan Pak Soi—by Prof. Y. M. Kan of the Hong Kong University.

In his speech at the Hong Kong Club meeting, Mr. Frank S. Hsu, Secretary of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce, congratulated the managements of the Colony's 4,000 big and small factories for their willingness to risk capital at first, for which they were now reaping well-earned rewards.

Mr. Hsu, however, warned that the Hong Kong factories "may be badly hit" by the possibility of an easing off on the trade restrictions between Communist China and the rest of the world.

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### Attendance

Representing 86.21%, 25 of our 29 members attended our weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on February 2.

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"  on leave .. .. .	3
"  absence excused (Seaker Chan) .. .	1
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Total .. .. .	29
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### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. H. D. Baldawala	Hong Kong
" Ma Sui Pin	"
" Floyd Oliver	Greeley, Colo, U.S.A.
" H. R. Hanley	Rolla, Missouri, U.S.A.

### 12th Board Meeting

THE 12th meeting of the Board of Directors of our Club was held at Winner House on January 4, and attended by President John Yuen (in the chair), Hon. Secretary Pat Cha, Hon. Treasurer "Dragon" Y. L. Nie, Asst. Hon. Treasurer Y. F. Chen, Vice-President K. C. Goh and Directors S. H. Ma, Bill Nichol and Henry Chang. Rtn. Ron Bennett, Chairman of the Annual Project Committee was also present at the invitation of the Board.

After confirming the minutes of the Board's previous two meetings on January 7 and 12 (emergency meeting), the Directors and Officers approved the proposed community service project for building a School for the Deaf in our area; and resolved to make 300 souvenir desk note-paper containers (made of plastic) for distribution at the Joint Golden Anniversary meeting of our Club on Feb. 23; to ask members and visiting Rotarians to pay cash for their lunches at the Feb. 23rd meeting; and authorised that our Club's cheques be signed by either the Hon. Treasurer or the Asst. Hon. Treasurer.

At the suggestion of Rtn. Henry Chang, Chairman of the Club Bulletin Committee, the Board resolved that members wishing to air their views on individual fellow members should write to the Board instead of to the Editor of *Tung Feng*.

The Board also resolved that the Classification Committee be spared from complying another List of Open Classifications and that all our members be strongly urged to study the existing List of Open Classifications (refer to *Tung Feng*, dated July 13, 1954) and recommend

### 1955/56 R.I. President Nominee

The Nominating Committee for President has unanimously nominated Rtn. A. Z. Baker of the Rotary Club of Cleveland, Ohio, U.S.A., for the office of President of Rotary International for the year 1955/56, according to information just received from the Nominating Committee's Chairman Roy E. Collett.



Rtn. A. Z. Baker is President of the American Stock Yards Association in Cleveland, Ohio, U.S.A. He was born in Whitesboro, Texas, U.S.A., attended the University of Tennessee, and was graduated from the College of Law of Ohio Northern University.

He has been a member of the Rotary Club of Cleveland since 1929, is a Past President of that Club, and has served Rotary International as Director, District Governor and as Committee Chairman and Member.

Rotarian Baker is Chairman of the Board of the Cleveland Union Stock Yards Company, Trustee of Baldwin-Wallace College, Committee Chairman and Member of the Advisory Board of the Salvation Army, Past Director of the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce, Past Director and Deputy Chairman of the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, and Past President of the Traffic Club of Cleveland.

suitable and qualified persons to fill the existing vacant classifications.

In this connection, members proposing candidates are specially requested to exercise precaution when making their proposals.

It is also urged that members be encouraged to recommend their colleagues to become additional active members.

## Latest G.A. News

**F**OLLOWING their fourth meeting last Wednesday (Feb. 2), Chairman K. T. Wang and Rtms. Gin Su and Henry Chang, of the G.A. Publicity Sub-Committee, had a special session with Chairman W. V. Pennell of the G.A. General Committee at which the Sub-Committee tabled its publicity programme with estimated costs.

The Sub-Committee sought the approval of the General Committee for a sum of \$4,500 (instead of \$1,000) for carrying out:

- 1) Newspaper writeups (free)
- 2) 1,000 three-colour posters (\$500)
- 3) 500 car stickers (\$100)
- 4) Broadcasts (free)
- 5) Cinema advertising (\$400)
- 6) Newspaper advertising (\$2,000)
- 7) 50 Window Displays (\$1,000)
- 8) 30,000 two-page (21" x 31") bilingual handouts (\$500)

While promising that he would take the matter up with the General Committee, Chairman Penn sanctioned the printing of 1,000 posters and 500 car stickers without modifications but urged the Sub-Committee to cut down spending on window displays (10 instead of 50) to \$200.

It was thought that apart from making four slides at approximately \$120, no other expenditure will be required for carrying out the cinema advertising should the Sub-Committee succeed in prevailing upon the managements of theatres to contribute the time for showing these slides free.

It was also tentatively approved to print 30,000 two-page handouts at \$500, which media was thought worthwhile in view of its low cost.

At the meeting of the Sub-Committee, it was made known that the Y's Men's Clubs of Hong Kong and Kowloon and the Chinese Y.M.C.A. Language School were willing to feature speeches on Rotary at their respective meetings on Feb. 16, 17 and 18.

Instead of commencing on February 10, the Sub-Committee decided to start the Golden Anniversary publicity campaign as from February 16.

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## AN OPEN INVITATION

The President, Officers and Members of the Rotary Club of Hongkong Island East extend through *Tung Peng* an invitation to all fellow Rotarians of the Rotary Clubs of Hong Kong, Kowloon, Island West and Macao to attend the Joint Golden Anniversary Meeting at Wimmer House, King's Road, on Wednesday, February 23, commencing 12.30 p.m.

The Island East Club will offer drinks prior to lunch, the 50th Rotary birthday cake and a plastic desk note container as a souvenir to each and every Rotarian attending the meeting. On this occasion, lunch will be charged at \$7 per head, payable in cash at the attendance table.

It is expected that a group photo will be taken immediately after the meeting which will feature short speeches by President John Yuen (Island East), Past R.I. Directors G. E. Marden and C. T. Wang and Presidents of the fellow Clubs in the Colony and in Macao.

## Here And There

**MACAO:** The Macao Club will hold its weekly meetings during February at lunch time (1.30 p.m.) instead of in the evening.

**H.K. ISLAND WEST CLUB** will hold its first annual charity ball at The Ritz on Friday, June 10, instead of April 15. During February, it expects to induct more new members. It may be recalled that the Club admitted four new members last month.

**ROTARY TODAY:** 162 new clubs in 40 countries since July 1, 1954; 8,467 Rotary Clubs, 398,000 Rotarians [statistics as of January 24].



**R**OTARIAN President addressed our Rotary in Wimmer House presented us a verbal picture of since its inception founder, the fact. It was perhaps a story of Hong Kong's story of Rotary.

In his 25-min K. C. told us:  
1. What It Is  
2. How It Grew  
3. Rotary's Future

At the close K. C. was thanked by Yuen after which adjourned with International Goh's speech is

**I. W. ROTARY** is of an idea which business and professional countries and religions "Service" as the success and business, and the "Ideal of Service" as the pursuit of thoughtfulness and respect to others.

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## K. C. GOH UNFOLDS STORY OF ROTARY

ROTARIAN K. C. Goh, Vice-President and Chairman of the Rotary Information Committee, addressed our weekly meeting at Winner House on February 9, and presented us with a comprehensive verbal picture of the Rotary movement since its inception 50 years ago by the founder, the late Mr. Paul P. Harris. It was perhaps the first time in the history of Hong Kong that a detailed story of Rotary has ever been unfolded.

In his 25-minute talk, Rtn. (Dr.) K. C. told us of Rotary's history in 1. What It Is? 2. How It Began? 3. How It Grew? 4. Its Object, and Rotary's Four Avenues of Service.

At the conclusion of his talk Rtn. K. C. was thanked by President John Yuen after which the meeting was adjourned with a Toast to Rotary International. The full text of Rtn. Goh's speech is as follows:

#### 1. WHAT IT IS?

ROTARY is the remarkable story of an idea which has prompted business and professional men in different countries and of different races and religions to set up an "Ideal of Service" as the basis for attaining success and happiness in personal, business, and community life. This "Ideal of Service" is founded on thoughtfulness of others; and helpfulness to others is its expression.

The pursuit of this ideal has encouraged Rotarians to maintain high ethical standards and correct practices in their business, trade, and profession. It has also provided them

with opportunities to develop their character and personality, to form lasting friendships and, above all, to be of service to their fellowmen. Rotarians everywhere believe in the value of action motivated by unselfish service, a belief expressed in their twin motto: "SERVICE ABOVE SELF—THE PROFITS MOST WHO SERVES BEST."

#### NEXT MEETING

Date: February 16, 1955

Place: Winner House

Speaker: Mr. A. C. Scott

Subject: Sumo Wrestling.

There are very few big towns and cities in the world where Rotary's benign experience has not been felt, and where its helping hand has not brought relief to a large number of casualties in the ceaseless battle of life. But Rotary does much more than render service and give succour; it has grown to be an international organization in which men of good will work for peace and understanding and the happiness of all mankind.

When a person joins a Rotary Club he may be said to have embarked on his adventure in service; and a very satisfying adventure it should turn out to be, if he brings along with him a proper attitude of mind and a sincere willingness to serve others,

for it is more blessed to give than to receive. His reward will be that priceless 'peace' which was promised to all men of good will.

#### 2. HOW IT BEGAN

PAUL P. HARRIS, a young lawyer of Chicago, who had come from a small town to practise in the big city, believed that men in business *could be and should be personal friends*. With this idea in mind he invited three other men to meet him in his office in the Unity Building in Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A., on the 23rd February, 1905. They were SILVESTER SCHIELE, a coal dealer; GUSTAVUS F. LOEHR, a mining engineer; and HIRAM F. SHOREY, a merchant tailor. It was agreed that evening that they should organize a club for the encouragement of friendship, fellowship, and mutual assistance.

On the following day Harris interested HARRY L. RUGGLES, a printer, who in turn interested WILL JENSON, a real estate dealer, in the proposed club. Shortly afterwards the organization of the club was completed at a meeting in Schiele's office, with the election of Schiele as President, Jenson as Corresponding Secretary, Shorey as Recording Secretary, and Ruggles as Treasurer. Paul Harris modestly declined any office in the new club; and it was not until two years later that he became its President.

Each of the six original members of the club had come from a small

town to go into business in Chicago, and all undoubtedly felt the need for personal friendships to replace those in their home-towns. Unacquainted with city life, they gathered together to help and befriend one another, and thus found an effective cure for loneliness. Five of the six have since passed away, leaving only Harry Ruggles, now 83 years of age, who is still a member of the first Rotary Club in the world.

At one of the early meetings of the club, the members decided to give a name to their new organization. Several names were suggested, but finally Paul Harris' suggestion, ROTARY, was adopted. It was prompted by the original plan of the members to meet in *rotation* at their various places of business. As the membership increased it became inconvenient to meet in the offices of members; so the club began to hold dinner meetings, which later gave way to weekly luncheons. These weekly meetings, in connection with a luncheon or dinner, are now held by Rotary Clubs all over the world.

### 3. HOW IT GREW

When the first Rotary Club was founded in Chicago on the 23rd February, 1905, its members could not foresee that the idea which impelled them would grow and spread until it had encircled the globe. It was only after the Club had been in existence for more than a year that they began to think of Rotary's expansion to other cities in the United States of America.

In 1907 Paul Harris, who had modestly declined any office previously, was elected President of the Rotary Club of Chicago. In 1908 Rotary reached the West Coast of the United States with the organization of Club No. 2 in San Francisco. In February, 1909, Club No. 3 in Oakland, California, was organized. The Rotary Club of Oakland was the first to hold regular weekly luncheon meetings. In the same year other clubs were organized in Seattle, Los Angeles, New York, and Boston; and so Rotary reached the East Coast of the United States.

In the first seven months of 1910 nine more Rotary Clubs were organized in the U.S.A., making a total of 16 throughout the country. The first Rotary Convention was held in the Congress Hotel of Chicago in August, 1910. It was attended by 29 Rotarian delegates representing 14 of the 16 clubs, which together had approximately 1,500 members. The NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ROTARY CLUBS was organized at

## At Rotary Last Week

**B**ANNERETTES of the Rotary Clubs of Danagiete (The Philippines), Kaohsiung (Taiwan) and San Salvador (Central America), were presented to us at our luncheon meeting on February 9.

The following appointments were announced by President John to replace Rtus. Seven S. C. Shih and K. S. Chang, who left the Colony last week on short business trips:

Rtu. Marsh Stayner to be Acting Chairman of the Programme Committee;

Rtu. S. L. Yuen to be Acting Assistant to the Sergeant-at-Arms;

Rtu. S. W. Zao to serve on the Attendance Committee; and

Rtus. Y. F. Chen and Fred Tan to serve on the Festival Sub-Committee of the Golden Anniversary General Committee.

Members wishing to have their absence from regular meetings excused must in future notify Hon. Secretary Pat Cha, who in turn will notify the Attendance Committee. The Sergeant-at-Arms will be pleased to collect contributions from such absent members who fail to comply with the procedure.

this first Convention, and Paul Harris was elected President of the new organization.

In 1912, to provide charters for Rotary Clubs organized in Canada, Ireland, and England, the INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ROTARY CLUBS was formed; and in 1922 this name was shortened to ROTARY INTERNATIONAL. Paul Harris was again elected first President of the International Association; and when he passed away in 1947, he was President-Emeritus of Rotary International.

The first Rotary Club outside the U.S.A. was organized at Winnipeg, Canada, in 1910. The first Club outside North America was organized at Dublin, Ireland, in 1911; the first in a non-English-speaking country, at Havana, Cuba, in 1916; the first in South America, at Montevideo, Uruguay, in 1918; the first in Asia, at Manila, The Philippines, in 1919; the first in Continental Europe, at Madrid, Spain, in 1920; the first in Africa, at Johannesburg, South Africa, in 1921; and the first in Aus-

tralia, at Melbourne, Victoria, in 1921.

The Rotary Club of Hong Kong was first organized in 1931 and re-organized after the war in 1946. The Rotary Club of Macao was formed in 1947; the Rotary Club of Kowloon in 1948; the Rotary Club of H.K. Island East and the Rotary Club of H.K. Island West in 1954.

The spontaneous acceptance of Rotary's "Ideal of Service" by leading business and professional men in widely separated parts of the world proves that it possesses both vitality and appeal to transcend not only national boundaries but also language barriers.

In July, 1915, there 186 Rotary Clubs, with approximately 20,700 Rotarians. In July, 1920, the figures were 758 Rotary Clubs and 56,800 Rotarians. In 1938 Rotary passed the 200,000 mark in membership. According to statistics released by Rotary International on January 24, 1955, there were 8,467 Rotary Clubs and 398,000 Rotarians in 80 countries and geographical regions around the world. The number of Rotary Clubs has been growing at the rate of more than six every week.

### 4. THE OBJECT OF ROTARY

The object of the first Rotary Club founded by Paul Harris and his friends was the encouragement of friendship, fellowship, and mutual assistance. Paul Harris himself said, "There was no inspired beginning. Young businessmen, mostly from the country, came in response to my call. Unacquainted with city life, we gathered together to help and befriend each other."

When the Rotary Club of Chicago printed its constitution in 1906, the objects were stated as follows:

1. The promotion of the business interests of its members.
2. The promotion of good fellowship and other desiderata ordinarily incident to social clubs.
3. The advancement of the best interests of Chicago, and the spreading of the spirit of civic pride and loyalty among its citizens.

In succeeding years, as the number of Rotary Clubs increased, these objects were frequently revised. The first Rotary Convention held in Chicago, in 1910, adopted a new constitution in which the principles of Rotary were outlined in five objects:

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1. To organize new Clubs.
2. To promote the common good of all Clubs.
3. To encourage civic pride and loyalty.
4. To promote honourable business methods.
5. To advance the business interests of the individual members.

The Rotary Convention of 1912 eliminated the fifth object outlined above, which emphasized the promotion of the members' business interests, and revised the other four. Personal gain as a moving force was thus no longer encouraged.

In 1922, the Convention held in Los Angeles shortened the name of the organization from the International Association of Rotary Clubs to ROTARY INTERNATIONAL, revised the Objects of Rotary, and re-numbered them from 1 to 4. The same objects were adopted for each individual Rotary Club as for the international organization.

In 1935, at the Convention held in Mexico City, the six Objects of Rotary were re-stated as four objects, practically the same phraseology being retained; and all the four could be summed up in just one word—SERVICE. These four objects were finally changed to a single object by the 1951 Convention held in Atlantic City, New Jersey, U.S.A. This single OBJECT OF ROTARY is to encourage and foster the "Ideal of Service" as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

1. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
2. High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying by each Rotarian of his occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
3. The application of the "Ideal of Service" by every Rotarian to his personal, business and community life;
4. The advancement of international understanding, good will, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional men united in the "Ideal of Service."
5. ROTARY'S FOUR AVENUES OF SERVICE

The Object of Rotary can be attained and its lofty "Ideal of Ser-

## Attendance

Twenty two of our 29 members were present at our last meeting, representing 75.99% as follows:

Rotarians present .. .. .	22
" on leave .. .. .	3
" absence excused .. .. .	4
Total .. .. .	29

Members whose absence was excused were Rtms. Edwin Tao, K. Y. Shang, S. H. Ma and K. S. Chang.

## VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtm. K. A. Goh	Hong Kong
" Ron Mander	"
" K. S. Lo	Island West
" G. R. Sadick	Kowloon
" B. Shefman	Bengtsfors, Sweden

## VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. K. K. Chan	Rtm. K. C. Voh
" G. S. Stokes	" S. T. Yuen
" A. Pelliz	" B. Shefman
" W. Wilhelm	" K. T. Wang
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vice" realized, only if all its members who travel along its "Four Avenues of Service" bring with them a true willingness to serve their fellowmen.

The first avenue provides them with opportunities for Club Service; the second, with opportunities for Vocational Service; the third, with opportunities for Community Service; and the fourth, with opportunities for International Service. These "Four Avenues of Service" correspond to the four parts of the "Object of Rotary"; and of the four, Club Service is the foundation on which the other three are built; for the other three cannot function effectively unless every member fully appreciates Rotary's programme and loyally plays his part in the activities of his own Club.

## A. CLUB SERVICE

Club Service includes all those little things which a Rotarian can do to make the wheel of his own Club turn round more smoothly; that is, all those activities which help the Officers of his Club and the Chairmen of the various Committees to carry out their duties successfully. It consists in attending all his Club's meetings; paying all his dues promptly; taking part in his Club's programmes; introducing prospective members to the Club after informing them of the Object of Rotary; mak-

ing new members feel that they belong to a worthy organization; promoting fellowship among all the members; seeing that Visiting Rotarians and guests feel at home at his Club's meetings; serving as a committee member or as an Officer of the Club when elected; speaking at his own and at other Rotary Clubs; attending inter-city forums and district conferences; and assisting in the organization of new clubs.

Club Service conscientiously performed with the true spirit of Rotary can transform dull duties into stimulating responsibilities, and help casual acquaintanceship to develop into lasting friendship.

## B. VOCATIONAL SERVICE

Vocational Service means the encouragement of high ethical standards in business and professional life, and the application of Rotary's "Ideal of Service" to the various business and professional relationships; such as those which exist between an employer and his employees, between a business executive and his subordinates, between a business or professional man and his competitors, between a schoolmaster and the parents of his pupils, between a tradesman and his customers, between a doctor and his patients, between a lawyer and his clients, between a teacher and his pupils.

Because a Rotarian is selected for membership in a Rotary Club on the basis of his vocation or calling, he is regarded by his fellow-members as a representative of his business or profession, and he is expected to make Rotary's ideals felt by people who are in any way connected with his vocation.

Every Rotarian who really tries to produce results through the avenue of Vocational Service can bring about improvement in his business or professional relationship with others; for, as the saying goes, there is always room for improvement in all human endeavours, no matter how perfect existing conditions may appear to be.

## C. COMMUNITY SERVICE

Community Service consists in the application of the "Ideal of Service" by every Rotarian to his community life. Every Rotary Club encourages its members, individually and collectively, to be active in public service and to participate in social welfare work without seeking personal credit; but it does not seek to promote civic activities, too many to enumerate, which rightly belong to other organi-

zations, because Rotary's policy is to co-operate rather than to compete or to duplicate.

Rotary strives to bring people together and help them to live in harmony; but it does not interfere in their religions and politics. Every Rotarian is expected to be a loyal citizen of his country and a faithful follower of his religion; and he is constantly reminded to be thoughtful of and helpful to others, and to live up to Rotary's motto, "Service Above Self." It is not surprising, therefore, that wherever there is a Rotary Club many leaders in worthwhile community projects are Rotarians.

#### D. INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

The aim of this fourth avenue of service is the promotion of international understanding, goodwill, and peace among people of different countries, races, and creeds. To realize this praiseworthy aim, every Rotarian is advised to become well-informed as to countries and people other than his own, and to read books and attend

### EDITOR'S NOTE

The Editor regrets being unable to publish a number of stories on hand due to lack of space in this issue which is devoted to the full text of Rtn. K. C. Goh's talk on Rotary.

lectures about them. He is also encouraged to take part in Rotary's inter-city forums, district conferences, and annual conventions; for there is no better way to get acquainted with people than by personal contact.

It is generally conceded that with the exception of Christianity, no other human organization—religious, political, or ideological—has such a powerful influence for good throughout the world as Rotary International. On every day of the year, some four hundred thousand leading business and professional men in 89 countries and geographical regions work unceasingly to further peace and good-

will on earth.

Victims of famine in India and pre-war China; of flood in the Netherlands, Australia and France; of war in Greece, Korea and Indo-China; of earthquakes in Japan, Turkey and Venezuela; and of persecution in countries behind the Iron and Bamboo Curtains were among the beneficiaries of the international service performed by Rotarians in countries where Rotary had taken root.

In the present unsettled state of the world, Rotary's benevolent influence, spirit of tolerance and world-fellowship help to keep alive the hope of mankind for the future. In organizing International Student Projects and awarding Rotary Founda Fellowship to promising youths and maidens, Rotary is proceeding along the right path in its effort to build a happier and better world for future generations; because boys and girls are still the only known materials of which future leaders in the affairs of nations are made.

### A Responsibility of All

Several Rotary clubs have objected to receiving circular letters from Rotarians and Rotary Clubs on various matters which do not appear to fall within the framework of Rotary policy, states a News Broadcast release from the R.I. Secretariat. These letters have included appeals for funds or other aid, material presenting local or national points of view in economic or commercial matters, etc. These objections are based upon long-established policies which the Clubs have adopted through convention action:

It is improper for any member of a Rotary Club on account of his business connections to take advantage of the Official Directory for commercial purposes.

It is a rule of practice that use of the Official Directory or of District or Club lists should not be made by Rotarians or by Rotary Clubs or Districts for the purpose of circularization.

A member Club desiring to request the cooperation of other Rotary Clubs, in connection with any matter whatsoever shall first submit its purpose and plans to the respective District Governor or Governors and secure his or their approval—both the Governor of the District in which the correspondence is initiated and the Governor(s) of the District(s) to which it is sent.

No member Club shall solicit financial aid from any other Rotary Club or from individual Rotarians unless and until it first secures an authorization from the Board of Directors of R.I.

The exchange of greetings between Rotarians and Rotary Clubs is advocated as a medium of developing good will and friendship. But each Rotarian has a responsibility to see that commercialization or circularization activities do not replace the original purpose of friendly exchange of communications. Care by all will help to avoid embarrassment to Clubs and Rotarians concerned.

With Compliments of

Rotarian Ron Bennett



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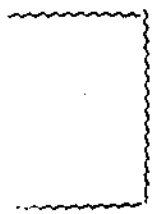
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## GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS

**T**HE celebration, by 241 Rotarians in the Colony and in Macao, of the Golden Anniversary of the world-wide Rotary organisation got underway towards the end of last week and will reach its climax in the next few days when the Island East Club convene a Joint Luncheon Meeting tomorrow and the five Clubs hold a Banquet and Ball on Saturday.

The celebration in the Colony is part of the simultaneous gigantic commemoration of Rotary International's 50th Birthday Anniversary on February 23 by approximately 398,000 members, belonging to 8,467 Clubs in 89 countries and geographical regions throughout the world.

Local observation of this once-in-a-life-time occasion for Rotarians started last week, when three members addressed the Colony's two Y's Men's Clubs and the Chinese Y.M.C.A. Language Club on the Rotary movement, stressing the fact that in the present unsettled state of the world, Rotary's benevolent influence, spirit of tolerance and world-fellowship helped to keep alive the hope of mankind for the future.

By last Saturday, hundreds of taxis of companies operated by fellow-Rotarians and private cars belonging to Rotarians were displaying Rotary emblems and special three-colour "Rotary's 50th Anniversary" stickers. Colourful posters were also being exhibited at public places and well-arranged window displays in

the main section of the town, all carrying the same theme with Rotary's motto "Service Above Self".

The management of various cinema houses kindly extended courtesies in showing multi-colour lantern slides, publicising Rotary's 50th Anniversary and its noble motto.

The publicity campaign in connection with this celebration also includes two Chinese and English broadcasts by Radio Hong Kong and two English and one Chinese broadcasts over the Rediffusion network as well as the publication of 3,000 historical booklets and 30,000 two-page bilingual newspaper supplements in one Chinese newspaper operated by a fellow Rotarian. Additionally, there are special writeups of the Rotary movement in local newspapers.

### Tomorrow's Meeting

The first official event of the celebration takes place tomorrow (Wednesday—February 23), when the Rotary Club of Hongkong Island East hold a Joint Golden Anniversary Luncheon at Winner House, commencing at 12.30 p.m. Winner House—regular rendezvous of the Island East Club—will be beflagged with the colours of all the countries in which there are Rotary Clubs. It is expected that 150 Rotarians from the four Clubs in the Colony and the one in Macao will participate in this function at which President

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## G.A. CELEBRATION CALENDAR

- Feb. 23: Joint Luncheon Meeting  
at Winner House, 12.30 p.m.
- .. 26: Joint Banquet & Ball  
at Peninsula Hotel, 7.45 p.m.
- Mar. 1: Showing of "The Great Adventure" at H.K. Club, 12.30 p.m.
- .. 8: Rotary Ballet at Empire Theatre  
5.30 p.m. and 9.30 p.m.
- .. 26: Macao Ladies' Night
- Apr. 8-10: Inter-City Forum at Taipei

The date for the football match and the parade of youth in April has not yet been fixed.

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John Yuen of the host Club will deliver a short welcome address, and the two most senior members, Rtms. G. E. Marden and C. T. Wang will each make a two-minute speech.

During the meeting, President John will adopt a resolution to send a special congratulatory cable to Rotary International in the name of all the five Clubs. Immediately after the luncheon, a group photo will be taken on the roof of Winner House.

Due to limited accommodation, fellow Rotarians are requested not to bring guests to the meeting which, however, will be open to the Press. Though the function will start at 12.30 p.m., fellow members of the host Club are urged to be there not later than 12.20 p.m.

The host Club will offer drinks prior to lunch, the 50th Rotary birthday cake and a plastic desk note-paper container to each of the participants in addition to presenting a souvenir bannerette to each of the participating Clubs. On this occasion, lunch will be charged at \$7 per head, payable by all, including members of the host Club, in cash at the attendance table.

Each participant will also receive a historical booklet compiled by the History Sub-Committee of the Joint Golden Anniversary Committee, and a special two-page newspaper supplement issued for the five Clubs by *New Life Evening Post Ltd.* In addition to distributing to their readers tomorrow, *New Life Evening Post* has reserved 30,000 copies of this two-page special

Rotary International's Golden Anniversary supplement for distribution to those attending tomorrow's Joint Luncheon Meeting, the Joint Banquet and Ball on Saturday (Feb. 26), the Rotary Ballet at Empire Theatre on March 8 and the proposed football match and parade of youth sometime in April.

Through the courtesy of Rediffusion, tomorrow's Joint Luncheon Meeting will be wire-recorded and broadcast over Rediffusion's network between 7.30 p.m. and 8 p.m. the same day.

### Broadcast on Feb. 25

To publicise Rotary's movement and its principles to the general public, arrangements have been made with Radio Hong Kong to broadcast a brief talk on Rotary by Rtms. G. E. Marden and H. C. Fung over its English and Chinese networks, respectively. Both broadcasts will be on the air shortly after the 7 p.m. newscasts on Friday, February 25, and be simultaneously relayed to Rediffusion's audience.

### Banquet on Feb. 26

On the following evening, the official celebration will move to the Peninsula Hotel, where a Joint Banquet and Ball will be held to honour and acknowledge the leaders in our community in volunteer service. Owing to the expected departure of His Excellency the Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham, before Feb. 26 for Singapore for the Governors' Conference, the Hon. R. B. Black, the Colonial Secretary in his capacity as Officer Administering the Government, will lead the list of guests of honour at the Joint Banquet and Ball.

Some 300 Rotarians and Rotary-Annes as well as invited guests of honour and their ladies are expected to participate in this function which will begin at 7.45 p.m. with cocktails until 8.20 p.m., when participants will proceed to their respective tables in the main dining hall and remain standing until the flags of Rotary International and the five Clubs of Hong Kong and Macao are hoisted. Member Rotarians and their Rotary-Annes are requested to be at the function not later than 8 p.m.

Each Club is urged to appoint one or two members to escort the guests of honour to their tables. The Banquet and Ball Sub-Committee will assign blocks of 16 seats to each Club for their members and guests of honour. The Hon. Secretaries of each Club are requested to submit the list of participants from their respective Clubs

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to the Banquet and Ball Sub-Committee on Feb. 21.

Rotarians from overseas Clubs who will be in Hong Kong on February 26 are most cordially invited to attend the Banquet and Ball with their ladies. They may obtain tickets from the Hon. Secretaries of the fellow Clubs in the Colony.

It will be a formal function at which the Presidents, Hon. Secretaries and Sergeants-at-Arms are requested to wear their sashes, while each Rotarians is urged to wear his Club badge. Members of the Island East Club should obtain their Club badges following tomorrow's meeting and wear them to the Joint Banquet and Ball.

### Rotary Film on Mar. 1

The showing of Rotary's own film, "The Great Adventure", will take place at the regular weekly meeting of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong on Tuesday, March 1. Member Rotarians in the Colony are urged to attend this meeting to see this film, depicting the movement and the influence of the Rotary organisation. According to latest information from Rotary International, there will be more than 700 simultaneously showings of this film by Rotary Clubs throughout the world on February 23—the birthday of Rotary—but the showing in Hong Kong will not take place until March 1.

### Rotary Ballet on March 8

Arranged by the Festival Sub-Committee, the Rotary Ballet which is open to the public will take place at the Empire Theatre on King's Road. There will be two performances (5.30 p.m. and 9.30 p.m.) on March 8. Under the direction of Miss Carol Bateman, the Ballet will include folk dances by American, British, Chinese, Spanish and Portuguese artistes and a parade of historical Chinese beauties portrayed by 10 Chinese movie actresses. Tickets will be sold at \$10, \$7 and \$5 each. Fellow Rotarians are requested to support this function by inviting friends to the Ballet.

The Macao Rotary Club will send 22 Portuguese ballet dancers to Hong Kong for this occasion.

### Macao Function on Mar. 26

In connection with the Golden Anniversary celebration, the Macao Rotary Club will hold a Ladies' Night on Saturday, March 26, and have

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## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. E. E. Storey

*Subject:* Communications—Past and Present

KOWLOON (Thursday):

Closed Meeting

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. Jimmy Man-Hon Wu

*Subject:* Refrigeration Possibilities

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extended invitations to fellow members in Hong Kong to participate in this function with their Rotary-Annes. Those intending to go to the Portuguese Colony for this event should contact Rtn. Harry N. Harilela at 34, Nathan Road, Kowloon, for further information.

### Inter-City Forum on Apr. 8

The Inter-City Forum during the week celebrating the Golden Anniversary by Rotary Clubs in Taiwan will take place in Taipei from April 8 to 10, inclusive. According to latest information, 25 Rotarians in Hong Kong are expected to make the trip to Taipei to attend the Forum.

### Football Match in April

The last official function in connection with the Golden Anniversary will most probably be the staging of a football match and the parade of 800 youths at one of the stadiums in the Colony sometime in April. No definite date has been fixed, but the Joint Golden Anniversary Committee are making further efforts to materialise this public event. The proceeds of this function and that of the Rotary Ballet at Empire Theatre on March 8 have been earmarked for a Joint Community Service Project.

### At Rotary Last Week

**S**UMO, or Japanese wrestling, formed the subject of an interesting talk by Mr. A. C. Scott, formerly of the British Council in China, at our last weekly meeting at Winner House on February 16. Mr. Scott, an artist and writer, was introduced by Rotarian Marsh Stayner. He said that his talk on what is considered the national sport of Japan, was purely from

### Attendance

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Rotarians present .. .. .	23
.. on leave .. .. .	5
.. absence excused (Bill Nichol) .. .. .	1
Total .. .. .	29

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. K. S. Lo	Island West
.. To Wing Hong	"
.. Gin Su	Hong Kong
.. Lance Rutherford	Rangoon

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. A. C. Scott	Rtn. Marsh Stayner
.. G. S. Stokes	.. Ben Lee

the spectator's point of view. He added: "We usually think of the Japanese as a small race, but if anyone imagines this applies to Sumo wrestlers he is in for a rude shock. They are positive mountains of flesh, weigh up to 400 pounds and may be over six feet in height."

Describing a bout, Mr. Scott, who is Associate Editor of *The Orient*, said that there are two contestants, neither limited by weight, and their object is to throw each other. "As soon as any part of the body touches the ground or a foot steps outside the ring, the wrestler is defeated."

He explained that the rules of a Sumo match were very strict and were implicitly obeyed. "There are no dirty tricks such as are common in western all-in wrestling," he said.

The wrestlers, whose profession was considered very respectable in Japan, said Mr. Scott, had to receive rigid training before the age 15

years and the span of their wrestling life would end as soon as they reached 35 years of age.

Before they were received for training, they were required to be physically fit, at least five feet six inches tall and weighing 160 pounds. The training included strenuous exercise in the morning, a hot bath at mid-day and food, drinks of beer or saki, and sleep during the rest of the day. Peculiarly, they ate no meat and yet their diet, which was mostly vegetables, helped them to acquire such an enormous addition of flesh and fat.

Describing the formal wear for a match, Mr. Scott said that the wrestlers wore nothing except a loin cloth. Many religious rites were performed before a fight thus bringing to the observers an atmosphere which was ancient and almost out of date. Each wrestler, Mr. Scott said, had long hair which would be tied together to form a knot on the top of his head. The knot, remarked Mr. Scott, served to indicate the special rank of the wrestler.

In Japan today, Mr. Scott added, there were guilds to which these wrestlers belonged. To his knowledge, there were two, the East and the West, and wrestlers received salaries from their respective guilds, but what they received was little—a mere ¥150 per month—and so they had to earn more income by taking part in matches to win prizes and by staging exhibition bouts.

Despite the rough nature of these wrestling matches, Mr. Scott said, Japanese women were the most enthusiastic fans; ringsides seats were booked well in advance by geisha girls.

Mr. Scott concluded that one could not but feel that Sumo wrestling, tinted with ancient customs and embodied with a religious atmosphere, was undeniably the most popular of Japan's national sports today.

The speaker was thanked by Rtn. Fred Tau, after which President John Yuen adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Kaohsiung.



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## BRILLIANT FUNCTIONS MARK G. A. CELEBRATION

**T**O MARK the Golden Anniversary of Rotary International, our Club were hosts to fellow members from other Clubs at a Joint Luncheon Meeting at Winner House last Wednesday, and the five Rotary Clubs in the Colony and in Macao jointly held a Banquet and Ball at Peninsula Hotel last Saturday. The guests of honour at the Banquet-Ball were Hon. R. B. Black, the Colonial Secretary in his capacity as the Governor's Deputy, and the heads of the various voluntary organisations which are fulfilling Rotary's basic motto of "Service Above Self" to the local community.

Both functions were brilliant and—as one vernacular newspaper commented—surpassed the international atmosphere of the United Nations ECAFE conference recently held

in Hong Kong. On both occasions the entire building of Winner House and the horse-shoe drive to the Peninsula Hotel were bedecked with the flags of all the countries in which there are Rotary Clubs. The entrances to both meeting places displayed a giant illuminated Rotary Wheel, while flags and pennants and Rotary Wheels featured in the decorations of the reception and the banquet halls. The front of the Peninsula Hotel was flood-lit and its central fountain was decorated with Rotary International banners.

Some 271 guests of honour, Rotarians and Rotary-Annes attended the Banquet and Ball which opened at 7.45 p.m. with cocktails until 8.20 p.m., when Rotarians and their ladies proceeded to their tables. The official party of guests of honour headed by Hon. R. B. Black entered the banquet hall at 8.30 p.m. and then everyone stood for the impressive flag-raising ceremony.

The Rotary International Banner was raised by the Past District Governor, Dr. Arthur Woo, while the flags of the five participating Clubs were hoisted by their respective Sergeant-at-Arms with the exception of that of the Macao Club which was released by its President.

The Loyal Toast to Her Majesty the Queen was proposed by President W. V. Pennell of the Hong Kong Club in his capacity as Chairman of the Golden Anniversary General Committee. This was followed by an eloquent speech by Rtn. (Dr.) C. T. Wang, past Vice-President of Rotary International, who related Rotary's growth and paid tribute to voluntary workers in our community.

Explaining "The Four-Way Test", originated by R.I. President Herbert Taylor, Rtn. C. T. declared that if only every statesman would

*Next Meeting: March 2, 1955*

*Speaker Rtn. Ron Bennett*

*Subject: Tramways—a vocational talk*

apply this Four-Way Test to his country's action, then the nations of the world would certainly enjoy peace.

In the course of his speech in which he stressed that Rotary Clubs were not charitable organisations but service Clubs, Dr. Wang proposed on behalf of fellow Rotarians a Toast to the guests of honour—heads of various voluntary organisations—with which he coupled the name of the Governor's Deputy Hon. R. B. Black.

Replying to the Toast on behalf of the guests of honour and proposing one to Rotarians, Mr. Black delivered a five-minute speech in which he commended the community service work undertaken by Rotary Clubs in the Colony and congratulated Rotarians on the expansion of the Rotary movement in Hong Kong and on the vigour and enthusiasm which characterised the two infant Clubs in the western and eastern parts of the Island.

Following Mr. Black's speech at 10.05 p.m., Rtn. O. R. Sadick, Chairman of the Banquet and Ball Committee, who most ably conducted the duties of Master of Ceremonies, declared the Banquet ended and initiated the dancing which continued until well after midnight. Upon a special request by Rtn. Sadick, the Hon. Secretary-elect of the Kowloon Club for the ensuing Rotary year, Miss Alice Lee, popularly known as the "Nightingale of the Orient", rendered three of her most favourable songs.

#### Joint Luncheon

Three days prior to the Banquet and Ball, the Hongkong Island East Club held a Joint Golden Anniversary Luncheon at Winter House in which 147 persons participated. President John Yuen, representing the host Club, delivered a welcome speech and presented each participant and other members of the four other fellow Clubs with a souvenir gift. On behalf of the five Clubs here and in Macao, President John sent a congratulatory cable after the meeting to Rotary International, conveying our affectionate greetings on the occasion of the Golden Anniversary.

The meeting which was wire-recorded and broadcast over Rediffusion's English network the same evening, also heard two brief talks by Rtn. G. E. Marden, past Director of R.I., on the Object of Rotary, and by Rtn. C. T. Wang, father of Rotary movement in China, on "Looking Back" at Rotary's growth.

Fraternal greetings were delivered

### THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

#### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

Business Meeting at which Rotary's own film, "The Great Adventure" will be shown to Rotarians and guests for the first time in Hong Kong.

#### KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Miss Elva Kelly  
*Subject:* Why Advertise?

#### ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. D. Y. Pong  
*Subject:* The Cotton Spinning Industry in Relation to Hong Kong's Economy.

by President Penn of the Hong Kong Club, Rtn. H. N. da Silva, past President on behalf of Macao Club, President W. T. Grimsdale of the Kowloon Club and President H. C. Fung of the Island West Club. President Penn cut the giant 50th birthday cake and Sergeant-at-Arms Ben Lee led all present singing "Happy Birthday to Us—Rotarians" and also one to Rtn. S. W. Zuo whose birthday also fell on Feb. 23.

Last week's celebrations also included two broadcasts by Rtns. G. E. Marden and H. C. Fung over Radio Hong Kong's English and Chinese networks. In these broadcasts which were relayed simultaneously to Rediffusion's audience, both Rtns. Marden and Fung explained the growth of the Rotary movement throughout the world in general and in the Colony in particular.

Through these broadcasts, the write-ups in both English and Chinese newspapers, the distribution of a two-page special Rotary's Golden Anniversary supplement by the *New Life Evening Post* (Hsin Sheng Wan Pao) and the display of posters, car stickers and window decorations in a concerted publicity campaign, the lofty movement and noble principles of Rotary were made known to more people in Hong Kong than ever before.

Some 7,000 copies of the 30,000 two-page special supplements reserved for the use of the Publicity Subcommittee were distributed last week at the Joint Luncheon Meeting and at the Joint Banquet and Ball as well

as to no less than 25 Rotary Clubs in Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan, Japan, Malaya, The Philippines, Rangoon, Bangkok, Saigon, London and Rotary International at Chicago. The copies for the Clubs in Taiwan and Tokyo were taken by air by a member of our Club and a letter received from President E. T. Tzu of Taipei Club disclosed that the copies were distributed to Taipei Rotarians at the Golden Anniversary Dinner there the same evening—Feb. 23. The remaining 23,000 copies have been reserved for distribution at the Rotary Ballet at the Empire Theatre on March 8 and at the planned football match next April.

The following are the speeches by Dr. C. T. Wang and Hon. R. B. Black as well as a list of those present at the official table:—

Dr. C. T. Wang, explaining that the function was "a modest gesture of appreciation to the many who contribute in one way or other, and especially in social welfare, to the voluntary services of this Colony," added:

#### Basic Motto

"Hong Kong has a right to be proud of its reputation in this respect. It is doubtful whether anywhere in the world so many voluntary organisations will be found ministering in so great a variety of ways to the needy."

Dr. Wang said that this was one of the many functions in the 13-week celebration of the Golden Anniversary of the Rotary movement. The movement began in Chicago in a humble way and now numbered 400,000 members, most of whom were acknowledged leaders in their own towns. There were at present 8,400 Clubs in 89 countries or areas throughout the world.

He continued: "The basic motto of Rotary is 'Service above Self.' It is not as many mistakenly believe, a charity organisation. It is a Service Club. But in operating the various avenues of service—club, vocational, community and international—it does do much in the nature of charity. Rotarians are enjoined to look for a real need, and when they have found that need, to give it the necessary aid and initiative, set it on its feet, entrust it to worthy custodians who will be responsible for the management, and then look around for some other good thing to initiate.

"A Golden Anniversary Holiday for boys and girls. As soon as possible, we will be handed over to the children which will be a great benefit to the community. These children will be raised and educated of which we must have a large number of the year two in Hong Kong. Rotary Club West. They are a contribution to the community. To be a member of the five Club for this.

Rotary Club West. Their activities are numerous. Enumerate which the sought to be of interest in sponsoring a variety of organisations of crippled children. The support of the movement is of interest to many. Red Cross. Other humanitarian work. Many are blood donors.

Dr. Wang's opinion. Rotary movement effort to promote of international goodwill. World profession ideal of service should be universal. Being Rotarians. Foundation three million. Been continued throughout of one another. Fellowship. Ledger of other and

"A case in point is the popular Holiday Camp for underprivileged boys and girls at Silvermine Bay. As soon as this was built it was handed over to the organisation of which Father Howatson is the able and enthusiastic Chairman. I noticed the other day that an attempt was made to estimate just how much Rotarians in Hong Kong, Kowloon, and Macao have raised for Community Service purposes. These three Clubs have jointly raised over half a million dollars, of which the greater proportion must have come from the pockets of the members themselves. Last year two new Clubs were organised in Hong Kong, the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East and the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island West. Despite their young age, they have already succeeded in contributing over \$50,000 for Community Service. A joint effort is to be made during this Golden Anniversary year between these five Clubs to raise another \$25,000 for this purpose."

### Greatest Good

Rotarians fit themselves and their activities into their local environment, said Dr. Wang. Enumerating some of the ways in which the world-wide Rotary Clubs sought to improve their own communities, he mentioned their great interest in young people, the sponsoring of youth groups, the organisation of societies to take care of crippled children, the initiating of the Boys' and Girls' weeks and support of the Boy Scout movement. Rotarians were also interested in all Relief Agencies and many served voluntarily in the Red Cross, St. John Ambulance and other humanitarian organisations. Many also helped in drives for blood donations and clothes etc.

Dr. Wang continued: "In my opinion, the greatest good our Rotary movement is doing is our effort to promote 'the advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional men united in the ideal of service.' Ways and means should be devised to promote such universal peace. Two such means are being applied already by the Rotarians. One is our Rotary Foundation Fellowships. Over three millions of U. S. dollars have been contributed by the Rotarians throughout the world. Students of one country are being sent to another, under this Foundation Fellowships to disseminate knowledge of one's own country to another and to bring back knowledge

### ATTENDANCE

Altogether 147 persons, majority of them fellow members from other Rotary Clubs in the Colony and Macao, attended our last regular meeting—Joint Golden Anniversary Luncheon—at Winner House on February 23.

Of our 29 members, 22 participated in the meeting, representing 75.86% as follows:

Rotarians present . . . . .	22
.. on leave . . . . .	6
.. absence excused . . . . .	1
(Wilson Wang)	—
Total . . . . .	29

Apart from representatives of the Press, there were no guests at the Joint Luncheon Meeting at which member Rotarians from other Clubs were not required to sign the Visiting Rotarians' Register.

social service work in this Colony and with Mrs. Black's magnificent and tireless work as local Director of the British Red Cross Society in Hong Kong. We Rotarians very sincerely regret that we are losing them, but Hong Kong's loss is Singapore's gain. The best wishes of all of us will go with you, Sir, when you take up your new post later on in the year as Governor of Singapore.

"Rotarians and Rotary Annes, I ask you to rise and drink with me a toast to 'Our guests,' with which I couple the name of His Honour the Governor's Deputy."

In reply, Mr. Black thanked the Rotarians and said that in their choice of guests Rotarians were indubitable and very correctly associating themselves with those engaged in voluntary social welfare work. This action was testimony of the part that Rotary in Hong Kong played in assisting to improve social conditions in the Colony.

### Holiday Camp

"It is scarcely necessary for me to recapitulate item by item your various benefactions or the social welfare operations which you have assisted," said Mr. Black. "They cover work in the fields of health and youth. In the latter case, apart from scholarships for secondary schools, assistance to the Boy Scouts and the present project to erect a probation hostel on similar lines to the Shanghai Street Children's Centre, there is one project which has particularly attracted public attention, namely, the valuable assistance which you gave to enable the very successful holiday camp for underprivileged children to come into existence at Silvermine Bay on Lantau Island.

"Although it cannot be repeated too often, I do not propose to dwell unduly on the great burden of responsibility which lies squarely on the shoulders of us all in these great twin cities of ours, Victoria and Kowloon, to render assistance to the very large number of those living amongst us who are in less fortunate circumstances, a burden which Government cannot hope to shoulder completely by itself, a burden which will not slip from our shoulders merely by the donation of funds.

"As I have said before and elsewhere, we are fortunate in Hong Kong in having a devoted band of

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Made available to the *Tung Feng* through the courtesy of the *S. Yat Pao* and *New Life Evening Post* (Hsin Sheng Wan Pao), p. 1. Hon. R. B. Black addressing the Banquet-Ball; (lower left) beflagged building; (centre) the two-page special Rotary issue and the write-ups of the anniversary by newspapers; (lower centre) Rtms. C. T. Wang and John Pennell at a Joint Luncheon; (top right) line up of the Sergeants-at-Arms and Delegates of the official table; (centre right) Rtn. C. T. Wang addressing the group; (lower right) Dr. A. W. V. Pennell cutting the Birthday cake; and (lower right) Dr. A. W. V. Pennell and Sergeants-at-Arms to raise the R.I. banner and flags of the five Clubs.



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Through the courtesy of the S. C. M. Post, Wah Kiu (Hsin Sheng Wao Pao), photos show (top left) net-Ball; (lower left) beflagged Winner House; (top middle) and the write-ups of the Joint Anniversary Luncheon. C. T. Wang and John Yuen addressing the the Sergeants-at-Arms and Dr. Arthur Woo in front of the Club; and (lower right) Dr. Arthur Woo leading the march and flags of the five Clubs.



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social workers who do not stop to take account of what they are paying out in time, energy and direct human sympathy for those in less fortunate circumstances. There is a good understanding between the voluntary agencies who do so much in Hong Kong and the Government Social Welfare Department, and they achieve much; but one must acknowledge that there is always room for more social workers, for more people of goodwill who realise their responsibilities to their fellow-men, and, alas that it should have to be so, there is always room for more money.

"As I see it, the contribution which Rotary International has to offer is the opportunity for fellowship amongst those who feel or come to feel that they have obligations of service to the community and an important feature of that contribution made by the Rotary Clubs in Hong Kong is the bringing together of people of different races, different professions and different types of businesses.

### Dynamic Faith

"You have achieved here a remarkable fusion of people who meet together regularly in friendship and understanding, irrespective of race, background or upbringing, and from this you have produced unanimously an ideal of service and, in consequence, given emphasis to the greatest lesson for which we all require refresher courses, namely, that our fellow-men are our brothers and to believe that and to have faith in it is the hope for mankind in this age when men are being drummed and hypnotised by indoctrination into an insensate passion to dominate their fellow-men and to form them into a depressing pattern of uniform subjection.

"Dynamic faith in man's spiritual destiny is as necessary to-day as ever in the history of mankind, because those who are planning to destroy the individual and the spirit of man have produced a fanatic faith of their own which can only be met by the greater belief in the integrity of the individual and the freedom of his spirit and aspirations. A vital function of the body of that belief must be

## ANNUAL MEETING ON MARCH 30

In accordance with our Club's Bye-Laws, stipulating that the Annual Meeting must be held before March 31, members are hereby notified that our Annual Meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 30, at which President John Yuen will call for the nomination and election of the Officers and Directors of our Club for the 1955-56 Rotary Year. This regular weekly meeting will be closed to guests and the Press.

In this connection, the Board of Directors has already elected a Nominating Committee comprising the following five members who will nominate the President and Vice-President of our Club for the next Rotary Year, beginning on July 1, 1955:—

Rms. John Yuen (presiding officer), Ron Bennett, Y. C. Fogg, Ben Lee and Jimmy Wu.

At tomorrow's meeting, President John will ask all our members to submit their respective nominations in writing to our Hon. Secretary before the March 8th meeting for the posts of the Hon. Secretary, Hon. Treasurer and six Directors for the ensuing year. The election of these posts will be carried out by balloting at the March 30th Annual Meeting.

in a practical demonstration of how that brotherhood can be recognised and maintained."

Mr. Black said that the Rotary motto was familiar to people all over the world from the activities of the many branches of Rotary International. Rotary's significant expansion showed that its activities were meeting a great need and that its Motto had struck a chord in the hearts of many people, which, in turn, should make it clear that people were only too willing to welcome the note that Rotary had struck.

He continued "Many of you Rotarians serve on boards or committees of local organisations here in Hong Kong and, in consequence,

you have opportunities for influencing the life of the community, not least amongst the young people of Hong Kong. Your fellowship of professional and business men can be a valuable aid in the improvement of social conditions here amongst all races, and thereby reflect the influence your movement can have to improve international understanding and goodwill. By breaking down the compartments within which people of different races have been inclined to live, you are helping to perform a great social service."

Mr. Black concluded by congratulating Rotarians on the expansion of the movement in Hong Kong and on the vigour and enthusiasm which characterised its two infant clubs in the Eastern and Western parts of the Island. He wished them continued success both in Hong Kong and throughout the world.

Of the Motto "Service above Self," Mr. Black said, "I should like to alter the lines of a well-known English poet and say: 'You have the challenge of the mighty hue, God grant you grace to have the countersign!'"

### Official Guests

The following were at the official table: His Honour the Governor's Deputy, Mr. R. B. Black, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Pennell (President of Hong Kong Rotary Club), Dr. A. A. Lopes (President of Macao Rotary), Mr. W. T. Grimsdale (Kowloon Rotary Club President) and Mrs. Grimsdale, Mr. John Yuen (Hong Kong Island East Rotary Club President) and Mrs. Rose Tam, Mr. H. C. Fung (Hong Kong Island West Rotary Club President) and Mrs. Fung, Dr. P. Lobato (Past Rotary District Governor), Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Woo, Dr. C. T. Wang and guest, Lt-Col H. Owen Hughes, Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, Mr. and Mrs. C. Tat-choe.

Also present were past Rotary Presidents and their wives: Dr. and Mrs. F. I. Tseung, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Hill, Mr. F. C. Clemo, Mr. and Mrs. Fung Ping-fan, Hon. and Mrs. Kwok Chan, Mr. and Mrs. George Liu, Mr. H. N. da Silva, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. T. Loney

and Mr. Wong.

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The honoured guests were Miss D. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wakefield, Miss Shiu Tak-hing, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Y. H. Yuen, Mr. and Mrs. O. Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. Lobo, Dr. and Mrs. Lee Hai-tong, Mr. Shum Choy-wah, Miss I. Wallace Turner, Mrs. Violet Chan, Mr. and Mrs. Lee In-cheung, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Man-kee, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jolly, Hon. C. E. Terry, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Barma, Mr. and Mrs. Seaward Woo, Dr. and Mrs. Li Shu-pui, Mr. Lam Chi-fung, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Chan, the Rev. W. A. J. Haig-Brown and Mrs. K. A. Haig-Brown, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. W. Alexandra and Mr. and Mrs. Cheng Chik-chee.

### K.L.N. CLUB'S NEW OFFICERS

The Rotary Club of Kowloon at its last Business Meeting on February 24 elected the following Rotarians to serve as Officers and Committees' Chairmen of the Club for the 1955/56 Rotary Year:

*President* Reggie Shun Wah  
*Vice-President* J. Moodie  
*Hon. Secretary* O. R. Sadick  
*Hon. Treasurer* H. N. Harillela  
*Sergeant-at-Arms* J. H. S. Duncan

The President and Vice-President will be concurrently Chairman of the Aims & Objects and the Club Service Committees, respectively.

Those who were elected Directors with concurrent posts as Committee Chairman are:

*Community Service Committee*  
D. Scott  
*Classification Committee*  
C. F. Wood  
*Fellowship Committee*  
J. C. L. Wong  
*Programme Committee*  
Lim Hoy Lan  
*Vocational Service Committee*  
F. T. Melwani  
*International Service Committee*  
D. C. Edwins

### ROTARY BALLET—

**T**HE Rotary Ballet to be staged at the Empire Theatre (two performances: 5.30 and 9.30 p.m.) on March 8 in connection with the

joint celebration of Rotary's Golden Anniversary is assured of success for Miss Carol Bateman, who will direct the Ballet, has already started rehearsals with many of the contributing artistes.

A report in the *South China Sunday Post-Herald* commented that the five Rotary Clubs in Hong Kong and Macao have selected a rather novel combination of major branches of the art of dancing, both Western and Chinese, for this occasion at the Empire Theatre. The writer of the article added:

"They first secured the co-operation of Carol Bateman and her School; obtained the participation of the colourful Portuguese Folk Lore Group from Macao; and persuaded Chinese artists to stage a classical Chinese dance; while to complete the whole there will be a pageant of Chinese period costumes by 12 beautiful Chinese actresses.

"Yesterday, as one watched the contributing artists in the ballet go through their numbers one had to keep reminding oneself that one was still in Hong Kong. It was a revelation of local talent, and makes it certain that the two performances of the Rotary Dance Festival will be remembered long after the curtain has rung down.

"Many Hong Kong residents have already seen the Portuguese group in action. They are bringing their own orchestra with them and they will add great colour and animation to the stage when they put on their contribution.

"Meanwhile, it can be asserted that the classical ballet and modern dance section alone would send an audience home delighted. Firstly, of course, comes the ability and experience of Carol Bateman, whose name conjures up memories of the many beautiful ballets she has staged in Hong Kong. She is the Producer and Choreographer for the Classical Ballet and Artistic Director for the entire show.

"In the opening ballet Miss Bateman has woven a gay, mischievous village scene around the popular music of the 'Swedish Rhapsody.'

"Her ballet in Blue and Gold to a Bach Tocatta symbolises the Rotary wheel emblem. Joan Buru, dancer of the English stage and television, is the

pivot around which the blue and gold patterns interchange and revolve.

"In a striking and tempestuous 'Primitive Dance', Jean Raymond, a former Principal of the famous Bodenwiese Ballet, introduces the Modern Dance to the audience.

"In 'To a Rose' she and Raymond Liao burlesque an old-fashioned ballerina and her 'strong man' partner.

"Toni Dawson, Greta Lo, and Kirsten Rasmussen combine their talents with these artists in moods lyrical, comic, or dramatic in these divertissement: 'Caprice Viennois,' 'Rhythm in Black and White,' 'Valse,' 'Jota,' 'The Minstrels,' 'Dance at Dusk,' 'Gopak Dance.'

"The distinguished musicians, Velina Low Sun, Pianiste and Musical Director, and Bert Gillet, Organist, will play for the Ballet programme.

"The net proceeds of the Dance Festival will go to the Rotary Community Service funds from which it is hoped to finance a special golden anniversary project locally. P."

### TWO LOCAL RTNS. AT OSAKA MEETING

Rtn. Seven S. C. Shih of our Club and Rtn. Paul Blattman of the Hong Kong Club participated in the regular weekly meeting of the Osaka Rotary Club held at the new Osaka Hotel on Friday, Feb. 18th, and each voluntarily contributed 1,000 Yen towards the Community Service Fund for being two minutes late.

According to a report reaching the Editor of *Tung Feng* from Rtn. Seven who is in Japan attending his Company's Board of the Directors' meeting, only 50 percent of the Osaka Club's 136 members were present at the meeting on account of the current Japanese election campaign which drew many of its members away to Tokyo and other cities.

Both Seven and Paul were warmly welcomed by the host Rotarians and they each made a brief speech and exchanged the bannerettes of their respective Clubs with the Osaka Club.

## \$600,000 On Community Service Projects

In pursuance of the motto "SERVICE ABOVE SELF", the five Rotary Clubs in Hong Kong and Macao (with a combined membership of 241) will have spent nearly \$600,000 by the end of this year on various community service projects since the inauguration of the first Rotary Club in this area in 1937.

The following table shows the total amount that will have been spent by the end of 1955 by each of the five Rotary Clubs, the strength of their respective membership today and the year of their inauguration:

Name	Founded	Membership	Amount
Hong Kong Club	1937	106	\$300,000
Macao Club	1947	20	60,000
Kowloon Club	1948	54	150,000
Island East Club	1951	29	50,000
Island West Club	1954	32	25,000
		241	\$565,000
A Joint Community Service Project to be undertaken by the five Clubs during the Golden Anniversary Year			25,000
Total			\$590,000

The money spent on the various community service projects was raised by the five Rotary Clubs from contributions donated by their members at their weekly meetings as well as from the proceeds of their annual Charity Balls in the past. (Reproduced from the Golden Anniversary special issue published by the five Clubs.)

### R.I. Secretary Acknowledges Cable

In reply to the congratulatory cable sent in the name of the five Clubs in the Colony and in Macao on the occasion of the Golden Anniversary celebrations, Secretary George R. Means of Rotary International sends the following letter, dated February 23, to President John Yuen:

"Your cable in recognition of the Golden Anniversary of Rotary means a very great deal.

"The Rotary Club of Hongkong Island East is an important cog in the Rotary wheel, and the opportunity for increasingly effective service through Rotary in the future are brighter because of your Club, and the helpful interest of each of your individual members.

"May the next 50 years be truly great ones!"

### Visits to Other Clubs in Jan.

Ten of our 29 members made 26 visits to six fellow Clubs in the Colony, Malaya and U.S.A. during the month of January, according to a report released by the Attendance Committee.

A breakdown of visits during January by our members to other Clubs follows:

Name	Club	Jan.
Mr. J. C. Bao	Hong Kong	4
	"	11
	"	18
	Kowloon	6
	"	13
	"	27
	Island West	7
	"	14
	"	21
	"	28
Mr. Henry Chang	Hong Kong	4
	Island West	7
Mr. Joseph Fung	Kuala Lumpur	5
	"	12
	"	19
Mr. Tom Freeman	West Los Angeles	6
	Island West	21
	"	7
	"	28
	"	30
Mr. John Yuen	"	26
	Hong Kong	4
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Mr. S. L. Yuen	"	18
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## DEAF SCHOOL PROJECT PROGRESSING SMOOTHLY

**I**NITIAL preparations for the building of a School for the Deaf as the first community service project of our Club have been progressing smoothly; Government has already indicated its willingness to grant a piece of ground, approximately 8,000 square feet, for the purpose.

This was disclosed by Rtn. Ron Bennett, Chairman of the Annual Project Committee, in his second verbal report to the Directors during the 13th Board meeting at Winner House last Friday, March 4.

Rtn. Ron said that since the last meeting of the Board on February 4 and upon the suggestions of Mr. Keen, Government Social Welfare Officer, he has written to and interviewed the Director of Education and the Superintendent of Crown Lands who had both expressed favourable comments on our proposed project and assured us of their support within their respective jurisdictions.

In addition, the Superintendent of Crown Lands has tentatively allocated a site of about 8,000 square feet on Electric Road adjacent to the newly-constructed Victoria Park at Causeway Bay for our requirements, pending, however formal approval of the Colonial Secretary.

The Annual Project Committee received a reply from the Colonial Secretary on February

24 saying that our application for the site was under consideration and that further communications would be sent to us in due course.

Rtn. Ron further reported that the Director of the Medical Department also expressed favourable comments on our project and that the Social Welfare Officer had investigated and was satisfied with the operation of the Chinese Overseas School for the Deaf with whom our Club intends to cooperate.

Located at No. 27 North Point Road (4th floor), the Chinese Overseas School for the Deaf is under the private management of a mute couple, Mr. and Mrs. Chan Chok-cheung, both of whom had received special western training for teaching deaf children in Shanghai. The School has three classrooms and has been giving written and sign-speaking education as well as handicraft and physical training to some 30 deaf children for an average school fee of \$30 each, though the Education Department had authorized an \$80 fee per student.

It is anticipated by our Club that a four-storey building would be constructed with the sum of \$30,000 earmarked for this project.

Following Ron's report, the Board extended a vote of thanks to the Chairman and members

### NEXT MEETING

Rotarian Ron Bennett whose vocational talk was postponed from our last meeting in order to accommodate a visiting guest speaker from Manila, will address our meeting at Winner House tomorrow on TRAMWAYS.

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## You Will Be Seeing Them Tonight



of the Annual Project Committee for their excellent work, and immediately appointed three member contractors, Rtns. Y. F. Chen, S. L. Yuen and "Dragon" Y. L. Nie, to help the Committee in surveying the site formation, drawing up first-stage plans and estimating the construction costs of the school project.

### Attendance

Twenty-two of our 29 members participated in our last regular luncheon meeting at Winner House on March 2, representing 75.86% as follows:

Members present . . . . .	22
.. on leave . . . . .	5
.. absence excused (Rtn. S. L. Yuen & Hsi Yu-I)	2
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>29</b>

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Gene Puyat	Manila
.. Bill Anderson	Hong Kong
.. Ken Barnett	Kowloon

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Prof. Ohira Zengo	Rtn. K. S. Chang
Mr. G. S. Stokes	.. Ben Lee
.. David Ling	.. Edwin Tao

### At Rotary Last Week

**S**PEAKING at last week's regular meetings of the Hong Kong Club (March 1) and of our Club (March 2), President Gene Puyat of the Manila Club exhorted fellow Rotarians to put their hearts into community service and be always willing to work in order to keep up the ideals of Rotary.

While passing through here with his Rotary-Anne en route to Manila after attending the SEATO Conference in Bangkok on behalf of his Government, Rtn. Gene was specially invited by President John Yuen to attend both meetings at which Rtn. Gene extended greetings of the Philippines in general and of his Club in particular to all fellow Rotarians in the Colony.

In the course of his address at our meeting, Rtn. Gene praised President John's wonderful Rotary spirit in helping his wife and two sisters-in-law during their visit to Hong Kong last November.

During his term of Presidency, Rtn. Gene said that he had organized 66 different committees and promoted 40 community service projects for his Club, which were participated in by not only members but also their wives. The Manila Club with 176 members, he added, undertook the physical examination of 68,000 children last year and the presentation of one pair of spectacles to each of the 500 children found with defective eyesight.

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These photos were taken by the *New Life* from the Club. Hsin Sheng Wan, from the dress rehearsal of the Dance Festival at Empire Theatre last Sunday morning. The Festival will be under the direction of Miss Carol Bateman.

President Gene said that it was important for any Club to have willing workers and that he personally disagreed with R.I. President Herbert Taylor's idea in first getting new members as he believed first in pushing the existing members to be active and interested in Rotary work.

Rtn. Gene was appropriately thanked by Rtn. Bill Nichol.

Earlier at the same meeting, President John thanked Rtn. Ken Barnett of the Kowloon Club for his assistance in defining the territory of our Club during our organizing stage. It was Rtn. Ken's first visit to us since the inauguration of our Club.

We also witnessed the presentation to us of the bannerette of the Los Angeles Club and the reading by Hon. Secretary Pat and Rtn. Ron Bennett of the greetings sent to us by the Hong Kong Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Rotary Clubs of Kobe (Japan), Harvard and Landing (both U.S.A.) and Bangkok (Thailand) on the occasion of Rotary's Golden Anniversary.

The meeting was adjourned by President John with a Toast to Rotary International associated with which was the Rotary Club of Manila.

In addition to hearing President Gene Puyat of the Manila Club, members and guests at last Tuesday's meeting of the Hong Kong Club saw for the first time here Rotary's own film, "The Great Adventure".

### 13th Board Meeting

THE 13th Board meeting of our Club, held at the Winner House last Friday, March 4, was attended by President John Yuen (in the chair), and Rtns. K. C. Goh, "Dragon" Y. L. Nie, Y. F. Chen, K. S. Chang, Bill Nichol, S. H. Ma and Henry Chang.

After confirming the minutes of the 12th ordinary and the Feb. 26th extra ordinary Board meeting, the Directors heard a detailed verbal report (see front page of this issue of *Tung Pong*) on the progress of the School for the Deaf project by Rtn. Ron Bennett, Chairman of the Annual Project Committee, who was specially invited to the meeting. The Board also resolved:

1. That the discussion of our Club's accounts and budget be postponed until the next meeting, but that Officers and Directors contribute equal sums for engaging a full-time accountant to bring the accounts up to date for auditing.
2. That the Membership Committee Chairman report on the application of a new additional active member at the next meeting.
3. That Rtn. Henry Chang be authorized to print 200 copies of our Club's Bye-Laws.
4. That approval be given for the purchase of four special commemorative bannerettes at \$72.
5. That confirmation be given for holding our Annual Meeting on March 30, 1955.

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## KLN. CLUB HELPS FIRE VICTIMS

The Rotary Club of Kowloon has made a donation of \$500 to the relief of the fire victims of the recent disastrous fire at Shek Wu Hui Village, New Territories. The donation was unanimously sanctioned by its members at last Thursday's regular luncheon meeting at which Miss Elma Kelly, Managing Director of Cathay Limited, gave an interesting talk on "Why Advertise?"

## Nomination Of Pres. & VP's

THE Rotary Club of Hong Kong and the Rotary Club of Hongkong Island East have nominated the following members for election as Presidents and Vice-Presidents for the coming Rotary Year.

*Hong Kong Club:* Rtn. Jerry O'Donnell as President and Rtn. Gin Su as Vice-President.

*Island East Club:* Rtns. Ron Bennett or K. C. Goh as President, and Rtns. Bill Nichol or Jimmy Wu Man-Hon as Vice-President.

Nominated by the Nominating Committee, the election of these members to Presidency and Vice-Presidency will be carried out by members of the two Clubs at their respective Annual Meetings on March 29 (H.K. Club) and March 30 (Island Club East).

At the same Annual Meetings, the posts for Hon. Secretary, Hon. Treasurer and six Directors will also be elected by members.

It is learned that the Nominating Committee of the Rotary Club of Hongkong Island West will nominate within this week the Club's President and Vice-President for the 1955/56 Rotary Year.

Of the four Clubs in the Colony, the Rotary Club of Kowloon has already nominated and elected its President, Officers and Directors for the next year (refer to previous issue of *Tung Feng*).

As pointed out by President John Yuen at our last weekly meeting, when calling for nominations, members are urged to elect the coming year's Officers and Directors of our Club on the basis of:

1. His seniority in Rotary service.
2. His willingness to work.
3. His ability to work.
4. His personal integrity.

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other member Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

Fellowship Meeting.

KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Mr. Russel Spurr of the *London Daily Express*.

*Subject:* The Journey to New China.

*Editor's Note:* Mr. Spurr and Mr. Francis Lara of *Agence France Presse* returned to Hong Kong after spending six weeks in Red China during which period they attempted but failed to cover any stories successfully. Mr. Spurr should provide an interesting talk on the subject.

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

Instead of the regular luncheon meeting, a Ladies' Night will be held at the Golden Dragon Restaurant starting at 8 p.m. Fellow members and their Rotary-Annes and guests are cordially invited to this function. Charges are \$15 per head.



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## U.S. PUBLISHER URGES MUTUAL CULTURAL EXCHANGES

**M**R. Richard J. Taplinger, noted American publisher, strongly advocates mutual cultural exchanges in order to promote better understanding between the peoples of the East and the West. With this aim, he said at our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on March 9, he hoped to promote a company upon his return home, which would invite contemporary Asian authors and publish their works for the American market instead of the hitherto one-way traffic by marketing American-written books in Asia.

Passing through Hong Kong after attending the recent Publishers' Conference in Pakistan, Mr. Taplinger was invited to address us on "Publishing Business in America" by our Programme Committee Chairman, Rtn. K. S. Chang, who himself is a publisher.

The speaker said that as a result of the Publishers' Conference and of his tour of Asia, he was now planning to discover and sponsor Asian authors, whose works would be translated into English and published in the United States by a company he proposed to form. He added that he was spurred into substantiating his scheme and making a tour of the East because of the shameful neglect of Asian authors.

"When I tried to name five contemporary authors in the Far East who have been recognised in the West, I could not do it. Aside of Dr. Lin Yu-tang, the layman would probably not be able to name any at all," said Mr. Taplinger.

Mr. Taplinger admitted that he was slightly put off when he was told that Asian languages could not be properly translated into English and furthermore that no efficient translators could be found.

During his tour, however, his fears were allayed when sample translations of the work of a number of up-and-coming Asian authors were reviewed by him.

"They are as good as any of the books written by American authors now on the market," declared Mr. Taplinger.

He said that the publishing business in the United States had suffered a blow with the rise of "pocket books" and was in such a state of slump that the only thing that prevented the businesses from folding up were their subsidiary rights—movies, T.V. and so forth.

There was a large demand for American published books in the East, but for most part

### NEXT MEETING

Postponed twice in order to accommodate last-minute visiting guest speakers, the vocational talk on TRAMWAYS by Rtn. Ron Bennett will be given at tomorrow's meeting of our Club at Winner House.

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## LAST CALL FOR TAIPEI VISIT

Please make up your mind NOW! There are only five days left for you to file your application forms for entry into Taiwan to attend the forthcoming Inter-City Forum scheduled for opening on April 8.

Passing through the Colony last weekend, Rtn. R. C. Cheng, immediate Past President of the Taipei Club and overall Chairman of the Golden Anniversary Committee for Taiwan, said that he will exert his utmost to help expedite the approval of our entry permits which must reach his Club not later than March 20. Rtn. R. C. also appealed to fellow Rotarians of all nationalities in Hong Kong to attend the Inter-City Forum.

It is learned that some 20 fellow members of the four Clubs in the Colony have already sent in their entry application forms.

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the books were too expensive, pointed out Mr. Taplinger.

"Till now the Americans have always been concerned with acquainting the peoples of Asia with their way of life. I feel it high time for mutual exchange."

Mr. Taplinger concluded that this could be the beginning of a cultural exchange and lead to better understanding between the peoples of the West and the East.

Thanking the speaker, Rtn. K. S. Chang welcomed Mr. Taplinger's scheme and told of the difficulties of Chinese publishers in Hong Kong, who have, above everything else, lost 75% of their markets after the China Mainland was overrun by the Communists.

Earlier at the meeting, President John took the first opportunity to thank those members of our Club associated with the Golden Anniversary Festival Sub-Committee, and Mrs. Bill Nichol for their contribution to the success of the Dance Festival at the Empire Theatre last Tuesday. Sergeant-at-Arms Ben Lee led everyone saying "Many, Many Happy Returns of the Day" to Rtn. Bill Nichol.

The meeting was adjourned by President John with a Toast to Rotary the world over, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Chicago.

## Other Clubs' Meetings

THE Hong Kong Club held a Fellowship Meeting last Tuesday at which six visiting Rotarians, including three from our Club, were also present.

At the Island West Club, more than 60 Rotarians and their ladies enjoyed a Ladies' Night Programme last Friday evening. It was the first Ladies' Night sponsored by our "twin brother" since the inauguration of the Club last May.

At the meeting of the Kowloon Club last Thursday, Mr. Russell K. Spurr, a British journalist, said that the great thing about the China mainland today was not Communism but nationalism, and this factor had been fully utilised by the Peking Government in its internal policy.

Mr. Spurr, the Far East correspondent of the London *Daily Express*, recently returned to the Colony from a visit to Communist China.

Mr. Spurr added that if no element arose to influence her or change her present policy, Red China, heavily industrialized in a score of years and ruthlessly organized, would be a dangerous country to deal with 20 years from now.

The speaker said that through her revolution, Red China had achieved stability and succeeded in pulling herself out of the chaos of the last decade. In time to come, she would become a dominating factor in Asia—a fact that the West must realize.

It would be a difficult job to try to analyse Communist China, as any attempt would give one an impression like a blurred picture.

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## MACAO G.A. FUNCTION

In celebrating the Golden Anniversary, the Macao Rotary Club has cordially invited all fellow members in the Colony and their Rotary-Annes to its Ladies' Night on March 26. Those wishing to participate in the function are required to immediately notify Rtn. A. O. de Sales (Tel. 36759), Chairman of the Inter-Club Visits Sub-Committee of the Joint Golden Anniversary Committee.

The regular weekly (Thursday) meetings of the Macao Club from now until the end of April will be held at 1.30 p.m. and between May 1 and October 31 at 9 p.m. Hotel Riveira will be the meeting place.

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Rotary-Annes of T. Y. Loo (left) and P. C. Chang (right), both of Hongkong Island West Club, are seen selling programmes of the Dance Festival at the Empire Theatre last Tuesday.

But one thing was certain—one great thing in Red China today was not Communism but nationalism, a factor that Marx never heard of in his time, and one that Communist China had utilized to the fullest extent in her internal policy governing her people. To exploit this force, she had adopted a policy of propagandising her culture, arts and things Chinese. Mr. Spurr said.

He added that the Peking Government had no intention of pushing the people too far, especially the peasants on whom the Communists founded their regime. The Government would back out when necessary but when it came to a real issue, it would use force to achieve its aim.

Red China has launched a campaign to industrialize her heavy industry but, Mr. Spurr said, he felt the pace was too fast. There was a shortage of technicians and tools but in these things she was receiving assistance from Russia. There was a shortage of skilled managers too. The present ones were always Party members who had no knowledge of the management of works or factories.

Mr. Spurr believed that the conditions under which Chinese workers worked at fixed rates and fixed hours would be regarded as exploitation by British trade unions.

Of private enterprise, Mr. Spurr said, Red China was now passing through a period of transition during which the capitalists were being squeezed out.

In politics, Communist China was playing Western Powers one against the other with the inducement of trade and friendship and with the object of breaching the united front, Mr. Spurr concluded.

Dr. Peter Jenkins, of the Emmanuel Missions, who is in charge of the trachoma clinic founded by the Kowloon Club, was made an honorary member of the Club at an induction ceremony at the same meeting.

### 2,000 At Dance Festival

SOME 2,000 people, including several hundred under-privileged children, saw the Dance Festival at Empire Theatre last Tuesday (March 8), which formed part of the celebrations arranged by the five Clubs in Hong Kong and Macao commemorating the Golden Anniversary of Rotary International. It was a colourful spectacle featuring a galaxy of talent and contrasting variety which delighted the audience, young and old. There were two separate two-and-a-half-hour performances.

Proceeds from the two performances are to be devoted to a special Golden Anniversary community service project jointly sponsored by the five Clubs.

Miss Carol Bateman, producer and director, presented local performers in ballets of her own arrangement. She also incorporated a pageant of Chinese actresses, and the famous group of Portuguese folk dancers from Macao into her programme.

Miss Bateman successfully introduced into her programme a Rotary Wheel Ballet in Blue and Gold, ingeniously set to a Bach toccata. Six blue and gold wheels fixed to the floor of the stage surrounded the centre pivot upon which Joan Burn turned on points. Her full-skirted yellow ballet dress, banded in blue, and golden head-piece repeated the Rotary wheel motif.

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Twenty-four slim young dancers in blue tights with diagonal gold band gyrated in complicated small wheel-patterns.

The climax of the show was a series of Portuguese Folk Dances and Songs. To music provided by their own musicians, this talented group performed very representative Portuguese dances with skill and artistry. Thanks must be registered to the Macao Rotary Club for sending the group of 38 dancers, singers and musicians, headed by Director Fernando Correia Marques, to this special occasion.

Rtn. Arthur R. Brown of the Hong Kong Club, in his capacity as Chairman of the Festival Sub-Committee, thanked Miss Bateman, her artistes and other participants as well as all others for their valuable assistance, which contributed to the success of the performances.

After the evening performance bouquets were presented to Miss Bateman and the principal artistes. Mementoes were also presented to all the other participants.

### Penn Signs Special Banner

**P**RESIDENT W. V. Pennell of the Hong Kong Club last Thursday signed two small leather banners provided by a member Club in Southern Sweden for presentation to Rotary International at the Golden Anniversary celebrations to be held in Chicago on May 29.

The banners were flown here by an S.A.S. plane to collect President Penn's signature which recorded the 22nd stop out of 37 stops in a flight four times around the world before reaching Chicago. They were made of white kid, edged in green silk, by the Rotary Club of Lund, an ancient city and spiritual capital of Southern Sweden.

The special banners were first flown on SAS's commercial flight on November 15 last from Copenhagen and is scheduled to be delivered in Chicago before May 29.

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**Rotarian S. H. Ma**

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* William Courtenay, O.B.E., M.M., British correspondent in the Far East, who recently returned from Formosa.

*Subject:* Formosa.

### Kowloon (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. Ken Watson of the Hong Kong Club.

*Subject:* Colour Photography.

### ISLAND WEST (Friday):

Through the courtesy of Pan-American World Airways, a colour travelogue, "Wings to France", will be screened at the meeting.

### Attendance

Of our 29 members, 23 participated in our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on March 9, representing 79.31% as follows:

Members present . . . . .	23
"    on leave . . . . .	5
"    absence excused	—
(K. Y. Shang) . . . . .	1
Total . . . . .	29

### VISITING ROTARIANS

<i>Name</i>	<i>Home Club</i>
Rtn. Yu New	Manila
" P. Y. Koo	Hong Kong

### VISITORS

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Mr. Richard J. Taplinger	Rtn. K. S. Chang
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## ROTARIAN RON BENNETT AND HIS JOB

**T**HE prime object of his duty as Traffic Superintendent of Hong Kong Tramways was to operate the 120 cars at his disposal to the satisfaction of the travelling public, said Rtn. Ron Bennett in a vocational talk at our last regular luncheon meeting at Winner House on March 16.

Rtn. Ron, who is Chairman of our Annual Project Committee, said that the Hong Kong Tramways had 1,550 employees on its payroll, of which 1,100 were in his department. Every worker in his department, he added, was given fair rotation of duty, routes and rest periods throughout the year.

Referring to his own particular job in the Company, Ron said that one of his first considerations was the number of cars he had available. Altogether the Company had 130 cars, of which 120 were for passengers, the other ten for route work.

Another consideration was the Company's duty to the public, he said. After the squatters had been cleared from the hills around Happy Valley, he had to deploy a number of trams from the Happy Valley route to others as the load was not so heavy. These trams, he said, were

put on to the North Point route, thus relieving the Shaukiwan route.

Then there was the complicated business of fixing up schedules—complicated, because he had to look after the employee's days off, late duty and yearly holidays.

Supplies, which entailed the procuring of tickets, was also part of his work. He said that the Company used 11 to 12 million tickets a month and all these had to come from England. A shipment usually took four months and he always saw to it that he had six months' supply of tickets on hand.

At one time his six months' supply dwindled fast during the dock strike in England, and when he had only two weeks' supply of tickets left his shipment arrived—much to his relief—he said.

Another thing he had to look after were uniforms for the Company's employees.

Rtn. Ron said that since he had joined the Tramways from the London Passenger Transport Board, he had found his position as traffic superintendent very interesting and he had become a

Next Meeting: March 23, 1955.  
Speaker: Rtn. Marsh Stayner, who recently made a business trip to Japan.  
Subject: The Printing Industry in present-day Japan.

## ANNUAL MEETING

This is a reminder that our Annual Meeting will be held at Winner House next Wednesday, March 30, at which the election of the President, Vice-President, Hon. Secretary, Hon. Treasurer and six Directors of the Board will be carried out by ballot. Other affairs of the Club may also be discussed at the meeting.

It is the duty of every member to attend the Annual Meeting and participate in the election of the Officers for the ensuing Rotary Year.

"jack-of-all-trades."

Referring to lost articles found on trams, he disclosed that in 1954, of the 2,212 articles turned in to the Hong Kong Tramways Lost Property Office by their employees, only 359 were claimed.

Rtn. Ron stressed the honesty of the Company's employees as sums of money, valuables and other articles were perpetually being handed into the Lost Property Office. These articles could have been easily pocketed by their finders, he said.

Briefly explaining the Company's system for dealing with lost property, he said that the finder of an article reported his find to a regulator and if there was no claimant after a few hours the finder sent the article to the Company's Lost Property Office with a lost property slip attached to it.

The item was then entered in a lost property register, kept for 48 hours and if no one claimed it by the end of that time it was sent to Eastern Police Station. If no one claimed the article after three months it was given to the finder.

Among the rather unusual things that had been turned in, Mr. Bennett said, was a bag of crickets. Other articles were litters of kittens, old fluorescent tubes and once, a bass drum.

At the conclusion of Ron's talk, Rtn. Edwin Tao appropriately thanked the speaker.

Earlier at the meeting, President John Yuen welcomed back Rtn. Marsh Stayner and thanked him for taking several thousand of copies of the Rotary Golden Anniversary special edition to Taipei and Tokyo for distribution to Rotarians in Taiwan and Japan.

President John also expressed our thanks to Rtn. Dr. C. T. Wang for bringing to us from President Gene Puyat of the Manila Club several postal stamps issued by the Philippine Government commemorating Rotary's Golden Anniversary, and to Rtn. Colin Ure for exchanging our Club's bannerette with the Rotary Clubs of Auckland and Onchunga, both in New Zealand, during his recent trip to that country.

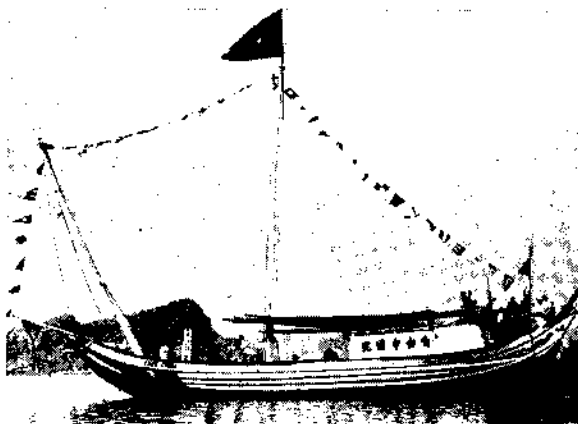
The Acting Sergeant-at-Arms, Rtn. S. L. Yuen, led those present to sing the Happy Birthday song to Rtn. Bill Nichol, Chairman of the Membership Committee.

The meeting was adjourned by President John with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Auckland.

## Other Clubs' Meetings

**D**URING the week under review, the Hong Kong Club heard a very interesting and informative talk on Formosa, and the Kowloon Club saw various colour slides taken by Mr. James Barrett in different parts of the world, coupled with a short talk on "Colour Photography" by Rtn. Ken Watson. The Island West Club members were entertained to a colour travelogue "Wings Over France" provided by Pan-American World Airways.

In his talk entitled "Report on Formosa", Mr. William Courtenay, O.B.E., M.M., British journalist, expressed his conviction that like Hong Kong, Formosa was absolutely safe from Communist invasion because of the insurmountable obstacles involved in an amphibious assault—with the Americans in full control of both sea and air.



"Free China", the two-masted junk which six young Chinese will sail across the Pacific. The craft was originally built in Foochow. (All photos in these pages are by Pan-Asia Photo News.)



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In front of Rotary Club emblems and bannettes (left) are five of the six enterprising Chinese mariners who plan to take the junk "Free China" across the Pacific Ocean. Provisions and supplies for the trip have been provided by Rotarians in Taiwan who personally helped to load the supplies onto the junk (right).

He said that the Nationalists would eventually withdraw from two coastal islands, Quemoy and Matsu, which were of no value to the defence of Formosa. He predicted that such withdrawals would be forthcoming within the coming weeks.

The Nationalist Army, Mr. Courtenay said, was not a ragged bunch of aged men as was commonly supposed but a well-trained, well-shod, well-fed, well-dressed and well-behaved army said to be 600,000 strong. There was also new blood following the conscription order which enforces a period of two years' training for every man who was 18 years of age and over.

### 26 Going To Macao

**T**WENTY-SIX Rotarians of the Colony's four Clubs and their Rotary-Wives will make the trip to the Portuguese Colony by s.s. Tai Loy on Saturday afternoon (March 26) for the Golden Anniversary celebration—a Ladies' Night at the Macao Rotary Club.

According to Rtn. Harry Harilela of the Kowloon Club, who is in charge of the party, about half of the local members and their ladies are expected to return to Hong Kong aboard the same steamer immediately after the Ladies' Night.

The Kowloon Club will be represented by 12 persons, the Hong Kong Club by eight, the Island West Club by three and our Club by three—President John Yuen and Rtn. and Mrs.

"Dragon" Y. L. Nie.

Rtn. Harry will send passage to each of the participating Rotarians who are requested to meet aboard s.s. Tai Loy before 3 p.m. on Saturday.

### THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. Eric Kwok  
*Subject:* Motion Pictures

KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* The Hon. Dr. D. J. S. Crozier, Director of the Education Department and member of the Hong Kong Rotary Club.

*Subject:* Education in Hong Kong (The meeting will be a Ladies' Day and visiting Rotarians are requested to bring their ladies with them)

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Mr. D. R. Holmes, M.B.E., M.C., Commissioner for Resettlement

*Subject:* Resettlement in Hong Kong

### Visits To Other Clubs In Feb.

**D**URING the month of February, 11 of our members made 31 visits to six fellow Clubs in the Colony, Japan and Malaya, according to a report released by the Attendance Committee. Compiled by Rtn. Fred Tan, the report also showed that Rtn. Tom Freeman, Chairman of the International Service Committee, attended two meetings of the California Club in January.

Rtn. Joe Bao managed to retain his unbroken 400% attendance record for three months, being again present at each and every weekly meeting of all the four Clubs here. Next topping the list is President John Yuen who participated in six meetings of the Hong Kong, Kowloon and Island West Clubs during the month under review.

The breakdown of members' visits to fellow Clubs in February is as follows:

Name	Clubs Visited	Date
J. C. Bao	Hong Kong	February 1st
"	"	8th
"	"	15th
"	"	22nd
"	Kowloon	4th
"	"	14th
"	"	17th
"	"	25th
"	Club West	4th
"	"	11th
"	"	18th
"	"	25th
John Yuen	Hong Kong	1st
"	"	8th
"	"	15th
"	"	22nd
"	Club West	25th
"	Kowloon	24th
S. C. Shih	Hong Kong	8th
"	Club West	11th
"	Tokyo--North	24th
Joseph Fung	Kuala Lumpur	2nd
"	"	9th
Patrick Cha	Hong Kong	22nd
Alan Yin	Club West	4th
"	Singapore	2nd
William Nichol	Club West	4th
Henry Chang	"	4th
Jimmy Wu	"	25th
Wilson Wang	"	11th
S. L. Yuen	"	11th
Thomas Freeman	California	January 13th
"	"	20th

### Attendance

At our last weekly meeting on March 16 at Winner House, 20 of our 29 members were present, representing 68.97% as follows:

Members present	20
" on leave	4
" absence excused	4
" absent (K. S. Chang)	1
Total	29

We missed the following members whose absence from the meeting was excused: Rtns. K. Y. Shang, Ben Lee, Seaker Chan and "Dragon" Y. L. Nic.

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. C. T. Wang	Hong Kong
" Colin Ure	"
" K. Lalchand	"
" G. R. Mahimban	"
" P. Y. Koo	"

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. James Doran	Rtn. Colin Ure
" G. S. Stokes	" S. W. Zao

### ROTARY TODAY

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8,528 Rotary Clubs 402,000 Rotarians

[statistics as of February 23]



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## INTER-CITY FORUM PROGRAMME MAPPED OUT

**A**S the Inter-City Forum of the Rotary Clubs in Taiwan, Hong Kong, Kowloon and Macao, scheduled to be held in the City Hall at Taipei from April 8, draws near, every effort is being made by the Taipei Club (the host Club) to add special significance to the occasion as one of the major events in the Golden Anniversary celebrations in Taiwan, according to reports reaching here from Rtn. Charlie T. F. Wei, Rotary International Administrative Adviser for this area.

in Taiwan will be the Inter-City Forum. Taipei Rotarians will arrange the display of G.A. Posters in every big store, shop, factory, school, hospital, theatre and public institutions and buildings in Taipei. Many private and public vehicles will carry Rotary banners.

Two vernacular newspapers, the *Sin Seng Pao* and *Chung Hwa Jih Pao*, will issue special Rotary supplements in their April 8th editions.

The official programme of the Inter-City Forum will last two full days, April 8 and 9, while April 10 (Sunday) has been reserved for a conducted tour for visiting Rotarians by the host Club.

In his capacity as the Administrative Adviser, Rtn. Charlie said he was glad to inform us that preparations have been made by the Taipei Club to entertain visiting Rotarians and Rotary-Annes from Hong Kong, Kowloon, Macao and local Clubs in Taiwan with the usual care and hospitality.

It is understood that during the Golden Anniversary publicity week from April 4 through 10 in which the main event of the celebrations

ANNUAL MEETING TOMORROW

Members present in Hong Kong are reminded to attend our Annual Meeting at Winner House tomorrow, when the election of our Club's President, Vice-President, Hon. Secretary, Hon. Treasurer and six members of the Board of Directors for the 1955/56 Rotary Year will take place. The meeting will be closed to guests and the Press.

For simplifying payment of luncheons and dinners and miscellaneous fees by Inter-City Forum participants, it was resolved by the host Club that each participating member be charged NT\$100 as registration fee.

According to the programme mapped out by Rtn. Charlie, four members from Hong Kong and four members of the Taipei Club will lead the discussions on various avenues of Rotary service during the Forum, which are as follows:

1. Club Service by Rtn. John Yuen, of H.K. Island East Club.
2. Vocational Service by Rtn. George A. Fitch, of Taipei Club.

## ISLAND WEST CLUB'S NEW OFFICERS

The Rotary Club of Hongkong Island West at its Annual Meeting last Wednesday (March 23) elected the following Rotarians to serve as Officers of the Club for the 1955/56 Rotary Year, commencing July 1, 1955:

President	C. N. Li
Vice-President	T. Y. Lo
Hon. Secretary	P. C. Chang
Hon. Treasurer	S. Y. Hsu
Directors	C. K. Ho, Au-Young Pak Chuen, Henry Tang, Li Shu-Pan, Tse Yu-Chuen, K. S. Lo and H. C. Fang (ex officio)

3. Community Service by Rtn. Gin Su, of Hong Kong Club.
4. International Service by Rtn. Dr. C. T. Wang, of Hong Kong Club.
5. Rotary Foundation Scholarship by Rtn. Robert S. Hoole, of Taipei Club.
6. Rotary Extension by Rtn. E. T. Tsu, of Taipei Club.
7. Publication by Rtn. Henry Chang, of Hongkong Island East Club and Rtn. James M. Lee, of Taipei Club.

After completing the registration of the participants between 9 and 10 a.m., the Forum will be formally opened by the Administrative Adviser with a speech and report. The detailed programme of the two-day Forum follows:

### APRIL 8th, FRIDAY

9-10 a.m.	Registration
10-11 a.m.	Formal opening; speech and report by Administrative Adviser
11-11.30 a.m.	Speaker: Governor C. K. Yen
11.30-12 noon	Musical diversions
12.30-2 p.m.	Luncheon (Speaker)
2-5 p.m.	Forum discussion on four major avenues of service
5.30-7 p.m.	Cocktail party given by Governor C. K. Yen
Evening	Golden Anniversary Dinner (Speaker)

### APRIL 9th, SATURDAY

10-12 noon	Forum discussion continued
Luncheon, 12.30 p.m.	Speaker
Afternoon	Sightseeing
Evening, 6.30 p.m.	Fellowship dinners by Taipei members to visiting Rotarians

## G.A. Celebration in Macao

**T**WENTY-SIX Rotarians and their Rotary-Annes from the Rotary Clubs of Hong Kong, Kowloon, Island East and West attended Rotary's Golden Anniversary Celebration at Macao on Saturday, March 26, as a part of the overall commemoration of Rotary's 50th Birthday. Among the guest delegates, Kowloon topped the list with 13, Hong Kong and Island West tied for second place with six each, while Island East came last with only one, President John Yuen.

It was the first time in the history of inter-club visits to Macao that such a large delegation from Hong Kong and Kowloon met in the Portuguese Colony and the occasion was honoured with the presence of His Excellency and Lady Esparteiro as well as other distinguished guests including Dr. Arthur Woo who is more popularly known as the "Father of the Macao Club".

Punctually at 9:30 p.m. the Ladies Night commenced. At the official table were His Excellency, Lady Esparteiro, President and Mrs. Lopes of Macao, President and Mrs. Pennell of Hong Kong, President and Mrs. Fung of Hongkong Island West, President Grimsdale of Kowloon, and President John Yuen of Hongkong Island East.

The speech of welcome was made by President Lopes in Portuguese and interpreted into English by Secretary Lobo. He welcomed visiting Rotarians and especially the charming ladies who contributed to the success of the Ladies Night.

He added in part: "We meet here tonight to celebrate Rotary's 50th Birthday. This party is an integral part of the many functions held all over the world wherever there is a Rotary Club. It is our modest contribution to mark the anniversary as jointly planned by the clubs of Hong Kong, Macao, Kowloon and Hongkong Island East and West. By rotation, it is our happy turn to act as hosts".

He then dwelt on the founder of Rotary, Paul Harris who through the fellowship of people, irrespective of race, creed and religion, advanced toward the ideal of service. He remarked that when the Macao Club was organized eight years ago in 1947, the world had 6,234 Rotary Clubs and 305,000 Rotarians. Today there were 8,477 Clubs and 398,000 Rotarians. Also three more clubs, Kowloon, Hongkong Island East and West, were added since the organization of the Macao Club. In Portugal, there were only five Clubs in 1947; today the number was 15.

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In conclusion, he stressed that while the world needed goodwill and understanding, and men must know each other in the practical plan of their daily life, Rotary was the best means for such promotion.

A toast to Rotary International and another to the visiting delegates were made in midst of cheers.

Invited to speak President Pennell of Hong Kong Club, eloquently congratulated His Excellency's daughter on her engagement to his ADC.

Pres. Pennell said he was gratified with the work of the joint celebration of Rotary's Golden Anniversary and grateful for Macao in sending a fine group to perform Portuguese Folk Dances at the recent joint dance festival in Hong Kong. Referring to the forthcoming 400th Anniversary of the founding of Macao, he hoped that Macao will enjoy another 400 years and more.

The second guest speaker was President Grimsdale of Kowloon, who first greeted the host Club and then commented on the good luck of the number 13. He said that the number 13 had been always lucky for him, because he was born on the 13th day, and was engaged to marry on 13th. His Club's 13 delegates were therefore a happy coincidence.

Following Pres. Grimsdale, President John Yuen of Island East said that while he regretted the smallness of his Club's representation, the gathering could rest assured that the spirit of all his member's was present at the function. He added that in one way he was gratified to hear that the 20 souvenir writing-pad cases he brought over personally to be presented to the members of the Macao Club were insufficient, because he was later advised that the Macao Club had increased its membership from twenty to twenty-five just recently.

President Fung of Island West completed the speeches of all guest Club speakers by appreciating the arrangement made by the Macao Club and praising the success of the party.

His Excellency the Governor of Macao, concurrently Honorary Member of Macao Club, welcomed the visiting Rotarians and Rotary-Annes, first in Portuguese and then in English. In the course of his welcome, he stressed the friendly relations among peoples and Rotary's ideal of service. Before opening the ball, he proposed a toast to the health of the visiting Rotarians and guests.

Dancing then followed which ended in the early hours of the next morning.

His Excellency and Lady Esparteiro stayed until 2 a.m.

## NOMINATION OF PRES. & VP STILL OPEN

Answering a query at our last weekly meeting, President John Yuen said that, according to our Club's Constitution, nomination of the President and Vice-President for the next Rotary Year could still be made on the floor at the Annual Meeting tomorrow, notwithstanding earlier nominations for these two important posts by the Nominating Committee.

Delegates from Hong Kong were:

*Hong Kong Club:* President & Mrs. Pennell, Rtn. & Mrs. Arthur Brown, Dr. Arthur Woo and Rtn. Tausz.

*Kowloon Club:* President Grimsdale, Dr. & Mrs. Olinto de Sousa, Rtn. & Mrs. G. H. Harilela, Rtn. & Mrs. H. N. Harilela, Rtn. O. F. Hamilton, Rtn. A. C. Clifford and two ladies, and Dr. & Mrs. Desider Engel.

*Island East:* President John Yuen.

*Island West:* President & Mrs. H. C. Fung, Secretary & Mrs. Henry Tang and Rtn. & Mrs. T. Y. Lo.

## At Rotary Last Week

The Community Service Fund of our Club was considerably benefitted at our last regular luncheon at Wimmer House on March 23. After President John Yuen had cited many happy and remarkable feats recently achieved by seven of our 29 members, each of them contributed handsomely towards the fund. The contributing Rotarians were Seven Shih, K. S. Chang, Ron Bennett, K. C. Goh, Wilson Wang, Jimmy Wu and Pat Cha.

Welcomed back by President John from his one-month trip to Japan, Rtn. Seven Shih brought back three colourful bannerettes of the Rotary Clubs of Tokyo, Osaka and Kobe East. All in all, Rtn. Seven has to date acquired for us the bannerettes of four Clubs in Japan—the first one being that of the Tokyo North Club which he brought back last year.

Rtn. Seven told *Tung Feng* that on behalf of our Club he presented our bannerette to each of the three Japanese Clubs which he visited during his recent trip, and told them briefly about our Club. As most of their members have not yet visited Hong Kong, he said, every bit of news about our Club and about Hong Kong was received by them with great interest.

Rtn. Seven said that he found the meetings in Japan were conducted in a rather stiff and serious atmosphere in contrast to our lively gatherings. Their Sergeant-at-Arms, he observed, had practically nothing to do, because all rules and regulations were carefully observed. Even minor matters such as wearing the lapel buttons were religiously observed by Japanese Rotarians, said Rtn. Seven.

The speaker at our last meeting was Rtn. Marsh Stayner, who gave us an insight to the Japanese printing industry—his vocation—followed his recent trip to Japan, where he visited a number of large-scale printing plants in Tokyo.

Recalling his visits to printing factories in America, Europe, United Kingdom and Japan three years ago prior to starting his own plant in Hong Kong, Rtn. Marsh said that at that time he found Japanese printers, like ours in Hong Kong, were far behind Western printers in both machinery and technical skill.

The Japanese printing industry has improved considerably through a series of amalgamations of small printing factories during the last two years so that today the industry was only a few years behind the world's most advanced printing process, whereas Hong Kong's was still 15 years behind.

Rtn. Marsh warned that in face of Japan's remarkable progress, the local printing industry would lose much of its overseas markets in the next two years unless local printers approach the problem more realistically by amalgamations and establishing schools for training printers.

In thanking the speaker, Rtn. S. W. Zao, also a printer by profession, agreed with Marsh in his observations of the printing industries in Japan and in Hong Kong.

The meeting was adjourned by President John Yuen with a Toast to Rotary International, coupled with which was the Rotary Club of Kobe East.

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programme of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

Annual Meeting at which the election of the Club's President, Vice-President, the Hon. Secretary, the Hon. Treasurer and six Directors of the Board for the ensuing Rotary Year will take place.

### KOWLOON (Thursday):

Business Meeting.

### ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Mr. Luis Chan  
*Subject:* Chinese Printing.

## Attendance

At our last luncheon meeting at Winner House on March 23, President John Yuen reminded members of their duty to attend regularly our weekly meetings, and instructed Rtn. Y. C. Fogg, Chairman of the Attendance Committee, to check into the reasons for non-attendance and to improve the attendance record.

Of our 29 members, 23 took part in the last meeting, representing 79.31% as follows:

Members present . . . . .	23
.. on leave . . . . .	3
.. absence excused (Hsi Yu-I) . . . . .	1
.. absent (Seaker Chan and K. Y. Shang) . . . . .	2
Total . . . . .	29

## VISITING ROTARIAN

<i>Name</i>	<i>Home Club</i>
Rtn. Teddy Yip	Rangoon

## VISITORS

<i>Name</i>	<i>Introduced by</i>
Mr. Chester Cheng	Rtn. K. S. Chang
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## INTER-CITY DELEGATES LEAVING TOMORROW

**A** DELEGATION of 17 persons representing the Rotary Clubs of Hong Kong, Kowloon, Hongkong Island East and West is due to leave by CAT plane tomorrow morning for Taipei to attend the Inter-City Forum opening there on April 8.

Led by Rtn. Dr. C. T. Wang, better known as the "Father" of the Rotary movement in China, the delegation is composed of six members and two Rotary-Annes from the Hong Kong Club, four members and one Rotary-Anne from the Island East Club, two members and one Rotary-Anne from the Island West Club and one member from the Kowloon Club.

The Inter-City Forum in Taipei is the fourth session of its kind to be held in this area since it lost the District status following the Chinese Communist occupation of Canton in October, 1949. The previous three sessions were held in Macao, Kowloon and Hong Kong.

The importance of the Forum was stressed in the following message to *Tung Feng* by Rtn. C. T. Wang:

*"The strength of Rotary is the warm and lasting friendships formed among its members. The required attendance at the weekly meetings of each Club enable them to get thoroughly acquainted with each other, thereby forming the basis of warm and lasting friendships."*

*"The purpose of an Inter-City Forum is to bring together as many as possible Rotarians of other Clubs in a given area to get acquainted with one another and to exchange views as how to carry out their ideal of service in its four major avenues. It is one of the means to meet Rotarians of other Clubs."*

The official programme of the Inter-City Forum will last two full days, April 8 and 9, while April 10 (Sunday) has been reserved for a conducted

tour for visiting Rotarians by the host Club (Taipei).

For simplifying payment of luncheons and dinners and other miscellaneous fees, each Inter-City Forum participant will be required to pay NT\$100 as registration fee.

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### Next Meeting at Winner House

Our meeting for tomorrow was originally fixed to be held at Kai Tak airfield to coincide with the departure of Hong Kong's delegation to attend the Inter-City Forum in Taipei, but this had to be cancelled because the plane is leaving in the morning.

The meeting will, therefore, be held as usual at Winner House at 12.30 p.m.

## WE THANK YOU — Y. F.

Rotarian Y. F. Chen (a contractor by profession), the Hon. Treasurer-elect for the 1955/56 Rotary Year, has generously offered to build the School for the Deaf for us at 10 per cent below cost.

The School is the first community service project of our Club and will be built on an 8,000-square-foot site next to the Victoria Park at Causeway Bay which is to be granted by Hong Kong Government.

the participants at the City Hall, Taipei, between 9 and 10 a.m. on April 8, the Forum will be formally opened by Rtn. Charlie T. F. Wei, Rotary International Administrative Adviser for this area, with a speech and report.

Included in the two-day programme are talks and discussions on various avenues of Rotary service by four Rotarians from the Hong Kong area and four Rotarians of the Taipei Club as follows:

1. *Club Service* by Rtn. John Yuen, of H.K. Island East Club.
2. *Vocational Service* by Rtn. George A. Fitch, of Taipei Club.
3. *Community Service* by Rtn. Gin Su, of Hong Kong Club.
4. *International Service* by Rtn. Dr. C. T. Wang, of Hong Kong Club.
5. *Rotary Foundation Scholarship* by Rtn. Robert S. Hoole, of Taipei Club.
6. *Rotary Extension* by Rtn. E. T. Tsu, of Taipei Club.
7. *Publication* by Rtn. Henry Chang, of Hongkong Island East Club and Rtn. James M. Lee, of Taipei Club.

The detailed programme of the two-day Forum follows:

### APRIL 8th, FRIDAY

9—10 a.m.	Registration
10—11 a.m.	Formal opening; speech and report by Administrative Adviser
11—11.30 a.m.	Speaker: Governor C. K. Yen
11.30—12 noon	Musical diversions
12.30—2 p.m.	Luncheon (Speaker)
2—5 p.m.	Forum: discussion on four major avenues of service
5.30—7 p.m.	Cocktail party given by Governor C. K. Yen
Evening	Golden Anniversary Dinner (Speaker)



Rtn. C. T. Wang  
Hong Kong Club



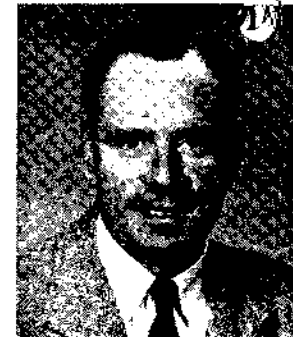
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### APRIL 9th, SATURDAY

10—12 noon	Forum discussion continued	Rtn. Wog
Luncheon, 12.30 p.m.	Speaker	
Afternoon	Sightseeing	
Evening, 6.30 p.m.	Fellowship dinners by Taipei members to visiting Rotarians	

Members from the Hong Kong area attending the Inter-City Forum are:

#### HONG KONG CLUB

Rtn. and Mrs. C. T. Wang, Rtn. and Mr. Alfred S. U. Ho and Rtms. P. Y. Koo, R. Y. Cheng, Gin D. Su and Paul Blattmann.

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Rtn. Henry Chang  
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Rtn. P. Y. Wong  
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Rtn. P. Koo  
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Rtn. Chu Pin  
HK Island West Club



Rtn. To Wing-hang  
HK Island West Club

TWO NEW MEMBERSHIPS  
APPROVED

The Directors of our Club at the 14th Board meeting at Winner House last Friday (April 1) approved the membership of two newly proposed members and accepted with much regret the resignation from membership of Rtn. K. Y. Shang on account of poor health.

*Tung Fung* will publish the names of these two additional members as soon as permission is received from them in accordance with our Club's By-Laws.

Next Year's Officers Elected

**R**OTARIAN Ron Bennet, Chairman of our Annual Project Committee, who has been doing very good work during the past several months in making preparations for our first community service project, was elected President of our Club for the ensuing Rotary Year.

The election of the President and other officers took place at our last regular luncheon meeting (Annual Meeting) at Winner House on March 30. President-elect Ron and the officers of his "cabinet" will assume their respective offices as of July 1.

Elected to the post of Vice-President was Rtn. Henry Chang, a Director and the Chairman of the both Club Bulletin and Classification Committees. President John Yuen was elected Hon. Secretary, and Rtn. Y. F. Chen, now assistant Hon. Treasurer, was chosen for the Hon. Treasurer's post.

Rtn. Bill Nichol, Chairman of the Membership Committee, and Rtn. K. S. Chang, Chairman of the Programme Committee, were re-elected Directors for another year. The other four elected Directors were Hon. Secretary Pat Cha, Sergeant-at-Arms Ben Lee and Rtns. S. L. Yuen and Seven Shih.

It may be noted that Rtn. S. L. Yuen, Chairman of the Donation Sub-Committee of our first Annual Charity Ball Committee, did a very remarkable job in selling donation tickets and obtaining donation prizes, and Rtn. Seven Shih has been a very co-operative member rendering assistance to the Sergeant-at-Arms and to the Bulletin and Attendance Committees.

The counting of ballots was carried out by Rtns. Pat Cha, Seven Shih and Ben Lee as well as by Past President Dr. F. I. Tseung and Rtn.

R. Y. Cheng, both of the Hong Kong Club, who were invited by President John to supervise the counting.

During the course of counting the ballots which took some 20 minutes, President John Yuen exchanged our bannerette with the Rotary Club of Bombay which was represented at our meeting by visiting Rtn. R. P. Marzban. President John also rendered a detailed report of the Ladies' Night function at the Macao Rotary Club (which was part of the R.I. Golden Anniversary celebration in the Portuguese Colony).

The meeting was adjourned by President John with a Toast to Rotary Clubs the world over, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Bombay.

### THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

#### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Mr. Sol G. Lever, Chairman of America's Goodwill Mission to Europe and the Far East.

*Subject:* Building for the Better Tomorrow

#### KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Mr. Torsten Brandel, Swedish Consul

*Subject:* Sweden—Land of Midnight Sun

#### ISLAND WEST (Thursday):

Due to Good Friday, this week's meeting of Island West Club will be held on Thursday, at which a film, "The 100 Years", produced by the School of Engineering, University of Michigan, will be screened. The film is being made available to the Club through the courtesy of the Michigan University Alumni.

### H.K. CLUB'S NEW OFFICERS

The Rotary Club of Hong Kong at its Annual Meeting last Tuesday, March 29, elected the following Rotarians to serve as Officers of the Club for the next Rotary Year, commencing July 1:

*President* Jerry G. O'Donnell  
*Vice-President* Gin D. Su  
*Hon. Secretary* R. R. Coombs  
*Hon. Treasurer* D. P. Sarin  
*Directors* Bill Anderson, Paul Blattmann, Jack M. Eng, L. P. Kwok, R. J. Picciotto, Wilfred S. B. Wong and W. V. Pennell (ex officio)

### Attendance

Twenty-four of our 29 members participated in our last weekly meeting at Winner House on March 30, representing 82.76% as follows:

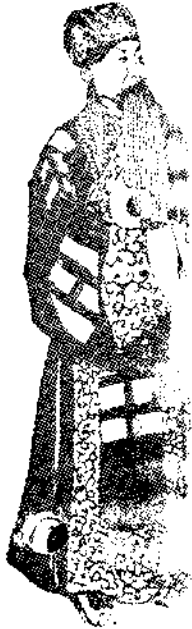
Members present . . . . .	24
.. on leave . . . . .	3
.. absence excused (Rtn. S. L. Yuen) . . . . .	1
.. absent (Rtn. K. Y. Shang) . . . . .	1
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Total . . . . .	29

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. R. P. Marzban	Bombay
.. E. J. Tseung	Hong Kong
.. R. Y. Cheng	"
.. M. N. Master	"

### Send-Off Party For Delegates

President John Yuen and Rtns. Henry Chang, Bill Nichol and "Dragon" Y. L. Nie—the four delegates from our Club to the Inter-City Forum in Taipei—were guests of honour at a send-off dinner party jointly given by Rtns. Y. F. Chen and H. C. Yang at Winner House last Sunday night.



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## FORUM RESOLVES TO APPLY FOR DISTRICT STATUS

**A** RESOLUTION that a formal application to Rotary International to consider awarding our area a District status be submitted through the Administrative Adviser was unanimously adopted at the 1954/55 Inter-City Forum held in Taipei on April 8 and 9.

The two-day session also decided that the next Inter-City Forum for the 1955/56 Rotary Year be held in Hong Kong. Rtn. Jerry G. O'Donnell, President-elect of the Hong Kong Club, extended on behalf of the four Clubs in

the Colony an invitation to all Rotarians and their ladies in the Taiwan territory to visit and attend the ensuing year's conference in Hong Kong.

In a most impressive ceremony, Administrative Adviser Charlie T. F. Wei opened the Forum promptly at 10 a.m. on April 8 and led the 168 participants in singing the Chinese National Anthem and paying respect to President Chiang Kai-shek. The Forum was held in the City Hall which was appropriately decorated with Rotary wheels and the colours of different countries as well as the flags of the 15 participating Clubs.



To The Inter-City Forum at Taipei!

Veteran Rotarian C. T. Wang headed Hong Kong's delegation to the Rotary Inter-City Forum at Taipei. The group is seen above with friends and fellow-Rotarians, who saw them off at Kai Tak Airport.—Photo by Saton.

### Our Next Meeting

Place: Wimmer House

Time: 12.30 p.m., April 13th

Speaker: Rtn. Marsh Stayner

(subject of the talk will be announced at the meeting)

There were no representatives from Ping-tung (Taiwan), Kowloon and Macao. Hong Kong area was represented by a delegation of 14 members: Rtns. C. T. Wang, Jerry G. O'Donnell, Paul Blattmann, Ralph Ward, Gin D. Su, R. Y. Cheng, Alfred Ho and P. Y. Koo for Hong Kong Club; Rtns. John Yuen, Bill Nichol, Henry Chang and "Dragon" Y. L. Nie for Island East Club; and Rtns. Chu Pia and To Wing-hang for Island West Club.

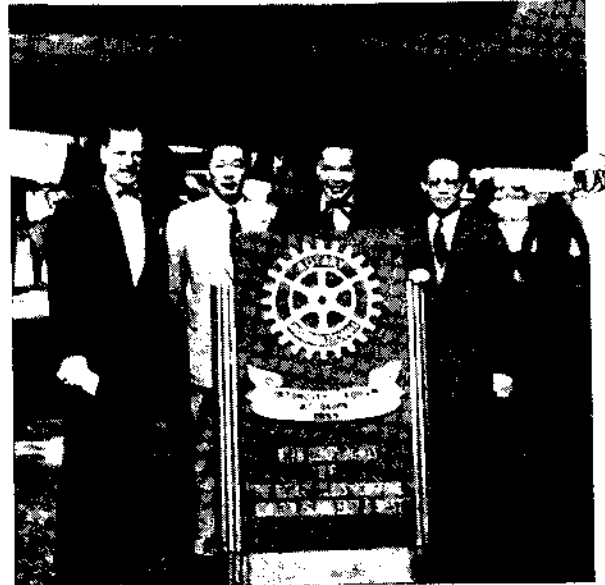
In addition, Rotary-Annes of C. T. Wang, Alfred Ho and To Wing-hang also made the trip to Taipei and participated in and shared the fellowship with their Rotary husbands at two Forum luncheons, one Banquet and one cocktail party given in honour of Rotarians at the Government Guest House by Governor of Taiwan, Mr. C. K. Yen, now an Honorary Rotarian, who was the Charter President of the Taipei Club.

Acting as co-hosts, President E. T. Tsu of Taipei Club and President M. K. Yew of Taipei West Club jointly welcomed the delegates from other Clubs, especially those from the three in Hong Kong. For this special occasion, Rtn. George Fitch (Taipei) led members of the two host Clubs to sing "Men of Rotary, We Greet You". At the piano was President E. T.

In his opening speech, Administrative Adviser Charlie said that at the time of the last Forum held in Hong Kong, there were only three Clubs in Taiwan and three in Hong Kong, Kowloon and Macao. But this year, he said, he was most happy to report that there were now 13 chartered Clubs in the whole area and two others at I-Lan and Taichung have been recently organised and were in the process of applying for charter. In addition, he hoped to promote another Club at Chunghua in Taiwan before he completed his term of office on June 30.

A.A. Charlie said that many asked "how was it possible to have so many Clubs organised in Taiwan in such a short space of time?" and some even feared that these new Clubs might have been loosely organised. He assured the delegates at the Forum that was not the case; these new Clubs were properly organised; the members were influential business and professional men in

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### Island East's Foursome

Rtns. Bill Nichol, "Dragon" Nie, President John Yuen and Rtn. Henry Chang represented our Club at the Inter-City Forum.—Photo by Rtn. Secun Shih.

their respective areas; they have all gone through the education of the Rotary principle; and he believed that they all would become good Rotarians and join all senior members to further promote the Rotary movement.

The guest speaker on the first day was Governor C. K. Yen who praised Rotary's achievements during the past 50 years and pointed out that freedom-loving service organisations like Rotary Clubs could only exist in free countries. He exhorted Rotarians to make further efforts to promote world peace, and in his capacity as Governor of Taiwan, he wished the Forum a complete success and visiting Rotarians from Hong Kong a pleasant stay in Taiwan.

The Administrative Adviser thanked Governor Yen for his encouraging remarks and for his courtesy in expediting the issuance of entry and exit permits to visiting Rotarians in record time—three days.

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After the chief delegates from each visiting Club had extended greetings to the two host Clubs, President M. K. Yew of Taipei West Club (chartered on April 5) presented his Club's bannerettes to each of the five Clubs in Hong Kong, Kowloon and Macao. The bannerettes for Kowloon and Macao were received by Rtn. Jerry O'Donnell and Rtn. Gin Su, both of the Hong Kong Club.

In return, the Clubs of Hong Kong, Island East and West also presented their bannerettes through their chief delegates to other Clubs in Taiwan.

President E. T. Tsu of the Taipei Club who was responsible for promoting more Clubs in Taiwan was presented with a large-sized silver Rotary Wheel given jointly by the seven newly chartered Clubs.

After lunch, the afternoon session of the first day witnessed lively discussions on various avenues of Rotary service led by President John Yuen (Island East) on Club Service, Rtn. Henry Chang (Island East) and Rtn. James M. Lee (Taipei) on Publication, Rtn. George A. Fitch (Taipei) on Vocational Service, Rtn. Prof. Robert S. Hoole (Taipei) on Rotary Foundation Scholarship, and President E. T. Tsu (Taipei) on Rotary Extension. (Details of these discussions will be published in subsequent issues of *Tung Feng*.)

The session ended at 4:45 p.m., immediately after which the participants, joined by their ladies, moved to the Government Guest House to

### Island West's Annual Ball

**F**IRST annual charity ball of our twin club, Island West, will be held at the The Ritz night club on June 10, 1955. At our last meeting, Hon. Sec. Pat read a letter from Island West's Ball Committee chairman, Rtn. K. S. Lu, requesting support from members of our club.

Secretary Pat urged that members should try to give their wholehearted support by subscribing advertisements and buying tickets. Please contact Rtn. Hsu Shih Yu at the following address:

The Sze Hai Tong Banking & Insurance Co., Ltd.

36 Bonham Strand West, Tel. 36484.

Advertisement rates are HK\$100 a full page and HK\$60 for a half page.

Island West's Community Service project is a vocational training center for underprivileged women and children.

### THIS WEEK'S

programmes of other member clubs in the Colony are as follows:—

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

"One Publisher's Viewpoint"  
By Mr. Irving B. Hexter.

KOWLOON (Thursday):

"Business has Wings"  
By Mr. Harold Zellerback, President of Zellerback Paper Co., U.S.A.

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

Fellowship Meeting.

attend the cocktail party given by Governor Yen. Shortly after 7 p.m. Governor Yen, Mayor V. S. Kao of Taipei and Rotarians and their Rotary-Annis journeyed back to the City Hall to participate in the Banquet.

The second day also opened at 10 a.m. (April 9) and continued discussions on Community Service led Rtn. Gin D. Su (Hong Kong) and on International Service led by Rtn. C. T. Wang (Hong Kong).

At the opening of the second day's session, Rtn. C. T. Wang submitted a motion, seconded by a Taiwan Rotarian, that the Forum request Rotary International to re-District our area. Rtn. C. T. said that formerly we had three Districts in China, but due to political reasons all the three Districts had been abolished by Rotary International. Rtn. C. T. pointed out that as we now had 13 chartered Clubs with two more Clubs at I-Lan and Taichung in the process of being chartered, we would soon have a total of 15 Clubs to qualify for the District status; thus we should now formally apply to Rotary International for consideration that our area be re-awarded the District status.

The motion tabled by Rtn. C. T. was unanimously approved at the Forum, upon which the Administrative Adviser appointed a three-man special committee comprising Rtns. Jerry O'Donnell, Henry Chang and Sam Amman Rajadion (President-elect of Taipei Club), to draft the resolution.

During the luncheon meeting, the special committee presented its draft resolution to the Forum, which was unanimously adopted for forwarding to Rotary International with a covering letter by the Administrative Adviser.

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The two-day Forum concluded at 2 p.m., following a speech by the "Father" of the Rotary movement in China (Rtn. C. T. Wang). He exhorted all Rotarians to make greater efforts in pushing the Rotary Wheel moving, thereby achieving further progress in the four major avenues of Rotary service.

The Forum was a tremendous success. One senior Rotarian who had attended all previous Forums remarked: "This is the best Forum I have ever attended and much of its success must go to Administrative Adviser Charlie and the two host Clubs."

Before concluding the Forum, a vote of appreciation to the Administrative Adviser was expressed by all the delegates.

The delegates from the Hong Kong area and from other Clubs in Taiwan were taken on a sight-seeing tour of Taipei later in the afternoon. This was arranged by the two host Clubs, whose members also played hosts at dinner parties at their homes to visiting Rotarians and Rotary-Annes.

Most of the delegates from the Hong Kong area are expected to return home on Friday.

### At Rotary Last Week

**R**OTARIANS, Rotary-Annes and their many friends virtually took over Kai Tak Airport last Wednesday morning. The occasion was the sending-off of the delegation to the Inter-City Forum at Taipei. The delegation of 17 persons, including Rotary-Annes, represented the four Clubs of the Colony: Hong Kong Club, Kowloon Club and Island East and West Clubs.

Our (Island East) regular weekly meeting was originally fixed to be held at Kai Tak Airport in conjunction with the sending-off of the delegation, but had to be called off because of the chartered CAT plane leaving earlier than was expected. Our meeting was held as usual at Winner House at the usual time.

### DO YOU KNOW THE NEW MEMBERS?

We were very much surprised and chagrined last week when one of our older members asked the names of several of our new members. Apparently we are not doing a good job of introducing new Rotarians. We should become acquainted with these new members. We might learn something!

—THE PORT REPORTER  
Port Washington, Wisconsin, U.S.A.

With the temporary absence of President John at our last meeting at Winner House (April 6), Vice-President K. C. took the chair and congratulated Rtn. Ron Bennett and other members of the Club who were elected President and officers for the Rotary year 1955-56.

Through our Programme Committee Chairman Rtn. K. S. and the courtesy of U.S.I.S., a film entitled "Men at Cross Roads" was screened and members present enjoyed some of the scenes in Korea.

After Rtn. Fred Tau had thanked the U.S.I.S. Vice-President K. C. adjourned the meeting with a toast to Rotary International and the Rotary Club of Taipei.

Birthday cakes were ready for presentation to Rtns. S. L. Yuen and Seaker Chau at our last meeting but owing to their absence, the cakes had to be delivered to their respective offices.

### Attendance

Our last meeting on April 6 witnessed one of our poorest attendance records with only 19 members present. This was naturally due to several of the members being away for the Inter-City Forum. The attendance was 67.85%.

Members present	19
On leave	7
Excused	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>28</b>

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Colin Ure	Hong Kong
.. R. P. Marzban	Bombay

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. G. S. Stokes	Rtn. Ben Lee

### The Value of Attendance

More important than good attendance for its own sake is the value of the fellowship, entertainment and education that one gains by participating in the meetings of our own or other Rotary Clubs. If each of our members who had one or more misses during the past three months had made up at another Club, he might have made a friend or heard a programme that he would remember all his life. Or maybe he would have made a contact that would have helped someone else. Who knows?

—ROTARY REACTOR  
Richland, Washington, U.S.A.

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## THE NEW MEMBER

Some of us have been in Rotary so long that we have forgotten what it feels like to be a new member.

To come into the company of men who have known each other intimately for many years is not an altogether easy task for a new Rotarian.

While it is against the tenets of Rotary for old cronies always to herd together at our luncheons, it is nevertheless human and therefore a condition that constantly confronts every administration.

It will help our fellowship if more of our older members will keep in mind how it felt to be a new member and if our new members in turn will consider themselves licensed to "nose in" anywhere and at any time no matter how pettified the situation appears to them.

—PORTLAND SPEAKER  
 Portland, Oregon, U.S.A.

## Other Clubs' Meetings

**A**T last week's regular meetings of other fellow Clubs in the Colony, the Hong Kong Club heard an inspiring speech on "Building for a Better To-morrow"; the Kowloon Club was told about "Sweden, Land of the Midnight Sun" and Island West Club was shown an interesting movie film about the Centenary anniversary of the Engineering College of Michigan University, U.S.A.

In his speech at the Hong Kong Club meeting, Rotarian Sol Levey, Chairman of the Goodwill Mission to Europe and Far East and veteran Boy Scout administrator, paid high tribute to General MacArthur for the Programme he initiated in Japan, and his statement that 'you can hate the government but you can't hate the people'. The General did not seek to oppress but tried to 'lift by their bootstraps' a people his troops had just vanquished.

Past civilizations, Rtn Sol said, have come and gone, because they were built in sand. Would we in our turn do likewise? To prove that we are building all right, Rtn Sol cited the English-speaking peoples' programme for the young and under-privileged round the world.

Speaking of Boy Scouts as a programme for youth, Rtn Sol related a moving tale about the courage of its founder, Lord Baden-Powell, who was a colonial officer in his pre-Scout days. Once when confronted with a revolt among the Gold Coast Ashantis, he, without any weapons, approached a gathering of well-armed tribesmen and extended his right hand in greeting. Strangely, the chieftain refused his right hand

but accepted his left hand. It turned out that according to tribal rules, the bravery of Baden-Powell had earned him the honour of the left hand greeting. Although the tribesman pledged him to secrecy about this, Baden-Powell kept this incident in mind, and later introduced this unique hand-shake in the Scout movement all over the world.

The origin of this unique greeting can now be revealed. Some time ago, the current Chief Scout, a recent visitor to this Colony, had an opportunity to visit the Ashantis, and in confirming the story, he also obtained permission from this tribe to tell his charges of this strange hand-shake.

A record number of members from our Club turned up to listen to this inspiring talk, including President John, Rtns. Ron, Henry, Dragon, Ben, Joe, Bill, Pat and Seven.

Rtn Sol was warmly thanked by Rtn G. E. Madden.

At Kowloon Club, the new President, Rtn Shun Wah, conducted his first meeting in a very efficient manner and was congratulated by a past president of the club.

Before the guest speaker started his interesting talk, an American national flag with the approval and personal greetings from President Eisenhower ("Please be sure my personal good wishes go with this flag") was formally received and spread in front of the head table. It came from the Rotary Club of Panorama, California.

The speaker, Mr. Torsten Brandel, Consul for Sweden in Hong Kong, gave an historical and geographical background of his native land and invited his listeners to visit the land of the "Mid-night Sun". The speaker also introduced some well-known Swedish products which this Colony regularly imports and encouraged Hong Kong merchants to export more to his country.

Rtn Seven was the only member from our Club present at this meeting.

## HOW WOULD YOU ANSWER?

Can each of us apply the Four-Way Test and answer to our satisfaction this question: "Have I done my very best to furnish the necessary leadership and opportunity to permit every member of my Club to give full freeway to that inborn desire to be of service to his community and to his fellow man?"

W. T. "TRAP" HANES  
 Cameron, Texas, U.S.A.  
 Governor, District 187, R.I.

## Rotary's Golden Anniversary

**T**HE Board of Directors of Rotary International has received many messages of greeting on Rotary's Golden Anniversary from heads of governments throughout the world. Here are three:

*President Dwight D. Eisenhower of the U.S.A.*

"I wish to express to all members of Rotary International my congratulations and my best wishes on this Golden Anniversary of a great organization dedicated to service. The ideals of Rotary and the deeds of Rotarians have been and I hope for many years will be, a high inspiration to the peoples of the free world."

*President Rene Coty of France*

"It has now been fifty years that Rotary International, with ever-increasing success, has engaged in bringing together the finest representatives of every business and profession. Born of confidence, it engenders and reinforces confidence. What nobler way is there of serving in the interest of peace.

"In the name of the French Republic and the French Union, I address to Rotary International, at the dawn of its second half-century, my most cordial wishes that its beneficent work may continue, be amplified, and thus help people to understand each other better and to enjoy a more fruitful cooperation."

*President Rajendra Prasad of India*

"On the occasion of the Golden Jubilee of Rotary International, I have great pleasure in sending my felicitations to that great organisation which has placed the lofty ideal of 'service to society' in the forefront of their programme.

"The advancement of understanding between all the peoples of the world, which is the cherished goal of Rotarians, would, I have no doubt, bring about a world fellowship—a consummation to be devoutly wished for by everyone. I extend my warm greetings to Rotarians all the world over on this happy occasion."

## 109 Rotary Foundation Fellowships Awarded

**A**T its January meeting, the Rotary Foundation Fellowship and international student exchange committee awarded Rotary Foundation Fellowships for Advanced Study to 109 outstanding graduate students from 29 countries for study in 20 countries during the 1955-56 school year.

At the Golden Anniversary dinner held at the Hotel Sherman in Chicago on February 23, four of the new group of Fellows were present typifying the 109 Fellows whose awards were announced that day. These four Fellows for 1955-56 from the U.S.A. are going to study in Europe, South America, and Australia.

These new awards bring the total of Fellowships awarded since the inception of the programme in 1947-48 to 710, consisting of 573 young men and 137 young women from 57 countries for study in 36 countries. These young people truly serve as ambassadors of good will between their home countries and the countries in which they study.

The Rotary Foundation Fellowships programme is made possible through the voluntary generosity of Rotarians, Rotary clubs, and others whose investment in The Rotary Foundation now exceeds US\$3,800,000. The total cost of the Fellowships, including those granted for 1955-56, is approximately US\$1,750,000.

Many Rotary clubs and districts are making support of The Rotary Foundation a special Golden Anniversary international service project—not merely for this year alone but so as to provide for continuing support on the basis of so much per year per member. An investment in The Rotary Foundation is an investment in the Future!



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## INTER-CITY DELEGATES RETURN HOME

**M**OST of the 17 delegates from the Hong Kong area to the Inter-City Forum returned from Taipei by CAT last Friday. Rtn. Paul Blattmann (HK) returned by Northwest plane the same day. Those who came back by CAT were President John Yuen and Rtns. Henry Chang and Bill Nichol (Island East), Rtn. P. Y. Koo and Rtn. Alfred and Rotary-Anne Ho (HK) and Rtn. and Rotary-Anne To Wing-hang (Island West).

Rtns. Jerry O'Donnell and Gin D. Su (HK) returned to Hong Kong a week ago (April 10) by Northwest plane immediately after the conclusion of the Inter-City Forum.

Those still remaining in Taipei are Rtn. and Rotary-Anne C. T. Wang and Rtns. R. Y. Cheng and Ralph Ward (HK), Rtn. Chin Ping (Island West) and Rtn. "Dragon" Y. L. Nie (Island East).

Led by Administrative Adviser Charlie T. E. Wei and President E. T. Tsu of Taipei Club, a large group of Taiwan Rotarians and their ladies were at the airport to welcome and later to send off the Hong Kong delegation.

Upon arrival at the Taipei airport, the three Rotary-Annes of C. T. Wang, Alfred Ho and

To Wing-hang from the Hong Kong area were each presented a bouquet by the Rotary-Annes of Charlie Wei, E. T. Tsu and George A. Birch, and the whole delegation was escorted in a cavalcade of cars to the Ming Yuen Restaurant as luncheon guests of the Taipei Club. During the course of lunch, A.A. Charlie, Pres. E. T. Tsu, Past Pres. Peter Chang made brief speeches of welcome to which Rtn. C. T. Wang and President John Yuen suitably replied.

Except for a few who stayed with their relatives and friends, members of the Hong Kong delegation were put up at the Grand Hotel, Railway Hotel and Friends of China Club during their stay in Taipei.

In addition to attending all the sessions and official functions of the Inter-City Forum, President John Yuen and Rtns. Henry Chang, Bill Nichol and "Dragon" Nie, joined by Rtn. and Rtns. Alfred Ho (HK), made a tour to seven cities in Taiwan in three days partly by car and partly by plane, covering nearly 800 miles.

Starting from Taipei at 8:45 a.m. on Sunday (April 10), they travelled by car down to Hsinchu in two hours' time and were received by Rtn. Y. K. Chang, Vice-President of the

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Speakers: Rtns. Henry Chang & Bill Nichol  
Subject: Report on Inter-City Forum



Group photo showing members of the Hong Kong Delegation with Taiwan Rotarians and Rotary Annex at Taipei airport on April 6.

A section of the City of Taipei Rotarians Clubs invited for the ministry of Charlie back to Taipei on April 6.

Hsinchu Club, who is the General Manager of the Hsinchu Power Co. After remaining in the city for 30 minutes, the party continued their journey and reached Taichung around 2.15 p.m., where they stayed for lunch as guests of Taichung Rotarian T. T. Chang, head of the Taichung Telegraph Co.

From Taichung, they drove to the hilly region of the Sun-Moon Lake which to Hongkongites is a big reservoir built by nature, standing about 2,500 feet above sea level. Resembling Hong Kong in the dry season, the Sun-Moon Lake was half empty. Its waters are used to generate power supply for the area. The only difference is that one can row a boat on the Sun-Moon Lake, whereas reservoirs in Hong Kong do not permit pleasure boating or swimming.

The party had one hour's boating on the Lake and travelled into the famous Kaoshan (High Mountain) Tribes' territory, where they had their photographs taken together with the so-called Princesses of the Kaoshan Tribes. They returned to their hotel before nightfall and stayed overnight at the Evergreen Hotel which is the summer resort of President Chiang Kai-shek. It was through special arrangement, by long-distance telephone, made by Rtn. T. T. Chang from Taichung, that the hotel accepted the party as paying guests for one night.

Continuing the tour, the party early next morning travelled by car to Chiayi and made a brief call on Rtn. Charles Chang of the Chiayi Club before driving a further 120 miles south to Tainan, where they stayed for lunch. Due to lack of time, they failed to make any contact with the Tainan Rotarians but continued their journey further south to the southern tip of the island—Kaohsiung.

At Kaohsiung, they were cordially received by Rtns. K. T. Wong, Customs Commissioner, and Leslie Peng, of U.S.I.S.—the latter accompanying the party on a trip by launch in the Kaohsiung Harbour and by car through the well-developed industrial city, after which the visitors were entertained to dinner at the Customs Club as hosts of the Deputy Commissioner of Customs, Mr. Y. W. Yu.

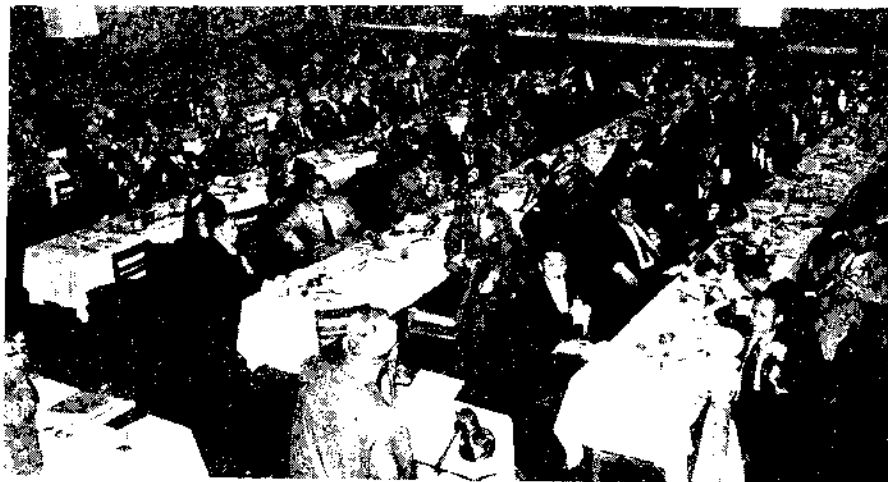


Group photo of the 14 delegates from the Hong Kong area standing in front of the Forum restaurant.

The party stayed in a hostel for one night's rest where they arrived in Taipei at 1.30 p.m. and then to the island's capital where they were received by the Master.

Rtn. Dr. C. K. Yu, Guest Honorary Chairman C. T. W.

A section of the Taipei City Hall, where 168 Rotarians from the 15 Clubs in the area gathered for the Forum. Administrative Adviser Charlie T. F. Wei is seen back to camera addressing the assembly.



Through special arrangement, the group stayed overnight at the China Oil Company's hostel in the outskirts of the city and, after a night's rest, journeyed back by car to Tainan, where they boarded a CAT inter-island plane for Taipei, reaching the island's capital city around 1.30 p.m. Rushed back to the hotel for a shower and change, the party then motored north to the island's northern port of Keelung, where they were received by President Rex Hsu, Harbour Master, President-elect H. H. Hsi, Vice-Presi-

dent L. B. Gaustam and Hon. Secretary Bill Song, and conducted a tour of the Keelung Harbour aboard a launch assigned to the visiting Rotarians by the Harbour Bureau. The party did not return to Taipei until after 7.30 p.m. on Tuesday (April 12) and had to rush to a dinner party given by a Taipei member, Ran Milton J. T. Hsieh, publisher of the *Hsin Sheng Pao*.

For the remaining two days (Wednesday and Thursday) of their 10-day stay in Taiwan, members of the Hong Kong area attended a regular weekly meeting on Thursday of the Taipei Club and each took the opportunity of conducting their respective private and business affairs in Taipei before flying back to Hong Kong on Friday morning.

The trip to Taiwan will be long remembered by the Hong Kong delegates. Taiwan Rotarians truly lived up to the "Service Above Self" motto and looked after their visiting guests very well both at the Inter-City Forum and at other social functions.

Taiwan is better known in the West by the name Portuguese sailors gave it when they exclaimed "Ilha Formosa". But the island lives up to its Chinese name meaning "Terraced Bay" as well as to its Portuguese name meaning "Beautiful Island". The leaf-shaped island is approximately 240 miles long and 90 miles across at the widest point. Of Taiwan's 14,000 square miles of land, 28 per cent comprises jade-green, terraced rice fields on the western slopes and coastal plains. The fertile fields and rapidly developing towns of this area are well known and have become more accessible by the newly paved highway from Taipei to Kaohsiung (398 kilometres) and airline flights to all corners of the island as well as train and bus services. The total population of Taiwan is approximately 9,500,000, two-thirds of which are natives.



Mrs. Dr. C. T. Wang (HK) being greeted by Governor C. K. Yen of Taiwan upon entering the Government Guest House for a cocktail party given by the Governor in honour of all Rotarians and Rotary-Women. Mrs. Dr. C. T. Wang is seen behind her husband.

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## WE THANK YOU!

On behalf of the 14 fellow members and three Rotary-Annes, Rtn. Henry Chang, Hon. Secretary of the Inter-City Delegation from the Hong Kong Area, wishes to register deep appreciation and thanks through the medium of *Tung Feng* to the Governor of Taiwan, Mr. C. K. Yen, Mayor Y. H. Kao of Taipei, and all Rotarians and Rotary-Annes throughout Taiwan for their hospitality which the Hong Kong delegates had enjoyed during their brief stay in and visits to various key cities in Taiwan.

Over half of Taiwan, however, is mountainous, undeveloped, inaccessible except by foot, and inhabited by the peoples of the six aboriginal tribes who live in scattered villages along the two parallel mountain ranges that run from north to south. This part of the island with its magnificent scenery, forests of cryptomeria, hemlock, and spruce at the higher elevations and dense tropical jungles of bamboo, giant trees, ferns, vines and orchids in the foothills, is little known to any but the hardy explorers. The scenery of the mountain areas can be seen by the traveler at such beauty spots as the Sun-Moon Lake, the hot springs at Chippon Onsen near Taichung, the hot spring village of Peitou near Taipei, and along the spectacular East Coast Road carved out of the cliff from Suao to Hualien. But for the most part, the interior of the island is little known.

### Inter-City Forum Resolution

Drafted by a three-man special committee (Rtns. Sam Anuman Rajadhon, Jerry O'Donnell and Henry Chang), the following is the text of the resolution unanimously adopted at the 1954/55 Inter-City Forum held in Taipei on April 8-9. It will be submitted through Administrative Adviser Charlie T. F. Wei with a covering letter to Rotary International for consideration that our area be re-awarded the District status:—

Whereas it is the understanding of this assembly for the 1954/55 Inter-City Forum now meeting in Taipei that a minimum of 15 Clubs in any one area is required to qualify for District status.

Whereas the Clubs in the Taiwan-Hong Kong-Kowloon-Macao area now totals 13 with two other Clubs in Taiwan (I-Lan and Taichung) in the process of applying for admission. In anticipation of their being chartered before the 1954/55 Rotary International Convention, this area will soon have a total of 15 Clubs.

In order to further stimulating the growth of Rotary in this area, the assembly resolves that an application be submitted to Rotary International through the Administrative Adviser for consideration that the area referred to above be re-districted.

In support of this application the following data is submitted for consideration:

1. The total population of this area is in excess of 12,700,000 with continued industrial growth in the main cities.

2. The 13 chartered Clubs with their respective strength of membership are:

TAIWAN		
Club	Charter Date	Membersh <sup>ip</sup>
Taipei	Oct. 9, 1948	103
Keelung	Dec. 10, 1953	35
Tainan	Jan. 11, 1954	65
Kaohsiung	July 30, 1954	24
Hsiuehu	Dec. 14, 1954	24
Pingtung	Feb. 26, 1955	30
Chiayi	March 28, 1955	34
Taipei West	April 5, 1955	50
HONG KONG		
Hong Kong	Feb. 20, 1931	118
HK Island East	Apr. 6, 1954	29
HK Island West	Apr. 12, 1954	31
KOWLOON		
Kowloon	June 29, 1948	56
MACAO		
Macao	June 16, 1947	25
Total membership		624

3. The two Clubs which have been organized and which are awaiting Charter are:

TAIWAN		
Club	Organization Date	Membership
I-Lan	Feb. 9, 1955	23
Taichung	Mar. 19, 1955	30

### New Taipei Officers

The Rotary Club of Taipei at its annual meeting last week elected the following Rotarians to serve as Officers for the 1955/56 Rotary Year:

President	"Sam" Somchai Anuman Rajadhon
1st Vice-President	James M. Lee
2nd Vice-President	George Y. L. Wu
Hon. Secretary	Johann Young
Hon. Treasurer	"Oily" T. S. Pai
Directors	Sammy S. F. Chang, Richard T. Ewing, Bernard E. Bolton, Wego Chiang, Calvin Chang, Peter B. T. Chang and E. T. Tsu (ex officio)

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# John Yuen Explains Club Service At Forum

President John Yuen of our Club, who was the first one called upon to speak on Rotary service at the Inter-City Forum, delivered a very comprehensive talk on CLUB SERVICE, touching upon the duties of various committees, how to operate Club Service and the important functions of Club Service.

AT THE END OF HIS TALK, PRESIDENT JOHN, IN ANSWERING A QUESTION PUT UP BY RTN. TOMMY SHEN (TAIPEI), SAID THAT THE DUTIES OF SERGEANT-AT-ARMS WERE ALSO WITHIN THE SCOPE OF CLUB SERVICE.

In reply to a query by Rtn. Gunsun Goh (Hsinchu), Administrative Adviser Charlie T. F. Wei said that it was quite in order for Clubs to open any suitable Classifications which were not covered in the Rotary International Classifications Listing Booklet.

The following is the text of President John's speech:

## WHAT IS CLUB SERVICE?

Club Service includes all those things that a Rotarian does to make the wheel of his own club turn around smoothly and efficiently. A Rotarian can serve his club by attending his club's weekly meetings, participating in its fellowship, taking part in its programmes, welcoming new members, serving on committees, serving as an officer, paying his dues, visiting and speaking at other Rotary Clubs, attending intercity forums, district conferences or R. I. conventions and representing his club to organize new clubs. In this work of club extension, your clubs in Taiwan under the splendid guidance of Administrative Adviser Charlie, have done wonderfully well, for which you deserve our highest citation.

## WHAT IS THE IMPORTANT FUNCTION OF CLUB SERVICE?

Of the four avenues of Rotary Service, Club Service is the foundation on which the other three, vocational, community and international are built. These three cannot function effectively unless every member loyally serves in the activities of his own club. In other words, Club Service functions inside a club while other services operate outside. We cannot expect to do good work outside unless internally we are well administered.

## HOW TO OPERATE CLUB SERVICE?

In order to present members with a well-balanced Rotary programme and to accomplish the ideals of service, certain specific committees are required. Among these you will usually

find committees on classifications, membership, attendance, programme, bulletin, fellowship, public information, Rotary information, and magazine. In larger clubs, other special committees may be added, such as a food committee to take care of meal service and a music committee to look after community singing. In smaller clubs there may be a one-man committee for each of the above club service activities.

For successful operation, it requires a coordinating agency to supervise these activities. Under the club aims and objects committee plan, such agency is provided in the Club Service committee consisting of the chairmen of all committees of internal organisation. In many of our clubs, the vice president of the club is usually appointed to be chairman of the Club Service committee.

## WHAT ARE THE WORK AND DUTY OF VARIOUS COMMITTEES?

### Classifications:

Whereas a Rotary Club membership should be representative of every recognized business or professional or institutional activity in the community and classifications provide the basic qualifications on which a person is entitled to become a Rotarian, the work and the duty of the classifications committee are vital and exacting. The Rotary classifications are not arbitrary designations which can be changed or arranged to suit any condition or individual. They represent a true cross-section of the business, professional and institutional life of the community.



This committee should make a classifications survey of the community from time to time and compile from the survey an up-to-date list of filled and unfilled classifications, using the "outlines of classifications" as a guide. The list should be revised whenever changes are necessary. This roster of filled classifications and especially the unfilled ones should be reported in the club bulletin periodically, so that members can be encouraged to propose new members to fill the vacant classifications. A roster of members with proper classifications or an independent roster of classifications can be printed by each club as is being done by the Rotary Club of Hongkong.

It is the duty of this committee that every candidate obtains correct classifications and each existing member possesses the correct classifications. I know some members of older clubs still retain incorrect classifications, which should be rectified without delay. There appears other weaknesses in having a good classifications list without inviting new members to fill the unfilled classifications or in finding new members under new minors of certain major classifications which are already fully occupied. It should be stressed that the maximum

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membership under one major, even of different minor classifications, should not exceed 10% of the total membership of the club. In other words, if a club has a total of 50 members, you cannot have more than three members under the same major classifications, for instance of finance even of different minors, industrial, commercial, or agricultural, banking.

The function of this committee is quite distinct from that of the membership committee. It is concerned only with the eligibility of a proposed member from the stand point of classifications while the latter stresses the eligibility of a proposed member from the personal side.

#### Membership:

It is one of the most important assignments which brings either failure or success to the club. Whereas its functions are to consider all proposals for membership from the personal side by thoroughly investigating character, business and social standings of the candidate, this committee should be absolutely impartial in making their decisions.

Apart from investigating character, business and social standings, the committee should as far as possible find out whether the candidate has an active interest in Rotary, whether he is willing to attend all weekly meetings, whether he knows the object of Rotary and whether he is prepared to sacrifice some of his spare time to cooperate in carrying out Rotary Service.

It is desirable to invite a candidate to attend a few meetings and to get him acquainted with our members and sound his opinion as to his interest in the Rotary movement before we propose him for membership. His proposal should be made first without his knowledge, in order to avoid any embarrassment in the event of his proposal being rejected.

Every effort should be made by clubs to get younger men as members, particularly by taking advantage of the provision for additional active members or urging the old qualified members to become senior active and leave their classifications available for younger men. I am glad the movement of calling for Senior Active membership has been the subject of an appeal by R. J.

It should be clearly understood that in Rotary we invite candidates to join our clubs and that we do not accept members at their request. We should be cautious in admitting new members. We prefer to see the growth of a club rely more on quality than on quantity.

#### Attendance:

Attendance is not only an obligation

of every Rotarian, but it also provides for an education in Rotary. Members should be warned that absence from four consecutive weekly meetings or an annual attendance percentage of less than 60% shall automatically terminate his membership, unless he is excused by the board of directors for good and sufficient reasons. Apart from attending his own club meetings, he should be encouraged to attend intercity forums or make up attendance at other Rotary Clubs.

It is the duty of this committee to come at least half an hour earlier before the regular meeting to take care of attendance of members, and guests. In case a club's attendance is on the decline, this committee should find out the causes and make necessary remedies.

In the interest of attendance, it is important to choose a good and convenient site as a meeting place with comfortable environment, good meals and efficient service. There are many attendance inducements. For instance, a special honour is paid through the presentation of a silk ribbon or a pin for 100 percent annual attendance. Attendance can also be promoted, if the attendance committee will assign members with the lowest attendance records to serve on this committee.

#### Programme:

Since good attendance depends largely on good programmes, it is important to have an efficient programme committee of members of different nationalities who can cover a wider range of speakers. Apart from inviting local and outport speakers, our own members should be invited to speak on vocational subjects once a month. It is necessary to see that the programmes are well balanced in all phases of Rotary service.

Every effort should be given to plan the club programmes in advance at least a month. The programme schedules should be announced at the meeting or reported prominently in the Club Bulletin. There should be available one or two "emergency" programmes in the event the speaker fails to appear at the last minute. To fill the gap, we often in Hongkong secure movie films from local airlines and other manufacturers.

For a change, it is desirable to arrange a fellowship meeting without a speaker for free discussions on various subjects relating to Rotary in general and to club administration in particular.

#### Club Bulletin:

A good club bulletin can positively promote attendance and fellowship. It can earn favourable recognition from neighbouring clubs. However,

it is difficult to find a good chairman versed both in editing and printing. Our club of Hongkong Island East takes pride in putting out a good weekly bulletin entitled "Tung Fung" under the able chairmanship of Rtn. Henry Chang who occupies his vocation of a publisher and a printer. A copy of our special Forum Issue which is presented to each participant here will speak for itself. Although there are many other points that can be mentioned, I will leave them to other speakers who will address you further on the subject of publication.

#### Fellowship:

Fellowship is the motivating force of Rotary, without it, a club is an empty, lifeless structure. Out of this fellowship comes the ideal of Rotary service. To develop this fellowship, members must be first become acquainted with each other. All new members should be welcomed and assimilated into the fellowship of the club. It is desirable to assign some of the new members in the fellowship committee for actual training.

There are many fellowship practices carried out successfully in many clubs. Visiting Rotarians and non-Rotarian guests are welcomed upon arrival with special badges and they are presented with a copy of the club bulletin or other publications. All guests both Rotarians and non-Rotarians should be greeted and made to feel at home. Be particularly hospitable to non-Rotarian guests. Cordial attention should be given in introducing visiting Rotarians and guests. As far as possible the visiting Rotarians should be invited to sit at the head table.

It has been a general observation that where luncheon badges for Rotarians and guests are used, they appear a closer fellowship.

Personally, I feel the first-name custom enriches fellowship. It is gratifying that Hongkong Club has overcome their traditional prejudice against the use of members' nick names and are now addressing each other by their popular names.

I am strongly in favour of having community singing at meetings before meals are served. It creates good fellowship and gives every member a chance to take part in the programme thereby contributing to the success of every meeting.

Club publications also can help fellowship promotion. Pictures of new members, speakers and other club events should be reproduced in the club bulletin to arouse member's interest. Recognition of good deeds done by members, birthday greeting, condolences for the ill and bereaved should be given. All clubs in Hongkong congratulate members on their

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In the absence of Mr. Marsh, I remained in T after attending Vice-President's last weekly meeting on April 13. Coming the next week, Mr. Fung, an ex-Malaya on business development.

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## At Rotary Last Week

In the absence of President John Yuen who remained in Taiwan with three other members after attending the Inter-City Forum in Taipei, Vice-President K. C. Goh again presided at the last weekly meeting of our Club at Wimmer House on April 13. He opened the meeting by welcoming the return to Hong Kong of Rtn. Joseph Fung, an ex-Director of our Club, who left for Malaya on July 2, 1954, to look after his business development in Kuala Lumpur.

Led by Sergeant-at-Arms Ben Lee, members present congratulated Rtn. K. T. Wang on the occasion of his birthday anniversary, after which Rtn. Marsh Stayner delivered a short but interesting talk on "The Story of a Book".

Hon. Secretary Pat Cha appealed to members to give their fullest support to the Island West Club, which has decided to hold its maiden Charity Ball at The Ritz on Friday, June 10, 1955, in aid of its first community service project—a vocational training centre for under-privileged women and children.

Members may give their support to our twin

birthdays by sending a greeting card signed by the president before the meeting and by singing "Happy birthday to you" at the meeting together with a candle-decorated birthday cake presented by the sergeant-at-arms. Honouring grandfathers is also practiced by Clubs in Hongkong and Kowloon.

There are other social functions that promote friendly acquaintance, as Ladies Day or Ladies Night, charity balls, picnics and home parties.

### Public Information:

Favourable publicity is an effective factor in the growth of the Rotary movement as well as in the success of the individual club in its community. This year our golden anniversary celebration promoted a considerably better understanding of the Rotary programme among the public.

Rotary signs carrying a club's name, place and time of weekly meetings should be installed in airdromes, wharfs, leading hotels and restaurants to help outport Rotarians to attend meetings.

In case of a special programme being arranged too late for a press announcement, an urgent flash can be broadcast over the Radio. For instance, last month Hongkong club achieved a record attendance to hear the talk by the noted British reporter Mr. William Courtenay, on "Report

on Formosa", when the news was urgently broadcast on the same morning of the meeting.

### Rotary Information:

It is the duty of this committee to inform every member, especially new members, Rotary's history, objectives, scopes, and accomplishments. This information should be repeated in the club's programme, in order to give the members a more adequate understanding of the privileges and obligations. Premembership information to candidates is very necessary and should be well stressed.

### Magazine:

The magazine committee usually takes care of The Rotarian subscription. In some clubs the subscription is compulsory while in others, it is voluntary. In order to gain a more comprehensive knowledge of world-wide Rotary, "The Rotarian" is a good publication to read. Last year the Hong Kong Standard, an English daily in Hongkong, twice quoted articles from The Rotarian for their editorials.

### THE WEAKNESS IN THE WORK OF COMMITTEES

Before concluding, I wish to say few words on the principal three weaknesses of club service.

First, it happens in some club that the handling of club funds is not done

Club by taking advertising space in the Westary Ball Programme at \$100 for one-page or \$60 for a half-page, by donating a prize and/or by attending the Ball. It may be recalled that members of the Island West Club gave us 100% support when we held our first Charity Ball last November and every member of our Club is, therefore, urged to do his level best to reciprocate.

## Attendance

The only visiting Rotarian at our last regular luncheon meeting at Wimmer House on April 13 was Rtn. Jack Aspinall of the Singapore Club, and the only guest present was Mr. G. S. Stokes who was invited to the meeting by Rtn. Y. F. Chen.

Of the 28 members, 19 participated in the meeting, representing 67.85% as follows:

Members present	19
" on leave	6
" absence excused	3
Total	28

in a business-like way. As a Rotary club is composed of businessmen, a club budget should be planned early and accounts should be kept up-to-date in good order and annually audited. In this respect the Hon. Treasurers of some younger clubs have a lot to learn yet.

Secondly, the club service committee in general seldom functions and sub-committees, after appointment, also do not function constantly. Either the chairman does not find time to convene meetings or meetings are called without concrete result.

Thirdly, the chairman does not plan the work of the committee to get its members interested by giving them a share in the job. Sometimes when he bears the burden himself without his members' support, the result is unsatisfactory. These deficiencies may be caused by the fact that the committee members often lack time and spirit. However, this lack of time is a poor excuse, because Rotarians are all busy men. As Rotarians are pledged to be always active in club activities, indifference is also a disqualification. In conclusion, I wish to state that to be a Rotarian is a privilege but it also carries with it corresponding obligations.

(Tung Feng hopes to publish in its next two editions the discussions on the six other subjects taken up at the Forum.—Ed.)

## Some Suggestions

Dear Editor,

In order that this Club may continue to grow in all directions, timely suggestions and constructive criticisms from members are essential. In this light, I venture to put forward my views here below for consideration by our Board of Directors and putting into effect if adopted:

### 1. *Weekly Bulletin.*

No doubt every member of this Club without exception takes great pride in our fine Weekly Bulletin which is also enthusiastically commented upon by our fellow Clubs. In this connection, we must take our hats off to Rtn. Henry who, with his devotion and typical "Service above Self" spirit has been responsible for its success. However, I do feel strongly that we, the rest of us, by not contributing to our utmost ability, are imposing too much on his good nature, as it is known to every one what long hours Henry has to give to his private concerns every day, without this extra burden. After all, it is the duty of every one of us to do what he can in order that this "precious baby" of ours may continue to thrive.

I, therefore, suggest that hereafter each member should be required by rotation (order to be determined by drawing lots) to contribute an article each week expressing his views on Rotary or any other subjects which he or fellow members may be interested in. As to those who will not or cannot do his share, I am sure our capable Sergeant-at-Arms will know how to deal with them.

### 2. *Weekly Meetings.*

To add extra flavour to regular meetings, it is suggested that the Programme Committee should utilize the 20 minutes (say from 1.00-1.20 whilst members are consuming food) to propose something to enliven the gathering. For instance, select a dozen or two subjects on various matters against each of which draw a member is to speak three minutes without preparation. This would not only give some members a chance to practice public speaking, but will also prove to be a source of income to our "Community Chest" should any member chooses to take the easier way out.

### 3. *To increase Members.*

Although we agree that new blood is needed, we must not lose sight of the importance in "quality above quantity". We want new members who are genuinely interested in Rotary, and always ready to render "service" to the Club or community at large. The more we have members of this calibre, the healthier our club functions will develop. We do not want anyone, no matter how important his social position may be, who only looks upon this Club as a luncheon club.

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

Mr. A. W. Fishy, who is due to arrive in the Colony on Tuesday will address the meeting on a subject to be announced later. If he does not arrive in time it will be a Fellowship meeting.

### KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Rev. A. E. Barton  
*Subject:* Sudan

### ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. To Wing-hang  
*Subject:* Report on Inter-City Forum

Bearing the above in mind, we may then proceed to nominate new members for consideration. Subject to the approval of our Board let us put by one meeting in the near future as "Membership Campaigning Week" in the course of which, each and every member is required to introduce at least one eligible candidate for membership. It is to be understood that the admittance of any candidate must be very strict, subject to very close scrutiny by various relative committees.

### 4. *International Service.*

No traveller will fail to appreciate whatever little kindness he receives in the way of hospitality in a foreign land. Have we done what we can for our visiting Rotarians who come from abroad? It would be so easy for any one of us to take a little trouble to extend what little assistance one can, such as showing them round the scenic spots of this Colony; furnishing any information the visitors may wish to have, etc. These little tokens of good would do much to lift the spirit of a travelling Rotarian.

To put this suggestion into practice, the Chairman of the International Service Committee should be asked to select, or better still to call for volunteers, about 10 or 12 members, and rotate each of them every Wednesday afternoon after our regular meetings, to perform such duty to one from among the visiting Rotarians. I do sincerely believe no Rotarian will decline such a job, if he is a true Rotarian indeed.

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## HONG KONG ROTARIANS URGED TO RECIPROCATE

**C**ITING good examples of enthusiasm, good spirit and friendly hospitality displayed by fellow Rotarians in Taiwan in conducting the recent Inter-City Forum and in looking after the Hong Kong delegates, Rtn. Bill Nichol, Chairman of our Membership Committee, called upon all Rotarians in the Hong Kong area to prepare to reciprocate when Taiwan delegates come to attend next year's Forum in Hong Kong.

Rotarian Bill made this call at our last regular luncheon meeting at Winter House on April 20, when he and Rtn. Henry Chang reported on the Inter-City Forum which they had attended with the 12 other delegates from our area.

Being the reporter of *Tung Feng*, Henry said, it was naturally his duty to "cover" the Forum as it was of interest not only to our members but also to other fellow Rotarians in Hong Kong. He said he had, therefore, published a number of articles on the Forum in the previous two issues of our Bulletin and, as a result, he had very little to add.

He, however, spoke briefly on some other points about the Forum. He told members of the arrangements for registration and seating accommodation at the Forum. Henry was of the

opinion that the Forum at Taipei was more successful when compared with the previous one held at the American Club in Hong Kong last year.

Expressing his impressions, Rtn. Bill said that the Forum was very ably arranged and conducted by Administrative Adviser Charles and members of the two host Clubs (Taipei and Taipei West). The whole convention was a complete success from beginning to end.

Describing the events at the Forum and at other functions in Taipei as well as the visits made by some delegates to other cities in Taiwan, Bill said that Taiwan Rotarians were very considerate and hospitable, making the visitors feel at home and very welcomed. The moment when the Hong Kong delegates alighted from the plane, he said, they received VIP treatment from the officials and fellow Rotarians in Taiwan.

Wherever they went, Bill added, the delegates were treated most courteous not only by officials and fellow Rotarians but also by the general public. He said he was quite certain that the visitors from Hong Kong would not have enjoyed so many things if Taiwan Rotarians had not demonstrated their "Service Above Self" motto.

Next Meeting: April 27.  
Speaker: Professor E. S. Kirby, Professor of Economics, Hong Kong University, who recently visited Taiwan.  
Subject: Impressions of Taiwan.

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## NEW MACAO OFFICERS

The Rotary Club of Macao at its meeting on April 22 elected the following Rotarians to serve as officers of the Club for the 1955/56 Rotary Year:

<i>President</i>	P. T. Lee
<i>Vice-President</i>	C. L. da Silva
<i>Hon. Secretary</i>	L. G. Gomes
<i>Hon. Treasurer</i>	G. V. da Silva
<i>Asst. Hon. Treasurer</i>	Sidney Chai

In conclusion, Rtn. Bill urged all fellow members in Hong Kong to display the same spirit and hospitality as that of the Taiwan Rotarians when the latter come to attend next year's Inter-City Forum here.

Rtn. Gin D. Su (HK) who was present at our last meeting also made a brief talk, touching on some of the out-of-the-Forum enjoyment which some of the Hong Kong delegates had experienced during their stay in Taiwan.

The meeting was adjourned by President John Yuen with a Toast to Rotary International and the Rotary Club of Kittanning, Pennsylvania, U.S.A.

The success of the Forum and the wonderful hospitality of Taiwan Rotarians were also recorded at the regular meetings of the Hong Kong and Island West Clubs last week, when several of their members who had attended the Forum made brief reports to their Clubs.

Rtns. Jerry O'Donnell and Gin Su, President-elect and Vice President-elect, respectively, and our President John Yuen were the speakers at the Hong Kong Club meeting, while Rtn. Henry To Wing-hang addressed the Island West Club meeting.

Of the regular meetings of the four Clubs here last week, the Kowloon Club was the only one which featured a guest speaker. He was Mr. A. E. Barton, who gave a talk on the customs of the people of the Sudan.

Mr. Barton said that there were 240 tribes, each speaking a different language, not dialect, in Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, just South of Egypt. The numbers in the various tribes ranged from 5,000 to 7,000 people, and it took one tribesman four years to learn another tribesman's language.

The physique of the people of the various tribes varied considerably—those on the Nile had an average height of 6 feet 6 inches and were very thin while another tribe living inland had an average height of 5 feet 6 inches and were very light in weight.

The reason for the difference in physique was due mostly to the varying moral tribal life of each tribe.

Speaking about the tribe with which he had stayed, Mr. Barton said that they lived on a vegetarian diet and the only time they ate meat was at a funeral. There was no sugar in their diet either.

Their homes consisted of a cluster of five huts in a circle with a courtyard in the middle. Each hut was used for a particular purpose just like the rooms of a flat in a Western home.

When the chief of a tribe had more than one wife, his other wives did not live with him and his first wife in his own cluster of five huts, but in separate clusters of five huts a few miles from the husband. Although his other wives' clusters of huts were put up by the husband they belonged to the wife.

The whole system was matriarchal and not patriarchal, as it was not the chief's son who became the next chief but his sister's son.

The main sport of the tribe he was living with was wrestling, which the men indulged in when they were boys of six until they reached the age of 23 years.

It was only at the age of 23 years that the men of the tribe could get married as before this age they might be injured in a wrestling bout and therefore be incapable of looking after a family.

Their wealth was not measured in money but in the number of spears they possessed and the number of heads of livestock they owned.

## Attendance

Of the 28 members, 21 participated in our last weekly meeting at Winner House on April 20, representing 75% as follows:

Members present	21
" on leave	3
" absence excused	4
Total	28

## VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. G. D. Dallari	Kowloon
" Alim P. Jagtiani	Hong Kong
" P. Y. Koo	"
" Gin D. Su	"
" M. N. Master	"
" H. C. Fung	Island West
" Henry To Wing-hang	"

## VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. W. Dayaram	Rtn. Alim P. Jagtiani
" G. S. Stokes	" S. L. Yuen
" C. S. Chiu	" Hsi Yu-I
" Richard Vengobbi	" Jimmy Wu
" Y. B. Kiang	" John Yuen

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# Inter-City Forum Discussions

## Henry & James On Publication

A suggestion that in addition to the individual club's bulletins, there should be a monthly or a quarterly bulletin for the Taiwan area and the Hongkong-Macao region, or one embracing the whole district, was put forward by Rtn. Henry Chang, Editor of Island East Club's Weekly bulletin, **Tung Feng**, in the course of his speech on PUBLICATION at the recent Inter-City Forum held in Taipei.

In advancing this suggestion, Rtn. Henry believed that this move, if adopted and materialised, would make the Rotary movement in this region a much stronger and efficient body and would undoubtedly create a firm and closer fellowship among the Rotarians of Free China, Macao and Hong Kong.

Touching on the usefulness of the world wide known Rotary magazine, THE ROTARIAN, Rtn. Henry commented that he personally regretted that most of the articles in THE ROTARIAN were confined to activities of Clubs in the United States. Should the magazine broaden its coverage to every corner of the Rotary world, say, China and the Far East and other areas, the speaker said that he was quite sure it would prove more interesting to readers the world over and would become a truly international publication.

Replying to a query by Rtn. Jerry O'Donnell (HK), Rtn. Henry said what he meant was to introduce a joint publication either monthly or quarterly for the whole area without eliminating the existing weekly bulletins of the individual Clubs, though it could also be considered by various Clubs to do away with their own bulletins once a joint publication for the area was published.

President E. T. Tsu of the Taipei Club said that he disagreed with Rtn. Henry's views that the individual bulletins of various Clubs might be eliminated but he concurred in the speaker's suggestion that a joint publication for the whole district would serve more useful purpose. In this connection, he said that his office, the United States Information Agency, would be willing to help produce the joint publication for the Clubs in Taiwan.

Rtn. Gin Su (HK) suggested

that the individual Clubs should continue maintaining their respective bulletins but that the incoming Administrative Adviser be asked to look after the joint efforts through the publication of a monthly NEWSLETTER for the whole area.

In connection with Rtn. Gin's suggestion for a NEWSLETTER, President E. T. Tsu recommended that it should be bi-lingual, namely in Chinese and English, for a great number of Rotarians in Taiwan do not read English.

To enrich the Rotary knowledge of all members, Rtn. P. Y. Koo (HK) recommended that each Club have a small library from which members could regularly refer to all Rotary publications.

Supplementing Rtn. Henry's talk, Rtn. James M. Lee, Editor of the Taipei Club's *Typhoon*, who was the joint speaker on PUBLICATION at the Forum,

### Forum's First Day Discussions

Having reported on the discussion of Club Service led by President John Yuen in its previous issue, *Tung Feng* publishes in its current edition the discussions on the other four subjects of Rotary service taken up during the afternoon session of the first day assembly of the Inter-City Forum at Taipei on April 8.

The four subjects in their order are Publication led jointly by Rtns. Henry Chang (HK Island East) and James M. Lee (Taipei), Vocational Service by Rtn. George A. Fitch (Taipei), Rotary Foundation Fellowship by Rtn. Robert S. Hoole (Taipei), and Rotary Extension by President E. T. Tsu (Taipei).

The remaining two discussions on Community Service by Rtn. Gin D. Su (HK) and on International Service by Rtn. C. T. Wang (HK), which were dealt with at the second day assembly (April 9) of the Forum, will be published in the next number of *Tung Feng*.

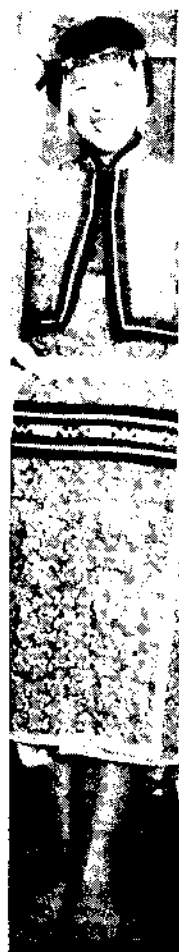
said that little was required or could be added to Henry's speech.

Through his experience in editing the *Typhoon*, Rtn. James said that the purpose of a club bulletin was three-fold in that it (a) informs the members of the activities of other fellow members and of the Club through interesting and newsy articles, (b) conveys to the members the activities which have been or were being carried out by other Clubs, and (c) conveys to the members any new activities or proposals of Rotary International.

To make a club bulletin interesting, Rtn. James urged every member to think of himself as an associate editor and to pass on any worthy information to the editor so that the bulletin could contain a variety of news items of interest to all other members.

In summarising the discussions, Administrative Adviser Charlie T. F. Wei highly praised the editors of *Tung Feng* and *Typhoon* in putting out good bulletins, and concurred in Rtn. Henry's suggestion that a joint publication for the whole district be considered in the future.

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The four delegates of our Club (Rtns. John Yuen, Henry Chang, Bill Nichol and "Dragon" Y. L. Nie) joined by Rtn. Alfred Ho (HK) and his Rotary-Anne, Ceilin, visited seven cities in Taiwan in three days immediately after the conclusion of the Inter-City Forum in Taipei on April 10. Pictures show (left) Rtn. Ceilin in costume of Kaoshan Tribe Princess; (upper left) in front of Chiayi Hostel; (upper centre) with the so-called Princesses of the Kaoshan Tribes; (upper

## Delegates Visit T



(right) in front of the Keelung H. President Rex Hsu, Vice-President I. Secretary Bill Sung and President (Lower left) in front of Taichung C. with Taichung Rtn. T. T. Chang; front of Kaohsiung Auditorium with Leslie Peng; and (lower right) in Power Co. with Hsinchu Club's Vi Chang.



# Delegates Visit Taiwan Cities



(right) in front of the Keelung Harbour Office with resident Rex Hsu, Vice-President L. B. Bausum, Hon. Secretary Bill Sung and President elect H. U. Hsi; (lower left) in front of Taichung Communication Hotel with Taichung Riv. T. T. Chang; (lower centre) in front of Kaohsiung Auditorium with Kaohsiung Riv. Leslie Peng; and (lower right) in front of Hsinchu Power Co. with Hsinchu Club's Vice-President Y. K. Chang.



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## E. T. Tsu On Rotary Extension

The text of Rtn. Henry's speech is as follows:—

You all know that publication is one of the important avenues of Rotary service. For through publication, Rotary Clubs throughout the world are linked to each other and thus firmly bound together in one world-wide body. Being business and professional men, no doubt you are fully aware of the value of publication in your respective fields of activity. Most big and enterprising business firms and industries have their house publications which aim at promoting sales, explaining the use of their products or services, and raising the prestige of their products.

In the same way, Rotary also have various publications to publicise the Rotary movement among Rotarians in particular and among the public in general. Therefore, publication strengthens the Rotary movement internally and makes it widely known and appreciated externally.

Now let me start at the top. First we have Rotary International's main publication called THE ROTARIAN with its Spanish language edition called REVISTA ROTARIA, and a number of other specialised books, such as ADVENTURE IN SERVICE which sets out the story of Rotary, its origin, its growth and its influence.

The birth of THE ROTARIAN magazine coincided with the organisation of the first Rotary Clubs in Great Britain and Ireland in 1911. It was then called THE NATIONAL ROTARIAN, the first issue being edited by Chesley R. Perry. A year later in 1912, the name was changed to THE ROTARIAN, and, in 1933, the Board of Directors of Rotary International approved the publication of the REVISTA ROTARIA, the Spanish edition of THE ROTARIAN.

Both these international publications of Rotary are devoted to disseminating Rotary news from different parts of the world where the Rotary movement is established. The publications also interpret and give background information on Rotary's programme through articles of topical interest to Rotarians the world over, in addition to authoritative features by world leaders.

Now, here is something that will perhaps amaze you. According to statistics, THE ROTARIAN magazine which started out with only 5,000

Discussing Rotary Extension, President E. T. Tsu of the Taipei Club, who was responsible for the promotion of the number of new Clubs in Taiwan this year, said that it was not difficult to tackle extension work so long as Rotarians were unselfish and willing to share the happiness of Rotary work with others.

In his opinion, he said, every Club should try to promote another Club if its area could stand another one. According to the number of Clubs in the Hong Kong area in relation to its total population, Rtn. E. T. said that Taiwan with a population of 9,500,000 people should have 16 Clubs instead of the existing 10.

Highly commending Rtn. E. T.'s energetic work in organising new Clubs in Taiwan, A.A. Charlie recalled his appeal to the Kowloon Club and Macao Club for giving up part of their territory to organise a Cantonese-speaking Club each in their respective areas. A.A. Charlie said that Rotarians of the Kowloon and Macao Clubs could also promote a Club each if they set their mind on the extension programme.

copies today makes about 100 million reader and radio-listener contacts every year. These contacts include of course Rotarians and non-Rotarians who read Rotary articles through reprints in newspapers and other non-Rotary publications.

The circulation of THE ROTARIAN today is 315,000 copies a month; that of the REVISTA ROTARIA is 34,500 copies, making a total of nearly 350,000 copies. Therefore in one year, a total of roughly 4,200,000 copies of both publications are circulated all over the world.

A recent survey showed that 2½ times that many people in fact read every copy. Add to this 16 million copies of the READER'S DIGEST which reprints articles from the two Rotary publications. Then add again the readership of each Digest magazine which is anywhere from one to 10, and the newspapers, the news services, and the radio stations. All this add up to 100 million contacts a year which THE ROTARIAN and the REVISTA ROTARIA make each year, and demonstrates the world-wide influence of our two main publications.

The only thing I personally regret is that most of articles in THE ROTARIAN are confined to activities of Clubs in the United States. Should the magazine broaden its

Rtn. C. T. Wang said that there were two directions—externally and internally—in Rotary extension work. In his opinion, he said, the internal extension was more important than the extension externally. The "Father" of the Rotary movement in China said he would, therefore, suggest that Clubs first extend internally so that they could be stronger and able to extend externally.

coverage to every corner of the Rotary world, say, China and the Far East and other areas, I am quite sure it will prove more interesting to readers the world over and will become a truly international publication.

Now for the other publications. The latest is ROTARY, FIFTY YEARS OF SERVICE. This publication has been issued to commemorate Rotary's Golden Anniversary which today is also being celebrated here, as it has been during Feb. and March in Hong Kong and Macao.

There is also a Clippingsheet issued weekly from which informative and educative information can be taken and reprinted in the bulletins of individual Rotary Clubs. In addition there are other publications which help Rotarians to know more about Rotary and help club officers to conduct the affairs of the club in the proper manner. These are BRIEF FACTS ABOUT ROTARY, GETTING ACQUAINTED WITH ROTARY, ROTARY SONG BOOKS, OFFICIAL DIRECTORY, MANUAL OF PROCEDURE of an administrative nature, and the annual CONVENTION PROCEEDINGS, and SERVICE IS MY BUSINESS.

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## George Fitch On Vocational Service

Leading the discussion at the Forum on Vocational Service, Rtn. George A. Fitch (Taipei) said that he considered it a very important subject and the most challenging one among the four major avenues of Rotary service which most Clubs have neglected.

Being a Rotarian for 36 years, Rtn. George said that he did not know there was active practice of such a service up to a year ago, when he, though not being a businessman (he is an administrator of YMCA), was asked by President F. T. Tsu to be Chairman of the Taipei Club's Vocational Service Committee.

When he read materials distributed by Rotary International on the subject, he continued, he found it most challenging: the duty of every member was to lead an active practice among the men of his own profession in order to foster high ethical principles and to promote the Four-Way Test originated by R.I. Presi-

dent Herbert J. Taylor.

During the course of his talk, Rtn. George gave an impressive report on the work achieved by his Committee in encouraging members of his Club to promote better understanding and high ethical principles among the men of their respective vocations.

Bulletin is called THE PEAK, the Kowloon Club's is called TOWER, our Club's--Hongkong Island East--is named TUNG FENG and that of the Hongkong Island West is called WESTERY. Hong Kong bulletins are published weekly except TOWER (monthly) and give a fairly comprehensive picture of the week's activities and accomplishments of each individual club. We also have Classification Roster, Membership Roster, a booklet on the Club's Constitution and By-Laws, and we issued a special Golden Anniversary Edition which I think you all have already seen. We have also put out history booklets on Rotary in conjunction with the Golden Anniversary celebration, and are planning to publish illustrated brochures on the various aspects of trade and industry in our area (East) for distributing to overseas Clubs.

Club bulletins play an important part in the life of the worldwide Rotary movement. It creates a closer fellowship and promotes mutual understanding and co-operation among Rotarians. It is also a morale-boosting, and helps to strengthen the organization. It binds us together into one united body and also links us closely with clubs overseas. I think that in addition to the individual club's bulletins, there should be monthly or quarterly bulletins for the Taiwan area and the Hongkong-Macao area, or one embracing the whole district. This I am sure will make the Rotary movement in this region a much stronger and efficient body and will undoubtedly create a firmer and closer fellowship among the Rotarians of Free China, Macao and Hong Kong.

## Text Of Forum's Two Other Resolutions

The following is the text of the other two resolutions unanimously passed at the Inter-City Forum held in Taipei on April 8-9. Both resolutions were proposed by President John Yuen of the Hongkong Island East Club.

*1. Whereas Rotary International has rendered much encouragement in the Rotary extension movement in this area, be it resolved that the delegates assembled at this Inter-City Forum register a vote of appreciation to Rotary International.*

*2. Whereas Administrative Advisor Charlie T. P. Wei has ably helped Rotary work in this area, be it resolved that a vote of gratitude be conveyed to him.*

## Robert Hoole On Foundation Fellowship

Dealing with the Rotary Foundation Fellowship, Rtn. Prof. Robert S. Hoole (Taipei) said that in the present uncertain state of world affairs, it was most important for the Foundation to give Scholarships to youngsters who have completed university education, for one year's advance studies in foreign countries in order to further promote better understanding and good will among the peoples of various nations.

Rtn. Robert who is seconded by Pennsylvania University to the Taiwan Teaching College, said that the success of the Foundation solely depended upon the support of the 400,000 Rotarians the world over and that each District was entitled to select a Fellowship every alternate year.

Supplementing Rtn. Robert's talk, A.A. Charlie gave a detailed picture of the Foundation which has up to date awarded 710 fellowships to young men and women from 57 countries for study in 36 countries at a cost of roughly US\$2,500 each, or US\$1,750,000 for the whole group. Rotarians throughout the world have contributed over US\$3,300,000 to the Rotary Foundation.

Rtn. C. T. Wang (HK) said that to him nothing was more important than to give fellowships to young men and women who would act as "ambassadors" to promote better understanding among the peoples of various countries. He appealed to every Club, especially those newly chartered Clubs in Taiwan, to become 100% contributors toward the Foundation.

Rtn. George A. Fitch (Taipei) suggested that we approach Rotary International for our area to be given

the privilege to send one fellowship and to receive another for study in our territory during the next Rotary year.

Rtn. Tommy Shen (Taipei) stated that the status of 100% contributor could be maintained by any Club once it had paid up fully its US\$10 for each of its members.

Clarifying a question raised by Rtn. Henry Chang (HK Island East), President E. T. Tsu of Taipei said that any non-Districted area could nominate a fellowship every year and every Club could also recommend a fellowship though the acceptance of the nomination was up to Rotary International.

However, Bulletin No. 18, dated March, 1955, of the Rotary Foundation, which has just reached *Tung Feng* from Rotary International, differs from the views expressed by

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## New Membership Proposals

The names, addresses, qualifications and classifications of two candidates are published below for consideration of our members; recommendation for membership by the respective proposers has been approved by the Board's meeting on April 1.

If no objections are filed with the Board within 10 days by any member, the applicants will be considered elected.

1) Mr. Alexander C. S. Shang  
*Business:* China Can Co. (H.K.) Ltd.  
 525 Main Street, Shauikiwan  
*Position:* Secretary  
*Residence:* 6 Kai Yuen Terrace, North Point  
*Major:* Metal Working Industry  
*Minor:* Can Manufacturing  
*Proposer:* ex-Rtn. K. Y. Shang, who is the father of the applicant and whose resignation from membership was accepted by the Board on April 1.

2) Mr. Soo Yu-Dee  
*Business:* Yu Hang Hong  
 4 Broom Road, Happy Valley  
*Position:* Managing Director  
*Residence:* 4 Broom Road, Happy Valley  
*Major:* Tobacco Industry  
*Minor:* Leaf Tobacco Distributing  
*Proposer:* President John Yuen

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President E. T. The relevant part of the Foundation Bulletin is reprinted below for reference:

Each Rotary district in the world is eligible to put forward a candidate for a Rotary Foundation Fellowship every other year. If your district did not receive a Fellowship this year, it will be your turn next. In the Rotary year 1957-58, each club in

an eligible district may sponsor an applicant. From these applicants, the district selecting committee will select one candidate and one alternate for a Fellowship during the academic year 1958-59. The awards will be made by the Rotary Foundation Fellowships and International Student Exchange committee of R.I.

Detailed information and instructions will be sent to the governors and clubs in August, but it is desir-

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

If he arrives in time (Tuesday morning) from Korea, Commissioner T. J. Allan, of the Salvation Army, will address the meeting. The subject of his talk will be announced later.

KOWLOON (Thursday):

Business Meeting.

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. P. C. Clang.

*Subject:* Education in Hong Kong—a vocational talk.

## Rotary House Of Friendship

A residential Club for Rotarians—the first of its kind in the world—was opened on April 19 in London by Rotary International President Herbert J. Taylor, who was in Britain from the United States to attend a Rotary conference.

The club, named the Rotary House of Friendship, will be a "home from home" for Rotarians visiting London from all over the world.

The club is in an 18th century house in Portman Square, in London's West End, and was used until recently as the residence of the Dutch Ambassador in London.



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## PROF. KIRBY ON TAIWAN'S ECONOMIC PROGRESS

**"T**HERE has been marked social stabilisation and economic progress in Taiwan since pre-war days," stated Professor E. Stuart Kirby in a talk on his impressions of Taiwan at the weekly luncheon meeting of our Club at Winner House last Wednesday.

The speaker, who is Professor of Economics, University of Hong Kong, made a brief visit to Taiwan recently with Mr. Szezeapanik and Dr. Ling Nai-jui, both of the Hong Kong University. They had been invited by Dr. Chu Chia-hua on behalf of the Academia Sinica and the Chinese Association for the United Nations.

Prof. Kirby and his colleagues met and conferred with a number of people concerned with economic affairs. They visited the industrial area around Kao-hsiung, and inspected the records of land reform in rural districts.

Professor Kirby said that he thought social rehabilitation and economic progress were most marked in the rural sector of the Taiwan economy. Land reform was one of the most outstanding achievements of the post-war period; alongside similar reforms in Japan and other countries, it had played a basic and decisive part in checking and diverting the tide of Communism in Eastern Asia.

The speaker said he had known Formosa fairly well before the war, when it was Japan's model colony, but added that the life of the country people had distinctly improved in post-war years.

Conditions in the industrial sector were more uncertain, he said. Though there had been excellent work in rehabilitating the heavy war damage, and re-casting techniques and policies to a changed situation, the economy of Taiwan having been developed by the Japanese to suit the needs of their Empire, much of the basic plant was obsolete or still insufficient.

### TOMORROW'S MEETING

A colour travelogue entitled "Wings To France" will be shown through the courtesy of Pan-American World Airways at tomorrow's luncheon meeting of our Club at Winner House.

"There is much dependence on American aid, and the longer-term prospects cannot be clearly distinguished," said the speaker.

It was quite clear, he added, that Communism has no foot-hold internally in Taiwan. There was a contented and independent peasantry, and all classes in the rural districts had been given a real interest in the industrial and commercial progress of the country.

Professor Kirby continued that in urban affairs, there were constant efforts to improve the administration, rehabilitate the economy and ensure technical progress. Among official personnel there was real eagerness, energy and enthusiasm.

## FILM WEEK?

The Programme Committee Chairmen of the four Rotary Clubs in the Colony apparently held a secret conference last week and unanimously decided to launch a "Film Week".

It will be noted that the programmes of this week's regular meetings of the four Clubs will feature the screening of films of different titles.

Professor Kirby disagreed with pronouncements in British newspapers recently, in which it was reported that "Formosa is a misty island where everything is uncertain."

"In all probability," he said, "this represented the journalist's reaction to the fact that military secrets are well guarded in Taiwan—and not even informed circles can clearly read the future in so complex an international situation."

Those able or willing to see the fundamental social and economic factors, he said, could see that in all essentials the Island stood very firm and clear, and no responsible person or official—in the speaker's own experience—was anything but definite and assertive in his statements.

In his view, said Prof. Kirby, the more actual faults might be on the side of over-confidence and a tendency to oversimplify complicated problems in Taiwan.

Business institutions and facilities of a modern type, were largely lacking in Taiwan. In this respect, the speaker said he would like to see wider connections between Taiwan and Hong Kong—which could provide many services and even give "technical assistance" in the development and modernisation of Taiwan's economic life.

The speaker was appropriately thanked by Rtn. Bill Nichol, one of our delegates who attended the recent Inter-City Forum in Taipei.

Earlier at the meeting, President John Yuen exchanged our Club's bannerette with the Penang Club, and Sergeant-at-Arms Ben Lee led members singing "Happy Birthday" to Rtn. Wilson Wang.

The meeting was adjourned by President John with a Toast to Rotary International, coupled with which were the Rotary Clubs of Penang and Taipei.

## Seven Shih Leaves For Australia

Rtn. Seven S. C. Shih, a Director-elect of our Club, left Hong Kong early this morning (Tuesday) by air for Australia on a three-month business holiday trip.

He was the guest of honour at a send-off luncheon party given by members of the Attendance Committee at Winner House last Saturday. The joint hosts were Chairman Y. C. Fogg and Rtns. Fred Tan, S. W. Zao, H. C. Yang and Y. F. Chen, all of the Attendance Committee.

Present at the party as guests were President John Yuen and Rtns. Pat Cha, Ron Bennett and Henry Chang.

## A.A. Charlie Asked To Go To Chicago

Rotarian Charlie T. F. Wei, our Administrative Adviser, has been requested by the Taipei and Taipei West Clubs to attend Rotary International's Golden Anniversary Convention at Chicago in June, and to personally present our case for applying for a District status for our area.

It may be recalled that the recent Inter-City Forum in Taipei unanimously adopted a resolution that Rotary International be requested to re-award the Taiwan-Hongkong-Kowloon-Macao area the District status.

## Attendance

Nineteen of our 28 members attended the last week's regular luncheon meeting at Winner House on April 27, representing 67.85% as follows.

Members present	19
" on leave	4
" absence excused	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>28</b>

We missed Rtns. Jimmy Wu, Hsi Yu-l, Joseph Fung, Seaker Chan and K. C. Goh, whose absence was excused.

## VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Dr. Arthur Woo	Hong Kong
" Jerry O'Donnell	"
" Alim P. Jagtiani	"
" Ong Huck Lim	Penang
" Andrew Loo	Taipei

## VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. L. B. Tang	Rtn. Wilson Wang
" G. S. Stokes	" S. L. Yuen
" Soo Yu Dee	" John Yuen
" W. Dayaram	" Alim P. Jagtiani
" S. T. Yau	" Seven S. C. Shih
" Joseph Liao	"
Prof. E. S. Kirby	Guest Speaker

## CONDOLENCE

Tung Fong wishes to express deep sympathy on behalf of all our members to Rtn. "Horse" S. H. Ma, Director and Chairman of the Fellowship Committee, and to his family on the occasion of the death last Wednesday of his father, the late Mr. Marr Wai-kun.

Representing our Club, President John Yuen paid a tribute to the late Mr. Marr at the funeral which took place at the Roman Catholic Cemetery last Thursday.

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# Inter-City Forum Discussions

## C. T. Wang On International Service

Speaking on the greatest source of war—the struggle between the “haves” and the “have-nots”—and the other four main causes of world struggles, Rtn. C. T. Wang of the Hong Kong Rotary Club called upon every Rotarian to take upon himself a personal responsibility to work for the advancement of World Peace.

In a talk at the recent Inter-City Forum in Taipei on Rotary's International Service, the “Father” of the Rotary movement in China also appealed to every world leader to use the “Four-Way Test” as a yardstick to measure the actions “he takes in the name of his country” in order to improve the possibilities for World Peace.

President H. G. McConaghey of the Kaohsiung Club suggested that the speech of Rtn. C. T. be forwarded through A.A. Charlie to Rotary International for publication in *The Rotarian* magazine.

In reply to a suggestion by President John Yuen (H.K. Island East), A.A. Charlie said that he did not think Rotary International would be prepared to finance the exchange of lecturers on an international basis but it was quite in order for any individual Club, if it thought fit, to exchange lecturers with other fellow Clubs in the same district.

The following is the text of Rtn. C. T. Wang's speech:

Rotarians have four major avenues to serve and International Service is one of them. You have discussed the other three major avenues. We will now take up the International Service.

To begin with, I will quote the exact wording of this Service: “*The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through world fellowship of business, and professional men united in the ideal of Service.*”

The first question is how to advance international understanding, goodwill and peace. The subject is so extensive that it often paralyzes our mind as how to go about it. The world population is so huge and is made up of so many different races with great divergence in languages, religious beliefs, customs and habits, and economic and living standards, as to make it look almost impossible and impotent for any organization to be able to bring about such international understanding, goodwill and peace. But is it really impossible for us to reach that goal? Or are we so impotent as to let the world go to destruction through wars? With atomic weapons so rapidly developing, is it not the greatest threat to man's own survival? It therefore behooves us to seek ways and means to combat this great threat. The object of our

discussion today is to find such ways and means.

Now, let us examine what are the main causes of war. I think we will agree that they are racial prejudices, political ambitions, religious rivalries, and economic competitions.

It is a common foible of human nature for each race or even a nation to assume that it is the supreme race or nation destined to lord over others. The attitude of the Whites over the Coloured peoples, of the Aryans over the non-Aryans of the Nordics over other Europeans, and later of such phrases, such as *Britannia Rules the Seas* and *Deutschland Uber Alles*, all indicate this assumed sense of superiority. So long as this assumed sense of superiority is unchallenged by other races or nationals, warfare takes the course of conquests and enslavements of other races and nationals. But at any time it is challenged, then there would be mighty conflicts and even global wars as have been witnessed in this present century.

Without going too far back in history as to mention the expeditions of the Syrian or Persian Kings, the conquests of Alexander the Great, the spread of the Roman Empire, or the marching of the Mongolian forces from Asia to Europe, modern history is also full of expeditions and conquests. After the discovery of America and the so-called new world, European nations vied each other for the conquest and grabbing of as many lands as possible. At one time Spain and Portugal each contended to own half of the whole globe. Later the Netherlands or better known as Holland, France and England joined in the contest. The history of 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th centuries was a continuous array of wars between these Powers.

Religious wars also claimed millions upon millions of human lives. The Christian Crusades against the so-called infidels and the struggles

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The Editor of *Tung Pao* wishes to acknowledge the assistance given by President H. T. Tsu of Taipei Club and Rtn. Alfred Ho of Hong Kong Club in supplying the photos which appeared in the last two editions of this Bulletin.

With this issue, *Tung Pao* completes the publication of all the seven subjects discussed at the recent Inter-City Forum.

between the Protestants and Catholics in Europe may be cited as examples of wars brought about by acute religious differences.

But the greatest source of war has been the struggles between the “haves” and the “have-nots”. When certain nations were able to amass vast wealth, then there would be invasions from others who were not so well endowed. History is so full of such warfares that I would not even have the time to name them.

Suffice it to say that wars have been brought about by these four main causes. Of course, there are other causes but they are not so dynamic and hence less important.

Now, how are we human beings to tackle this greatest destructive force, in so far as human lives are concerned, known as wars. The way to go at it is to promote international understanding, and spread goodwill among men, hence to maintain Peace between the nations. It is a very large order. Could we ever attain our goal of world Peace?

When World War I was ended, the statesmen of the leading nations thought that this war would end all wars. They conceived the idea of having a League of Nations formed to ensure world peace and the League of Nations was so brought into being. Instead of ending wars, it soon succumbed and was buried in the midst of World War II. A new organization was born, known as the United Nations. It is stronger than the first child but at the present moment its health does not seem to be too good. Shall we lose our heart over the present situation? No, and I will be very emphatic on it.

Much has already been achieved through the organization. There would have been many wars already but for the influence the United Nations have been able to exert on those nations that might have been in open warfare now.

Let us examine what brings about this influence. The first element is the force of public opinion and public

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## Gin Su On Community Service

Rtn. Gin D. Su, VP-elect and Community Service Committee Chairman of the H.K. Club, advised the Community Service Committee of each Club to start work by 1) Surveying the needs of its community, 2) Selecting a project, 3) Working out the estimates and 4) Reporting the details of the project to its Club for adoption.

He reported to the Inter-City Forum in full on the Community Service projects undertaken by the Hong Kong clubs during the past several years and told the delegates that approximately US\$20,000,000 have been spent each year by 8,000 Rotary Clubs the world over on community service projects.

opinion is obtained through individual conviction on world affairs. We must concede that although there are comparatively few people who are articulate over a question, but these articulate few often form the basis of public opinion. Government officials, legislators, newspaper and radio editors are very sensitive to public opinion. It is the duty of a Rotarian, as an individual, to make it his business to form his opinion on any major issues of the day and give expression of his opinion to any seeking it.

An individual who can form intelligent opinions must first be well informed on a given issue. He will then in a position to assist others also to form intelligent views and opinions. We Rotarians are fortunate in that we meet quite regularly. In our weekly meetings we could get experts to give us intelligent information on world matters. We are thus enabled to develop an intelligent and constructive attitude of mind, so that we can help to create a well-informed public opinion.

The next important thing for us to do is to spread knowledge of other peoples, thereby developing a sound understanding of one another. One individual can materially help spread a climate of understanding in a group or several groups, then spread it further in a community or several communities. We can even spread it to a whole nation and then ultimately to the whole world. We have ample proof of the effectiveness of this prac-

tice. Many accounts have been found of how individuals have created climates of understanding leading to better relations between peoples of different nationalities.

Again, we Rotarians are fortunate in our sound foundation of building our relationship on the basis of friendship. From friendship come understanding and goodwill. What the peoples of different nationalities need most is a climate of understanding. Think of the 400,000 odd Rotarians, spread throughout the world in 89 countries or areas, who are leaders in the business, professional, religious and governmental activities, and who are accustomed to develop healthy understanding through friendship. What a force to work for international understanding and goodwill and hence for world Peace!

This is a task in which we, one and all, must join, if we wish to reach the goal of "Peace on Earth and goodwill among MEN". We must apply this practice of developing understanding and goodwill to our personal, business and community lives in building better communities and hence a better world. Each of us must take upon ourselves a personal responsibility to work for the advancement of World Peace.

The third important task before us in promoting World Peace is the application of the Four-Way Test as a yardstick to measure our relations with other human beings. When

Herbert Taylor, at present the President of Rotary International, first announced his Four-Way Test, he had probably in mind only to use this yardstick to measure the relationship between employers and employees and between business and business. How truly we can apply this same Test in international relationship.

Let us remind ourselves of what this Test is. It is for each individual to ask himself these four questions before acting:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIP?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

How well can we improve the possibilities for world peace if only every statesman in the world will ask himself these four questions before he acts! Any action he takes in the name of his country must first of all be tested as to whether it is the truth, whether it is fair to all concerned, whether it will build goodwill and better friendship, and whether it will be beneficial to all concerned.

In discussing our International Service, it is important for us to bear in mind that although we may not be holding any important or powerful government positions, our influence in forming public opinions on international matters is unlimited, if only we will one and all assume a personal responsibility to promote international understanding and goodwill. We must have FAITH that each of us can exert a powerful influence on this fundamental question of world peace. What Rotary has already accomplished during its first half century in developing mutual respect and understanding among men of many different nationalities, religious and political beliefs, cultural and historical backgrounds, should be a stimulus to every one of us to exert our best efforts to further this cause. We have the sure knowledge that we have been traveling along the right road. It is for us to show the way that all mankind can proceed if we wish to secure PEACE with honour and dignity.



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## TRAVELOQUES FEATURE ROTARY MEETINGS

**T**HE screening of colour documentary films at last week's regular meetings of the four Clubs in the Colony provided a good opportunity for Rotarians to enrich their general knowledge.

Scenic cities along the Greyhound bus routes in North America were vividly depicted in a Technicolor film entitled "Panorama" shown at the Hong Kong Club meeting last Tuesday. At the same meeting President W. V. Pennell announced that four members of his Club, Rtns. Fung Ping Fan, Bill Anderson, Dave Lamb and T. F. Waung, will attend Rotary's Golden Anniversary Convention next June, and that during Rtn. Bill's absence, Rtn. Ray Picciotto will be Acting Hon. Secretary. *(Editor's note: Rtn. Fung Ping Fan has kindly agreed to be proxy delegate of our Club at the Chicago Convention.)*

Through the courtesy of Pan-American World Airways, a 30-minute travelogue, "Wings to France", was screened at our meeting last Wednesday, showing many historical places in French cities. The film was shown by PAA's Sales Representative, Mr. Jack Huang, who was appropriately thanked by President John Yuen.

In welcoming visitors, President John

singled out Mr. H. A. Rahim and thanked him in advance for his kindness to address us at tomorrow's (May 11) meeting on "Highlights of Venezuela". President John also thanked Rtn. P. Y. Koo (HK) for arranging with Mr. Rahim to be our guest speaker.

Remarking that the Chairmen of the four Clubs' Programmatic Committees obviously had chosen an "easy way" to feature the meetings, Sergeant-at-Arms Ben Lee, with President John's permission, collected \$5 from each member for the Community Service Fund.

Our appreciation was recorded by Hon. Secretary Pat Cha to the Rotary Club of Bombay for sending us their greetings and a brief description of the Club and of Bombay City.

President John Yuen adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary Clubs the world over, with which he associated the Rotary Club of Bombay.

Kowloon Rotarians and their guests at their weekly meeting last Thursday saw a film, "Care! Herring", provided by the Public Relations Office of Hong Kong Government, which gave a graphic account of the herring industry in Scotland.

At Island West Club's meeting last Friday, the United States Information Agency provided a film entitled "Men at Cross-Roads", giving an insight to the living conditions of the prisoners-of-war in Korea. Members of our Club saw the same film through the courtesy of the U.S.I.A. at our meeting on April 6, the day when the Hong Kong area delegates took off by plane for Taipei to attend the recent Inter-City Forum.

### Attendance

Eighteen of our 28 members attended our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on May 4, representing 64.21% as follows:

Members present	18
" on leave	0
" absence excused	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>28</b>

The four members whose absence was excused were Rtns. Seaker Chan, H. S. Ma, Hsi Yu-I and Fred Tan.

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. P. Y. Koo	Hong Kong
" Lawrence Loug	"
" Jack Eng	"
" Harry N. Harilela	Kowloon

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. G. S. Stokes	Rtn. Ben Lee
" H. A. Rahin	" P. Y. Koo
" W. Dayaram	" Harry N. Harilela
" Jack Huang	" Pat Chu
" Raymond Hung	" John Yuen
" Ben Chan	"
" John Kwec	"
" Alexander Shang	"

### RTHNE. GERALDINE FITCH WINS CONTEST

Rthne. Geraldine, wife of Rtn. George Fitch of the Taipei Club, won second prize in The Rotarian magazine's contest, "Why I Want to Go to Chicago for the Golden Anniversary Convention".

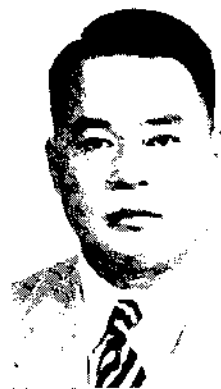
The first prize of the contest which was open to all Rotary-Annes the world over, was won by Rthne. Robert Mackintosh, a Scotswoman.

### Two New Members

We will witness the third induction ceremony of our Club (since its inauguration) at tomorrow's regular meeting, at which President John Yuen will welcome two new members to the Rotary world and offer them the fellowship of not only our members but also the more than 400,000 Rotarians the world over.

This will bring the total strength of our membership to 30. The first batch of members inducted on September 1, 1954, were Rtns. J. C. Bao, Ron Bennett, Edwin Tao and Fred Tan, and the second group admitted on October 20, 1951, were Rtns. Marsh Stayner and K. Y. Shang—the latter has since resigned on account of poor health.

The two additional members to be admitted into our Club tomorrow are Mr. Soo Yu-Dee and Mr. Alexander C. S. Shang, son of ex-Rtn. K. Y. Shang.



Mr. Soo Yu-Dee to be known by his Club name, "Y. D." hails from Sun-Kiang, Kiangsu Province, China. He graduated from the Ching Yeh College, Shanghai and took a special course in business administration at Fu Tau University, also in Shanghai.

After graduation he went into the marble industry by organizing Shanghai Marble Works Ltd. Later, he founded another firm, Yu Hang Hong as exporters and importers, specializing in tobacco leaf distribution.

A keen sportsman and racing fan, he came to Hong Kong in 1948 and opened up his office in the same name of Yu Hang Hong as leaf tobacco dealer. In 1950, he went to the Philipines as a delegate in the Hong Kong Trade Mission where he later established a firm in partnership with the Dixie Leaf Tobacco Co. of Kingston, U.S.A. He has had over 20 years' experience in the tobacco trade.

He has a charming wife and eight children. His eldest son is studying medicine in United States while the second son is now being educated in England.



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## Alexander Shang



Alex., popularly known as "young Shang" in the China Can Company where his father, managing director, resigned recently from our Club on account of ill-health, is the firm's production manager.

Apart from taking charge of the promotion of the company's products, he also works

hard in expanding the company's export trade. Alex. was born in Shanghai in 1928 and got his college education at the University of Shanghai. While in university, he took a great interest in sports and was a leading baseball player.

## 15th Board Meeting

The 15th Board meeting of our Club was held at Winner House last Friday (May 6). Attended by President John Yuen (in the chair) and Rtns. Pat Cha, Bill Nichol, Y. F. Chen, S. H. Ma and Henry Chang, the meeting confirmed the minutes of the previous meeting and approved the following resolutions:

1. That Hon. Secretary Pat Cha reply to Rtn. Seaker Chan's letter, pointing out that his reason to seek absence from further meetings this year was not sufficient and that, as a result, his application for local leave is refused.

2. That our Club contribute US\$42 towards the air passage for Administrative Adviser T. F. Wei to attend the forthcoming Rotary Convention in Chicago. (Editor's note: The Taipei and Taipei West Clubs recently resolved to ask all the 15 Clubs in this area to contribute US\$12 each to pay 50% of A.A. Charlie's passage to U.S.A. in presenting our case to the Convention for re-gaining District status. Tung Feng learned that the other three Clubs in the Colony have all agreed in principle to subscribe US\$12 each.)

3. That a new minor classification "Garage and Service Station" under the major classification "Automobile Industry" be opened at the recommendation of the Chairman of the Classification Committee.

4. That Rtn. Fung Ping Fan, of the Hong Kong Club, who will be attending the forthcoming Convention in Chicago, be appointed as our Delegate by Proxy.

## Festival Dance Nets \$7,777.85

The Festival Dance held at the Empire Theatre on March 8 in connection with the celebration of Rotary's Golden Anniversary brought in a net income of \$7,777.85 for the \$25,000-joint community service project which has yet to be decided by the five Clubs in the Hong Kong and Macao area.

According to Rtn. Arthur Brown (HK), Chairman of the Festival Dance Sub-Committee under the General Golden Anniversary Committee, the total takings and expenses for the Festival Dance were:

Income on sale of tickets	\$11,322.50
Income on sale of programmes	572.65
Advertising income in the programmes	5,200.00

Total income	\$15,095.15
Less expenses	7,317.30

Net Income \$ 7,777.85

## MISS "GOLDEN ROTARY"



Miss Rugsyah Ibrahim, well-known beauty of Singapore's Indian community, was elected Miss "Golden Rotary" out of some 30 charming girls by Singapore Rotarians at a Ball on April 28, celebrating Rotary's Golden Anniversary.

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

Ladies will be welcome at this meeting at which Miss Winnie Wei (soprano) will render a Vocal Solo musical programme. She will be accompanied by Miss Chan Shuet Lin at the piano.

### KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. O. S. Hamilton, Acting Director of Civil Aviation.

*Subject:* My Visits to Rotary Clubs in England.

### ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. S. K. Yuen.

*Subject:* Amateur Photography.

## Rotary Extends To Turkey

For sometime there has been a keen interest in the Rotary movement among outstanding business and professional men in Turkey and, according to a recent News Broadcast of Rotary International, the first Rotary Club in Turkey (The Ankara Club) has been inaugurated.

The same issue of News Broadcast stated that Rotary Today has 8,585 Clubs with 406,000 Rotarians throughout the world, including 281 new Clubs in 45 countries which were admitted by R.I. since July 1, 1954.

On February 23, 1955, the 50th birthday anniversary of Rotary International, there were 8,527 Clubs with an estimated membership of 402,000 Rotarians in 90 countries and geographical regions the world over.

## Herbert Taylor Returns To U.S.A.

President Herbert J. Taylor, accompanied by his wife, returned to New York aboard the liner "Queen Mary" last Tuesday (April 26) after spending six weeks aboard attending Rotary functions in Europe, Middle East and United Kingdom, according to a news agency dispatch.

Upon arrival at New York, President Herbert was quoted by the news agency as saying "I think the Arabs and Israelis will reach a solution to their problems because apparently neither side wants war." He said he had observed a great desire for peace everywhere he went, although things were turbulent in the Mediterranean areas.

## Special Song Greet HK Delegates

Rtn. Ardy of the Taipei Club composed the following song to greet delegates from the Hong Kong area to the recent Inter-City Forum held in Taipei:

*Hongkong, Kowloon Friends, we greet you,  
All Guest Rotarians, we greet you,  
We want you to know that wherever you go  
Clubs of Taiwan will you serve,  
So make your wishes plain and clear;  
We'll do our utmost while you're here,  
Though you must depart, we will from our heart  
Welcome your return, Rotarians.*

## I-LAN & TAICHUNG CLUBS GRANTED CHARTER

The Rotary Clubs of I-Lan and Taichung, whose application for membership to Rotary International was recently submitted by Administrative Adviser T. F. Wei, have been granted their respective Charters, according to information reaching *Tung Peng* from Taiwan.

It is not yet known when the Charters will be formally presented to the two new Clubs by A.A. Charlie. The Taiwan-Hongkong-Kowloon-Macao area will now have 15 Clubs.



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## FIFTEEN TO ATTEND CHICAGO CONVENTION

**L**ED by Administrative Adviser Charlie T. F. Wei, a delegation of 15 members representing the Taiwan-Hongkong-Kowloon-Macao area will shortly leave for the United States to attend Rotary's Golden Anniversary Convention at Chicago from May 29 to June 2.

In addition to heading the delegation to the Convention, Administrative Adviser Charlie will also participate in the District Governors' Conference at Lake Placid, New York, on May 19.

A.A. Charlie's participation in the District Governors' Conference is important, since it will be at this conference that our Administrative Adviser will submit our formal application in person to Rotary International for re-awarding our area the District status.

According to latest information from Taiwan, A.A. Charlie was due to have left Taipei yesterday (May 16) for the United States by Pan-American World Airways in order to be in New York for the District Governors' Conference on Thursday.

Including A.A. Charlie, Taiwan's 10 Clubs will be represented by an equal number of delegates, while the five Clubs in the Hongkong-Kowloon-Macao territory will most probably be

represented by delegates from the Hong Kong Club.

The five members from the Hong Kong Club going to Chicago are Rtns. Fung Ping Fan, Bill Anderson, Colin Ure, Dave Lamb and T. F. Wang. Arrangements have already been made by our Club and Island West Club for Rtn. Fung Ping Fan to represent us by proxy at the Convention.

According to Acting President Reggie Shum Wah, the Kowloon Club will also request Rtn. Fung Ping Fan to be its proxy delegate. It is not yet known whether the Macao Club will send its own delegate to the Convention or appoint a proxy delegate.

Of Taiwan's 10 delegates, six will arrive here before this weekend by Pan-American World Airways enroute to Chicago. Our President, John Yuen, has been requested by President E. T. Tsu of the Taipei Club to reserve suitable accommodations at the Miramar Hotel for these six Taiwan delegates.

The six Taiwan delegates are Rtns. "Oily" T. S. Pui, James M. Lee, "Lawyer" Shen Yon, Calvin C. Chang, "Car" Huang Kuo-Ching and "Bell" Lin Kun-Ching.

Hotel reservations in Chicago, requested by

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### OUR NEXT MEETING

// *Place:* Winner House //

// *Time:* 12.30 p.m. for 1 p.m. //

// *Programme:* The day's programme and //

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14,301 Rotarians and their Rotary-Annes from the world over by the end of last month, suggest a record attendance at the Golden Anniversary Convention, according to the latest issue of News Broadcast issued by Rotary International's Secretariat.

### Shame! Shame!

*Tung Feng* learns from reliable sources that by last Friday none of our members had booked any advertising space in the Westery Ball Souvenir Programme in connection with Hongkong Island West Club's maiden Charity Ball to be held at The Ritz on June 10.

What a SHAME! Especially so, when we recall that members of our twin Club gave our First Charity Ball last November their 100% support.

However, there is still time for not only our members but also those from the other fellow Clubs in the Colony to respond to Island West Club's appeal for support in its efforts to realise some \$25,000 for sponsoring a handicraft training school for under-privileged women and children.

Please don't delay! Act now!

1) *Advertisements*: Send your copy and/or block to Rtn. P. C. Chang, Wellington College, 39-49 Bridge Street, Tel. 27770. May 20 is the closing date. Rates are \$100 per page (6" x 9") and \$60 per half-page (4½" x 6").

2) *Donation Tickets*: Obtainable from the Hon. Secretaries of all the Clubs at \$2 each. Don't just buy one, get one or two books each. The first prize is an Austin A-30 car.

3) *Dinner Tickets*: Also obtainable from the Hon. Secretaries of all the Clubs at \$25 per head. Book a table for six or ten and give your friends and business associates a treat and also help make Island West Club's function a grand success.

4) *Donation Prizes*: Telephone Rtn. Hsu Shih Yu (36484) to collect your donation prize. Or, send it to Rtn. Hsu c/o Sze Hai Tong Banking and Insurance Co., Ltd., 36 Bonbau Strand West.

### MACAO MEETING TIME

The Rotary Club of Macao has changed its weekly meetings to 9 p.m. every Thursday at the Hotel Riviera.

### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

On behalf of our Club, *Tung Feng* wishes to express thanks to the Rotary Clubs of Tokyo (Japan), Sandakan (North Borneo) and Metairie (U.S.A.) for their kindness in sending us their Golden Anniversary Greetings and Club histories.

### At Rotary Last Week

It was, indeed, very happy to see at our last regular luncheon meeting at Winner House on May 11 the familiar faces of several Rotarians just returned 'home' after having been to overseas areas.

On behalf of our Club, President John Yuen extended a special welcome to Rtns. C. T. Wang and Frank Harris, both of the Hong Kong Club, and to Rtn. "Dragon" Y. L. Nie, our Hon. Treasurer.

Rtns. C. T. and "Dragon" were the last among the Hong Kong area delegates to return from Taipei after having attended the recent Inter-City Forum there. During his 40-day absence from the Colony, "Dragon" also managed to visit Japan and attended last week's regular meeting of the Tokyo Club. Rtn. Frank Harris was away from Hong Kong for several months on leave in the United States.

The "Father" of the Rotary movement in China, Rtn. C. T., presented us with a bannerette from President Gunson Goh of the Hsin-chu Club, Taiwan.

During the course of the meeting, President H. C. Fu of Island West Club made an appeal in person to each and every member of our Club to support our twin-brothers' first Charity Ball on June 10.

The speaker at the meeting was Mr. H. A. Rahim, guest of Rtn. P. Y. Koo of the Hong Kong Club, who told us of a new "promised land"—Venezuela. Mr. H. A. Rahim, President of the Panama Pacific Corporation, described Venezuela as the best country in the world, the richest country in the world, and installed with the highest waterfall in the world—2,700 ft.

He told of two friends who went out to dig in a hillside for gold. They had bad luck. They didn't find gold—only diamonds.

The country, in which Mr. Rahim has a contract to build up US\$6,000,000 worth of five-room cottages to rent out at about US\$800 a

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month, was, he said, a land of wealth, space, and opportunity for all, where a millionaire's annual subscription as a member of the local golf club exceeded his income tax, and poor housewives carried US\$7,000 in their handbags when they went shopping for the family groceries.

Mr. Rahim (born Indian, a naturalised United States citizen) speaking on the "Highlights of Venezuela", said that in his opinion Venezuela was the only country in the world that could help the United States financially should the latter one day require such help.

With a population of 5,000,000 people, the country could offer very rich natural resources (oils, diamonds, gold and etc.) contained in her 600 square miles of land to every one, the speaker said.

According to him, some six billion dollars have been invested in the country by the United States alone. In answering a query, Mr. Rahim said that there was a colony of 1,200 Chinese residing in Venezuela.

After Rtn. Edwin Tao has thanked the speaker, President John Yuen adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International associated with which was the Rotary Club of Hongkong Island West.

#### OTHER CLUBS' MEETINGS

Rotarians and Rotary-Annes were entertained by Miss Winnie Wei at the Hong Kong Club's weekly luncheon at Paramount Ballroom last Tuesday.

Miss Wei, well-known soprano accompanied by Miss Chan Shuet-lin, gave her audience the "Last Rose of Summer" and "The Kiss Waltz."

Prolonged ovation failed, however, to elicit an encore and President W. V. Pennell apologised on Miss Wei's behalf: "It is characteristic of Miss Wei's modesty that she only brought two pieces with her."

Rotarians in the United Kingdom are "most hospitable," said Rtn. O. F. Hamilton, Acting Director of Civil Aviation, at the luncheon of the Kowloon Rotary Club held at the Peninsula Hotel last Thursday.

Rtn. Hamilton returned to Hong Kong early in March after a holiday in Britain where he attended 19 Rotary meetings. He brought back to Hong Kong seven flags from various Rotary Clubs.

At the Rotary Club of Ruislip, he said, he was told that a Ladies Day was held once a year.

His hosts were horrified when told that in Hong Kong Rotarians held four Ladies Days a year.

Rtn. Hamilton also noted that a speaker in Britain addressed Rotarians at meetings as "fellows" in contrast to "Mr. President and Rotarians" in Hong Kong.

When he visited the Pinner Rotary Club, he met Rotarian Ted Birchall, President of Rotary International of Great Britain and Ireland (RIBI). Also present were Rtns. Mays, Chairman of Greater London District, and Peter Myers who was the Vice-President of the Round Table in Britain and Ireland.

The Round Table is a sort of Junior Rotary and is very popular in England, he said.

Rtn. Hamilton said that the Rotary House of Friendship recently opened in London was situated in Portman Square and cost \$60,000, money raised by members of the Greater London District (13). The House is a kind of Overseas Club where all overseas visiting Rotarians are made welcome and can stay there.

#### Attendance

Twenty-two of our 30 members attended our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on May 11, representing 73.33% as follows:

Members present	22
.. on leave	4
.. absence excused	3
.. absent	1
(Rtn. Seaker Chan)	
Total	30

The three members whose absence was excused were Rtns. Joseph Fung, Hsi Yu-l and S. W. Zao.

#### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Frank Harris	Hong Kong
.. C. T. Wang	"
.. P. Y. Koo	"
.. H. C. Fung	Island West
.. Henry Tang	"
.. T. Y. Lo	"
.. Henry To	"
.. K. C. Wu	Manila

#### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. "Brig" Young	Rtn. Ron Bennett
.. G. S. Stokes	.. H. C. Yang
.. H. A. Rahim	.. P. Y. Koo
.. L. T. Yew	"

at a very low cost while in London. All amenities are free to visitors.

Mr. Hamilton said apparently a group of New Zealand Rotarians who visited the premises just before they were completed were so pleased at the wonderful amenities being offered that they promptly wired their clubs in New Zealand to the effect that they had committed them to the extent of £1,000 which they guaranteed to raise.

Rtn. Hamilton said he did not commit the Kowloon Rotary Club, but "I do think our Board of Directors should give some thought to my proposal that we raise a donation as a gesture from Kowloon."

Rotarian Y. K. Yuen spoke on the subject of "Amateur Photography" at the weekly luncheon of Island West Club last Friday.

Rtn. Yuen advised amateurs to concentrate on types of films in order to be able to assess the results of each and to build their dark rooms so that they could improve their art quickly.

## TWO MEMBERS INDUCTED

Messrs. So Yu-Dee and Alexander C. S. Shang were inducted as members of our Club by President John Yuen at our last weekly meeting on May 11. They are to be known to fellow members as Y. D. and Alex, respectively.

Y. D. was proposed by President John, and Alex by his father, ex-Rtn. K. Y. Shang, who recently resigned from our Club because of poor health.

Y. D. is the managing director of Yu Hang Hong, a firm specialising in tobacco leaf distribution, while Alex is the production manager and secretary of the China Can Co. (H.K.) Ltd.

## THIS WEEK'S . . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* President W. V. Pennell

*Subject:* Myths and Legends in the New Territories

KOWLOON (Thursday):

"Speaking Time": a special programme in which 10 members will be called upon (by drawing of their names) to deliver a three-minute talk each on a given subject.

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Mr. S. P. Lee, noted painter

*Subject:* Art of Western Painting

## Film Showing Needs Permission

The Commissioner of Police has notified fellow Clubs that the screening of movie films at regular weekly meetings require written permission from the Police. This was disclosed at last week's meeting of the Kowloon Club.

A letter addressed to the Kowloon Club from the Commissioner of Police reads: "Under Section 4 (1) Public Entertainment Ordinance Chapter 1, it is necessary to obtain the written permission of the Commissioner for the showing of films."

It is advisable that the officers of all the four Clubs in the Colony approach the Commissioner of Police in connection with his notification.

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## TAIWAN DELEGATES FOR THE CHICAGO CONVENTION

**T**HREE of the Taiwan delegates to the Chicago Convention arrived at Hong Kong at 11 a.m. on May 20th. Rtms. "Oily" T. S. Pai, "Car" Huang Kuo-ching and "Bell" Lin Kun-chung, representing the Rotary Clubs of Taipei, Taipei West and Chaiyi, were welcomed by a party of Rotarians at the airport.

After the usual handshaking and welcoming, the delegates were taken to the Golden Dragon Restaurant where they were welcomed again, this time by no less than 50 Rotarians, who were attending the Island West Club meeting and to say hello to the delegates.

Rotarians who met the delegates at the airport included President John, "Dragon" Nie and Bill Nichol of our Club; Rtms. Jerry O'Donnell, Paul Blattman, R. Y. Cheng and S. D. Su of the Hong Kong Club; and Rtn. Henry To of Island West Club.

The plane arrived an hour ahead of schedule, otherwise a much larger group would have been able to meet the delegates at the airport.

A dinner party welcoming the Taiwan delegates was given by our Club at Winner House last Friday night and was attended by many members of both the Hong Kong Club and the

Island West Club as guests. In a brief speech, President John said that he was unable to find words to express the deep appreciation for the most wonderful reception the H.K. Rotarians received at Taiwan. "This is only a very small gesture comparing to the welcome we received in Taiwan", added President John. "But we will do our best to make your stay in Hong Kong as enjoyable as we can and to help you in any way you need."

Led by President John and Rtn. C. T. Wang, toasts were drunk to our guests. (See Picture taken at the dinner party.)

OUR MEETING THIS WEEK

A speech by Rotary-International President Herbert Taylor on tape recorder, to be introduced by Rtn. Tom Freeman.

Those who attended the dinner besides the guests were President John, Secretary Pat, Rtms. Henry Chang, Gin Su, Tom Freeman, Alfred Ho, Henry To, Edwin Tao, Joe Bao, Bill Nichol, Ron Bennett, R. Y. Cheng, Paul Blattman, and C. T. Wang.

Since the other three delegates arrived on Sunday, May 22nd, a dinner party was given honouring all six delegates by the Island West Club on Sunday night at the Metropole Restaurant while the Hong Kong Club invited all to a "yum char" party at the Tai Tung Restaurant on Monday at noon. Many Rotarians from all Clubs here attended these parties.



WINNER PALACE Dinner Party given by our Club in honour of the first three Taiwan delegates passing through enroute to the Chicago Convention. Front row (l. to r.): Rtn. "Bell", Rtn. "Oily", Rtn. C. T. Wang, Pres. John Yuen, and Rtn. "Car".

### The Taiwan Delegates

For the information of our readers, *Tung Feng* is proud to introduce the six delegates from Taiwan:

Rtn. "Oily" T. S. Pai is so called because of his connection with the Standard Oil Co. in Taiwan. He is from the Taipei Club.

Rtn. "Bell" is so called because the last word of his Chinese name is "*Chung*", the Chinese word for bell and he is from the Taipei West Club.

Rtn. "Car" is so called because he is connected with the bus company at Chaoyi.

Rtns. James M. Lee and Calvin Chang are both from Taipei Club while Rtn. "Lawyer" Shen Yon is from Taiwan Club.

Rtns. "Bell" and "Car" left for Tokyo yesterday while the other four will be the guests of the Hong Kong Club at their Ladies' Night tonight and will leave for U.S.A. via Tokyo tomorrow.

### This Week's Activity

Programmes of other member clubs in the Colony are as follows:

H.K. CLUB—Ladies' Night. No luncheon meeting.

WEST CLUB—Closed Meeting. Discussion on Charity Ball Preparations.

KOWLOON CLUB—Business Meeting. Open to Rotarians only.

### H.K.'s Ladies Night

"LADIES' Night" for the Hong Kong Club will be held at The Ritz Garden tonight.

As President "Penn" of Hong Kong Club will be leaving for a vacation by the s.s. Victoria tomorrow, the Ladies' Night function at the Ritz will also be a farewell party for him. We all wish him "Bon Voyage", a very happy and enjoyable trip and will be looking forward to seeing him again.



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RECEPTION COMMITTEE at Kai Tak Air Port welcomed the Taiwan delegates on their arrival here. See any familiar faces?

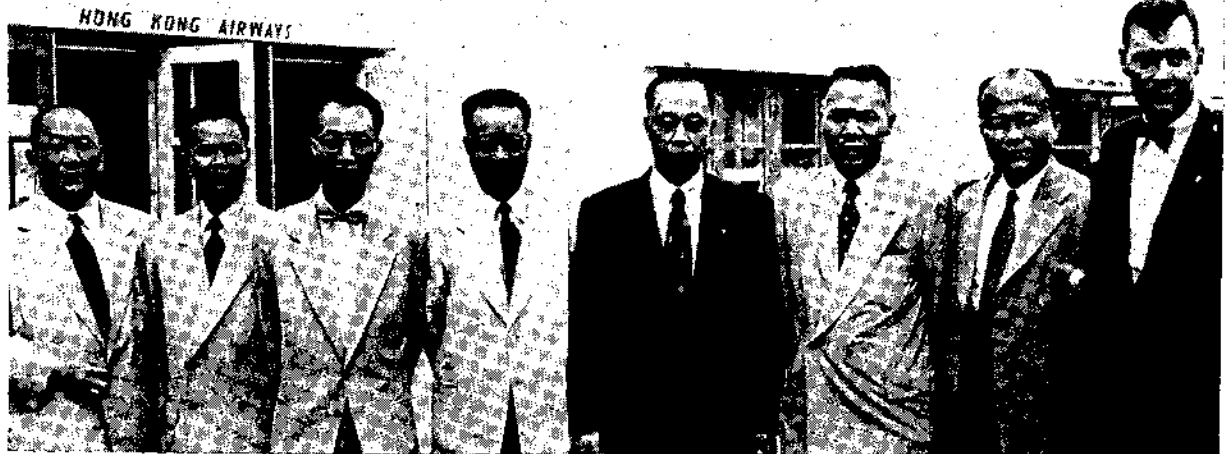
### At Rotary Last Week

**A** FILM depicting the construction and land reclamation work for building the Wyler Textile Ltd. factory site was shown during our last luncheon meeting on May 17, with Rtn. "Dragon" Nie doing the narration. An interesting point was the building of the sea wall and its foundation. The speaker was thanked by Rtn. "Marsh".

Welcomed at our meeting were our own Rtns. "Y. I." and "Joseph" who had been absent on business.

President John announced before closing the meeting the need of our support for the West Club's Charity Ball on June 10th. Hon. Secretary Pat and Assistant Hon. Treasurer Y. F. were on hand to supply all with tickets and forms for advertisements.

Hong Kong Club heard a very interesting talk on "Myths and Legends in New Territories" by President Penn at their weekly meeting last Tuesday. "I happen to come from a part of England—the West country—which is the richest of all in folk lore", said President Pennell



SEND-OFF of Rtn. Fung Ping Fan, proxy-delegate of Island East and West Clubs to the Chicago Convention. Taken at Kai Tak on May 19, the photo shows (l. to r.): Rtns. Gin Su, S. I. Yuen, P. C. Chang, F. I. Tseung, Fung Ping Fan, John Yuen, and Jerry O'Donnell.—Photo by courtesy of Wah Kin Yat Po.

when he began to take his listeners to a sort of round trip via Slatin and Stanley and returning via Castle Peak with a little excursion by Yau-mati Ferry to Cheung Chau, Lantau and other islands. The places mentioned included the following:

Sung Wong Toi, Chi Wan Hill, Mong Fu Sheek, Lion Rock, Shing Kung Cho Tong, Sun Neung Tam, Kam Tung Gate, Hung Shui Kiu, Tsing Leung Fat Yuen, Ling To Hill, Castle Peak Monastery, Tin Mun, Kwong Hon Lau, Tung Chung, Fung Wong Shan, The Pirate Cave, Tin Hau Temple.

Rotarians attending the Kowloon Club meeting heard short speeches from several of their members at the Peninsula Hotel last week. Each member was called upon to speak for two minutes about themselves.

There was a record attendance at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Island West Club last Friday, the occasion being to welcome the Taiwan delegates and to hear a speech on "Art" by the well-known Chinese painter, Mr. S. P. Lee.

In addition to the enlightening speech, our twin club also inducted one more twin brother and fellow Rotarian P. T. Loong.

### Hello Tom, Welcome Back!

**C**OMING in on the same plane with the Taiwan delegates on Friday last was our own beloved member, Rtn. Tom Freeman. It is certainly nice to see Tom back again with perhaps a gain of 10 pounds in weight. We missed you a lot Tom.

Special thanks should be given to Tom for bringing back a tape recorded speech of Rtn. Herbert Taylor, President of Rotary International. The recording was made when President Taylor spoke at the joint meeting of the Rotary Clubs of Southern California in Los Angeles.

### Reminder

Have you done your share in buying tickets for the West Club's Charity Ball? Please contact Secretary Pat or Rtn. Y. F. if you have not done so.

## THANKS TO RTN. EDWIN TAO

Rtn. Henry Chang, Chairman of the Bulletin Committee, wishes to express his sincere gratitude to Rtn. Edwin Tao for agreeing to assume responsibility for putting out *Tung Feng* as from the current issue.

### Attendance

Twenty-three of the 30 members attended our last weekly meeting at Winner House on May 17, representing 76.6% as follows:

Members present .. .. .	23
.. on leave .. .. .	4
.. absence excused .. .. .	2
.. absence (Rtn. Seaker) ..	1
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Total .. .. .	30
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### VISITING ROTARIANS

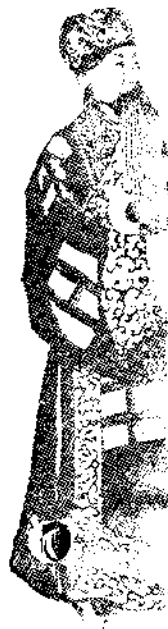
Name	Home Club
Rtn. Henry To	Island West
.. Henry W. N. Tang	"
.. Hsu Shih-yu	"
.. Jerry O'Donnell	Hong Kong
.. R. Y. Cheng	"

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. Stokes	Ben Lee
.. Paul Caine	R. Y. Cheng
.. Yap Kim	"
.. Chen Pang Ling	Y. F. Chan

### Thanks To Rtn. Henry To

*Tung Feng* wishes to say "Thanks" to Rtn. Henry To for his good Rotary spirit in waiting at the airport on Friday afternoon for the arrival of Rtn. Calvin Chang from Taipei. Although the plane missed Taiwan and Rtn. Chang, the untiring effect of Rtn. Henry must be appreciated. It was learned that Henry's Rotary-Anne did the driving both ways.



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## PRESIDENT TAYLOR'S INSPIRING SPEECH

OUR last meeting at the Wimmer House was a gay and memorable occasion. A large number of visiting Rotarians and guests joined in the gathering to hear the tape-recorded speech of Rtn. Herbert J. Taylor, President of Rotary International. The speech was made to a special Rotary meeting held at the Los Angeles Club at which more than 15,000 persons were present.

Rtn. Tom Freeman, introducing the speech, said that President Taylor had just recently completed a 14,000-mile tour of the South American countries and visited many Rotary Clubs.

The whole recording lasted 23 minutes and *Tung Feng* has great pleasure in presenting the main text of the speech. (See elsewhere in this issue)

Due welcome was given to Rtn. Tom and he was thanked by Rtn. Y. C. for bringing the recording.

It has always been a great pleasure to have visiting Rotarians and guests at our meetings to participate in our fellowship. We welcome all Rotarians to visit us at our meetings and at our last meeting we were particularly happy to have visiting Rotarians from Hongkong Club, Tokyo, Manila and San Francisco.

The toast to Rotary International was coupled with one to the Rotary Club of Los

Angeles.

President of Rotary International Herbert J. Taylor, born in Michigan, U.S.A., a graduate of Northwestern University, is now a top executive of a firm in Chicago.

The following text is an abstract of his speech made at a special meeting of the six districts in the southern California area in Los Angeles in February of this year. More than 1,500 persons gathered to hear him:—

We are in the midst of this great golden anniversary year of Rotary and my wife and I, as we travelled around the world, are trying to do our part to get Rotarians and through the influence of Rotarians to get others to think right, to speak right and to do right. Because we know that in right, there is might and I am one of those fellows who believes that everything that should be done in the world can be done. Now if you will forget everything what I say to you in the next half hour, I wish you to remember but one statement that the things in life that should be done can always be done. And I make also one qualification to that statement; the things in life that should be done are the things our Creator wants done. Who are you or I to say that the things God wants done cannot be done. So if things don't work out right for you, just keep in mind its something possibly that shouldn't be done, but if it is something that should be done, it can always be done."

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### This Week's Activity

HONG KONG CLUB—Rev. W. J. Haig-Brown will speak on "Seamen's Welfare".

KOWLOON CLUB—Mr. A. E. Thomas, Secretary of Indian Chamber of Commerce will speak on "Customs and Traditions in India".

ISLAND WEST CLUB—Rev. F. L. Tseung will speak on "Order of St. John".

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I want to talk you about a resolution that was passed by unanimous vote at the Rotary International Convention in recent years: It is worded as follows for the first section: *Rotary International has equitably declared for the liberty of the individual in freedom of thought, speech and assembly, freedom of worship and freedom from persecution.*

I ask you this question. As Rotarians, are you doing our best to protect these freedoms and to promote the spiritual revival in the heart of men. Let us consider for a minute or two the philosophy of Rotary and Rotary's part in the preservation of the freedoms I mentioned before, then I would like to read to you the second section of this resolution, which reads as follows: *Rotary International expects every Rotarian to be a lone member of the church or religious community to which he belongs and personally exemplify by his every act the principals of his religion.*

During this great golden anniversary year, I am calling upon every one of the 400,000 Rotarians in the world to live up to the requirement of this resolution. Let us all be the loyal and serving members of the church or religious community of our choice. You know that in Rotary, we do not take up matters on religion, faith, race or politics and that is one of the things that has made Rotary great but we do encourage Rotarians to have a faith and to exemplify by their every act the principals of their faith. Some one asked me not long ago to give a short definition of Rotary. They thought because I gave the 4-way test in 24 words that I should be able to give Rotary a good short definition. Here is my definition for Rotary: Rotary is a maker of friendship and a builder of men and communities. We are blind until we see that in the human plan, nothing is worth the making unless it makes the man. Why build these cities glorious if men aren't built for God. In vain we build this world, unless the builder also grows.

I sometimes think that the average Rotarian does not appreciate his membership in Rotary.

Sometimes the good things in life we do not appreciate until we do not have and I can quote many illustrations to that.

Having covered many miles in my travels, I like to tell you briefly about some of the things my wife and I found in contacting Rotarians.

When we were in Austin attending a conference of Rotarians from all over Europe, one afternoon I was in the lobby there and saw two Rotarians talking to each other and I noted with pleasure that one Rotarian was having his arm around the other Rotarian. I knew these two men. One was the past president of the Rotary Club at Bye-ru, Lebanon, being an Arab and the other, the past president of the Tel-Aviv Club, a Jew. So I walked over to find out what they were talking about. I was greatly impressed.

What do you suppose they were talking about? Well, the regulations call for that if you want to go from the Arab side of the city of Jerusalem to the other side, you have to fly to Cyprus to get a visa and that way to get you into the Israel side of the city. These two Rotarians, an Arab and a Jew were actually talking to figure out a plan so that my wife and I could go over the line without going to Cyprus.

I also want to tell you that today at the Club at Tel-Aviv, 60% of the members are Jewish and 40% are Arabs and they held meetings regularly. Rotary is the greatest institution in the world for making friends. You take the great Singapore Club where we have members from 16 different religious faiths and 17 different nationalities in one Club.

Due to the fact that I am the author of the 4-way test, I expect that I should say a few words about the 4-way test. The supreme problem in our age is to match up the progress in technology and material to the progress in human relations. I really believe that the 4-way test is an excellent instrument in the improvement of human relations around the world. Today, this little 4-way test, just 24 words composed of 4 questions which we apply to the things we think, speak and do is known all over the world. Just before I left Evenston, I received word that the Government of Capetown Province in the Union of South Africa has adopted the 4-way test for instructions with large posters in the classrooms—all 2,100 classrooms in that province.

Now I want to read to you the third section of the resolution which I think is the most important resolution that the Rotary International has ever passed. This is what it says: *Rotary International expects every Rotarian to so order his daily life and professional activities that*

he will be a loyal and serving citizen of his country.

So we want every Rotarian to become a better citizen during this great Golden anniversary year and we have set up the 10 marks of a good citizen. These 10 marks have been approved by Rotarians in all countries of the world. Here it is:

1. He is well informed on local and world affairs.
  2. He is courteous, unselfish and friendly, get along well with orders and is a good neighbour.
  3. He is honest, dependable and takes an active part in the social and religious community of his choice.
  4. He appreciates what others have done for him and accepts responsibility for future betterment of his community.
  5. He is fair and just in his relations to others.
  6. He obeys laws of his community and nation.
  7. He votes regularly and intelligently at election time.
  8. He is interested in the freedom and welfare of all of the world's people and does his part to secure it.
  9. He is productive, renders worthwhile service to his fellow men.
  10. He sets a good example for the youth of his community.
- A good Rotarian is a good citizen.

In closing, I want to leave with you a poem which is entitled "Worry or Pray"

It goes like this:

*Worry, Why Worry, What can worry do?*

*It never keeps the trouble from overtaking you,*

*It gives indigestion and sleepless hours at night,  
And fills with gloom at days however fair  
and bright,*

*It puts a thorn upon your face and sharpness  
on your tongue*

*Makes you unfit to live with others and unfit  
to live alone,*

*Worry, Why worry, What can worry do?*

*It never keeps the trouble from overtaking  
you.*

## Rotary House For Hong Kong

**A** WONDERFUL idea was brought up by Rtn. R. Y. Cheng—of having a Rotary House in Hong Kong as a centre for all Rotary activities. This is something for all members to think about and *Tung Feng* will be glad to receive comments with regard to this possible joint project. (See *Tung Feng's* last issue on May 17th.)

*Pray, Why pray, What can praying do?*

*Praying really changes things, arranges life  
anew,*

*It's good for your digestion, gives peaceful sleep  
at night,*

*And fills the darkest and gloomiest day with  
rays of golden light*

*It puts a smile upon your face, a love note on  
tune,*

*Makes you fit to live with others and fit to  
live alone.*

*Pray, Why pray, What can praying do?*

*It brings God down from heaven to live and  
work with you.*

## Do You Know?

Do you know the name, nickname, of all your fellow Club Rotarians?

Do you know the Classification of your fellow Club Rotarians?

IF NOT, better brush up on your Club book.

Do you know the 4-way test?

Do you know the names of the Presidents of all other member Clubs in this Colony?

Do you know the name of the President of Rotary International?

IF NOT, you can find out by reading *Tung Feng*.

Do you know any Rotarians in need of help or assistance?

Do you know any memorable occasions for any Rotarians?

If you do, let us know and *Tung Feng* will be glad to do its part.

### Attendance

Out of our 30 members, 21 were present at our last regular meeting on May 24th representing 70% as follows:

Present .. . . .	21
On leave .. . . .	3
Excused .. . . .	5
(Rtns. Wilson, Henry, Joseph, Marsh, Edwin)	
Absent .. . . .	1
(Rtn. Seaker)	
<b>Total .. . . .</b>	<b>30</b>

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
George Lin - - - - -	Hong Kong Club
E. E. Storey - - - - -	" "
Frank Harris - - - - -	" "
P. Y. Koo - - - - -	" "
J. E. Sandbach - - - - -	" "
H. Gooseens - - - - -	Tokyo Club
Kiyoshi Akiyama - - - - -	" "
K. C. Wen - - - - -	Manila Club
Dick Rush - - - - -	San Francisco

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
G. S. Stokes - - - - -	C. C. Fogg
C. E. Miles - - - - -	Ron Bennett
I. J. Druce - - - - -	Dick Rush
C. J. Waung - - - - -	Akiyama
Brig. Young - - - - -	Bennett

### Visits To Other Clubs In March

The record of Members of our Club attending other clubs in the month of March, 1955, is as follows:—

Name	Club Visited	Date
J. C. Bao	Hong Kong	March 1st
	Kowloon	3rd
	Club West	4th
	Hong Kong	8th
	Kowloon	10th
	Club West	11th
	Hong Kong	15th
	Kowloon	17th
	Club West	18th
	Hong Kong	1st
Henry Chang	Kowloon	10th
	Kuala Lumpur	16th
Joseph Fung Che Yee	Santa Monica, Cal.	Jan. 28th
	" Los Angeles, Cal.	Feb. 4th
Thomas Freeman	" "	17th
	" "	22nd
Wu Man Hon	Club West	" "
	" "	18th
Ben Lee	Hong Kong	1st
	Hong Kong	March 1st
Dragon Y. I. Nie	Club West	4th
	Hong Kong	15th
W. Nichol	Club West	18th
	Hong Kong	1st
"	" "	8th
	" "	15th
S. C. Siih	Kobe East	Jan. 30th
	Club West	March 11th
Wilson Wang	Hong Kong	1st
	Hong Kong	1st
H. C. Yang	" "	8th
	Club West	11th
John Yuen	Hong Kong	15th
	Hong Kong	1st
S. W. Zao	" "	" "
	" "	" "

### Last Minute News

Rtn. K. S. Chang of our Club, just back from Singapore after attending the South-East Asia Film Festival last Thursday, flew to Taiwan on Saturday.

Rtn. Dragon Nie of our Club may still join the Hong Kong delegates to the Chicago Conven-

tion if he can manage to get away from his business.

Rtn. Y. F.'s son will be going to school in Canada soon. Like father, like son, we wish him all the success.



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## GLIMPSSES AT THE WORLD OF ROTARY

THE great Golden Anniversary Convention is now being held at Chicago. Although reports of the highlights of the event have not yet reached us, we received letters from Rotarians of Taiwan and Hong Kong, who have already registered themselves as voting delegates at the Convention.

*Tung Feng* has received several bulletins and letters from Rotary Clubs all over the world including some of the newly organized Clubs in Taiwan, the Rotary Clubs of Chiayi, Nan and Taipei West.

A letter from President E. T. Tsu of Taipei Club thanking Hong Kong Rotarians for the hospitality we extended towards the Taiwan delegates when they passed through here last month was also among the correspondences received.

A circular letter from Rotary Club of Lake Orion, Michigan, has the following words: "One of the projects of the Lake Orion Rotary Club in connection with its celebration of the Golden Anniversary of the Rotary International is the sending of this newsletter to Clubs around the world giving them our greetings and explaining to them some of ways of life in Lake Orion."

In addition to a complete description of many of the early and recent developments in industry and community life, the newsletter also said, "The Lake Orion Chapter of the Rotary International was founded in 1938 with 31 charter members and the present membership is 40.

almost evenly divided between merchants and the professional people in the village. Among our club activities is the support to crippled children, youth center, boy and girl scout activities, etc."

A letter of greetings was received from Rotary Club of Maccio, Brazil, and from Santa Rosa Club in Texas, U.S.A. Rtn. Seth M. Bailey, of the Santa Rosa Club, is sponsoring a world wide pen-pal movement for young people in the interest of the International Service for his Club. Pen pals are requested for youth from 10 to 17 years of age and those interested may contact Rtn. Kon for the addresses.

Along with the intensified activities in more than 8,000 Rotary Clubs in 90 countries of the world in bringing to fulfillment countless plans for service through Golden Anniversary projects, incoming officers are concerned with making plans for the year which lies ahead. Throughout the organization there is this pattern of looking ahead while finishing the task on hand.

On May 19, the incoming district governors and the R.I. representatives gathered at Lake Placid Club for the international assembly and to hear addresses on the major phases of Rotary administration, see exemplifications of some Rotary activities and to participate in group meetings and buzz sessions in equipping themselves effectively for their forthcoming year of Rotary Service.

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over the world will join in their celebration of this Golden Anniversary in Chicago and in attending the convention. The planning of the R.I. and the host club committee give assurance that this convention will be outstanding. But the outstanding activities of this great celebration do not end with the close of this Rotary year. Rather, they should focus our attention and interest towards the road ahead, for in the words of Saint Simon, "The Golden age is before, not behind us".

### 16th Board Meeting

The 16th Board of Directors' meeting of our Club, held at the Winner House last Friday, June 3, was attended by President John Yuen (in the chair) and Rtms. Pat Cha, "Dragon," Y. L. Nie, Y. F. Chen, Tom Freeman, Bill Nichol, S. H. Ma, Seaker Chan, Henry Chang and Ron Bennett, President-elect for 1955/56 Year.

After confirming the minutes of the previous meeting, President John extended congratulations and best wishes to the incoming President and the officers of his "Cabinet" to whom John, on behalf of the existing Officers, pledged full support.

President John also made known at the meeting his wish to tender his resignation as the Hon. Secretary for the next fiscal year and to ask members at tomorrow's regular meeting to make fresh nominations for the post. The Board duly recorded President John's wishes and sanctioned further election for the Hon. Secretary's post at tomorrow's meeting.

The Board approved the membership proposals of two new candidates (see elsewhere in this issue of *Tung Feng*) and ordered further investigations into two other proposals.

### DON'T BRING "DRINKS"

The Hongkong Island West Club has arranged to let those attending its First Annual Charity Ball at The Ritz on Friday, June 10, to have whiskies, brandies and other table wines at cost.

Approach any member of the Island West Club, who will be badged as at regular meetings, and you will get your requirements.

### OUR NEXT CONVENTION

Rotary International convention for the year 1956 will be held at Philadelphia, Penn., June 3rd to 7th.

### Other Clubs' Activities

**M**EMBERS of Hong Kong Club saw the five-day 1,000-mile Mexican Auto race in a colour movie film last week and all present enjoyed the programme.

Kowloon Club heard an interesting talk by Mr. A. E. Thomas, Secretary of the Indian Chamber of Commerce, on customs and traditions of India. The speaker said that Indians were one of the most religious people in the world, that every conceivable form of religion was being practiced in the country. All forces of nature were worshipped and homage was usually paid to all the gods.

Mythological belief in India is such that each god has his own conveyance. Most of the animals and birds are the conveyances of gods and hence considered sacred by the Hindus in India. All Indian traditions could be traced from the numerous national festivals and fairs, among which are Diwali and Holi, said the speaker.

Rtn. Dr. F. L. Yeeung spoke on the Order of St. John at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Island West Club and said that the object of the Order of St. John was to encourage and promote all works of humanity and charity for the relief of persons in sickness, distress, suffering and danger without distinction of race, class or creed, rendering of aid to the sick and the wounded in time of war and promoting a permanent organization in time of peace that it may be available in time of emergency.

### This Week's Activities

HONG KONG CLUB:

*Speaker:* Rtn. Frank Harris  
*Subject:* Explaining Hong Kong to America

KOWLOON CLUB:

*Speaker:* Hon. C. E. Terry  
*Subject:* Problems of the Blind

ISLAND WEST CLUB:

*Speaker:* Mr. U Tat Chee, O.B.E.  
*Subject:* Japanese Industries Today

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## ROTARY TODAY

361 new clubs in 46 countries since July 1, 1954  
8,664 Rotary Clubs, 411,000 Rotarians

### New Membership Proposals

The names, addresses, qualifications and classifications of two candidates are published below for consideration by our members; recommendation for membership by the respective proposers has been approved by the Board's meeting last Friday, June 3.

⊙ If no objections are filed with the Board within 10 days by any member, the applicants will be considered elected.

#### 1) Mr. Conway K. Chau

*Club Name:* "Conway"  
*Business:* Hongkong Bottlers, Fed. Inc.  
U.S.A., 981 King's Road  
*Position:* Sales Manager, Hong Kong Area  
*Residence:* 63B, Shing Woo Road  
*Major:* Beverages Non-Alcoholic  
*Minor:* Carbonated Beverage Bottling  
*Proposer:* Rtn. Henry Chang

#### 2) Mr. Leslie George Young

*Club Name:* "Brig."  
*Business:* North Point Factory, A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd., Watson Road, North Point  
*Position:* Manager of Chemistry Manufacturing Dept.  
*Residence:* Watson's Apts., Watson Road  
*Major:* Chemical Industry  
*Minor:* Pharmaceutical Chemicals Manufacturing  
*Proposer:* Rtn. Ron Bennett

### Our Social Service Project

**M**ANY of us may still remember the excellent job our president-elect Rtn. Ron Bennett and his committee did in bringing about the possibility of having our Social Service Project worked out in the form of an aid to the Overseas Chinese School for Deaf and Dumb.

We are pleased to report that the materialization of that plan is further assured by the good co-operation of the Board of Directors of that School plus the generous proposition of Rtn. Y. F. to build the future school house at below cost.

When the American deaf and blind author, Dr. Helen Keller, arrived in Hong Kong last month, the students and faculty of the school staged a warm welcome at the airport and Rtn. Ron has received a few copies of photographs of that event.

### Our Meeting

**A**T our meeting last week, Mr. R. G. Dunlop, Controller of Programmes, Rediffusion Ltd., related his experience with the world-wide services of Rediffusion in many parts of the world starting with England's pioneering in 1927, with Malta in 1938 and then on to the West Indies.

Mr. Dunlop said that to be successful in the field of entertainment one has to strive to please at least some of the people most of the time. Besides stressing the importance of entertainment being able to promote better international understanding, the speaker also gave a vivid description of many of the West Indies islands. The speaker was thanked by Rtn. Jimmy Wu and the meeting was adjourned by President John with toast to R.I. coupled with the Clubs of Taiwan.

### Two Rotary Songs

*Rotary, My Rotary  
Thy praises high, I love to sing  
Rotary, my Rotary,  
My homage now to thee, I bring,  
Rotary, my Rotary,  
With friendship, loyalty and cheer  
I'll serve my brothers far and near,  
And hold thy precepts ever dear,  
Rotary, my Rotary.*

*Men of Rotary, We greet you  
Men of Rotary, we greet you,  
Oh, Men of Rotary, we greet you,  
We want you to feel that our friendship is real  
We are glad you are here today  
So take back home a bit of cheer  
Regards from all the fellows here,  
And when once more you are near our door,  
Come again, Rotarian,  
Come again.*

### SHOULD ROTARY CLUBS FINE?

The debate-of-the-month for July is on an old question in Rotary: fining. Two Rotarians who have considered it carefully present the pro and the con; you decide after reading their views in *The Rotarian*.

ROTARY CLUB OF HONGKONG ISLAND  
EAST MEMBERS ATTENDANCE RECORD

From April 1954 to May 1955:  
61 days of attendance

Name	Days Attended	Leave	Excused	Absent	Other Clubs	Total Attendance	Percentage
Pai Chi ..	61				19	80	131.14
Seaker Chan ..	41		15	5	1	42	68.85
Henry Chang ..	57	2	2		22	79	129.50
K. S. Chang ..	49	10	1	1	1	56	81.99
Y. F. Chen ..	60			1		60	98.36
Y. C. Fogg ..	57	3	1		4	61	100.00
Tom Freeman ..	37	23	1		23	60	98.36
Joe Fung ..	16	41	3		23	39	63.93
K. C. Goh ..	59		2		2	61	100.00
Hsi Yu-l ..	40		19	2		40	65.57
Ben Lee ..	59		2		2	61	100.00
S. H. Ma ..	49		11	1		49	80.32
Dragon Nie ..	55	5	1		14	69	113.11
Bill Nicol ..	50	10	1		8	58	95.08
Seven Sih ..	45	14	2		20	65	106.55
K. T. Wang ..	61				1	62	101.63
Wilson Wang ..	54		3	4	7	51	100.00
Jimmy Wu ..	59		2		3	62	101.63
Omar Yang ..	55		4	2	2	57	93.44
A Jan Yiu ..	32	26	2	1	12	44	72.13
John Yuen ..	56	5			59	115	188.52
S. L. Yuen ..	54		5	2	6	60	98.36
S. W. Zao ..	58		3		1	55	96.72

From September 1954 to May 1955:  
40 days

Ren Bennett ..	40				7	47	117.50
Joe Bao ..	40				69	109	272.51
Fred Zan ..	37		2	1		37	92.50
Edwin Tao ..	37		3		3	40	100.00

From October 1954 to May 1955:  
32 days

Marsh Stayer ..	23	6	3			23	71.87
Y. D. Soo ..	2	1			1	3	100.00
Alex Shang ..	3					3	100.00

Y. C. Fogg  
Attendance Committee  
Chairman

Attendance

Nineteen members were present at our last meeting, representing a low 63.3% as follows:

Present ..	19
On Leave ..	4
Absent ..	7
(Henry, K. C., Hsi, S. H., Marsh, Alex., S. L.)	
Total ..	30

VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. K. M. A. Barnett	Kowloon
" K. C. Wu	Manila
" R. A. Mander	Hong Kong
" Frank Harris	"

VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. R. G. Dunlop	President John
" James Shee	Ben Lee
" G. S. Stokes	"

The Convention Story

If you missed Rotary's Golden Anniversary Convention in Chicago, you can compensate your loss by reading the photo-journalistic story of it in your July issue of *The Rotarian*.

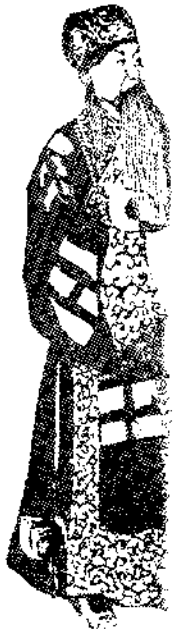
You will want to read 20 pages of text and pictures focussed directly on Convention doings and delegates, as well as photos of Rotary's general officers for 1955-56 and of the 238 District Governors and R.I. Representatives.

Here's vivid coverage on the plenary sessions, the spectacular entertainment, the colour of the host city for Rotary's greatest Convention. It's an inspiring presentation.

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### BRIEF REPORT ON Q. A. CONVENTION

**C**HICAGO gave a tremendous welcome to Rotary's Golden Anniversary Convention. Rotarians from 64 countries and geographical regions were represented by a total of 14,294 paid registrations and these Rotarians and their ladies will take back memories of this great convention to the four corners of the earth.

The truly Rotary friendship and international understanding they enjoyed will be the talk of many, many months to come.

Sunday evening of May 29th, the evening programme was provided jointly by the great 120-piece Chicago Symphony Orchestra and the Varsity Glee Club of Purdue University of more than 100 voices—an impressive and magnificent prelude to the Convention.

**FIRST PLENARY SESSION:** The Golden Anniversary Convention was officially opened on Monday, May 30th, by Convention Chairman Rtn. Reginald Smith. Secretary Means read a long list of greetings to the Convention from Districts and Clubs from near and far away places and speeches were given by Chicago's Mayor Richard Daley, Illinois' Governor William Straton, and Committeeman Bishop Cashmore of England.

Following the voting for the office of President of Rotary International and the Treasurer of Rotary International, the current R.I. officers were introduced, followed by a grand march of all the district governor nominees—more than 200.

#### GENERAL OFFICERS FOR ROTARY INTERNATIONAL FOR 1955-56

*President:* A. Z. Baker, Ohio, U.S.A.

*1st Vice-President:* G. D. A. Oberg, Sydney, Australia.

*2nd Vice-President:* Ernesto Imbassahy de Mello, Niteroi, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

*3rd Vice-President:* Joseph A. Abey, Reading, Pennsylvania, U.S.A.

A dramatic moment came with the introduction of Jean Harris, widow of Rotary's founder, after which President Taylor made his opening address and set the keynote of the Convention when he said "We must translate our ideals and objectives into action and express them through our Clubs into the daily life of our communities and nations. This will indeed have been a golden year for Rotary and for the world if it sets the feet of Rotarians world-wide upon a crusade for good citizenship, for Liberty and the strengthening of our faith in God."

**SECOND PLENARY SESSION:** A letter was read from Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth conveying warm greetings to the Convention, immediately thereafter, President Taylor announced that a Rotary Club had been organized and admitted in Blantyre-Limbe, Nyasaland, thus adding one more country to those in which there are Clubs. Secretary Means also referred to the re-

cent admission of a new Club in Belgian Congo, at Leopoldville, a new Club in Ankara, Turkey, thus bringing the number of countries and geographical regions in which there are Clubs to 91.

The concluding feature of the day was the discussion and recording for rebroadcast in the programme of "America's Town Meeting of the Air". The subject being "Asia and the West, Gateway to Understanding", the discussion was led by three leaders, Sir Leslie Knox Munroe, Ambassador from New Zealand to the U.S.A., Sujono Surjojondro, Counsellor of the Indonesian Embassy at Washington and Paul G. Hoffman, Chairman of the Board of Studebaker-Packard Corporation.

**ANNIVERSARY ALBUM AND REGIONAL DINNERS:** Delegates to Chicago will long remember the colourful, stirring pageant which featured the Monday night programme. The Chicago Stadium was filled long before opening and suddenly the great auditorium darkened, a single spot light discovered a Rotarian and his wife turning the pages of a family album, the couple describing to their grandson the pictured chronicles of the past. As he turns the page, the scenes shift to the great stage itself where the pictures are dramatized in song and dance and narration. There is a characteristic 1905 scene of Chicago—a Rotary Ball in 1914 and there is a "Black Light Dance" in which the story of the Four-Way Test is dramatically depicted by means of a modern ballet. The parade of Rotary provided the grand finale with the flags of many nations—a breath-taking display of national banners and colourful costumes.

On Tuesday evening, there were 13 regional dinners held in the principal hotels also marked with outstanding entertainment, inspirational speeches, excellent food, spirited community singing and of course much reminiscing of past connections and dinners.

**THIRD AND FOURTH PLENARY SESSIONS:** The third session of the Convention opened with a strikingly dramatic panorama—"fifty years of community service"—the moderator, R.I. Director Kenneth Partridge introduced the feature which was to be a living and dramatic testimonial of the humanity and effectiveness of Rotary Club community service. A secretary of a chamber of commerce from Kentucky, a city social worker, a Rotarian from Ecuador, and a director of the Canadian Institute for the Blind all testified in sequence the service and help received from Rotary Clubs in their localities.

Other testimonials followed—from a Boy

## SUCCESSFUL CHARITY BALL FOR THE WEST CLUB

Despite heavy rain, Rotarians and their guests turned out in full to participate in one of this year's colourful events—the Charity Ball of our twin brother Club. We are glad for the success of our twin Club's event and who do you think was the lucky fellow who won the first prize—a car?

Scout and a Camp Fire Girl,—from a high school student guest. After a short musical interlude, 22 students from the Spaulding School of Chicago, an institution which in its early years received great inspiration from Rotary Founder Paul Harris and who subsequently, through the generating of community interest and much prodding by Rotary Club of Chicago, became an important unit of the city's school system, specializing in rehabilitation of young victims of polio, cerebral palsy, dislocated hips and tuberculosis of the spine.

These 22 students demonstrated that to them, "Music is Fun". It was an unforgettable scene of square dances performed by boys and girls—some in crutches, some wearing braces, some limping through their dances—but never missing a beat. Never before was an audience so moved by the sight of such a spectacle, nor so deeply impressed by the potentiality of Rotary's influence in community service.

The fourth Convention received with prolonged applause the announcement from President Taylor that one more country had been added to the international family of Rotary, with the admission of the Rotary Club of Addis Ababa, capital city of Ethiopia. The Convention then formally elected the new R.I. Officers and directors for 1955-56. The Vice-President of U.S.A., Richard M. Nixon, spoke and said "Rotary's contribution to the cause of international goodwill has, in my opinion, been its most significant service. May Rotary continue to expand in this country and in other countries. Only through the direct contact of people with people, which organizations like Rotary provide, can the mutual understanding be created which is essential if treaties of friendship are to mean more than the paper on which they are written."

After the formal introduction of the R.I.'s newly elected president and his board of directors, Rotarian A. Z. Baker made his inaugural speech in which he pointed out the need for an understanding of Rotary, its purpose, its Object and its "simple ideals of thoughtful helpful ser-

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vice" and an understanding of the possibilities for extending Rotary into more countries more communities and more men. Some of his words are as follows: "Guided by the light of understanding, we shall find goodwill on every hand as we travel along the road towards Rotary's great future in the next half century."

**CALVACADE OF SHOW BUSINESS:** The title of the great entertainment feature on Wednesday night in the Chicago Stadium was "Mid-Century Revue". It was indeed a spectacular and colourful panorama of show business from the Polite Era of 1935 to the Television Era of 1950. There were interesting narration, splendid singing and exciting dancing.

### CONVENTION HIGHLIGHTS

Other convention highlights included the visits to the R.I. headquarters, the Stamp Exhibit, the youth events and the fashion show and tea particularly designed for the Rotary ladies at which the attendance was more than five thousand. They witnessed a magnificent presentation of Chicago's fashions and furs interwoven with entertainment.

### GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY BALL

The Golden Anniversary Ball was held in five of the principal hotels on Thursday night and the great ballrooms which had been selected for this looking-forward-to Rotary event were filled to overflowing. The entertainment at each one was of a high standard and the big name orchestras pleased everyone. President Taylor and his wife appeared at each place and the dancing lasted until the wee small hours of the morning.

### OTHER CLUBS' ACTIVITIES

At last week's regular meetings of our fellow Clubs, the Hong Kong Club heard a talk by Rtn. Frank Harris on "Explaining Hong Kong to Americans," the Kowloon Club was asked to start an association for the welfare of the blind by the Hon. C. E. Terry, O.B.E., while the Island West Club heard an interesting comment on "Japanese Industries" by Mr. C Tat Chee, O.B.E.

At his speech at the Hong Kong Club, Rtn. Frank Harris just back from a visit to the United States, said that the "The Hong Kong Story" is still not widely known in the United States and the political and economical situation of Hong Kong during these recent years is something quite different from what the American

### WHAT ABOUT IT?

It has been suggested that our last meeting of this Rotary year, the 29th of June, be made a social evening. Instead of the regular meeting during lunch hour, it was suggested that members of our Club and their Rotarians meet at Winner House in the evening and enjoy dinner in a sort of get-acquainted atmosphere.

Since many of our Rotarians have not been introduced to meet each other, this might not be a bad idea. What do you say?

pictures. The crowded living conditions, the refugee problem, the trade embargo and the new industries in Hong Kong were such that the Authorities have had to mix firmness with tact in their exercise of controls.

The Hon. C. E. Terry, O.B.E. in his talk at Kowloon Club's regular meeting commended to local Rotarians for their sympathetic consideration the initiation of an association for the welfare of the blind and said that in this Jubilee Year of Rotary, such an initiation would be a worthwhile project for the Rotarians in Hong Kong.

At Island West Club last week, Mr. U Tat Chee spoke on the expanding Japanese industry and commented on the fact Japan could not exist without her industry and therefore is constantly on the look out for world market possibilities.

### THIS WEEK'S . . .

programme of other Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

#### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

Fellowship meeting.

Also to hear a tape recorded speech by R.I. President Herbert Taylor

#### KOWLOON (Thursday):

Mr. I. B. Trevor, General Manager of Kowloon-Canton Railway will speak on "Railways and something about those who work them"

#### ISLAND WEST (Friday):

Dr. Li Shu Fan will speak on "Tiger Hunting in India"

## OUR LAST MEETING

Rotarians and guests present in our last meeting saw a most enjoyable and educational film on civil aircraft transportation system as well as its maintenance and ground operation programme. Entitled "A letter from a pilot", the film illustrated the operation systems of one of the leading airlines in the United States, its maintenance programmes, training of technicians and functions of other departments of this air and ground corporation, which is a modern air transportation organization.

The story was introduced by a letter from an airline pilot in reply to a customer.

Rtn. Marsh introduced the film and afterwards Rtn. Bill thanked him and the U.S.I.S. through which courtesy, the film was made available.

Rtn. Ron, our president-elect presided at the meeting due to the absence of President John who flew to Manila on business.

## ATTENDANCE

Twenty-four of our thirty members were present at our last meeting representing 80% as follows:

Present .. .. .	24
On leave .. .. .	4
Excused .. .. .	2
Total .. .. .	30

## VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. K. C. Wu - - - -	Manila
" W. F. Ko - - - -	Hong Kong
" C. C. R. Shekury - -	"

## GUESTS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. G. S. Stokes - - - -	Rtn. Ben. Lee
" Conway Chau - - - -	" Pat Cha

## CLOSED MEETING TOMORROW

With members accepting the resignation of President John as our next year's Hon. Secretary, a new election will be made for a member to fill this important post at our luncheon meeting tomorrow at Winner House. It was learned that several members still have not sent in their votes and it is most necessary that they do so immediately.

## GOOD ROTARIANS ARE GOOD CITIZENS

These ten marks of a good citizen have been developed so that you may make a personal self-analysis. Here is your opportunity to determine how you measure up to your citizenship obligations. Rate yourself on each of the ten statements. Score yourself from 1 to 10 on each. After you have carefully rated yourself, it is suggested that you then give special attention to those marks of a good citizen on which you do not give yourself a high rating.

1. He is well-informed on local and world affairs.
2. He is courteous, unselfish, friendly gets along well with others—is a good neighbour.
3. He is sincere, dependable, and takes an active part in the church or religious community of his choice.
4. He appreciates what others have done for him and accepts responsibility for the future betterment of his community.
5. He is fair and just in his relations with others.
6. He obeys the laws of his community and nation.
7. He votes regularly and intelligently at election times.
8. He is interested in the freedom and welfare of all of the world's peoples and does his part to secure them.
9. He is productive—renders a worthwhile service to his fellow man.
10. He sets a good example to the youth of his community.



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## RTN. KUO SIN ON ASIAN FILM FESTIVAL

THE story behind the selection of Hong Kong—the third largest film producing centre in the world, judged on the footage of commercial film produced annually—as the venue for next year's Asian Film Festival, was told by Rtn. K. S. Chang, Chairman of the Programme Committee, at our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House last Wednesday, June 15.

Due to the continued absence in Manila of President John Yuen, Vice-President K. C. Goh presided over the meeting at which Rtn. Bill Nichol, a Director-elect, was elected Hon. Secretary for the ensuing year to fill the post vacated by President John. Rtn. Jimmy Wu Man-Hou was chosen a Director to succeed Rtn. Bill. (A full list of next year's officers will be found elsewhere in this issue of *Tung Feng*.)

The re-election of the Hon. Secretary and a Director was called for at the previous meeting, when members, appreciating President John's reasons, unanimously accepted John's resignation as Hon. Secretary for the 1955/56 Rotary Year. The counting of ballots of the re-election was supervised by Rtns. S. L. Yuen and Y. F. Chen.

Earlier at the meeting, Rtn. T. Y. Lo, Vice-President-elect of the Island West Club, expressed

on behalf of his Club deep appreciation of our 100% support to their recent Westery Ball, held in aid of a handicraft training school for under privileged women and children.

Speaking of his recent trip to Singapore as one of the Hong Kong delegates attending the 2nd Asian Film Festival, Rtn. K. S., who is the Managing Director of the Asia Pictures Ltd., said that the Festival this year took place at Singapore, which successfully concluded its sessions in spite of the heavy rioting there.

Next Meeting: June 22, 1955  
A movie film, entitled "A for Atoms", will be shown through the courtesy of the U.S.I.S., Hong Kong. The film will portray the different aspects of atomic energy and should prove very educational.

According to Rtn. K. S., all the sessions of the Festival ran smoothly until delegates began to discuss the venue for the next Festival. The Indonesian capital was first suggested, but was eventually dropped on account of the fear of some delegates that

the host country, due to political reasons, might oppose the entry of the delegates from certain nations to next year's Festival.

When Tokyo was proposed, Rtn. K. S. said, the Japanese delegates vigorously opposed the suggestion. Their reason was that the 1st Festival had been held in Japan already, and was useless as a way of advertising the best Japanese pictures outside Japan, which was their object in joining the Festival.

The Philippines opposed being selected with equal vigour. For, according to the Constitution, the host country pays half of the Festival expenses, the other half being shared equally between the other six countries taking part. The total expenses for the Festival, according to Rtn. K. S., would run up to US\$36,000. The Filipino representatives explained that the Philippines could not possibly afford being the host nation.

True to the Rotary spirit of "Service Above Self", Rtn. K. S. said, Hong Kong delegates offered to become the hosts for the next Festival. Had the nomination of Hong Kong been refused, he added, it would have been the end of the Festival Organisation.

Rtn. K. S. referred humorously to the immense difficulties which the organisation of a successful Film Festival would entail in Hong Kong. But, he added, it would be a good thing for the Colony's film industry, although a headache for the organisers.

One of the main difficulties was that there did not yet exist in Hong Kong a Film Producers organisation to organise the festival.

Another difficulty was that the organisation which did not yet exist did not have any money. However, he predicted that all difficulties would be overcome.

After Rtn. Seaker Chan had appropriately thanked the speaker, Vice-President K. C. adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Hongkong Island West.

## OUR NEXT YEAR'S OFFICERS

Following the re-election at our last weekly meeting on June 15 of the Hon. Secretary and a Director, the final composition of our Club's officers for the 1955/56 Rotary Year will be as follows:

*President:* Ron. Bennett

*Vice-President:* Henry Chang

*Hon. Secretary:* Bill Nichol

*Hon. Treasurer:* Y. F. Chen

*Directors:* K. S. Chang, Pat Cha, Bert Lee, Seven S. C. Shih, Jimmy Wu Man-Hon, S. L. Yuen and John Yuen (*ex-officio*).

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Rtn. Henry Chang, Chairman of the Club Bulletin Committee, who is back in his "chair", wishes to express his deep gratitude to Rtn. Edwin Tao for his kindness in putting out the last four issues of *Tung Feng*.

## Other Clubs' Meetings

**R**TN. Tom Freeman, a Director and Chairman of the International Service Committee of our Club, was on hand at the Hong Kong Club meeting last Tuesday to introduce the speech of R.I. President Herbert J. Taylor which was tape-recorded and brought back by Tom from the United States recently.

The same taped-recorded speech which was played at our Club's meeting on May 24, was delivered by President Herbert at a special Rotary meeting held at the Los Angeles Club early this year, when Rtn. Tom was on home leave in the United States. The main text of Herbert's speech may be found in the May 31 edition of *Tung Feng*.

The Kowloon Club's meeting last Thursday heard an interesting and informative talk by Mr. I. B. Trevor, General Manager of Kowloon-Canton Railway (British Section), who related the details of the British railway system and the training of workers and staff members.

Dr. Li Shu Fan, of the Hong Kong Club, told members of the Island West Club at its meeting last Friday of his successful "Tiger Hunting" in India last March, when he lagged three tiger.

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

**HONG KONG (Tuesday):**

*Speaker:* Rev. Bro. Cassian, Chairman of the United Nations Association, Hong Kong.

*Subject:* The United Nations Is Ten Years Old.

**KOWLOON (Thursday):**

Fellowship Meeting.

**ISLAND WEST (Friday):**

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## Rotary Foundation Contributions

SINCE the report in the April issue of Rotary Clubs that have contributed to the Rotary Foundation on the basis of US\$10 or more per member, 103 additional Clubs had at press-time become 100 percenters, according to the May issue of *The Rotarian*.

This brought the total number of 100 per cent Clubs to 3,867. As of March 15, 1955, \$234,065 had been received since July 1, 1954.

## The Spirit Of Rotary

"EDDIE" Guest isn't writing as many poems as he once did, but when his beloved Rotary Club of Detroit, Michigan, held a big birthday party honouring Rotary's 50th year recently, "Eddie" was there with a new poem to read. You see it here. Called "the poet of the common man," "Eddie" has been a Rotarian since 1913.

*A better world, To make it so  
Came Rotary fifty years ago—  
To serve the Brotherhood of Man,  
Now round about this troubled earth  
Men meet, as we, to mark its birth.*

*There will be laughter, speech, and song,  
But these could not have lived so long,  
If these were all men sought at noon  
Then Rotary would have perished soon.  
For merry song and laughter gay  
And even speech must fade away.*

*What is it lives through fifty years  
And strong and youthful still appears?  
Not men, for worn by pain and strife  
They drop the working tools of life  
And all the burdens they have borne,  
Leaving us here for them to mourn.*

*Men for a little while are missed,  
But dreams and hopes will still exist,  
Triumphant over loss and gain  
Steadfast the spirit will remain,  
After the strength of flesh is gone  
The will for what is best lives on.*

*Deathless are these: The dream to build  
A world with peace and beauty filled;  
Belief in God; the Rotary plan  
That seeks the Brotherhood of Man;  
A love of freedom and of truth,  
All these have everlasting youth.*

*This is a better world than when  
First met that group of friendly men,  
Though old they grew, their dream appears  
More glorious after fifty years.  
The Rotary spirit of today  
Will still be young, let come what may.*

## Community Service Fund

THE Community Service Fund of our Club now stands at \$31,334.20 after the collection of fines and contributions amounting to \$102 at our last weekly meeting on June 15.

The Fund includes \$20,369.80 from the net proceeds of our First Charity Ball and \$10,964.40 from fines and contributions collected at our weekly meetings since the inception of our Club in April, last year.

The Fund together with future collections has been earmarked for building a Deaf School for under-privileged children on a piece of ground in Causeway Bay area, adjacent to the Victoria Park, to be granted by Hong Kong Government.

According to Rtn. Ron Bennett, Chairman of the Annual Project Committee, our application for the ground has recently made further progress and we could expect a favourable reply from the Hong Kong Government within the next four months, pending formal approval of the British Government in London.

## Rtn. Seven is Now in Melbourne

Rtn. Seven S. C. Shih, a Director-elect of our Club for the ensuing Rotary Year, is now in Melbourne after visiting Sydney and Adelaide during the past 40 days, according to information reaching *Tung Fong*.

Leaving on a business trip to Australia on May 3, Rtn. Seven reached Sydney on May 5 and visited the Sydney Rotary Club during his one-week stay there, after which he proceeded to Melbourne. Business matters warranted him to visit Adelaide during the first 10 days of June and he is now back in Melbourne. It is learned that Rtn. Seven expects to complete his business affairs in Australia before the end of July prior to returning to Hong Kong.

On his visit to the Sydney Club, Rtn. Seven exchanged our bannerette with the host Club and told them briefly of our Club and the conditions in Hong Kong in general. He drew long applause and laughter, when he said he knew that many farmers in Australia "owned land larger than the tiny island of Hong Kong" measuring perhaps several hundred square miles.

At the same meeting, Rtn. Seven met President Bill Grimsdale, of the Kowloon Club, who was passing through Australia with his family en route to England on home leave.

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### Attendance

Of our 30 members, 24 participated in the last regular weekly meeting at Winner House, representing 80% as follows:

Members present . . . . .	24
"    on leave . . . . .	4
"    absence excused . . . . .	2
 Total . . . . .	 30

The two members whose absence was excused were Rtms. Marsh Stayner and S. H. Ma.

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtm. T. Y. Lo - - - - -	Island West
" Henry To - - - - -	"
" Lai Caung - - - - -	"
" S. L. Kuan - - - - -	"

### Pres. John Still In Manila

**P**RESIDENT John Yuen will most probably have to remain in Manila for another week on account of business, but will definitely be back in Hong Kong in time for our next meeting on June 29.

Writing from the Philippines capital on June 16, John said that since his arrival there on June 8, he has been seeing many old friends whose hospitality was very warm; he has been entertained to parties every night. We regret, however, to learn that he was confined to the bed for one day last week on doctor's instructions.

He attended two regular meetings of the Manila Club and was guest of honour at a dinner party given at the residence of President Gene Puyat on June 15. Many Manila Rotarians and their ladies were also present at Gene's party at which John received "education" in the latest steps in Maubò Ha-Cha-Cha from a guest who was an expert dancer.

President John has asked *Tung Feng* to convey his best wishes to all our members.

### Hope Yours Be A Lucky Number

**F**OR the convenience of fellow Rotarians and their friends, *Tung Feng* has pleasure in publishing below a complete list of the lucky numbers of the Donation Tickets drawn at the recent Westery Ball, with the winning prizes numbers in parenthesis.

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## ROTARIANS BACK CIVIC ASSOCIATION'S PETITION

**T**HE four Rotary Clubs in the Colony, consisting of approximately 240 members, unanimously decided to give full support to the Civic Association's petition for a further extension of the tour of duty of His Excellency the Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham.

The petition, supported by 406 organisations including the Rotary Clubs of Hong Kong, Kowloon, Island East and Island West, was forwarded by its sponsor, the Civic Association, last Saturday to the Colonial Secretary, the Hon. E. B. David, for transmission to the Secretary of State for the Colonies, London.

The decision to support the Civic Association's petition was decided on by the members of the four Rotary Clubs at their regular meetings last week.

Asking for a decision, our Hon. Secretary Pat Cha pointed out to our members that though Rotary Clubs were not permitted to take part in politics, the Civic Association's petition did not come into this sphere as it aimed at requesting the British Government to extend the tenure of the Governor's office in recognition of the valuable services rendered by His Excellency to the Colony.

In the letter to the Colonial Secretary enclosing the petition, the Civic Association wrote:

"We attach in triplicate a Petition addressed to the Right Hon. Alan Tindal Lennox-Boyd, M.P., Secretary, in which it is petitioned that the tenure of office of His Excellency the Governor, Sir Alexander W. G. H. Grantham, G.C.M.G., be extended for a further period. You will find appended thereto a list containing the names of the 406 organisations which support the Petition.

"The names of the persons who have signed this Petition are given below:

"Messrs. U Tat-chee and Hui Ngok (Chinese Manufacturers Union); Mr. S. H. Pang (Chinese Y.M.C.A.); Mr. Ma Kam-chan (Chiu Chow Chamber of Commerce); Mr. Kungche H. Chen (Healthy Village Welfare Association); Mr. Hui Yeung-shing (Hong Kong and Kowloon Residents Association); Mrs. Gertrude Kwok and Mrs. Violet Chan (Hong Kong Chinese Women's Club); the Rev. Bro. Cassian (Hongkong Civic Association); Miss Isobel Wallace Turner, Mrs. R. T. Eng and Mrs. Marie Liang (Hongkong Council of Women); Mrs. Lee Hah-liang and Mrs. Violet Chan (Hongkong Family Planning Association); Mr. Kwan Yuk-chi (Hongkong Gold & Silver Exchange Society); Mr. A. E. Gomes (Hongkong Junior Chamber of Commerce); Mr. Li Yiu Bor (Hongkong Teachers Association); Mr. Victor

Next Meeting: June 29, 1955  
Speaker: Inspector T. T. Moor  
Subject: Traffic and Traffic Problems in Hong Kong

Mannak (Indian Association); Mr. Robert Der (Kowloon Chamber of Commerce); Mr. A. J. Stonyer (Kowloon Residents Association); Mr. Chiu Lai-sau (New Territories Heung Yee Kuk); Mr. Hui Ngok (Po Leung Kuk); Mr. Bunnan Tong (Tong Family Association).

"We request that you be good enough to despatch this Petition to the Secretary of State for the Colonies at the earliest opportunity."

### Tom Freeman Leaves

*Tung Feng* regrets to report that our Club will soon officially lose the valuable services of Rtn. Tom Freeman, of Civil Air Transport, who has been transferred permanently to Taipei following the recent re-organisation of his company.



Rtn. Tom Freeman

A Director and Chairman of the International Service Committee, Tom returned to Hong Kong last month after spending several months in the United States with his family on home leave. In his capacity as Chairman of the Annual Ball Committee, Rtn. Tom most ably discharged his functions and admirably co-ordinated the work of various sub-committees in bringing a tremendous success to our maiden Charity Ball, held at The Ritz last November.

Rtn. Tom embarked for Taipei last Sunday, June 26, to join the head office of Civil Air Transport there. His Rotary-Anne Helen, and two sons will join him in Taipei in the next two months.

We wish Tom all the best and hopes that he will visit us whenever possible.

### THE LUCKY FELLOW!

Mr. Li Chi Kim, of Caltex (China) Ltd., who bought 35 donation tickets from Rtn. K. T. Mow, brought home three prizes, including the first prize, an Austin car, drawn at the recent Charity Ball of the Hongkong Island West Club.

Mr. Li has generously donated a sum of \$400 to the Community Service Fund of the Island West Club.

### CALLING ON COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

The Editor of *Tung Feng* will be most grateful to receive written reports from the Chairmen of various Committees, reviewing the work undertaken by their respective Committees during the 1954-55 Rotary Year which will come to a close officially following tomorrow's regular meeting.

The Editor proposes to publish these reports in the next two issues of our Club Bulletin with a view to informing every member of the activities and accomplishments of various Committees of our Club during the Golden Anniversary Year.

Please cooperate and send in your reports not later than Saturday, July 2.

### Rotarians Honour United Nations

HIS Excellency the Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham, and Rtn. Jerry O'Donnell, President-elect of the Hong Kong Rotary Club, were among the several leading persons invited to speak at the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce last Tuesday, June 22.

The occasion was the formal opening of the United Nations Association of Hong Kong's programme to commemorate the 10th Anniversary of the signing of the United Nations Charter in San Francisco.

In his speech on behalf of Hong Kong Rotarians, Rtn. Jerry said "Just a few hours ago, the Hong Kong Rotary Club listened to a very informative and inspiring talk by the Rev. Brother Cassian, Chairman of the United Nations Organisation in Hong Kong.

"This week some 407,000 Rotarians in 90 countries throughout the world will honour this great Organisation. Opinions will vary; however, in one respect there will be complete agreement and that is in the sincere hope for the continued success of the United Nations Organisation.

"When the United Nations Charter was drafted in San Francisco in 1945 not less than 49 Rotarians served as delegates, advisers and consultants. Rotary continues to be represented at many of the more important meetings of the United Nations and its allied agencies—specifically the Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisations in all parts of the world.

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"Freedom, justice, truth and the respect for human rights are as inherent in the Rotary movement as they are in the United Nations Declaration of 1948. I can assure you that Rotarians will continue to exert their influence and exercise their strength to help hasten the day when war need no longer be used as an instrument for settling international disputes.

"Understanding and peace are fashioned in the hearts of the ordinary men. The problem of world peace will be solved only when enough of these individuals in the world make up their mind that 'man shall no longer lift sword against man'. This is where Rotary's contribution to the United Nations is potentially the most significant because it works with ordinary men and helps them make up their minds.

"Finally," Rtn. Jerry concluded, "we reaffirm our belief and hope that within the coming decade the world will see a realisation of the Charter of the United Nations."

Rtn. Henry Chang, of the Island East Club, led those present at his Club's meeting last Wednesday to Toast the world's great organisation.

**At Rotary Last Week**

**T**HE bannerette of the Rotary Club of Tainan (Taiwan) was presented to our Club by Rtn. Ron Bennett, Acting Chairman of the International Service Committee, at our regular weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on June 22.

Presiding over the meeting in place of President John Yuen, who was still in Manila, Vice-president K. C. Goh instructed Rtn. Ron to send our bannerette to the Tainan Club to reciprocate its kindness.

Through the courtesy of the U.S.I.S., an educational film, "A for Atom", depicting various aspects of the invention and development of Atomic Energy for peaceful uses, was shown at the meeting.

Rtn. Wilson Wang thanked the U.S.I.S. on behalf of our Club, after which Vice-President K. C. adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Tainan.

At the Hong Kong Club's meeting last Tuesday, the Rev. Brother L. M. B. Cassian, Chairman of the Executive Board of the United Nations Association of Hong Kong, told Rotarians of the origin, growth and contributions towards the world of the United Nations Organisation, which observed its 10th Anniversary on June 26.

The Kowloon Club featured its programme of last week's meeting on Thursday with a film, "Blue Ice", describing the long journey of the Australian expedition ship s.s. Kista Dan from Melbourne to Antarctica to establish the Mawson post.

The Island West Club's meeting last Friday took the form of a fellowship meeting, at which the successful work undertaken by its members in holding the first Charity Ball at The Ritz on June 10 was reviewed.

**Attendance**

Twenty-two of our 30 members attended our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on June 22, representing 73.33% as follows:

Members present	.. .. .	22
.. on leave	.. .. .	4
.. absent (Edwin Tao)	.. .. .	1
.. absence excused (K. T. Wang, Seaker Chan & Jimmy Wu)	.. .. .	3
	.. .. .	—
<b>Total</b>	<b>.. .. .</b>	<b>30</b>

**VISITING ROTARIANS**

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Bill Aiton	- - - - - Honolulu
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**VISITORS**

Name	Introduced by
Mr. Conway K. Chau	- - - - - Rtn. Henry Chang
" Dick Mauley	- - - - -
" J. W. Ramsay	- - - - - " Y. L. Nie
" Robert Woo	- - - - - " Colin Cre
" M. L. Woo	- - - - -
" G. S. Stokes	- - - - - " Ben Lee

**THIS WEEK'S**

... programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

**HONG KONG (Tuesday):**

*Speaker:* Rtn. R. A. Mirams  
*Subject:* Nigeria

**KOWLOON (Thursday):**

Business Meeting

**ISLAND WEST (Thursday):**

Due to the public holiday on July 1 (Friday), the weekly meeting will be held one day earlier on Thursday, when an educational film will be shown through the courtesy of Asiatic Petroleum Co., Ltd.



### Mr. & Mrs. Charles Hwa

Miss Katherine Soo, Assistant Secretary of our Club, was married to Mr. Charles Hwa at the Marriage Registry, Supreme Court, yesterday morning, June 27. A number of our members congratulated the newly married couple at a reception held at the Gloucester Hotel yesterday afternoon. This photo by courtesy of *New Life Evening Post* (Hsin Sheng Wan Pao) was taken immediately after the wedding at the Marriage Registry.

### New Committee Chairmen

The incoming Board of Directors of our Club were invited to a dinner meeting by President-elect Ron Bennett at Winner House last Monday, June 20, when the following members were appointed to be Chairmen of various Committees for the 1955/56 Rotary Year.

The appointment of a Chairman for the Club Bulletin Committee has, however, not yet been decided, pending farther consultation with President John Yuen upon his return from Maui.

**CLUB SERVICE COMMITTEE:** Henry Chong  
*Attendance:* S. L. Yuen  
*Classification:* Ben Lee  
*Club Bulletin:* (not yet decided)  
*Decoration:* "Dragon" Y. L. Nie  
*Fellowship:* Ben Lee  
*Food:* Marsh J. Stayner  
*Magazine:* S. H. Ma  
*Membership:* Seven S. C. Suih  
*Public Information:* Pat Cha  
*Programme:* John Yuen  
*Rotary Information:* Henry Chang  
*Sergeant-at-Arms:* Edwin Tao

**COMMUNITY SERVICE COMMITTEE:** Jimmy Wu  
 Man-Hou

**INTERNATIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE:** Pat Cha

**VOCATIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE:** K. S. Chang

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JULY 5, 1955

## R.I. REJECTS OUR APPLICATION, SAYS A.A.

**R**OTARY International has rejected a formal application for re-awarding the District status to the China-Hongkong-Kowloon-Macao area, now comprising 15 Clubs with approximately 624 members. But, it has decided to re-appoint Rtn. Charlie T. F. Wei as Administrative Adviser for our region for another Rotary Year ending June 30, 1956.

This was reported to *Tung Feng* by Rtn. Charlie in a Hongkong-Taipei radio-telephone talk last Saturday. In turning down our application, according to Charlie, Rotary International has, however, assured us that the question of a District status for our area would be re-considered later this year when we would have more Clubs in our territory.

As early as on June 21, Rtn. Charlie wrote to Rotary International, proposing to R.I. President to appoint either one of the two eminent Rotarians nominated by him as his successor.

On June 24, the incoming R.I. President, A. Z. Baker, cabled Rtn. Charlie as follows:

"Will you accept re-appointment of Administrative Adviser for the China-Hongkong-Macao area for another year, beginning July 1?"

To this, Rtn. Charlie cabled "With reference to your cable of June 26, I will only consider the acceptance of my re-appointment if my recommendations made in my letter of June 21 appear undesirable. Please cable your decision."

One hour before *Tung Feng* spoke to Rtn. Charlie over the telephone last Saturday, he received another cable from President Baker, asking him to accept for the interest of Rotary work in this area the re-appointment as R.I. Administrative Adviser for another year.

### Re-Appointed A.A.



Rtn. Charlie T. F. Wei

Regarding the question of our area's District status, it may be recalled that our application was submitted to Rotary International following a resolution unanimously passed at the 1954/55 Inter-City Forum held in Taipei on April 8 and 9 last.

The resolution (text of which may be found in the April 19th issue of *Tung Feng*) was adopted upon a motion made at the Inter-City Forum by the

Father of the Rotary movement in China, Rtn. Dr. C. T. Wang, who then stated that formerly we had three Districts in China, but due to political reasons all the three Districts had been abolished by Rotary International. He further pointed out that as we now had 13 chartered Clubs with two more Clubs at I-Lan and Tai-chung (*Ed. note: since then both have been char-*

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## NEXT MEETING

Date: July 6, 1955.

Place: Winner House.

The Speaker and the subject of the talk will be announced at the meeting.

The incoming President Ron Bennett and his officers will be installed in their respective offices at this meeting.

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tered) in the process of being chartered, we would soon have a total of 15 Clubs to qualify for the District status: thus we should formally apply to Rotary International for consideration that our area be re-awarded the District status.

## Community Service Fund

THE Community Service Fund of our Club totalled \$31,398.20 at the end of the 1954/55 Rotary Year—June 30, 1955.

The Fund includes \$20,369.80, the net proceeds of our maiden Charity Ball, and \$11,028.40 raised from fines and contributions collected at our Club's 66 regular meetings since our first weekly meeting on March 31, 1954.

Thanks must be expressed to our ever-tactful and energetic Sergeant-at-Arms, Rtn. Ben Lee, and his assistants for their fine efforts in collecting such a large sum, which averaged \$170 a week.

As reported earlier, the Fund plus whatever we collect during the current Rotary Year has been earmarked for a Deaf School for underprivileged children to be built in the Causeway Bay area, adjacent to the Victoria Park, on land granted by Hong Kong Government.

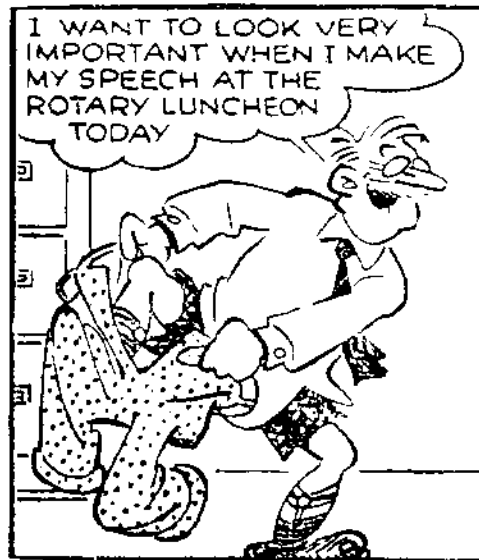
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## REMINDER

The first meeting of the Board of Directors of our Club for the 1955/56 Rotary Year will be held at Winner House on Friday, July 8, at 5.30 p.m.

Those required at the meeting are Rtns. Ron Bennett, Henry Chang, Bill Nichol, Y. F. Chen, Pat Cha, K. S. Chang, Ben Lee, Jimmy Wu, S. L. Yuen and John Yuen.

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Cartoon by Chic Young

## At Rotary Last Week

OUR June 29th regular weekly meeting at Winner House marked the end of the 1954/55 Rotary Year. On behalf of President John Yuen, who was still away in Manila, Vice-President K. C. Goh presided over the meeting and officially thanked the out-going officers and all members for their support in bringing the year to a successful close.

He also took the opportunity to extend best wishes for success to the incoming President, Ron Bennett, and the officers for the 1955/56 Rotary Year.

At the meeting our bannerette was exchanged for one of the Rotary Club of Claremont-Cottesloe, West Australia, which was represented by its visiting member, Rtn. Arthur Hatfield.

The guest speaker was Divisional Inspector P. T. Moor, of the Hong Kong Police, who gave an insight to the traffic and traffic problems in the Colony. At the conclusion of his interesting talk, many members took the opportunity of asking Insp. Moor questions pertinent to traffic problems, especially in our area.

During the course of his speech, Inspector Moor quoted the following statistics:

Hong Kong's traffic volume increased during the last three weeks by 187 new vehicles and 1,069 new drivers.

The Colony now contains 23,320 licensed vehicles, and 47,506 licensed drivers.

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## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

Annual Business Meeting at which the new officers of the Club will be installed.

KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Mr. D. E. Greenfield.  
*Subject:* The Crown Lawyer.

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

Annual Business Meeting to install the newly elected President and the officers of his "cabinet".

The present daily issue of learner licences average 250, and 125 test forms are called for.

There still remain 11,500 tests to be conducted, and the normal waiting period is still 25 weeks.

In 1954 there was a total of 4,117 accidents involving injury. So far this half year, there have been 2,158.

Inspector Moor added: "When you consider that there is only a total of approximately 430 miles of road in the Colony, and a population which now totals over 2½ million people, I think you will agree that our accident figures are not by any means alarming and do in fact compare favourably with cities of comparable size and population in other countries.

<sup>1</sup> "The authorities are not unmindful of the basic incongruity of mounting traffic and mounting population in relation to the near static mileage of public highways. Many road improvements have recently been completed and many more are under consideration.

"One of our major problems is parking. This is closely related to the obstruction of vehicles and pedestrians and the interference of traffic flow.

"Now, you might well ask what are the authorities doing to combat this problem. Let me state quite categorically that the authorities are providing and intend to continue to provide parking facilities wherever possible. For those who require to park in the Central District there is the Central Reclamation which provides accommodation for 700 vehicles.

"Then there is the Murray Parade Ground car park made available to the public through the

kindness of the Army Authorities. At the rear of the Roxy Theatre another car park has been made available to the public and will accommodate 75 vehicles.

"Parking is of course permitted on major roads where the road is sufficiently wide so that parked vehicles will in no way interfere or obstruct traffic flow.

"A typical example of bad parking is the motorist who parks his vehicle opposite a tramway refuge.

"To-day the authorities in the Colony are faced with the problem of the modern day traffic flow and transportation system, which requires the providing of wide and first class roads; parking facilities, beacons, traffic lights, signs, painting of roadways, and many methods, in an attempt to improve traffic conditions generally. But it is interesting to recall that the first motor vehicle appeared on the roads of the Colony in 1906. To-day we have 23,500 vehicles, not including Military vehicles on the roads of the Colony and this number is increasing at a rate of 3,000 a year.

"I think you will agree that no amount of improvement or legislation will be beneficial unless we have the undivided co-operation of every member of the public. A good driver is essentially courteous. The rights of others should be more important to him than his own selfish interests. He gives full attention to the vehicle he controls, realising that a fraction of a second of distraction may mean disfigurement, injury or death to himself or to others.

"To-day I would like to quote the following regulation for your information: Regulation 21.—'A driver shall not be in such a position while his vehicle is on the road that he does not have full control over his vehicle.'

## INDUCTION OF NEW MEMBERS

Mr. Conway K. Chau and Mr. Leslie George Young, whose qualifications, classifications and other pertinent particulars were published in the June 7th issue of *Tung Feng*, will be inducted as new members of our Club by President Ron Bennett at tomorrow's regular meeting.

Mr. Chau was proposed by Vice-President Henry Chang and Mr. Young by President Ron Bennett. They will be known to our members as Conway and Brig, respectively.

"To explain this regulation, I must inform you that there is no law which states what is the maximum number of passengers that may be carried in a vehicle. It can be seen daily vehicles travelling on the roads of the Colony packed tight with passengers. It is sometimes amazing to me that they can get so many people into a vehicle but the fact remains that they manage somehow. Now as I have said there is no law which states the number of passengers to be carried in a private vehicle but if the authorities can prove that the driver did not have full control of his vehicle, then he may be dealt with under Regulation 21.

"We are endeavouring to guide the general public by means of publicity in the press, radio broadcasts, road-safety lectures, traffic exhibitions and the publication of the Highway Codes.

"You may be interested to know that we have completed a series of lectures to schools in the Colony totalling 42 schools and lectures have been given to over 20,000 children. The majority of these children that we have been lecturing are impressed and receptive, and ready to accept authority, and I believe we are making progress. I must say that reception received at the schools by traffic officers has been most satisfactory.

"On the other hand, an adult is less easy to reach and in many cases, thinks he has heard it all before and does not apply to him. I think you Gentlemen will agree that it is up to everyone and not just one section of the public to make the roads of the Colony safe for everybody. It applies to motorists, cyclists, pedestrians, grown-ups and children alike to do what he or she, can to improve traffic conditions in the Colony.

"Some of you Gentlemen, here to-day may have your own little traffic problems. You live in certain areas from which you travel to and from your place of work daily and you may notice some little traffic problem. We shall appreciate it if you will bring the matter to our attention. It may be a means of improving the efficiency of traffic conditions."

The speaker was thanked by Rtn. Bill Nichol after which Vice-President K. C. Goh adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Claremont-Cottesloe, West Australia.

#### OTHER CLUBS' MEETING

**HONG KONG CLUB:** Members and visiting Rotarians as well as their guests heard an informative talk on Nigeria by Rtn. Rex Miraus, who related some of his personal experiences during the 10 years he spent in that country.

**KOWLOON CLUB:** It was a closed business meeting at which incoming President Reggie Shun Wah and his officers were installed in office.

**ISLAND WEST CLUB:** Fellow members and guests saw a film entitled "Venezuela Looks Ahead" which was provided by the courtesy of Shell Company, Ltd., Hong Kong.

#### Attendance

Of our 30 members, 24 attended our last regular weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on June 26, representing 80% as follows:

Members present . . . . .	24
.. on leave . . . . .	4
.. absence excused (Fred Tan and Tom Freeman) . . . . .	2
Total . . . . .	30

#### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Arthur Hatfield . . . . .	Claremont-Cottesloe, West Australia

#### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. G. S. Stokes . . . . .	Rtn. J. C. Bao
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HENRY CHANG

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## NEW PRESIDENTS & OFFICERS INSTALLED

**W**ITH the exception of those of the Kowloon Club who assumed their posts a week earlier, the current year's Presidents and Officers of the Rotary Clubs of Hong Kong, Hongkong Island East and Hongkong Island West, were installed during simple, dignified ceremonies held separately at last week's regular meetings.

The handing over of the Presidency to Jerry O'Donnell at the Hong Kong Club last Tuesday was performed by Past-President George Lin acting on behalf of the immediate Past-President W. V. Pennell who had left the Colony on home leave. At our meeting Ron Bennett took over from immediate Past-President John Yuan, and C. N. Li, at the Island West meeting last Friday, from immediate Past-President H. C. Fung.

The procedure in introducing the Chairmen of various Committees under the Club Service Committee was slightly different. The introduction at the Hong Kong Club was conducted by President Jerry, but at our Club and at the Island West Club it was made by Vice-President Henry Chang and T. Y. Lo, respectively, who both were concurrently Chairmen of the Club Service Committees.

After the handing over ceremony, our Club presented a Past-President's pin to John, who together with Past Vice-President K. C. Goh each received a souvenir in the form of a Rotary Bell.

In the course of the ceremony, out-going President John said:

"Today is our Club Coronation Day, so to speak, when I am privileged as a retiring Founder-President to invest Rtn. Ron Bennett with the Presidency. All the members know well enough why Ron has been given this honour. The answer should be obvious that you members have fully exercised your self-expression during the recent election of incoming officers and directors.

"Since this Club was founded in March 1954, it has been enjoying steady growth in administration and membership. It now appears to be a grown-up youth full of initiative and strength.

"For your information I wish to point out that your outgoing officers and directors have served five months more than the usual Rotary year of 12 months, rendering a total of 17 months' service. We started off our year with the joint charter celebration of Island East and

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West which was unparalleled in the history of Rotary extension in this area. The year of our office was also marked by the Celebration of Rotary's Golden Anniversary. This Club was especially unfortunate to have the actual birthday of Rotary falling on our regular weekly meeting in Feb. 23rd 1955 when we were the host to a joint meeting of all Clubs in Hong Kong, Kowloon and Macao. No anniversary celebration could have had been a more colourful and memorable than that gathering.

"Turning to the direct activities of this Club, I would first of all wish to express my gratitude to the outgoing Vice-President K. C. Goh, Hon. Secretary Pat Cha and Hon. Treasurer Dragon Nie and other chairmen of various committees for their fine work and assistance. Special tribute should be given to Chairman Tom Freeman who successfully organized our maiden Charity Bal. from which a valuable sum of money was raised for our community project. In this connection the incoming President Ron should be commended for his successful effort in getting from the government a piece of land, adjacent to the Victoria Park at Causeway Bay, for building a school for the deaf. We deeply appreciate Hon. Treasurer Y. F. Chen's offer to build this school at 10 per cent below actual cost. High credit is due to incoming Vice-President Henry Chang, who has built up our Club Weekly Bulletin, *Tung Feng*, to win high commendation from members of fellow clubs in this area.

"Regarding the attendance record of our members, it maintained a high average and the incoming officers hope to better the average to 90%. However, it is gratifying to report that there are 16 Rotarians out of 30 members who have 100% attendance while Rtn. Joe Pao has individually an unchallenged attendance record of 400% including his attendance at other clubs.

"It is worthy to note that our term of office has been exceedingly strenuous. Personally, I feel it has been for me a historical year of my service to Rotary as a founder president. My duty could not have been so successfully performed without the splendid cooperation that you all have kindly rendered.

"I will only say that I have served the club with my good intentions of contributing towards the club organization and administration. On my retirement from the Presidency, my feelings do not permit me to suspend the deep acknowledgement of that debt of gratitude which I owe to my beloved club for the honour it has conferred upon me and for the confidence with which you members have supported me.

"Before concluding, I wish to offer my best wishes to my successor, Rtn. Ron, who has a charming personality with good experience and efficiency. Assisted by the incoming Vice-President Henry Chang who has always been a willing worker, it gives them a strong combination. I am sure you will all be happy under them and they will assure you a successful Rotary year to come. Also I wish other incoming officers and directors success. Now it is my happy duty to invest Rtn. Ron with the Presidency."



Out-going President John Yuen hands over the President's Sash to incoming President Ron Bennett. This and the other photo appearing in this issue of *Tung Feng* were by courtesy of *New Life Evening Post* (Hsin Sheng Wan Pao).



Out-going Secretary's Nichol.

### Attendance

Of our 29 members, 24 attended last week's meeting at Winner House on July 6, representing 82.75% as follows:

Members present	24
" on leave	3
" absence excused (Edwin Tao)	1
" absent (Seaker Chan)	1
Total	29

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. C. N. Li	Island West
" H. C. Fung	"
" T. Y. Lo	"
" C. K. Ho	"
" Henry To	"
" C. T. Wang	Hong Kong
" Gin D. Su	"
" P. Y. Koo	"
" M. N. Master	"
" R. G. Mukherji	Calcutta
" A. L. Baker	Stockton, Calif.
" Frank Farrell	S. Amboy, New Jersey

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. R. O. Hughes	Rtn. J. C. Bao
" Tony Lim	" Wilson Wang
" Big Young	" Ron Bennett
" Conway K. Chan	" Henry Chang
" G. S. Stokes	" S. L. Yuen
" John Huel	" S. W. Zao
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Out-going Hon. Secretary Pat Cha presents the Secretary's Sash to incoming Hon. Secretary Bill Nichol.

### 17th Board Meeting

**A** COMBINED meeting of the outgoing and incoming members of the Board of Directors of our Club was held at Winner House last Friday, July 8. It was presided over by the new President Ron Bennett and attended by Rtns. John Yuen, Bill Nichol, Pat Cha, K. S. Chang, Y. F. Chen, Jimmy Wu, S. L. Yuen and Henry Chang (incoming) and Rtns. "Dragon" Y. L. Nie, K. C. Goh and S. H. Ma (outgoing).

After confirming the minutes of the 16th Board meeting, the Directors recorded with deep regret the departure of Rtn. Tom Freeman. Tom who had rendered much valuable services to our Club had automatically lost his membership due to his recent transfer from Hong Kong to Taipei. Hon. Secretary Bill was instructed to write a letter expressing our sincere appreciation to Tom and another to the Taipei Rotary Club with our strong recommendation that Tom be admitted into the Taipei Club as soon as a proper classification for Tom's vocation becomes open.

Other resolutions adopted included:

1) That the Hon. Treasurer for the 1954/55 Year have our Club's account books and statement for the year ended June 30, 1955, audited and submitted for approval to the next Board meeting.

#### 2) Luncheon Charge Increase

That the luncheon at future weekly meetings as from tomorrow be charged at \$7 per head instead of \$6 and payable by all in cash at the attendance table.

### Two New Members

**O**UR Club started the 1955-56 Rotary Year with 31 members following the induction of two new Rotarians by President Ron Bennett at our last meeting on July 6.

The two members are Rtns. Conway K. Chau and "Brig" Leslie George Young, whose qualifications and classifications were published in the June 7th issue of *Tung Fong*.

Rtn. Conway, born on August 26, 1910, was graduated from Queen's College in 1929. He obtained his Bachelor of Law degree from the Comparative Law School of China, Soochow University, and was in 1932 called to the Bar in Shanghai. He practised in the Northern metropolis as an attorney-at-law from 1932 to 1949 (except during the Japanese occupation period). He came to Hong Kong in 1950 and joined the Hong Kong Bottlers, Fed. Inc. U.S.A. (authorised bottlers for Coca-Cola) as Sales Manager for the Hong Kong area. His fellow colleague, Rtn. C. C. R. Shekury, is a member of the Hong Kong Rotary Club.

Rtn. Brig was born in London on August 13, 1912, and educated at the Chelsea Polytechnic & South of England College of Pharmacy, becoming a qualified pharmacist in 1937. He joined the Royal Navy in 1939 as a pharmacist and held various appointments in the United Kingdom until 1949, when he was posted to Brisbane, Australia. At the end of the Second World War, Brig brought the stores and equipment from Australia to Hong Kong for the Royal Navy Hospital and helped to set it up at the Queen Mary Hospital.

He was at one time a medical store officer to the British Pacific Fleet and in 1948 joined the Hong Kong Government service as a pharmacist until April the following year when he joined A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd. and now is the manager of the company's chemical manufacturing department.

A keen sportsman and a talented radio commentator, Rtn. Brig has been helping Radio Hong Kong broadcasting sports events on many occasions. He is the Hon. Treasurer of the Amateur Sports Federation and Olympic Committee of Hong Kong, and Chairman of the Hong Kong Referees Association, in addition to being Acting Chairman of the Hong Kong Boxing Association and member of the Children's Playground Association, Council of Social Services and Pool Grounds Committee.

3) That expenses incurred by various Committees be reported to the Board meeting every month.

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## 1955-56 Officers

The following are the Presidents, Officers and Chairmen of the various Committees of the four Rotary Clubs in the Colony, who have assumed their posts for the 1955-56 Rotary Year as of July 1, 1955:

### H.K. ISLAND EAST CLUB:

*President:* Ron Bennett  
*Vice-President:* Henry Chang  
*Hon. Secretary:* Bill Nichol  
*Hon. Treasurer:* Y. F. Chen  
*Directors:* Pat Cha, K. S. Chang, Ben Lee, S. C. Shih, Jimmy Wu, S. L. Yuen and John Yuen (*ex-officio*)

### CLUB SERVICE COMMITTEE: Henry Chang

*Attendance:* S. L. Yuen  
*Classification:* Ben Lee  
*Club Bulletin:* Henry Chang  
*Decoration:* "Dragon" Y. L. Nie  
*Fellowship:* Ben Lee  
*Food:* Marsh J. Stayner  
*Magazine:* S. H. Ma  
*Membership:* Sever S. C. Shih  
*Publication Information:* Pat Cha  
*Programme:* John Yuen  
*Rotary Information:* Henry Chang  
*Sergeant-at-Arms:* Edwin Tao

### COMMUNITY SERVICE COMMITTEE: Jimmy Wu Man-Hon

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 VOCATIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE: K. S. Chang

### H.K. ISLAND WEST CLUB:

*President:* C. N. Li  
*Vice-President:* T. Y. Lo  
*Hon. Secretary:* P. C. Chang  
*Hon. Treasurer:* Hsu Shih Yu  
*Directors:* Au-Young Pak Chuen, C. K. Ho, Li Shu Fan, K. S. Lo, Henry Tang, Tse Yu-Chuen and H. C. Fung (*ex-officio*)

### CLUB SERVICE COMMITTEE: T. Y. Lo

*Attendance:* Wong Yau Yu  
*Classification:* Kaan Se-Lenk  
*Club Bulletin:* Au-Young Pak Chuen  
*Fellowship:* Henry Tang  
*Magazine:* Henry To  
*Membership:* Tse Yu-Chuen  
*Public Information:* P. T. Long  
*Programme:* Li Shu Fan  
*Rotary Information:* P. C. Chang  
*Sergeant-at-Arms:* Chu Ping  
*Asst. Sergeant-at-Arms:* Henry To

### COMMUNITY SERVICE COMMITTEE: K. S. Lo

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE: C. K. Ho  
 VOCATIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE: H. C. Fung

### HONG KONG CLUB:

*President:* Jerry O'Donnell  
*Vice-President:* Gin D. Su  
*Hon. Secretary:* R. Ross Connelis  
*Hon. Treasurer:* D. P. Sarin  
*Directors:* W. S. Andersson, Paul Blattmann, Jack Eng, L. P. Kwok, R. J. Pic-

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Hon. Mr. Leo D'Almada e Castro, C.B.E., Q.C.  
*Subject:* Hong Kong Today

### KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Mr. B. Bernacchi  
*Subject:* Hong Kong Sea Training School and Boys Camp

### ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Mr. C. G. M. Morrison, Acting Social Welfare Officer  
*Subject:* Civil Aid Service

ciotto, Wilfred S. B. Wong and W. V. Pennell (*ex-officio*). Past-President George Lin will act for Kin Pennell during the latter's absence from Hong Kong.

### CLUB SERVICE COMMITTEE: Gin D. Su

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*Fellowship:* R. J. Picciotto  
*Food:* Joe Wolfe  
*Magazine:* Alfred S. C. Ho  
*Membership:* Jack Eng  
*Programme:* A. de O. Sales  
*Public Information:* C. C. R. Shekury  
*Rotary Information:* R. E. Harper  
*Sergeant-at-Arms:* R. E. Harper

### COMMUNITY SERVICE COMMITTEE: L. P. Kwok

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE: George Lin  
*International Student Project:* D. J. S. Crozier  
 VOCATIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE: Paul Blattmann

### KOWLOON CLUB:

*President:* Reggie Shun Wah  
*Vice-President:* J. Moodie  
*Hon. Secretary:* O. R. Sadick  
*Hon. Treasurer:* H. N. Harilefa  
*Directors:* D. C. Edwins, Lim Hoy Lan, F. T. Melwani, D. Scott, C. F. Wood, J. C. L. Wong and W. T. Grimsdale (*ex-officio*)

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### CLUB SERVICE COMMITTEE: J. Moodie

*Classification:* C. F. Wood  
*Fellowship:* J. C. L. Wong  
*Programme:* O. F. Hamilton

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## HONG KONG CITIZENSHIP DESCRIBED BY SPEAKER

**T**HE difference between a Hong Kong resident and a Hong Kong citizen was defined by Mr. Hilton Cheong-Leen, Hon. Secretary of the Civic Association, when he spoke at our regular weekly meeting at Winner House last Wednesday.

Presiding over the meeting, President Ron Bennett warmly welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests and presented our bannerette to Rtn. K. Saura, of the Shiogama Club in Japan.

Hon. Secretary Bill Nichol reminded members to send their cheques (\$65) to Hon. Treasurer Y. F. Chen in payment of their dues for the six-month period ending December 31, 1955. Sergeant-at-Arms Edwin Tao helped the Club to collect \$111 for the Community Service Fund.

At the end of Mr. Cheong-Leen's speech, newly conducted Rtn. Brig Young thanked the speaker, after which President Ron adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Shiogama.

In his speech on "Hong Kong Citizenship", Mr. Cheong-Leen, who is also Joint Secretary of the United Nations Association (Hong Kong), said:

"Some months ago, a man who had come down from Shanghai as a refugee told me that he regarded himself as a fourth-class citizen of Hong Kong. I asked him what he meant by that, and he said: 'The first-class citizens are the United Kingdom born British subjects and the high Government officials; second-class citizens are the local-born British subjects and others who, by virtue of their knowledge of the English language, are able to vote at the Urban Council elections; thirdly, we have the rich Chinese who are able to get what they want by the judicious use of influence and money; fourth and last comes the rest of the population. I am not even sure I am a fourth-class citizen because I am a refugee from Shanghai'.

"Personally, I do not agree that citizenship is something which can be divided into different classes, and it is obvious this person did not know that legally speaking there is no such entity as a 'Hong Kong citizen'. We have Hong Kong residents but no Hong Kong citizens. Speaking in general terms and avoiding technicalities, any person born in Hong Kong or who becomes naturalized in Hong Kong is a 'British subject: citizen of the United Kingdom and Colonies' under the British Nationality Act 1948. Hong Kong, as a Crown Colony, does not have its own citizenship laws, as is the case with Canada, Australia, India, Ceylon, and other self-governing Member

Next Meeting: July 20, 1955

Speaker: Rtn. Guy Harden

Subject: Graphic Art

## Rtn. KWOK CHAN HONOURED

Rtn. Kwok Chan, Past President of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong, was the recipient of the French insignia of Chevalier de la Legion d'Honneur at a reception held last Thursday to mark the National Day of France.

The honour was conferred on Rtn. K. C. by the President of France in recognition of his services in promoting trade between France and Hong Kong.

Rtn. K. C. is the Chinese manager of the Banque de l'Indo-Chine's Hong Kong branch.

States within the Commonwealth.

"A simple and practical definition of a Hong Kong resident is 'one who resides in Hong Kong'. So long as he obeys the laws and cooperates wherever possible in the maintenance of public order and security, the Hong Kong resident is permitted to go about his business as he pleases. He does not have to do anything for the welfare of the community if he does not want to. In fact, every person in Hong Kong, with the exception of tourists, transit passengers and temporary visitors, may be called a Hong Kong resident.

"Let us now ask ourselves the question: 'Can we look forward to the day when we can call ourselves Hong Kong citizens?' I would not like to make a positive statement on this question today, but indeed would prefer to point out what are the conditions necessary, in my opinion, for the status of a 'Hong Kong citizen' to be achieved both in actual fact and in law.

"The future Hong Kong citizen, besides being just a resident, must in a greater degree than at present is the case, be willing and able to share the responsibility for what is happening here and for the making of the laws which all of us without exception must obey. He must consider Hong Kong as his permanent home, and must be willing to defend it if necessary. He must be willing to give the time and thought required for studying the activities of government and to participate in political life. He must be willing to exercise the franchise, to run for and to hold office. In short, he must be civic-minded and must zealously promote the security, welfare and prosperity of Hong Kong.

"Broadly speaking, we get the type of government we deserve, and our own individual actions are decisive, as much as by our ignorance and neglect as by our understanding and sustained interest in the workings of government. In Hong Kong, which is at present representative of a highly developed and efficient form of colonial government, the seeds of liberal democratic ideals have already been sown in fertile soil. Unless we accept these ideals as the bedrock foundation of government, we will soon find ourselves sinking into the quicksands of an ideological pattern that will aim at nothing short of dictatorship.

"Here in Hong Kong, where 99% of our population is of the Chinese race, it is incumbent for us to seek some synthesis of the Chinese temperament and way of life with the liberal democratic values of the British political system, upon which the government in Hong Kong is fundamentally based. If the British political system—and for that matter Western technology which is playing such an important role in our

lives today—is to be thoroughly understood, a sound knowledge of the English language is a great asset. It is therefore essential for more Chinese to become bilingual, to be well-versed not only in our own native tongue but in the English language as well.

"As you will have read in to-day's newspapers, certain suggestions are being aired in London to have Hong Kong eventually promoted to some sort of 'New Dominion' status. I do not think we need worry ourselves that if such a status should be created we in Hong Kong would have to immediately undergo drastic constitutional changes, such as the election of a Prime Minister and Cabinet Ministers, and so on. It would simply mean that if and when we achieve responsible government, such as is the case with Malaya, we would be entitled to ask Whitehall to confer on us the 'New Dominion' status.

"As was pointed out in the February issue of the Civic Association Newsletter, a colony is normally expected to go through five stages before it arrives at self-government. We in Hong Kong are now in the second stage, which is the formation of an electorate. How soon we can arrive at the third stage whereby the electorate assumes control of the Legislature through the system of electing members to the Legislative Council will depend upon the extent to which we can develop here an ever growing electorate of people who have the qualities of responsible citizenship. So you see in terms of constitutional progress we are still far away from any so-called 'New Dominion' status.

"I am all for constitutional reform in Hong Kong but such reform should neither be precipitate nor disruptive of the political and economic stability which we in Hong Kong have so far enjoyed. At any rate, the various suggestions which are presently being made in London on this subject do merit careful study by local political organizations. I can assure you, as Secretary of the Civic Association, that such suggestions will be thoroughly examined by the Civic Association in relation to what they can accomplish to raise the standard of living of the people and to promote the general welfare.

"In conclusion, let me say that being potential Hong Kong citizens, we have unique sights and obligations. We have the right to be respected as individuals instead of being looked upon as mere cogs in the machinery of the state; we have the right to exercise the franchise and to ask for an increasing share in the governing of Hong Kong; the right to seek our own happiness and the fuller development of our individual personalities. We are at the same time obligated to study and understand the workings of government, and to use our rights to promote the welfare of the people of Hong Kong. And while we are going about it, let us also try to bring together East and West until the day will come when we can truly say 'Within the Four Seas, all men are brothers'."

## ISLAND WEST LOSES 3 MEMBERS

The Hongkong Island West Club recently lost three members who have resigned because of poor health and pressure of work. They are Messrs. Chan Yau Yiu, Pang Sing Ping and Chan Ching To.

The present strength of the Island West Club is 30 members.

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### Other Clubs' Meetings

At the Hong Kong Club meeting last Tuesday, the Hon. Leo d'Almeida also touched upon the subject of constitutional reform and referred to some of the difficulties which any change in the constitution would bring in Hong Kong. He observed that there was no general clamour for constitutional changes in the Colony and that most of the population were only temporary residents here with no real interest in it.

Fellow Rotarians present at the Kowloon and Island West Clubs' meetings last week were told of the history, organization and activities of the Civil Aid Service and of the Hong Kong Sea Training School by Mr. C. G. M. Morrison, Acting Social Welfare Officer, and Mr. Brook Bernacchi, respectively.

### H. C. & Tom Honoured

Rtn. H. C. Fung, Past President of the Rotary Club of Hongkong Island West, and ex-Rtn. Tom Freeman were guests of honour at a dinner party given by members of our Club at Winner House last Wednesday night.

Prior to dinner, members of the Board of Directors held a meeting at which it was resolved to donate HK\$200 to the Keelung Club for sending a Scholarship student to the United States for further studies.

### Club Attendance Record

**T**HE attendance record of our Club as a whole averaged 81.83% weekly in the 15 months ended June 31, 1955, according to a report by the out-going Chairman of the Attendance Committee, Rtn. F. C. Fogg.

The figures were compiled from the 66 regular weekly meetings held by our Club since its inception on April 7, 1954, to the end of the 1954/55 Rotary Year.

Details of the weekly attendance are as follows:

Meeting	Total No. of Members	Present	Percentage
April 7, 1954	27	21	77.7
14	27	21	77.7
22	27	20	74.7
28	27	24	88.8
May 5	27	23	85.0
12	27	22	81.4
19	25	23	92.0
26	25	24	96.0
June 2	25	23	92.0
9	25	22	88.0
16	25	22	88.0
23	25	24	96.0
30	25	22	88.0
July 7	24	23	95.83
14	24	20	83.33
21	24	19	79.16
28	24	20	83.33
Aug. 4	24	20	83.33
11	24	21	87.5
18	24	21	87.5
25	24	21	87.5
Sept. 1	28	24	85.71
8	28	26	92.85
15	28	24	85.71
22	28	25	89.28

### THIS WEEK'S

programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

#### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. John Yuen

*Subject:* Club Service

#### KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. W. J. Blackie, Director of Agriculture, Fisheries & Forestry Department.

*Subject:* New Zealand

#### ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Prof. Chien Mo, of the Hong Kong University

*Subject:* 中國儒家思想對於人類新文化之可能貢獻

	29	28	21	75.00
Oct. 5	28	26	92.85	
13	28	24	85.71	
16	28	22	78.57	
20	28	25	89.28	
27	30	27	90.0	
Nov. 3	30	22	73.33	
10	30	27	93.10	
17	30	25	86.20	
24	30	27	93.10	
Dec. 1	29	24	82.75	
8	29	26	89.65	
15	29	22	75.86	
22	29	25	86.21	
29	29	24	82.76	
Jan. 5, 1955	29	25	86.21	
12	29	24	82.75	
19	29	23	79.31	
26	29	21	72.41	
Feb. 2	29	25	86.21	
9	29	22	75.99	
16	29	23	79.31	
23	29	22	75.86	
March 2	29	22	75.86	
9	29	23	79.31	
16	29	20	68.97	
23	29	23	79.31	
30	29	23	79.31	
April 6	28	19	67.85	
13	28	19	67.85	
20	28	21	75.00	
27	28	19	67.85	
May 4	28	18	64.21	
11	30	22	73.33	
18	30	23	76.60	
25	30	21	70.00	
June 1	30	19	63.33	
8	30	24	80.00	
15	30	24	80.00	
22	30	22	73.33	
29	30	24	80.00	
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## Rotary Attendance Record

**S**EVENTEEN members of our Club achieved a 100% or over attendance record by the end of the 1954/55 Rotary Year, it was disclosed in a report compiled by Rtn. Y. C. Fogg, Past Chairman of the Attendance Committee.

Topping the record is Rtn. Joe Bao, whose 400% figure gives him the honour of being the attendance champion among all Rotarians in the Colony.

Our Past President John Yuen was the runner-up with 207.57% and Vice-President Henry Chang came third with 142.42%, while ex-member Tom Freeman took fourth place with 136.36% by attending 90 Rotary meetings, including 49 which he attended during his several months of home leave in the United States.

The 17 members achieving 100% attendance record in order are Rtns. Joe Bao, John Yuen, Henry Chang, Tom Freeman, Ron Bennett, Pat Cha, "Dragon" Y. L. Nie, Seven S. C. Shih, Wilson Wang, Bill Nichol, Ben Lee, Jimmy Wu, S. L. Yuen, Y. C. Fogg, K. T. Wang, Edwin Tao and Alex Shang.

Particulars of individual's records follow:

From April 1954 to June 1955:  
(66 meetings)

Name	Meetings Attended	Leave	Excused	Absent	Other Clubs	Total	Percentage
Pat Cha	66				23	89	134.84
Seaker Chan	44			5	1	45	68.18
Henry Chang	61	2	3		33	94	142.42
K. S. Chang	53	11	1	1	2	55	83.33
Y. F. Chen	65			1		65	98.48
Y. C. Fogg	62	3	1		4	66	100.00
Tom Freeman	41	23	2		49	90	136.36
Joe Fung	21	41	3		26	47	71.21
K. C. Goh	62		4		2	64	96.96
Hsi Yu-l	44		20	2		44	66.66
Ben Lee	65		2		4	69	104.54
S. H. Ma	52		13	1		53	80.30
Dragon Nie	60	5	1		18	78	118.18
Bill Nicoll	55	10	1		17	72	109.09
Seven Shih	45	19	2		33	78	118.18
K. T. Wang	65		1			66	100.00

Wilson Wang	59	4	4	14	73	110.00	
Jimmy Wu	63		3	6	69	104.54	
Omar Yang	59		4	2	2	63	95.45
Alan Yin	32	31	2	1	14	46	69.69
John Yuen	57	9			80	137	207.57
S. L. Yuen	58		6	2	9	67	101.51
S. W. Zao	63		5		1	64	96.96

From September 1954 to June 1955:  
(45 meetings)

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Ron Bennett	45	16	61	135.55		
Joe Bao	45		135	180	400.00	
Fred Tan	41	3	1	1	42	93.33
Edwin Tao	41	3	1	4	45	100.00

From October 1954 to June 1955:  
(37 meetings)

Marsh Stayner	26	6	5		26	70.27
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From May to June 1955:  
(8 meetings)

Y. D. Soo	2	6		2	4	50.00	
Alex Shang	7		1		1	8	100.00

## Attendance

Twenty-five of our 31 members attended our last weekly meeting at Winner House on July 13, representing 82.9% as follows:

Members present	25
" on leave	2
" absence excused	3
" absent (Rtn. Seaker Chan)	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>31</b>

We missed Rtns. Hsi Yu-l, S. H. Ma and Marsh Stayner, whose absence was excused.

## VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Colin Ure	Hong Kong
" S. Y. Lam	"
" J. E. Sandbach	"
" Kikujira Saura	Shiogama, Japan

## VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. G. S. Stokes	Rtn. H. C. Yang
" Alex Wu	" S. Y. Lam
" Ian Macfee	" Brig Young
" Hilton Cheong-Leeu	Guest Speaker
" Tom Freeman	Rtn. Y. L. Nie
" H. Ramaratnam	" K. C. Goh
" S. K. Young	" Jimmy Wu

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## WHY R. I. REJECTED OUR APPLICATION

**W**HY did Rotary International refuse to reward to our area the District status? The reason was explained by immediate Past-President E. T. Tsu of the Taipei Club when he addressed the Keelung Club in Taiwan recently.

At the time of our application made by Administrative Adviser Charlie T. F. Wei there were 15 chartered clubs in the China-Hongkong-Kowloon-Macao area. This qualified our area for a District status.

It may be recalled that a brief account reporting Rotary International's decision, without giving the reasons, was first given by Administrative Adviser Charlie T. F. Wei and published in the July 5th issue of *Tung Feng*.

Speaking at the July 5th meeting of the Keelung Club at which the new President and Officers for the 1955/56 Rotary Year were installed, Rtn. E. T. was quoted by *Rainbow* (weekly bulletin of the Keelung Club) as saying:

"Rotary International have sent a cable re-appointing Rtn. Charlie to be our Administrative Adviser for the coming year. According to R.I. rules, an Administrative Adviser must be a Past-Governor to hold this office.

"As to our being able to resume a District

Organisation in this area, it seems that this will not be possible this year.

"While we do have 15 Clubs, the Board of Directors of Rotary International think we should have more than this number and will notify us what they think a reasonable goal before we are organised as a District.

"Furthermore, it is necessary that the Governor of the District be nominated well in advance of the R.I. Annual Meeting and that he attended the week's training course known as the Governor's Conference, which precedes the Annual Meeting of R.I.

"Since we did not do this prior to the R.I. Golden Anniversary Convention between May 29 and June 2, 1955, it means that we must wait another year before we will have another chance for this goal.

"Actually the Governor should be nominated sometime between December and February so that the Board of Directors of R.I. can recognise him and invite him to this Governor's Conference."

Past-President E. T., however, assured the Keelung Club members that "we will set our goal for this next year; and we surely should attain it this time."

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Dr. Michael Bialoguski telling "The Petrov Story" at our last regular luncheon meeting. This and the other two photos (taken at our meeting on July 5) were by courtesy of *New Life Evening Post* (Hsin Sheng Wan Pao).

### At Rotary Last Week

**A** VIVID description of the events preceding and during the defection of Vladimir Petrov, a Russian spy leader in Australia, to the Democratic Camp, was told at our last week's luncheon meeting at Winner House on July 20, by Dr. Michael Bialoguski, the Australian security "undercover agent" who was chiefly responsible for Petrov's defection.

In the course of the meeting, President Ron Bennett welcomed back Rtn. Seven Shih, who acquired for our Club the bannerettes of four Australian Clubs (Hawthorne, Sydney, Melbourne and Adelaide) during his 10 weeks' stay in that country.

Dr. Bialoguski told the story of a simple Russian peasant's son, working at a Siberian blacksmith's forge at the age of nine "and living like an animal."

The reason for the defection, and for Russian fears for the whole of their security system and for the loyalty of all diplomatic representatives overseas was boldly sketched by Dr. Bialoguski.

It was a theory based on one basic fault in Soviet and Communist State, he said. There was in the Communist State denial of four basic human instincts—the instinctive need of man for a religion; for property; for freedom of expression, movement, and thought; and for love.

The results of suppression of the human personality in Soviet Russia, he claimed, result-

### THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Mr. M. J. Muspratt-Williams

*Subject:* Hong Kong's New Airport Project

KOWLOON (Thursday):

Business Meeting

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Mr. Ng Po Luen

*Subject:* Beauty Spots in Hong Kong

ed in the perversion of the whole personality so that Russians were not now the same, and did not have the same reactions, as men in the free world.

But place any pervert in a normal situation and he might gradually become aware of a sense of pleasure to be derived from ordinary things, Dr. Bialoguski said. This fact, for the Soviet citizen, was the unconscious beginning of defection to the West.

In the case of Petrov, the process began in July, 1951, on his meeting Dr. Bialoguski, a trusted member of almost all Communist front organisations in Australia.

Petrov grew gradually into a confidant who used to visit the Doctor frequently and stayed with him in his flat two or three times a month.

The Australian authorities, in true Hollywood style, he said, had planned to confront the wife with her husband at Sydney airport. They knew the two were devoted and so believed that she would be overcome to see him.

Dr. Bialoguski, however, guessed that the very reverse would happen. Mrs. Petrov had suffered severely after her husband's defection. Her first reaction on seeing him would have been to blame him, as indeed she had done a few days earlier. Then she would have stormed away to the plane, and been received as a heroine in Russia.

As it was, it transpired that a lonely 10 hours' flight to Darwin and the unwelcome attentions of two very rough Russian guards did for the Australian authorities what no Australian authority could have done for itself. By the time she reached Darwin, she was prepared to face anything rather than another moment in the company of her guards.

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## Other Clubs' Meetings

THE GUEST speaker at the Hong Kong Club's meeting last Thursday was none other than our immediate Past-President John Yuen who gave a comprehensive talk on the various aspects of Club Service.

A Kowloon Club last Thursday, Rtn. W. J. Blackie, Director of the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry, spoke on "The Land of the Maori" (New Zealand), tracing the various races of earlier migrants into that country and describing the beautiful scenery of New Zealand.

Prof. Chen Mu, of the Hong Kong University, told members of Island West Club last Friday on the possible influence of Confucius brought on the world's new culture. He outlined briefly the stark conflicts in present-day religion, science and philosophy and expressed his belief that ancient Confucius thought might neutralise these conflicts in the future.

Control that she fully intended to return to Russia when she left Sydney. The sight of her husband at Sydney airport, after he had caused so much trouble, would have increased her determination.

But, touchingly, she also said to the man who searched her husband's pockets while he slept, and was the chief witness for the Australian Government when the Petrov case went to Court, that they were both grateful for everything that had happened, and for everything that he had done.

But a story that was not told was the Doctor's own battle to return to normal after 10 years of play acting in the Australian Security organisation.

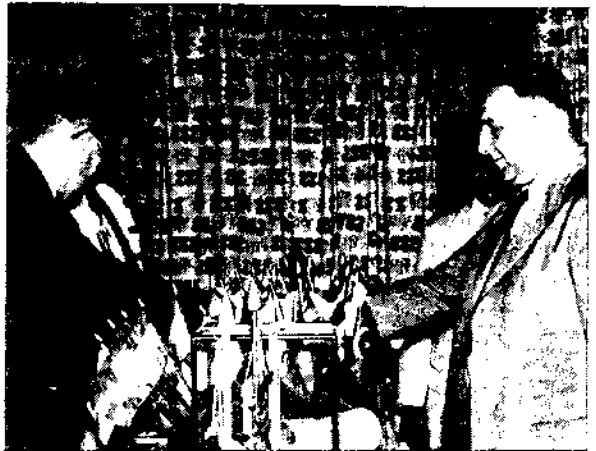
For 10 years he lived with a code name as a man who was not himself, said to have no friends but the ones it was his duty to deceive.

When the Security Organisation called him to be their chief witness, his career as an "undercover agent" was at an end. Now, he has written the first book on Petrov—"The Petrov Story". Mr. and Mrs. Petrov are each writing a further book of their own.

But when the Australian Trade Commissioner, Rtn. Harry Menzies, asked him what it was to be "Bialoguski" again, he said, "Ten years is too long. I have to try and find Bialoguski."



President Ron Bennett offers Rotary fellowship to new member, Conway K. Chau.



Rtn. Ron Young is congratulated by President Ron Bennett upon being inducted as a new member of our Club.

The speaker was thanked by Rtn. Conway K. Chau, after which the meeting was adjourned by President Roy with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Hawthorne, Australia.

## Things About Australia

*(This story was written by Rtn. Seven S. C. Shih, a Director and Chairman of the Membership Committee of our Club, at the request of the Editor of "Tuna Tuna". In a business trip to Australia, Rtn. Seven spent 10 weeks in that country and returned to Hong Kong last week.)*

FROM the day I returned from a 10-week's stay in Australia, many Rotarians have approached me for information, and I therefore feel obliged to put down a short informal report about what I have seen of that wonderful country and its incredibly nice people.

The first thing that impresses me about the Australians is how far and thoroughly they go for "courtesy". Not even once have I heard a harsh word spoken by anyone anywhere. People from all walks of life are equally gentle and refined, be it a bell hop, a street vendor, a bank manager, or a high official of the Immigration Office; they address you with the same politeness and seldom omit the "sir".

Neither during this trip nor my last visit in 1953 have I witnessed any street brawl. In the crowded restaurants during the noon hour rush, people just wait patiently for their turn. No one would dream of seeking priority. On several occasions I witnessed the unbelievable sight of a man calmly taking for instance beef when he actually ordered lamb without any complaint. With the sympathetic remark that the poor waiters were overworked, he walked quietly away in order to give up his place to some other patron. On the buses or tram cars, the conductors always remember to say "thank you" when one renders his fare.

Due to the high minimum wage, even an unskilled workman, earning A£15/10/- for a five-day week, can afford an automobile, washing machine, etc. The popular hire-purchase and instalment plans also help to elevate their standard of living. Most people own the houses they live in which can also be purchased by instalments. I have not seen a single beggar, nor a street-walker. On week-days, one cannot find any

school-age children on the streets, as education is compulsory in Australia.

Australians are very sports-minded. The most popular sport is "Australian Rule football" which in my opinion is a combination of Soccer, Rugby, and Basket Ball, certainly a very tough and thrilling game. Tennis and Golf are also popular. Grounds for these sports are plentiful, and charges reasonable.

Next to the above sports, the people are extremely fond of betting either on horses, or state lottery. In Melbourne Lottery Sale Office, I saw 55 counters, each with a long queue of people wishing to get a 5-shilling ticket, the first prize of which being A\$10,000.

Australia is a country of about three million square miles with a population of 9 million only, thereby allowing every one full opportunity to develop and succeed in his own line. Although from these figures it is evident that Australia can do with some immigrants, the policy is not to take too many in order not to jeopardize the prevailing high standard of living. The rate of migration now is 125,000 per annum, mostly from U.K., Italy, Holland, Germany, etc. These immigrants are called the "new Australians".

Immigration from Asian countries is not permitted at present, and visas are only issued to businessmen, scientists, students and tourists. If a *bona fide* businessman establishes a firm in Australia and also does substantial volume of business, he may be granted the status of "Merchant" which would qualify for a period of 7 years' residence.

Trade and Labour Unions do not allow their members to work too hard, in order to ensure full employment always. For instance, a brick-layer is only allowed to lay 300 bricks a day. I am sure some people would think it too good to be true when I say that a certain newspaper in Australia carries about 12 pages full of "position vacant" advertisements.

Australia is truly a worker's paradise, and a land full of opportunities for every one. Comparing it with the twenty odd countries I have visited during the last five years, Australia in my own opinion comes out top every time!

Last but not least, I should like to report what I have seen of the Rotary Clubs in Australia. Of the 300 clubs, I was fortunate enough to have attended the following six:

1. Sydney Rotary Club (Twice)
2. Melbourne Rotary Club (Thrice)
3. Adelaide Rotary Club
4. Hawthorne Rotary Club (Twice)
5. Geelong Rotary Club
6. Melbourne Rotary Club South

Our bannerettes were presented to all six, and I received in return bannerettes from the first four named. The manner these six clubs conduct their regular meetings is about the same. The meetings start with a prayer and close with the national anthem with some Rotary songs in between. Following the prayer, the president would introduce the guest speaker, then in turn, overseas visiting Rotarians, local visiting Rotarians and guests. The profession of each guest was introduced in detail, contrary to our usual practice. After

### Attendance

Twenty-six of our 31 members attended our weekly meeting at Winner House last Wednesday, July 20, representing 83.8% as follows:

Members present	26
" on leave	1
" absence excused	3
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<b>Total</b>	<b>31</b>

We missed Rtms. Pat Cha, Seaker Chan and Brig Young, whose absence was excused. *Tung Feng* is, however, glad to report that all the three members made up their absence from our own meeting by attending the meetings of other Clubs last week.

### VISITING ROTARIANS

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Rtn. Guy T. Harden	Hong Kong
" Harry Menzies	"
" L. P. Kwok	"
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### VISITORS

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Mr. George Parks	Rtn. Ron Bennett
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" C. K. Chang	" Henry Chang
" James Shen	" K. S. Chang
Dr. Michael Bialoguski	Guest Speaker

the introductions, the meeting would be turned over to the "Chairman of the day" which is taken by members by rotation. It is always the duty of the Chairman to thank the speaker.

Special emphasis is laid on promotion of international friendship.

On the day I visited the Geelong Club, six Asian students from the Geelong Gordon Institute of Technology were invited and each of them spoke for five minutes on "why I chose this school, what I think of the Australian way of life, and my future ambition."

In the Melbourne Club, three local students were invited to speak on "How to assimilate the New Australians".

In the Hawthorne Club, about 20 Asian students were invited to attend a Ladies' night and speeches were given again. I found the viewpoints of youths on any subject most refreshing and stimulating. All these youngsters, without exception, expressed their enthusiasm for the Australian way of life.

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## R. I. CONVENTION RECALLED BY R. C. CHEN

THE most memorable events of Rotary International's Golden Anniversary Convention, held in Chicago from May 29 to June 2, were recalled by Rtn. R. C. Chen, of the Taipei Club, when he recently addressed the Keelung Club meeting.

According to the latest issue of *Rainbow*, the weekly Bulletin of the Keelung Club, Rtn. R. C., who headed the nine-member Taiwan Delegation, said:

The Golden Anniversary Meeting of R.I. was the second largest in R.I. history. There were about 16,300 delegates, exclusive of wives and families of members. Taiwan had nine delegates; but when you remember that they travelled 10,000 miles to attend, that there are only 10 clubs on the island and consider the entire membership, our delegation actually represented the largest percentage of the entire Rotary Membership of any geographical area.

*(Editor's Note: It may be recalled that the Hong Kong area, comprising four Clubs with 234 members, was represented at the Convention by five delegates, Rtns. Fung Ping Fan, Bill Anderson, Colin Vre, Dave Lamb and T. F. Wang. It, therefore, seems that considering the number of Clubs, the Hong Kong delegation actually re-*

*presented the largest percentage, while the Taiwanese delegation was the largest on the basis of its total membership of 305.)*

Sixty-nine countries or geographical areas were represented at the Convention. The host clubs had made wonderful and complete preparations. The magnificent Hotel Sherman was the Headquarters and their great ballroom was turned into a "House of Friendship" for the occasion. A huge birthday cake, as high as three men on top of each other, including the giant

candles, was on display. Everywhere there was appropriate music; the programme was rich with fine music.

There were 50 Classification Groups, studying problems of their special work.

ASIA AND THE WEST was a topic of the first day. The discussion was presided over by a Chairman from New Zealand.

ASIAN PROBLEMS was a topic studied next under the Chairmanship of a delegate from India and a vice-Chairman from Japan.

Much of the discussion was in the form of a Panel, with questions and discussions. Excellent order prevailed and strict Parliamentary Rules were observed at all times. The speaker

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Subject: Pharmacy in the United Kingdom and Hong Kong—a vocational talk

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## HOW LONG WILL ROTARY LAST?

That's a question asked and answered by Arthur C. Christie, a member of the Rotary Club of Washington, D.C., in his Guest Editorial for the August issue of *The Rotarian*.

"Rotary is more than an international adventure," says Dr. Charlie. He gives a forward-looking definition of Rotary and hazards a guess on its future. It's provocative reading—for you.

expressed the hope that next year China might be represented on the Panel—might even have a delegate acting as Chairman.

The first day one of the impressive sights was to see all the men who had served as Presidents of R.I. parade onto the platform with their wives and families. Rtn. R. C. was able to get Mrs. Paul Harris, widow of the founder of Rotary, to sign his programme under the picture of her husband. He passed the programme around for all Keelung Rotarians to see. It is certainly a precious keepsake. Mrs. Harris asked him if he knew George Fitch (of Taipei Club)—and Rtn. R. C. answered that he certainly did—Rtn. George A was one of their most active members. This illustrated, he added, how clear the mind and memory of this more than 70 year old lady remains.

A visit to the new R.I. headquarters in Evansville was most inspiring. There he saw the piece of marble the Clubs of Taiwan had sent, placed among the others in the memorial pavement. Memories of old China Rotarian days came back to him: Shanghai, Kunming, the War days, the 14th Air Force—all were recalled by displays and reminders in that richly mellow memorial hall. He showed Keelung Rotarians a welcome display inserted by the N.C.B. of N.Y. in which the Chinese flag was displayed with other flags of the free world. The speaker remarked that it was not often the British and Chinese flags were displayed side by side—but Rotary is a special occasion: where international goodwill replaces international misunderstanding.

Geraldine, Rtme. of George Fitch was there as a special guest, having taken second prize in an essay contest on "Why I chose to Come to Chicago."

Rtn. R. C. quoted a number of times from the stirring speech of out-going R.I. President

Taylor, as he spoke of the world problems facing the East-West conflict—the struggle between Freedom and Slavery—Democracy and Totalitarianism. Taylor recalled the "Unequivocal Declaration" on behalf of Freedom, which was made at the R.I. Convention in St. Louis in 1943—Freedom of Thought, Freedom of Speech, Freedom of Assembly, Freedom of Worship, and Freedom from Persecution. He affirmed that that same Resolution would pass with even greater fervor today. R.I. expects every Rotarian to be a loyal Worshipper of God within the church of his own choice, and utterly denounces all the godless ideologies such as Communism. R.I. also expects every Rotarian to be a Loyal and Serving citizen of his own Country—R. C. emphasized the SERVING.

R.I. thrives in an atmosphere of Freedom. There were no delegates from behind the Iron Curtain—Rotary cannot exist in a slave society. It is therefore the duty of every Rotarian to spread information in his own community; to talk with associates in business or public life and lead them to the same ideals; to work for the election of worthy public officials; and to teach and train the coming generation. Only thus can we save the Free World, by improving the background on which it must grow.

Rtn. Taylor added that everywhere he went he was more and more impressed with the fact that men are coming to realize the spiritual nature of the conflict in which we find ourselves. More and more we are coming to know that: "Man cannot live by bread alone."

Our failure in the past to realize that is what has given the godless communistic forces driving power to take over so much of the world.

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

Speaker: Rtn. Dr. Li Shu-Fan  
Subject: Hunting the Unpredictable Tiger in the Himalayas

KOWLOON (Thursday):

Showing of a colour film on Highlands of Scotland through the courtesy of the British Council.

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

Speaker: Mr. Haking Wong  
Subject: Trade Prospects between Hong Kong and Malaya

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## AUGUST PROGRAMME

Thanks to the fine efforts of Chairman John Yuen, the programmes for the five regular meetings of our Club in August have been scheduled as follows:

- August 3: (refer to the box on the front page)
- .. 10: Rtn. Dr. F. L. Tseung, of the Hong Kong Club, on "History of Chinese Medicine".
- .. 17: Dr. T. F. Lee on "Chinese Seaf".
- .. 24: Rtn. W. J. Blackie, of the Kowloon Club, on "Some Farming Problems in the New Territories".
- .. 31: Mr. D. F. Capistrano on "The Philippines National Policy in Attracting Foreign Investments".

## At Rotary Last Week

THE Toasting of our Club by our twin-brother Island West Club at its previous meeting was reported by Hon. Secretary Bill Nichol at our last regular luncheon meeting at Winner House on July 27.

At the same meeting, musical honours, led by Sergeant-at-Arms, were accorded to Rtn. Seven S. C. Shih on the occasion of his birthday anniversary, while President Ron Bennett congratulated Rtn. Brig Young for his being re-elected the Chairman of the Hong Kong Referees Association.

Fellow Rotarians and guests present were entertained by Rtn. Guy T. Harden of the Hong Kong Club—a staunch supporter of our Club—to a very informative colour film, entitled "Graphic Arts March On".

The 30-minute film, produced by Sinclair & Valentine Co., dealt with various phases of the printing ink manufacturing industry, showing the great progress made since the invention of printing by Benjamin Franklin in the 18th Century.

Rtn. Guy was thanked by Rtn. S. W. Zao, a printer by profession, after which President Ron adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International coupled with which was the Rotary Club of Hong Kong.

## Other Clubs' Meetings

IN the absence of President Jerry O'Donnell, who is away on business in the United States, Vice-President Gin Su presided over last Tuesday's meeting of the Hong Kong Club, at which Mr. M. J. Muspratt-Williams, Director of Civil Aviation, spoke at length on "Hong Kong's New Airport Project".

The speaker traced the development of the Kai Tak Airport during the past 30 years from a grass area of approximately 120,000 square yards to an area of 398 acres which now contains two paved runways and a large paved terminal area.

When the new project is completed in 1958/59, Kai Tak Airport will be able to take the largest types of jet passenger aircraft up to an all-up weight of 250,000 pounds. The flow control, according to the speaker, is to be designed in the first instance, to provide for 10 movements per hour of 100-seater aircraft, and to cater for specific requirements of transit passengers.

The runway (7,200 feet in length) of the new airport will then be suitable for both day and night operations. Mr. Muspratt-Williams disclosed.

The Kowloon Club conducted last Thursday's regular meeting in the form of a business session at which various affairs of the Club were discussed.

The Island West Club meeting last Friday heard an interesting talk by Mr. Ng Po Luen on "Beauty Spots in Hong Kong".

## Attendance

Of our 31 members, 28 attended our weekly meeting on Wednesday, July 27, representing 90.3% as follows:

Members present .. .. .	28
.. on leave .. .. .	1
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## NOW IT'S 92!

With the recent extension of Rotary to Ethiopia and Nyasaland, there are now Rotary Clubs in 92 countries and geographical regions throughout the free world.

Think of it! The potential of the force of 414,000 business and professional men in so many areas of the world, united in the Rotary ideal of service, staggers the imagination.

## Our Needs

**W**E need understanding of Rotary, its purpose, its Object, and its simple ideal of thought, helpful service; understanding of the possibilities for extending Rotary into more countries, more communities and more men.

We need understanding of the paramount importance of putting Rotary to work where we work, in the fulfilment of Rotary's fundamental objective.

We need understanding the influence of Rotarians, their wives and families in their communities; understanding of the economic, social, educational, recreational and other needs of their communities, and of the means by which Rotarians can make their communities better places in which to live, raise their families, and engage in their businesses and professions.

We need understanding of the youth of our communities and their need for companionship, guidance and opportunity for development and understanding of the necessity for insuring the future by the development of the youth of the present.

But more than anything else, we need understanding of the differences between people and nations; understanding of the desperate and urgent need for the development of good will; and understanding of the possibilities of advancing understanding and good will through this world fellowship of business and professional men.

—A. Z. BAKER  
*President, R.I., 1955-56*

## Must Realize Our Objectives

**I**DEALS, objectives, the finest slogans are useless without action. In recent decades, we have raised our standards of living and have made great material and scientific progress, but with it has come frustration, chaos, confusion, disappointment and fear.

We must translate our ideals and objectives into action and express them through our Clubs into the daily life of our communities and nations.

We must demonstrate the ideals of truth, justice, friendliness and helpfulness to others in our personal conduct and in persuading others to pursue them.

We must realize our objectives of friendship, high ethical and moral standards, compassion and international goodwill through worthwhile projects of service in our own communities.

—HERBERT J. TAYLOR  
*President, R.I., 1954-55*

## Our Aims for 1955-56

**O**UR Rotary Club has received some pointed suggestions from R.I. President A. Z. Baker for our work during this new Rotary year. If we, and other Clubs throughout the world, can follow through on these suggestions, the great impetus of the Golden Anniversary will be maintained.

For his general theme, "A. Z." urges us to "develop our resources"—that is, the tremendous potential of individual influence in business and community life, and through our contacts with Rotarians in other countries:—

- 1) by making more Rotarians,
- 2) putting Rotary to work where we work,
- 3) living Rotary in our communities,
- 4) cultivating understanding, and
- 5) insuring the future.

Many definite, practical things that we can do are suggested, for as "A. Z." says "without practical expression an ideal dies in disillusionment; without an ideal, realism is pointless."

How about it, fellows—what should our Club do in a special effort to achieve these aims for 1955-56?

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## RESOLUTIONS OF LATEST BOARD MEETING

THE appointment of Rtn. Jimmy Wu Man-Hon to be Chairman of the 1955 Charity Ball Committee and the acceptance, with much regret, of the resignation of Rtn. Y. D. Soo from our Club were among the resolutions passed at a Board of Directors' meeting held at Winner House last Friday, August 5.

Presided over by President Ron Bennett, the meeting was attended by Rtns. Bill Nichol, Y. F. Chen, K. S. Chang, Seven S. C. Shih, Jimmy Wu, S. L. Yuen, Pat Cha and Henry Chang. The two other Directors whose absence was excused were Rtns. John Yuen and Ben Lee.

It was our most lengthy Board meeting (lasting three hours) at which views on the betterment of our Club were freely and informally exchanged.

The Hon. Secretary was instructed by the Board to circulate a letter to all our members, seeking their views on a proposal for inviting a qualified leader in our community to become an Honorary Member of our Club.

The Board session opened with the confirmation of the minutes of the previous meeting, after which Hon. Secretary read out a letter from Rtn. Y. D. Soo, tendering his resignation. Y. D. pointed out that due to his impending de-

parture from the Colony on a worldwide business tour, he would not be able to keep up his attendance record to the minimum of 60% as required by Rotary. In view of the circumstances, the Board most regretfully had to accept Rtn. Soo's resignation.

Hon. Treasurer Y. F. Chen made a brief report on the financial standing of our Club, through which it was disclosed that we have at present \$2,856.55 in our Club Fund. Taking into consideration our regular revenue (approximately \$450 monthly excluding advertising income from *Tung Feng*), the Board provisionally authorised an equal amount as monthly expenditure to be incurred by the various committees, and adopted the following resolutions to increase our Club Fund

income:—

1. That \$3 per member be collected at the first meeting of each month.
2. That advertising rates payable by members for their respective advertisements in *Tung Feng* be raised from \$30 to \$40 per insertion, effectively immediately, and
3. That the Fellowship Committee be instructed to arrange not less than one evening every three months for a fellowship meeting, to

Next Meeting: August 10, 1955  
 Speaker: Rtn. Dr. F. I. Tseung of the Hong Kong Club  
 Subject: History of Chinese Medicine

which Rotary-Annes would be invited and a small contribution collected from each member for the Club Fund.

The regular monthly expenditure of various committees (except the Bulletin Committee), provisionally approved by the Board are Hon. Secretary (\$230), International Service Committee (\$45), Hon. Treasurer (\$10), Attendance Committee (\$10) and Rotary International dues (\$50).

### At Rotary Last Week

THE extension by Her Majesty the Queen of the term of office of His Excellency the Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham, for a further two years, until 1957, was described as the happiest news by President Ron Bennett at our last weekly meeting at Winner House on August 3.

At the suggestion of President Ron, our Club most appropriately marked this event of good news by voluntary contributions not only from fellow Rotarians but also from guests present at the meeting. This helped Sergeant-at-Arms Edwin Tao to collect \$202 for our Club Fund.

At the same meeting, the Sergeant-at-Arms succeeded in netting \$140 for our Club's Community Service Fund, chiefly through the unique introduction of marking the birthday anniversary of the most frequent-visiting guest—Mr. G. S. Stokes.

### THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

#### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. F. C. Clemo of the Kowloon Club

*Subject:* Publicising Hong Kong

#### KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Mr. Russell Spurr, Far East Correspondent for London *Daily Express*

*Subject:* Crisis in Indo-China

#### ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. Seven S. C. Shih of the Island East Club

*Subject:* Highlights of a Visit to Australia

The speaker of the day was Rtn. Brig Young, who rendered an interesting vocational talk on his profession. He has been a member of our Club for less than a month.

Speaking on "Pharmacy in Great Britain and Hong Kong", Rtn. Brig said that regulations permitted pharmacists from any other Dominion to practise in Hong Kong, but forbade Hong Kong trained pharmacists to practise anywhere else.

He described the regulations as "a very bad state of affairs and one that I hope will be put right in the near future."

In his talk he described the training, prospects, and duties of pharmacists in Britain and Hong Kong, and certain differences between them and their organisations.

He said in part:

"Pharmacy is a living subject in which many important changes may take place during a single year. For example a text book may be out of date by the time it reaches the reader, and it is only by keeping up to date with original papers that a pharmacist can keep abreast with new developments.

"The training of a pharmacist either in Hong Kong or in Britain is based on the British Pharmacopoeia. The word Pharmacopoeia is of Greek origin—pharmakon a drug, poieo I make—and is a list of medicinal substances, crude drugs and formulae for preparing various substances from them. This list is used as the standard for drugs in a country and most countries have such a book usually compiled officially by a government appointed committee. One of the exceptions is the United States Pharmacopoeia which is prepared by a committee of representatives from pharmaceutical and medical organisations and although not issued under the authority of Government is recognised as being authoritative.

"The first British Pharmacopoeia was published in 1864 and many editions have been published since the last in 1953.

"In England to get a pharmaceutical qualification there are three qualifications, that of a Pharmaceutical Chemist, a Fellow of the Pharmaceutical Society, or of a Bachelor of Pharmacy.

"By law one must be a member of the Pharmaceutical Society and a holder of one of these qualifications to have the right to membership of the Society.

"Now let us take the first qualification of a Pharmaceutical Chemist. He or she must first have a general certificate of education then there are two courses that can be followed. The first step in either course is to register with the Society as a student or apprentice.

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## Attendance

Attendance record continued at 90.3% for the second week in succession when 28 of our 31 members participated in the regular luncheon meeting on August 3.

Members present	28
"    on leave	1
"    absent (Marsh, Stayner and Y. D. Seng)	2
Total	31

## VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Mr. Ganson Goh	Hsinchu, Taiwan
"    R. Y. Cheng	Hong Kong
"    C. P. Tang	"

## VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. Ian MacFie	Rtn. Brig Young
"    E. J. Watson	"
"    R. D. Chandler	"
"    D. A. F. Mathers	"
"    G. S. Stokes	Rtn. Ben Lee
"    David Ling	"

"In the first course, the student pursues his academic studies taking a year's course at an approved college in Chemistry, Physics and Biology culminating in passing the Pharmaceutical Society's intermediate examination. A further two years study is followed by sitting for the Pharmaceutical Society's qualifying exam. Having obtained a pass the student then takes up his apprenticeship which entails doing a certain number of hours practical training, and takes a minimum of two years.

"In the second course, a student does his apprenticeship first, and then follows up with his examinations.

"Apprenticeship means being articled to a qualified pharmacist and the training may be done in a shop, hospital, factory or institution. When a student has passed the examination he is eligible for membership of the Pharmaceutical Society and it is this membership which conveys the right to practice pharmacy. The qualification of Pharmaceutical Chemist is that which is usually taken by a person who wishes to practice retail pharmacy.

"The Fellow of Pharmaceutical Society does the normal intermediate exam as done by the pharmaceutical chemist but his qualifying examination course takes three years, his training is more academic and fits him for a teaching, hospital, or research career. The Fellow of the Pharmaceutical Society must also do his appren-

ticeship before he is eligible for membership of the Society.

"The Bachelor of Pharmacy degree is purely academic and is a university course.

"Conditions are somewhat different in Hong Kong. Here again a General Certificate of Education is the essential before a person can be apprenticed. For apprenticeship the conditions are similar to those prevailing in Britain. But scholastic facilities in Hong Kong are not so good and the training is not so long. Until two years ago all the Pharmacy Examinations were conducted by the Government through the Pharmacy board. Evening classes were held and a similar type of exam to the British was held.

"The course of study for the first part of the exam was two years at evening classes and a further two years for the qualifying exam.

"Today there are no Government organised courses but students may still take the Government examinations provided that they show proof concerning the place and duration of their studies. The Hong Kong University has instituted a Diploma in Pharmacy. The course is two years and in two parts. The first is general science, followed by the diploma course. Successful candidates may be registered in Hong Kong provided that they can show proof of proficiency in Forensic Pharmacy and have done their apprenticeship.

"But there is one very big snag in qualifying in pharmacy in Hong Kong and that is that the qualification is only recognised in Hong Kong. There is no reciprocity with any other country. In contrast, British qualifications are recognised throughout the Commonwealth and most of the Commonwealth nations have reciprocal arrangements.

"This is a very bad state of affairs, and one that I hope will be put right in the near future.

"If pharmaceutical education in the Colony is pursued with any energy we will come to the stage where there will be a big surplus and considerable unemployment.

"In the Colony there are only 23 pharmacies so there is not much scope in the retail trade. At present there are 63 registered pharmacists in the Colony.

"In Britain the Pharmaceutical Society maintains a code. Briefly, no pharmacist can advertise his skill. All advertisements for dispensing services, even in the shape of a sign board, are taboo. One other main point of the code is that a pharmacist must not discuss or criticise any treatment prescribed by a medical practitioner with the patient, a subject which is often very difficult to avoid.

"Whilst on the subject of prescriptions one or two words about the atrocious writing of most doctors. The essential link between the doctor and the patient is the pharmacist, and often this link is the most difficult. Doctors don't like criticism but the pharmacist must be correct or else the patient suffers. So, gentlemen, when you have to wait perhaps a little longer than you think necessary for your medicine just forgive the long suffering pharmacist. He is in all probability protecting your interests by trying to decipher the doctor's writing." Rtn. Brig said in conclusion.

President Ron called upon Rtn. Dr. K. C. Goh to thank the speaker after which he adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International and the Rotary Club of Hsinchu which was represented at our meeting by its President Gunson Goh.

### Other Clubs' Meetings

**HONG KONG CLUB:** Rtn. Dr. Li Shu-Fan told of his recent experiences of hunting tigers in India. He said that the hunting of tigers in the Himalayas was generally done by one of three methods, namely, ghooming or hunting by elephant, sitting on a *machan* over a bait, or beating the tiger out of the covert.

**KOWLOON CLUB:** A British Council film "The Heart Is Highland" was shown to members. The picture, which was in technicolor, showed various scenes of the highlands in Scotland, including places of historic interest and several industries.

**ISLAND WEST CLUB:** Mr. Haking Wong, the Vice-President of the Chinese Manufacturers' Union, spoke on the prospects of local trade with Singapore and Malaya.

Mr. Wong recently returned to Hong Kong after leading a trade delegation to Singapore to hold an exhibition of Hong Kong products there.

Mr. Wong said the value of exports from Hong Kong to Singapore and Malaya had risen to \$170,000,000 in the past six months while Singapore exported to Hong Kong only \$74,000,000 in goods in the same period.

He pointed out that Hong Kong has gradually been losing its importance in re-exporting

European, American and Japanese products to the Southern regions while the local industrial products, on the other hand, played a much more important role in export to Singapore.

Mr. Wong said that products from Japan and mainland China were the Colony's most formidable competitors in that market.

### ATOMIC ANNIVERSARY

Just ten years ago an awful mushroom cloud rose over Hiroshima, Japan, and man became aware of the new Atom Age. But what about the atom at peace?

A seven-page presentation in *The Rotarian* for August brings you up to date on the first decade of this era. One of your reporters is Rotarian Clarence E. Larson, head of research at Oak Ridge, Tennessee, U.S.A. Don't miss it!

### Sad News

With deep regret we record the sad news from Taiwan of the sudden death of Rtn. "Dragon" Y. L. Lin, President of the Taichung Rotary Club.

### Vital Statistics

On June 6, there were 8,715 Rotary Clubs and an estimated 411,000 Rotarians in 92 countries and geographical regions. New Clubs since July 1, 1954, totalled 412. As of July 1, the number of Rotary Districts was 238.

### Conventions

Next Rotary International Convention will be held in Philadelphia, Pa., U.S.A., between June 3 and 7 (1956). The R.I. Board of Directors are considering the possibilities of holding an Asian Convention in Asia in 1958.

The Asian Convention could be participated in by delegates from the Rotary Clubs in Hong Kong, Macao, Taiwan, North Borneo, Burma, Ceylon, India, Indonesia, Japan, Malaya, Singapore, Philippines, Thailand, Indo-China and other countries in Asia.

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It is, however, that there were visiting Rotary meetings before who participated February 23, 1954, of Rotary International.

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## 355 VISITS FROM FELLOW ROTARIANS

**A** TOTAL of 142 Rotarians from 35 fellow Clubs made 355 visits to our Club's 65 regular weekly meetings in the two Rotary Years from April 7, 1954, through June 30, 1955, according to records of visiting Rotarians compiled from *Tung Feng* weekly bulletins.

It is, however, most regrettable to report that there were no records kept of the names of visiting Rotarians who attended our regular meetings before April 7, 1954, and of the 119 who participated in our regular meeting on February 23, 1955, marking the 50th anniversary of Rotary International.

In addition, there were also no records kept of the names of fellow Rotarians and their ladies who attended our First Ladies' Night on Sept. 17, 1954, and our Maiden Charity Ball on November 26, 1954, both at The Ritz.

Our Club wishes to take this opportunity to express our heartfelt thanks to all those—named and unnamed here—who had come to our regular meetings and who had helped bring success to our two social functions.

According to available records 62 members representing approximately 58% membership strength of the Hong Kong Club paid us 198 visits. Among them, Rtn. Guy T. Harden top-

ped the list by attending 22 regular meetings of our Club, followed by Rtns. Frank Harris and Colin Ure each with 12 visits. Rtns. Alim P. Jagtiani, P. Y. Koo and Gin D. Su each visited us 11 times; and Rtns. W. S. Anderson and R. Y. Cheng each 10 times. Past President George Lin made nine visits.

Representing approximately 57% of its strength, 17 members of Hongkong Island West Club came to our meetings in 70 visits. Vice-President T. Y. Loo visited us on 15 occasions and Past President H. C. Fung on 14.

Twelve members of the Kowloon Club, representing about 22% of its membership strength, attended our regular meetings on 27 occasions, with Rtn. F. T. Melwani accounting for 10 visits.

From overseas Clubs, we recorded 10 visits by seven Taipei Rotarians, including our Administrative Adviser Charlie T. F. Wei and Past President E. T. Tsu; two visits by Tokyo members; one from Bangkok and six by three Rangoon Rotarians; as well as 11 visits from members of five Rotary Clubs in Malaya and 10 visits by seven Rotarians of four Clubs in the Philippines.

Other visits paid to our Club included Rotarians from Clubs in Australia, England,

Next Meeting: August 17, 1955  
Speaker: Dr. T. Y. Lee  
Subject: The Chinese Seal

Sweden, India and United States of America.  
The breakdown of visits by fellow Rotarians are as follows:

### HONG KONG CLUB

Guy T. Harden	22	Paul Baltmann	1
Frank Harris	12	John Blitz	1
Colin Ure	12	H. D. Baldawala	1
Alim F. Jaetiani	11	Ralph Clough	1
P. Y. Koo	11	Neil Djeng	1
Gin D. Su	11	Jack Eng	1
W. S. Anderson	10	Fung Ping-Fan	1
R. Y. Cheng	10	R. E. Harper	1
George Lin	9	J. C. Hsia	1
D. P. Sarin	6	G. M. Hughes	1
C. T. Wang	6	C. S. Johnston	1
Ross Coombs	4	Kwok Chan	1
James Choy	3	L. P. Kwok	1
D. S. Hill	3	Lam Chik-suen	1
Alfred Ho	3	David Lam	1
John Marden	3	Lawrence Leong	1
Jerry O'Donnell	3	Li Fook-Wo	1
W. V. Pennell	3	Ma Sui-Pin	1
A. el Arculli	2	G. R. Mahbubane	1
Frank Cleary	2	Harry Menzies	1
K. A. Goh	2	J. G. Meyer	1
W. F. Ko	2	J. P. Moyles	1
K. E. van der Mandele	2	R. J. Picciotto	1
Ron Mander	2	J. S. Sandbach	1
M. N. Master	2	E. E. Story	1
K. Lalchand	2	K. K. Tse	1
S. H. Pang	2	F. I. Tseung	1
C. C. R. Shekury	2	C. L. Wang	1
David Wai	2	T. F. Waung	1
Arthur Woo	2	Joe Wolfe	1
Daniel Au	1	Bill Wood	1

### HONGKONG ISLAND WEST CLUB

T. Y. Lo	15	P. S. Chung	2
H. C. Fung	14	Lee Hong-Tong	2
Henry Tang	7	C. N. Li	2
C. K. Ho	5	Tse Yu-Chuen	2
Henry To	5	Chan Moon-Tong	1
K. S. Lo	4	Lau Chung	1
Hsu Shih-Yu	3	Lam Wing-Kau	1
Daniel Koo	3	Kaan Se-Leuk	1
Chan Ting-To	2		

### KOWLOON CLUB

F. T. Melwani	10	F. R. Gabbott	1
G. D. Dadlani	3	Harry N. Harilala	1
W. T. Grimdale	3	R. J. Newton	1
Ken Barnett	2	O. R. Sadick	1
Lim Hoy-Lan	2	A. J. Stoyner	1
F. C. Clemo	1	P. Y. Wong	1

### OVERSEAS CLUBS

The number of visits, if more than one, to our Club by overseas Rotarians is indicated in parenthesis.

**TAIPEI CLUB:** T. F. Wei (3 including two visits while T. F. was still a member of the Hong Kong Club); T. E. Tsu (2); Sunny Chang, Andrew Loo, Calvin Chang, T. S. Mao and Tommy Shen.

**TOKYO CLUB:** H. Gooseens and Kiyoshi Akiyama.

**BANGKOK CLUB:** G. S. Gould.

**RANGOON CLUB:** Teddy Nip (4), Dina Nath and Lance Rutherford.

**MALAYAN CLUBS:** (Singapore) Jack Aspinall, Lam Thian, Myron Ling, D. C. Yeoman and Robert Chao; (Ipoh) M. L. Liang; (Kuala Lumpur) Ajit Singh; (Seremban) Lim Kee Siong and T. Mahema Singh; (Penang) On Huck Ling and Lim Kong Oik.

**PHILIPPINES CLUBS:** (Manila) K. C. Wu (3), Gene Puyat, Yu New and K. C. Wen; (Zamboanga) N. T. Mirchandara (2); (Maga City) Carlos V. S. Seedwig; (Cebu) F. A. Meyers.

**AUSTRALIAN CLUBS:** (Narrabri, N.S.W.) C. R. Myers; (Melbourne) K. L. Ballantyne; (Claremont-Cottesloe) Arthur Hatfield.

**LANCASTER CLUB, England:** Arthur Ogden.

**INDIAN CLUBS:** (Bombay) R. P. Marzhan; (Ahmedarad) K. C. Munshaw.

**SWEDEN CLUBS:** (Bengstfors) B. Shellman; (Stockholm East) Arne Piltz.

**U.S.A. CLUBS:** (Mesa, Arizona) John Camnard; (Oakland, Calif.) O. E. Hopper; (White N. Carolina) Lee Braxton; (Ithaca, N.Y.) Paul Work; (Kansas City) Stephen Williams; (Greeley, Colo.) Floyd Oliver; (Rolla, Missouri) H. R. Hanley; (San Francisco) Dick Rusa; (Honolulu) Bill Aiton; (Hawthorne, Calif.) Knox Duraway; (Los Angeles) Albert Quon; (Fostoria, Ohio) Gene Hill.

### Attendance

With one member on leave in Malaya and six others who failed to turn up, the attendance figure registered a sharp drop of 13.7% when only 23 of our 30 members participated in last week's regular meeting on August 10, representing 76.7% as follows:

Members present	23
" on leave	1
" absence excused	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>30</b>

Those who failed to attend, but had their absence excused were Rtns. Pat Cha, Seaker Chan, Marsh Stayner, Alex Shang, K. T. Wang and H. C. Yang.

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Dr. F. I. Tseung	Hong Kong
" Henry To	Island West

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. E. J. Watson	Rtn. Brig Young
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## Rtn. Fred C. Clemo In Hospital

Rtn. Fred C. Clemo, Past President of the Kowloon Club, is at present in the Matilda Hospital suffering from injuries, including a fracture to the base of the spine, received in a traffic accident at about 2.30 a.m. on Sunday morning.

It was learned that Rtn. Clemo was crossing the road near Winner House to his car when he was knocked down by a private car driven by Sub. Insp. A. da L. Britto of the H.K. Police Force.

He was rushed to hospital where his condition was reported last evening to be satisfactory.

In addition to the fracture, Rtn. Clemo is suffering from abrasions and bruises.

## At Rotary Last Week

THE celebration of the birthday anniversary of Rtn. Brig Young and the introduction by Sergeant-at-Arms Edwin Tao of the fellowship test and the "Four-Way Test" on Rtns. Hsi Yu-I and Conway Chau resulted in our Club gaining \$142 for our Community Service Fund at our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on August 10.

The speaker was Past President Dr. F. I. Tseung, of the Hong Kong Club, who made a suggestion, during the course of his talk on the "History of Chinese Medicine", that a vigorous scientific exploration, aided by the World Health Organisation, into the 5,000-year-old history of Chinese medicine would shed light on much that would be of value today.

The speaker began by stating that the vast subject of Chinese medicine covers some 5,000 years which is divided into four periods.

Firstly, there is the ancient, or legendary, period from 2750 B.C. to 1122 B.C. It was during this period—covering the dawn of Chinese civilisation and the end of the Shang Dynasty—that Emperor Shen Nung, the "Father of Chinese Medicine" is reputed to have experimented on herbs and composed the "Pen Tsao" (now known as *Materia Medica*).

The second period is termed the historical or golden period, and dates from 1123 B.C. to 960 A.D. This was full of theoretical speculations, and may be called the "Age of Philosophy."

Then there is the mediaeval or controversial period, from 961 A.D. to 1800 A.D., which was noted for the marked changes in Chinese medical thought. Publications were mostly controversial in character, and attacked old writings as well as one another.

It was the Ming Dynasty, however, that was famed for being the most glorious in the history of the pharmacopoeia of China. The most important contribution in this period was the "Pen Tsao Kang Mu" (the National Pharmacopoeia of China) which was compiled by a city magistrate named Li Shi-chen in 1595 A.D. One of the most popular works on Chinese medicine, this is considered as one of the greatest medical classics in China, the speaker said.

After discussing many aspects of Chinese medical treatment, the speaker went on to state that while the Chinese have accumulated a mass of information, collected a great variety of facts, formulated some useful methods—some of which have been brought to a high degree of excellence—yet they have never pursued a single subject in a way calculated to lead them to final success.

"I am sure," said Dr. Tseung in conclusion, "that if we have the support and co-operation of our foreign friends, and an effort is made by the World Health Organisation to have a vigorous scientific exploration of Chinese medicine—especially of its numerous drugs—we shall succeed in bringing out much more light on this old historical art, which may have much value today."

The speaker was thanked by Rtn. Jimmy Wu, after which President Ron Bennett adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International and particularly to the Rotary Club of Taichung, whose President recently passed away.

## Other Clubs' Meetings

**HONG KONG:** Past President Fred Clemo of the Kowloon Club related a very interesting story of the Colony's tourist business which, he estimated, had helped Hong Kong with 150 million dollars spent by 200,000 visitors from foreign countries in 1954.

He predicted that at least 100 per cent more tourists would come here in 1955 and 1956. He strongly advocated, among other things, the easing of immigration regulations and the putting into service of comfortable sight-seeing buses to attract more visitors.

**KOWLOON:** An analysis of the present day situation in Indo-China was given by Mr. Russell Spurr, Far East correspondent of the London *Daily Express*. He said that the danger in Indo-China was that Mr. Ngo Dinh Diem's actions had left South Vietnam a prey to the Communist North and that it was likely that the Vietminh would eventually "cash in" on their leader's popularity by infiltrating and finally seizing the south.

**ISLAND WEST:** Our member, Rtn. Seven S. C. Shih, spoke in Cantonese of his impressions of his recent visit to Australia. He gave a brief review of the general welfare work, education, industries and agriculture in Australia.

He also pointed out that the country would be a very good market for local industrial products but for quota restrictions imposed by their Government and the lack of standardization of certain Hong Kong made goods. He hoped conditions would change more favourably for Hong Kong shortly.

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## RTNS. ASKED TO STUDY TOURISM

Four Rotarians are among the 12 persons appointed by Government to consider and to recommend to Government whether or not a Hong Kong Tourist Association should be established, and if so, recommend the form of constitution, membership, methods of financing, etc., of such an association.

The four Rotarians appointed to the 12-man working committee (headed by Mr. J. C. Cowperthwaite, Deputy Financial Secretary) are Jerry O'Donnell and Horace Kadoorie, of Hong Kong Club; Fred C. Clemo, of Kowloon Club; and Ben Lee, of Hongkong Island East Club.

## Letter From Keelung

Sir:

It was mentioned in the July 19 issue of *Tung Fung* (Vol. 3 No. 3) that a donation of HK\$200 was given to the Keelung Club in helping a scholarship student to the United States for further study. I believed you had probably mistaken Keelung for Kaohsiung, because we have not initiated such a plan; but we did receive a circular letter concerning such matter from the Kaohsiung Club.

I am writing to you not merely to call your attention that you had confused these two cities, (since they both are the seaports of this island and it is quite possible for people who have never been here to be confused) but, which is more important, to express our sincere admiration for the generosity of your club in helping this needy student to secure his advanced training.

I wish also to take this opportunity to convey our greetings to all members of your club.

With my personal good wishes,

Rotarily yours,  
S. K. WANG, M.B., F.I.C.S.,  
Honorary Secretary.

We regret very much the error in typing Keelung for Kaohsiung. It could not be a mix up since the Editor has been to both ports after the recent Inter-City Forum in Taipei.

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## News of R.I. President

As August gets under way, President A. Z. Baker and his wife, Cornelia, are scheduled to depart for extensive Rotary visits in parts of Africa which have not received a visit by the president of Rotary International for several years, including visits to Belgian Congo, Ethiopia, and Nyasaland, countries added to the Rotary family last year.

Following a brief stop in Belgium the Baker's travels will take them to Belgian Congo, Union of South Africa, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Nyasaland, Kenya, Tanganyika, Ethiopia, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, and Egypt.

The latter part of September will find President A. Z. in Switzerland for the meetings of the European, North African, and Eastern Mediterranean advisory committee and the 1957 convention committee.

## Will We Meet the Challenge?

Rotary International President Baker has called upon every Rotary Club to develop its resources during 1955-56. Our principal resource is, of course, our Club membership. We would be taking a long step toward meeting the challenge if we were to adopt as our personal goal: "Every Member an Informed Rotarian." The only way we can meet that goal is for every member to learn more about Rotary.

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

Speaker: Mr. T. S. Pugh, O.B.E.  
Subject: Telephones in Hong Kong

KOWLOON (Thursday):

Rtn. Dr. K. E. van der Mandele, Netherlands Consul-General, will show two pictures on Medieval Dutch Sculpture and the Tulip Time with narration.

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

Speaker: Vice-President T. Y. Lo  
Subject: My First Year In Rotary



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## T. Y. LO ACHIEVES GREAT FELLOWSHIP FEAT

**A** MOST remarkable fellowship feat, which is difficult even for an old-timer, was achieved by Vice-President T. Y. Lo, of the Island West Club, at our last weekly regular meeting at Winner House on August 17.

At the invitation of Sergeant-at-Arms Edwin Tao, Rtn. T. Y. successfully and unhesitatingly identified each and every one of our 22 members present by their Club names. The "Smiling Tiger", a nick-name recently given by Rtn. Seven Shih to our Sergeant-at-Arms, wore a great smile when he collected \$110 for our Community Service Fund through the help of our visiting Rotarian's outstanding feat.

The fellowship feat of Rtn. T. Y. was singled out two days later at his own Club's meeting by Fellowship Committee Chairman, Rtn. Henry Tang, and became much more conspicuous when Vice-President Henry Chang of the Island East Club had to make some contribution to the West's Community Service Fund for declining a reciprocal invitation to match Rtn. T. Y.'s fellowship test.

The guest speaker at our meeting was Dr. T. Y. Lee, who gave us a very informative background story of the age, nationality, style and other aspects of Chinese seals. Dr. Lee used

lantern slides to demonstrate ornate seals carved in a variety of semi-precious stones to illustrate his talk on "The Chinese Seal".

Dr. Lee combines scholarship, calligraphy, and the collecting of old and carving of new seals with his duties as a medical practitioner. Several boxes of his collection of ancient seals were passed round the tables while he spoke.

After the speech it was pointed out by Rtn. Tse Yu-Chuen, of the Island West Club, who is also a seal expert, that seals were regarded throughout the East as more difficult to forge than signatures. They were also not subject like the signee to aging and to death. After a Chinese man's death, his seal would be kept in the family for generations, a permanent

check on every document which it had been used to sign during his lifetime.

And even during his lifetime, the seal remained identical—never changing with each new pen, or with his age, or with his state of health, Rtn. Tse added.

For such an important item of a man's equipment, the finest scholars, craftsmen, and artists were employed. Seals were carried by officers as the buckle of a military belt, and by civilians

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Speaker: Rtn. W. J. Blackie of the Kowloon Club  
Subject: Some Farming Problems in the New Territories

as a certain proof of their identity.

Some seals carried a man's life history—written in the style of "Who's Who" in classical Chinese. Other's carried lines of poetry, sayings, inscriptions, and decorative designs. They were part of a pattern of life, as renowned for their artistry and scholarship as for basic Confucian commonsense.

The guest speaker was most appropriately thanked by Rtn. Wilson Wang, after which President Ron Bennett adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International and the Rotary Club of Kowloon.

### Attendance

Twenty-two of our 30 members attended our last week's luncheon meeting at Winner House on August 17, representing 73.3% as follows:

Members present .. . . .	22
" on leave .. . . .	1
" absence excused .. . . .	7
Total .. . . .	30

We missed Rtns. Seaker Chan, K. S. Chang, Y. C. Fogg, K. C. Goh, Hsi Yu-I, Marsh Stayner and Brig Young, whose absence from the meeting was excused.

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. T. Y. Lo .. . . .	Island West
" Tse Yu-Chuen .. . . .	"
" Ron Mander .. . . .	Hong Kong
" Ken Barnett .. . . .	Kowloon

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Dr. T. Y. Lee .. . . .	Guest Speaker
Mr. G. S. Stokes .. . . .	Rtn. Ben Lee
" James Cozzets .. . . .	" Ron Mander
" D. Chan .. . . .	" T. Y. Lo

### Other Clubs' Meeting

#### Joint Project Suggested

**A** PROPOSAL that the four Rotary Clubs in the Colony undertake a joint and bigger community service project each year instead of carrying out individual Club programmes as hitherto, was made by Vice-President T. Y. Lo, of the Island West Club.

Rtn. T. Y. advanced this proposal for consideration by all Rotarians in the Colony last Friday when he referred to Rotary's annual social welfare projects during the course of his talk at

### THIS WEEK'S

programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

#### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Mr. John Morley, noted foreign correspondent

*Subject:* Covering the Geneva Conference

#### KOWLOON (Thursday):

Business Meeting

#### ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Mr. Mak Chiu Sin

*Subject:* Harmonica—an intriguing instrument

his Club's regular meeting on "My First Year in Rotary".

He stated that the combined effort of all the Clubs would certainly be much more impressive and beneficial than divided contributions of individual Clubs.

Rtn. T. Y. said that Rotary International which started 50 years ago had become one of the biggest servicing organisations because of its unique constitution in embodying members of different professions, nationalities and religious beliefs, who were united together in one worldwide body with one object, namely, "Service Above Self".

He said that the punctuality requirements of Rotarians to attend these club meetings and the responsibility to undertake assigned committee duties were more important to the Chinese members in view of the undesirable Chinese habits.

These lofty ideals and principles, if constantly practiced, would make one more beneficial not only to himself but also to his community and mankind in general, he added.

The speaker exhorted Rotarians to double their efforts during the present uncertain world situation to create better understanding with others in order to achieve universal goodwill and peace.

#### Telephone Development

The development of the telephone service in the Colony, dating back to 1882 with 30 subscribers to the present-day 50,000 stations, was related by Mr. T. S. Pugh, Managing Director of the Hong Kong Telephone Co., Ltd., when

he spoke at Tuesday.

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he spoke at the Hong Kong Club's meeting last Tuesday.

For his talk which brought out much light on the difficulties of the Telephone Co. in meeting the Colony's requirements in telephone service, Mr. Pugh, who was a former Rotarian known by his Club name as Tom, erected in the meeting room elaborate demonstration panels of telephone equipment to explain the complex system of the communication system.

During the talk, lights flashed and electronic counters buzzed and turned and selected numbers. Mr. Pugh even demonstrated, for any observer keen enough to follow the gist, the way to dial a number from a phone box without losing your pennies.

He also gave an interesting account of the

This year's Ball depends on . . .

### Jimmy Wu for Success

With the recent appointment of Rtn. Jimmy Wu Man-Hon to the post of Chairman of the Annual Ball Committee, our Club's 2nd Annual Charity Ball to be held before the end of this year will undoubtedly be a sure success—perhaps even more successful than the previous function.

The Board of Directors should be congratulated for their excellent choice in giving the chief-money-raising job for our community service project to the most qualified member of our Club. Rtn. Jimmy has been associated with social welfare work for sometime and is a prominent figure among the Chinese community not only in our territory but also in other areas throughout the Colony. He is this year's Principal Director of the Po Leung Kuk, a well-known charitable institution under the Secretary for Chinese Affairs.

We are confident that Jimmy will help us raise more money than last year for our impending maiden community service programme—a deaf school for under-privileged children—which already has little over \$30,000 in its chest.

We are equally confident that with his rich experience in organising social functions, Jimmy

growth of telephone mindedness and of the telephone service in the Colony since almost the first days of Mr. Alexander Graham Bell's patented inventions.

*Rtn. Rtns. See Films*

Aspects of present-day Dutch industries, medieval architecture and Gothic sculpture were seen in a film shown to members and guests of the Kowloon Club last Thursday.

Another colour film entitled "Tulip Time" showed aspects of the growth and importance of the tulip which is the national symbol of the Dutch people.

Both films were presented by courtesy of Rtn. van der Mandele, Netherlands Consul-General in Hong Kong, who gave a short commentary.

will arrange a most enjoyable Ball for all of us to participate in.

Born in Hong Kong in a big family of nine, Rtn. Jimmy is 34 years of age. He received his early education at the King's College before enrolling in the mechanical engineering faculty of the Hong Kong University. At the age of 17 and being then the eldest, Jimmy was called upon by his father, who started in a small way, to help after school hours and during holidays in the family's taxi business. Owing to his father's illness, he had to take over control of the family's business two years later when he was still an undergraduate of the Hong Kong University.

The outbreak of the Pacific War in December, 1941, interrupted his studies in Hong Kong and the following month Jimmy alone found his way into Free China followed later by several other members of his family. He reached Shaokwan, war-time capital of the Kwangtung Province, where he joined the National Sun Yat-sen University, graduating in 1943 with a B.Sc. (Eng.) degree.

Far-sightedness is one of Jimmy's major qualities. As early as in 1941, when he was still in his teens, he foresaw the shortage of machinery in war-torn China. Before leaving Hong Kong, he managed to smuggle out several pieces of his taxi company's valuable engineering equipment, including a cylinder reboring machine.

This machine, upon reaching Shaokwan, was found very handy for Jimmy to start a much needed motor service that also helped meet the family's high cost of living during the wartime inflation. The machine and other testing equipment were also found very use-



Rtn. Jimmy Wu

ful and helpful to the Chinese authorities. Jimmy's cylinder reboring machine was the only available one in the war-time southeastern provinces for re-conditioning motor-car cylinders which were very much in need for carrying on the war against the enemy.

Upon graduation from the National Sun Yat-Sen University, he worked on petroleum substitutes, including charcoal gas producers, alcohol and vegetable oils, and helped the motor trade solve and improve motor-car transportation problems. He was later commissioned as a consultant engineer to the Kwangtung Provincial Governor and the Highway Bureau on such and other motor transportation matters.

After V-J Day, Jimmy returned to Hong Kong and rehabilitated his family's Central Taxicab business. Seeing the great demand for public transportation he acquired in 1948 the major interest in and re-organised the New Taxicab Co., Ltd. These two taxicab companies, one on the island and the other on the mainland, today have 79 cars which account for nearly 16% of the Colony's fleet of taxicabs serving the public.

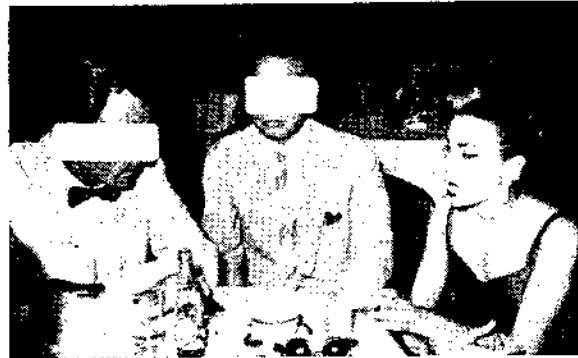
In 1947, Jimmy was the only successful candidate among 40 local university graduates chosen to go to England for post-graduate studies in engineering, sponsored jointly by the Hong Kong University and the British Council on behalf of the British Federation of Industries. He had, however, to decline the invitation on account of pressure of work in looking after the affairs of the Central Taxicab Co. and in re-organising the newly acquired New Taxicab Co., Ltd.

The far-sightedness of Jimmy played a more important role in his rapid succession of establishing other branches of business since 1948. He established the Central Hotel, the China Cold Storage & Engineering Co., the Golden Star Theatre and the Central Enterprises, the latter being an import firm handling the local distribution of Hotpoint electrical appliances and Willy's cars. All in all, Jimmy today looks after the business of six companies in the capacity of managing director, and must be considered the most enterprising and successful businessman among the younger members of our Club.

Seriously believing in Rotary's motto "Service Above Self" and the "Four-Way Test", Rtn. Jimmy tries his utmost to be fair to others including his clients and his employees—the latter amounting to 400 persons in his six companies.

Jimmy, happily married since 1950, has three daughters, spends his little leisure time on experimental work in refrigeration engineering and photography. He has recently acquired a moderate-sized pleasure boat, whose

## WHO ARE THEY?



Take a good look and see if you can identify the two members of our Club, photographed here in the charming company of the South American dancer, "Z-Bomb".

engines are maintained and improved personally by him. Soon we can look forward to Jimmy's invitation to have an enjoyable launch picnic party.

Rtn. Jimmy, who is concurrently a Director and Chairman of the Community Service Committee, strongly believes that Rotary principles can teach an individual to be a better citizen and influence him in making decisions that are fair to all parties concerned.

### News In Brief

Rtn. Fung Ping-Fan, who represented the Rotary Clubs of Hong Kong, Island East and Island West, at the R.J. Golden Anniversary Convention in Chicago, returned here last Saturday via P.A.A. He was welcomed back at the airport by Rtns. Jerry O'Donnell, F. I. Tseung, George Lin, Gin Su and David Wai, of Hong Kong Club; Rtns. Ron Bennett, Marsh Stayner and Henry Chang, of the Island East Club; and Rtn. H. C. Fung of the Island West Club.

President Jerry O'Donnell of the Hong Kong Club has come back from a business trip to the United States. He presided at his Club's meeting last Tuesday.

Rtn. Fred Clemo, founder President of the Kowloon Club, who suffered a fracture to the base of his spine in a traffic accident on August 14, has returned to his home last Thursday.

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Rotarian Ron Bennett

**D**URING the Year, 27 new members joined our fellow Clubs in the world, and Rtn. Fred Tan

We are pleased to see our members have returned to the end of June due to pressure of meetings which will be held with the dates of regular meetings of Clubs. However, of them has signed two fellow

All our members, including those who have returned since the beginning of the 1955/56 Year, are urged to attend other Clubs' meetings, if possible. By doing so, days prior to the attendance record which he will receive a fellowship of 0

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## OUR 431 VISITS TO FELLOW CLUBS

**D**URING the 52 weeks in the 1954/55 Rotary Year, 27 members representing 90% of our membership strength paid 431 visits to fellow Clubs in the Colony and in other parts of the world, according to statistics compiled by Rtn. Fred Tan of the Attendance Committee.

We are pleased to know that only three of our members had not visited any fellow Club by the end of June 1955. This was presumably due to pressure of business or other engagements which clashed with the dates of the regular meetings of other Clubs. However, one of them has since visited two fellow Clubs.

All our members, including those inducted since the beginning of the 1955/56 Rotary Year, are urged to visit other Clubs whenever possible. By attending other Clubs within six days prior to or after his own Club's meeting at which he was absent, one can make up his attendance record in addition to enjoying the fellowship of other Clubs.

Rtn. Joe Bao, who joined our Club in September 1954, topped the list by attending 98 meetings of other Clubs, which accounts for 22.68% of all the 431 visits. Of the 98 visits, 40 were paid to the Island West Club, 31 to

the Hong Kong Club and 27 to the Kowloon Club.

Joe's visits were much appreciated by all fellow Clubs and the Kowloon Club in the latest issue of its Club Bulletin, while congratulating him for his consistently good attendance, wrote: "If Rtn. Joe isn't careful he may find himself an Honorary member of our Club (Kowloon) one of these days!"

Second on the list was our founder President John Yuen, who made 68 visits, or 15.74% of the aggregated number of visits to other Clubs by our 27 members. Included in the 68 were six visits to the Manila and Taipei Clubs, though the statistics released by Rtn. Fred did not specifically mention these.

Rtn. Joseph Fung, a past Director who had been away for almost seven months in Kuala Lumpur, made up a great portion of his attendance record (71.21% for last year) by paying 43 visits to fellow Clubs in Malaya. These 43 visits gave him nearly 10% of the 431 visits made by 27 members during the period under review.

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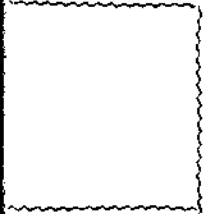
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Kong Club, 131 to the Island West Club, 55 to the Kowloon Club and 109 to overseas Clubs in Taiwan, Malaya, Manila, Australia (by Rtn. Seven Shih) and the United States (by ex-member Tom Freeman).

The statistics further revealed that the 136 visits to the Hong Kong Club were made by 19 (or 63.33% strength) of our members; the 131 visits to the Island West Club by 21 (or 70% of our members; and the 55 visits to the Kowloon Club by 11 members (or 36.66% of our strength).

Detailed record of members visiting other Clubs during the 1954/55 Rotary Year, as compiled by Rtn. Fred Tan, is as follows:

Name	Hong Kong	Island West	Kowloon	Overseas Clubs	Total
J. C. Bao	31	40	27		98
John Yuen	37	19	6	6	68
Joseph Fung				43	43
Tom Freeman	5	5	3	25	38
S. C. Shih	6	6	5	9	26
Patrick Cha	17	7	2		26
Henry Chang	10	9	5	2	26
Dragon Nie	6	5		5	16
Alan Yin		1	1	12	14
Bill Nichol	8	3	1	2	14
Ron Bennett	3	6	2		11
Wilson Wong	2	7	2		11
S. L. Yuen	1	7			8
Fred Tan	1	4			5
Y. C. Fogg		3		1	4
Edwin Tao	1	3			4
Jimmy Wu	3	1			4
K. C. Goh	1		1		2
Ben Lee	1	1			2
H. C. Yang	1	1			2
Chang Kuo-Sin				2	2
Soo Yu Dee				2	2
Alex Sheng		1			1
S. W. Zao	1				1
Seaker Chan		1			1
K. T. Wang		1			1
S. H. Ma	1				1
Total	136	131	55	109	431

### At Rotary Last Week

THE population of the New Territories has during the recent years increased from 250,000 to 400,000 people. The vegetable yields of the New Territories farmers are equal to 60% of the Colony's consumption. The farmers are still facing many problems which Government are trying to solve for them.

This was disclosed in a talk entitled "Some Farming Problems in the New Territories" by Rtn. W. J. Blackie, of the Kowloon Club, who is Director of the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry, at our Club's weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on August 1.

### THIS WEEK'S . . .

programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

**HONG KONG (Monday, instead of Tuesday):**

A Ladies' Day featuring a topic on "What Rotary-Annes should know about Rotary?" specially arranged by the Programme Committee. Rotary-Annes of all fellow members are cordially invited.

**KOWLOON (Thursday):**

*Speaker:* Mrs. D. Engel, B.Sc., wife of Rtn. Dr. Engel

*Subject:* A Biologist's Reflection

**ISLAND WEST (Friday):**

*Speaker:* Miss Janet Pomblin, M.B.E.

*Subject:* Adult Education in Britain

The main problems facing the farmers were listed by Rtn. Blackie as 1, shortage of water supplies; 2, appearance of plant pests and diseases; 3, lack of maintenance of fertility of soils and the inability to employ artificial fertilizers on account of economic reasons.

Rtn. Blackie said with the aid of Colonial Development Fund and the financial cooperation of the Kadoorie Agricultural Aid Association (which is headed by Rtn. Horace Kadoorie), Government have been trying to solve these main problems by employing afforestation schemes and building wells, dams and irrigation channels as well as by introducing education through demonstration to the farmers.

He also singled out the excellent service to the farmers by the Rotary Club of Kowloon which donated pumps for the use of two co-operative societies in the New Territories.

Through education by demonstration, the speaker added, Government have been teaching farmers to improve the use of fertilizers, the maintenance of soil fertility, the control of plant pests and diseases, the breeding of poultry and the raising of fish by pond culture.

Rtn. Blackie believed that through the planned education and assistance by Government and by the Kadoorie Agricultural Aid Association, the Chinese farmers in the New Territories who have few rivals in getting the most out of little will improve their production leading to better returns.

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The speaker was thanked by Hon. Secretary Bill Nichol, after which President Ron Bennett adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International and the Rotary Club of Woolongong, Australia.

At the same meeting, founder President John Yuen introduced Mr. William Moore, a Rotary Foundation Scholarship student from the United States now studying at the Hong Kong University; and Sergeant-at-Arms Edwin Tao led those present singing "Happy Birthday" songs to Rtns. Dragon Y. L. Nie and Conway K. Chan. A sum of \$236 was collected for the Community Service Fund.

### Other Clubs' Meeting

**HONG KONG:** Rtn. John Morley, an American political commentator and foreign correspondent, gave some very interesting facts about the recent summit conference in Geneva. He believed that the man with the power in Russia today was Marshal Zhukov who "has 1,000 pictures in public places in Russia for every one of any other Russian political figure".

Marshal Zhukov was, the speaker pointed out, the "captain" of the Russian team to the Geneva conference, which fact was in his opinion very significant. Another important thing came to light at the Geneva conference was the friendliness of the Russian delegates—a change which has never been witnessed before. The change of the Russian attitude was, in the opinion of Rtn. John, chiefly due to the power of Christianity in Russia today. According to him, the figures were roughly 15,000,000 Russian Christians to about 5,000,000 Russian Communists.

In the power of the church lay much of the political change that had come over Russia since the death of Marshal Stalin, the speaker said.

This led to three important factors in Russia today. The first was it was no longer the political regime of Stalin, but the Russian Army represented by Marshal Zhukov which was the dominant factor. The second was the unparalleled prosperity of the free world, particularly of Great Britain under the Conservative Government, compared with the national economies on the other side of the Iron Curtain. The third factor was the anger of farmers and miners in Russia, and an increasing rate of industrial sabotage.

Rtn. Morley added, "A Communist will never give you an inch unless he is up against something which he can not cope with at the moment. That is the position in Russia to-day."

In conclusion, Rtn. Morley appealed to the English-speaking people of the world to remain united, and called for an extension of the Rotary spirit throughout the world.

**KOWLOON:** A business meeting took place at the Kowloon Club last Thursday.

**ISLAND WEST:** Mr. Mok Chiu-sing spoke about the harmonica—an intriguing musical instrument—supplemented by a four-man harmonica team from the Chinese YMCA who played "Great Adventure".

## ROTARY HONOURED IN NORWAY

His Royal Highness Crown Prince Olav of Norway has become an honorary member of the Rotary Club of Oslo, Norway, and has been declared the honorary governor of the Rotary districts in that country.

### September Programme

Rtn. John Yuen, Chairman of the Programme Committee, announced that the weekly programmes of our Club during the month of September are scheduled as follows:

- Sept. 7: Prof. D. Barker, of the Hong Kong University, will address us on a subject to be announced later.
- " 14: Rtn. Fung Ping-Fan, of the Hong Kong Club, who represented the Rotary Clubs of Hong Kong, Island East and Island West, at the Chicago Convention, will report to us on the R.I. Golden Anniversary Convention. Rtn. Ken will also show to us some of the films taken by him at the Convention.
- " 21: Business Meeting.
- " 28: Mr. William J. Moore, a Rotary Foundation Scholarship student now studying at the Hong Kong University, will speak on "America—A Problem of Greatness".

### Attendance

Attendance record was very much improved to 90% last week, when 27 of our 30 members attended our weekly luncheon meeting on August 24.

Members present .. .. .	27
" on leave .. .. .	1
" absence excused .. .. .	2
(K. S. Chang & Hsi Yu-I)	
Total .. .. .	30

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. W. J. Blackie - - - -	Kowloon
" Colin Ure - - - - -	Hong Kong
" L. K. Tam - - - - -	Penang
" G. Woodward - - - - -	Hawthorne, Australia

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. William J. Moore - - -	Rtn. John Yuen
" G. S. Stokes - - - - -	" Ben Lee

## ROTARY TODAY

Thirty-one new Clubs in 20 countries were chartered in July 1955, bringing the strength of worldwide Rotary Clubs to 8,811 with an estimated 419,000 Rotarians.

### Committee Members Appointed

The Chairmen of various Committees have appointed the following members to serve on their respective Committees for the 1955/56 Rotary Year:

*Attendance* (Chairman S. L. Yuen): Joe Bao, Conway K. Chau, Y. F. Chen, Alex Shang, H. C. Yang and S. W. Zao.

*Club Bulletin* (Chairman Henry Chang): Seven S. C. Shih and Fred Tan.

*Programme* (Chairman John Yuen): K. S. Chang, Marsh Stayner and Brig Young.

*Public Information* (Chairman Pat Cha): K. T. Wang.

*Sergeant-at-Arms*: Edwin Tao will be assisted by Ben Lee.

*International Service* (Chairman Pat Cha): Y. C. Fogg, K. C. Goh and Brig Young.

*Community Service* (Chairman Jimmy Wu): Seaker Chan, Y. F. Chen, "Dragon" Nie, Wilson Wang, John Yuen and S. L. Yuen.

The Editor of *Tung Feng* will be pleased to announce the appointments of members of other Committees as soon as he receives same from the Chairmen of the Classification, Fellowship, Membership and Vocational Service Committees.

The Chairman of the Club Service Committee has created a Club Property Committee, headed by Rtn. "Dragon" Nie, for looking after and keeping in custody the flags, stands, badges and other properties of the Club.

### International Correspondence

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### The Great McKenzie Gift

From New Zealand comes the story of Sir John Robert McKenzie, a man who started business with barely a penny and turned his ingenuity into one of the Dominion's great merchandising institutions. Recently Sir John set aside three million dollars as a Rotary-administered trust. His fellow Rotarian, Sir John Illott, tells the story in *The Rotarian* for September.

### Partners in Democracy

Ramon Magsaysay, President of the Philippine Republic, is the courageous man who first stopped Communism in Asia. In *The Rotarian* for September this famed statesman writes about U.S.-Philippines relations and how they foreshadow a "world community in which each nation, however small and lacking in material strength, has a voice and acknowledged rights." This is provocative reading.

### The Spirit of Rotary

In the heart of virtually every Rotarian is the desire to meet the men of his community not on a business basis, but on the basis that is called man-to-man; the desire for a more personal sort of relationship, not one inspired by the traffic of one's business or profession. Out of that very desire was Rotary born. Call it a spirit, if you like, but it is an undefinable something. It is the force that draws men together, makes friends of them, and unites them in efforts toward worthy achievement.

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#### A. A. TO ISSUE ROTARY MONTHLY LETTER

**A**DMINISTRATIVE Adviser Charlie T. F. Wei will soon publish a "Rotary Monthly Letter" which probably will carry news and activities of the 15 Clubs in the Taiwan-Hongkong-Kowloon-Macao area for distribution not only among these Clubs but also to Governors of some 238 districts in 92 countries throughout the world.

This was indicated in a report in the latest issue of *Typhoon*, the weekly bulletin of the Rotary Club of Taipei, which states:

"The resignation of Mr. Si Nadler from his former post of Chairman of the Programme Committee was announced by President Sam. This does not mean, however, that his valuable services will be lost to the club. Sam announced that concurrently with his resignation, Si was appointed to serve as Editor-in-Chief of the "Rotary Monthly Letter" of the Taiwan Clubs and possibly those in Hong Kong.

"Administrative Adviser Charlie took the stand to explain more fully the details incumbent upon the publishing of this letter. He explained that it will be a monthly letter from the Administrative Adviser, published in letter format.

"This letter, Charlie explained, would prove

of infinite value, as it will be sent to the District Governors of some 238 districts located in 92 countries throughout the free world. By this closer affinity with the balance of the world's Rotary organisations, Taiwan clubs will be kept abreast of progress in various Rotary functions over the globe.

"The letter will also contain valuable information pertinent to Taiwan and the development of the various industries and movements here. In this way, other nations—through their Rotary organisations—will be constantly in receipt of first-hand information without distortion," the *Typhoon's* report concludes.

It may be recalled that the publication of such a newsletter was first suggested at last year's Rotary Inter-City Forum held in Taipei in April by Vice-President Henry Chang, Editor of the Island East Club's *Tung Feng* weekly bulletin, when he said that in addition to the individual club's bulletins, there should be a monthly or a quarterly bulletin for the Taiwan area and the Hongkong-Macao region, or one embracing the whole district in order to create a firmer and closer fellowship among the Rotarians of Free China, Macao and Hong Kong.

Henry's suggestion was then actively discussed at the Forum, receiving both favourable

Next Meeting: Sept. 7, 1955  
Speaker: Prof. D. Barker of the Hong Kong University  
Subject: Monsters

and unfavourable comments which included that of Rtn. Gin Su, Vice-President of the Hong Kong Club, who suggested that the individual Clubs should continue their respective bulletins but that the incoming Administrative Adviser be asked to look after the joint efforts through the publication of a monthly Newsletter for the whole area.

At the conclusion of the debate, A.A. Charlie concurred in Henry's suggestion that a joint publication for the whole district be considered in the future.

### Inner-Wheel Sub-Committee

**T**HE creation of an Inner-Wheel Sub-Committee comprising Rotary-Annes to help the Annual Ball Committee was unanimously approved by the Directors of our Club at a Board meeting held at Winner House last Friday, Sept. 2. It is believed that the creation of such a sub-committee for Rotary-Annes to more actively participate in the Rotary work is unprecedented in the Colony's Rotary movement.

Presided over by President Ron Bennett, the Board meeting was attended by Rtus. Bill Nichol, John Yuen, Y. F. Chen, Seven S. C. Shih, Jimmy Wu, Pat Cha, S. L. Yuen and Henry Chang. Those who were not present at the meeting were Directors K. S. Chang and Ben Lee.

After confirming the minutes of the last Board meeting, the Directors unanimously approved the proposal, which had received no objection from any member, to invite Hon. Ngan Shing-Kwan to be an Honorary Member of our Club.

The Honourable Ngan Shing-Kwan is an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council, Unofficial Justice of the Peace, Managing Director of China Motor Bus Co., Ltd., Deputy Chairman of Alice Ho Miu Ling Nethersole Hospital and Committee of Hong Kong War Memorial Fund, and Vice-President of Hong Kong Society for the Protection of Children.

The Directors also approved the appointment, by Chairman Jimmy Wu of the Annual Ball Committee, of the following Sub-Committee Chairmen to be members of the ABC's General Committee:

Hon. Secretary, Brig Young; Tickets, Wilson Wang; Donation, S. L. Yuen; Programme, John Yuen; Fellowship, Pat Cha; Publicity, Henry Chang; Decoration, "Dragon" Y. L. Nie; Reception, Ben Lee; Advertising, Seven S. C. Shih; Hon. Treasurer, Y. F. Chen and Master of Ceremonies, Conway Chan.

### THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of member Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

**HONG KONG (Tuesday):**

Members of the Toastmasters' Club will give a demonstration on techniques of public speaking.

**KOWLOON (Thursday):**

*Speaker:* Prof. E. Stuart Kirby, Professor of Economics, University of Hong Kong.

*Subject:* Recent Trip to Angkor in Indo-China—to be accompanied by colour lantern slides.

**ISLAND WEST (Friday):**

*Speaker:* 呂志偉先生

*Subject:* 文天祥正氣歌

At the suggestion of Rtn. John Yuen, Chairman Jimmy Wu was very much pleased to create, with the approval of the Directors, an Inner-Wheel Sub-Committee under the Annual Ball Committee. This Sub-Committee will comprise Rotary-Annes who are to undertake special work in connection with our Second Annual Charity Ball. Mrs. Sophia Wang, wife of Rtn. Wilson Wang, will be asked by Chairman Jimmy Wu to be convener of the Inner-Wheel Sub-Committee.

Other resolutions adopted by the Board included:

1. That at the end of each Rotary Year, the Chairmen of various Committees must hand over their files to their respective successors.

2. That the decoration flags and Rotary wheels of our Club be loaned to the Rotary Club of Kowloon on the occasion of their Annual Charity Ball for this year, which has been scheduled for late October.

3. That future Board meetings be held on the 2nd Monday instead of the first Friday of each calendar month.

4. That President Ron Bennett be our authorised representative to attend the inaugural meeting of the Hong Kong Society for the Blind on Thursday, Sept. 22. We are sending a representative to the meeting at the invitation of Hon. C. E. Terry, who has been asked to preside over the inaugural meeting of the Society.

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## FELLOWSHIP LAUNCH PICNIC

A launch picnic for furthering still closer fellowship among our members and their families has been tentatively scheduled for Sunday, Sept. 11.

As the pleasure launch, provided free by Rtn. Jimmy Wu, can accommodate only 38 persons, members wishing to participate in the fellowship party must immediately notify Rtn. Ben Lee, Chairman of the Fellowship Committee. It will be on the first come, first serve basis.

Light buffet and tea will be provided at \$8 per head aboard the boat which will leave Queen's Pier at 2 p.m. and return to the same pier at 7 p.m. All proceeds after expenses will be for our Club Fund.

## Here And There

**HONG KONG CLUB:** Three new members were inducted last week, increasing its strength to 111, but for just one (this) week only, as it will from next week lose the services of Rtn. E. E. Story, Manager of Cable and Wireless Ltd., who leaves the Colony on Sept. 12 on retirement after 38 years' service with the Company. The three new members are Rtns. Geoff Godyear, Daniel Lam and Joseph Yen.

**TAIPEI CLUB:** 1st Vice-President James Lee is now President succeeding Sam Anuman Rajadhon. Sam has been transferred by his Government (Thailand) to another important post elsewhere. . . . A.A. Charlie T. F. Wei called the attention of Taipei members to the 1955/56 Inter-City Forum (or "District Conference") which will be held next year in Hong Kong. He noted that a District Governor might be elected from among the various Clubs of our area at the Forum if R.I. approves our petition. Stressing the importance of electing the proper man for this post during the "hatching period", Charlie suggested that various members contact and discuss the matter with others of the Taiwan Clubs.

**VISITING ROTARIANS:** Led by Vice-President N. Tihon, a four-member Goodwill Delegation from the Saigon Rotary Club attended the meetings of all the fellow Clubs in Hong Kong last week, at which Rtn. Tihon suggested closer ties between the two cities. They will also visit Japan and the Philippines. . . . Rtn. Milton Hsieh of the Taipei Club is passing through Hong Kong on way to attend the Moral Re-armament conference near Geneva. He was the guest of honour at a dinner party at Winner House last Sunday, Sept. 4, given jointly by Rtns. John Yuen, Bill Nichol, "Dragon" Nie and Henry Chang of the Island East Club, and Alfred Ho of the H.K. Club.

## Attendance

Twenty-five of our 30 members participated in our last week's luncheon meeting at Winner House on August 31, representing 83.3% as follows:

Members present	25
" on leave	2
" absent (Seaker Chan & Marsh Stayner)	2
" absence excused (S. H. Ma)	1
Total	30

## VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. N. Tihon	Saigon
" Phu Lamah	"
" Nguyen Khae-scheou	"
" Tran Van-chien	"
" D. P. Sarin	Hong Kong
" Alvin P. Jagtiani	"
" B. L. Ulrich	Manhattan, U.S.A.

## VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. Chan Wang Chiu	Rtn. S. W. Zao
" D. F. Capistrano	" John Yuen
" G. S. Stokes	" Ben Lee

## At Rotary Last Week

THE bannerettes of the Rotary Clubs of Saigon and Manhattan (U.S.A.) were exchanged with our Club at our regular meeting at Winner House on August 31.

Guest speaker for the occasion was Mr. D. F. Capistrano, Commercial Attache of the Philippine Consulate, who announced that foreign investments in the Philippines would be most welcome by his Government.

Speaking on the national policy of his Government in attracting foreign investments, Mr. Capistrano said that foreign investment, especially from Hong Kong was urgently desired by his Government, and would be given very favourable trading terms. He asked all to join in drinking a toast to President Magsaysay, "an ardent supporter of foreign investment," and punctuated the speech later with a similar toast to the Philippine Finance Minister, responsible for the policy of encouraging investment.

In his speech he said, "Since the election of President Magsaysay there has been an emphasis on foreign investment."

This emphasis, he said, was illustrated by Mr. Ledexma, Secretary of the Department of Commerce and Industry's words: "We have and will always welcome enterprise with foreign

capital. So long as foreign investors come here in a sincere desire to help develop the country in addition to their making fair and just profit, our foreign friends, like businessmen from Hong Kong, will always be welcomed."

Mr. Capistrano said that his Government was aware that foreign investors must be given confidence that they will not be treated unfairly. It was his Government's policy, he said, to protect foreign investors from dumping, and to permit liberal remittance of profit.

He added: "It must be admitted that the Philippines (economy) lacks balance. The country is largely agricultural, depending upon a few export crops, mainly coconut, sugar, base metals, timber, and tobacco. Exports are largely to the United States. About 75 per cent of the people depended upon agriculture.

"This lack of balance is, however, being corrected. The Government is embarked on an economic development programme designed to establish a proper balance between agriculture and industry."

He added eight reasons why people should invest money in his country were:

- 1.—It was still underdeveloped, and the opportunities for investment were unlimited;
- 2.—Vast underdeveloped areas existed with plenty of raw materials to feed the processing industries;
- 3.—A great labour force;
- 4.—Huge local capital lying idle waiting for foreign initiative;
- 5.—"We are developing technological and scientific skills necessary for industrial development";
- 6.—Currency sound;
- 7.—Preferential trade with the United States provided some initial advantages;
- 8.—Ten years exemption from taxes was granted to new and necessary industries.

The speaker was thanked by Rtn. Seven S. C. Shih, after which President Ron Bennett adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, coupled with which were the Rotary Clubs of Saigon and Manhattan.

## ANNUAL BALL COMMITTEE MEETING

Members of the General Committee of the Annual Ball Committee (refer to their names elsewhere in this edition) are requested by Chairman Jimmy Wu to attend a preliminary meeting on Thursday, Sept. 8.

The meeting will be held aboard Jimmy's pleasure boat which will be at Queen's Pier at 5.30 p.m. Mrs. Wilson Wang, the convener of the Inner-Wheel Sub-Committee, is also invited to the meeting.

## Other Clubs' Meeting

**HONG KONG CLUB:** A special programme on "What Rotary-Annes should know about Rotary" was introduced at a Ladies' Day meeting last Monday. Led by Programme Chairman Sunny Sales, many members and Rotary-Annes were called upon to express their views on various aspects of the Rotary movement, while Mr. Bill Moore, a Rotary Foundation Fellow from U.S.A. studying at the Hong Kong University, spoke of the obligations of such a Scholarship. He said the student is required by Rotary International to be a student, lecturer and "ambassador" of good will.

**KOWLOON CLUB:** Mr. Joyce Engel, wife of Rtn. Dr. D. Engel, provided much food for thought when she talked about "Reflections of a Biologist" at last Thursday's meeting. She dealt at length with the three aspects of biology in present-day life—its importance as a part of the general education of the individual, its practical applications, and the lessons and warnings it had for the future of mankind.

**ISLAND WEST CLUB:** Miss J. Tomblin of the British Council spoke at last Friday's meeting on many interesting points of adult education in Britain. She said that education of any sort in Britain used to be the privilege of the rich and was almost confined to those of the upper classes who could afford to go to Oxford and Cambridge, but now education was recognised as the right of all and a state responsibility.

Miss Tomblin said that every child in Britain was compelled to go to school; further education was voluntary, but further education of some sort was within the reach of all who wanted it, and, if not absolutely free, was at a price so small as to be nominal.

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## CHARITY BALL ON DECEMBER 2

**T**HE Second Annual Charity Ball of our Club will be held at The Ritz on Friday, December 2, 1955, subject to confirmation of booking by The Ritz. This was unanimously decided upon by members of the General Committee of the Annual Ball Committee last Thursday afternoon, when they held a preliminary meeting aboard Chairman Jimmy Wu's pleasure yacht, "Blue Bird".

The function will be a formal one and the net proceeds, plus last year's Community Service Fund, will be used for constructing a School for the Deaf and Blind.

The meeting was attended by Chairman Jimmy and his General Committee members (Rtns. John Yuen, Pat Cha, Wilson Wang, Y. F. Chen, S. L. Yuen, Conway Chau, Seven Shih and Henry Chang), as well as by President and Mrs. Ron Bennett, Hon. Secretary Bill Nichol and Mrs. Sophia Wang, convener of the Inner-Wheel Sub-Committee.

Dinner tickets for the occasion will be charged at \$25 per head and donation tickets at \$2 each, while advertising space in the Souvenir Programme will be \$100 per page and \$60 per half-page.

The first prize for the donation tickets will be a A-30 Austin car which will be sold to the Club by Rtn. Bill Nichol at below cost, and the second prize will be a 7.7 cu.-ft. Hotpoint refrigerator generously donated by Chairman Jimmy Wu.

It was agreed at the meeting that in addition to soliciting assistance and patronage from fellow Clubs and the general public, every member of our Club will be requested to be responsible for selling two pages of advertising space, eight dinner tickets and 100 donation tickets. Furthermore, they will be asked to contribute \$50 each for financing partly the purchase price of the Austin car as well as to donate a prize.

Mrs. Sophia Wang, assisted by Mrs. Ron Bennett, were requested

to convene a meeting of the Inner-Wheel Sub-Committee of Rotary-Annes within this week, and to report to the next meeting of the General Committee which has been tentatively fixed for September 22, commencing at 5.30 p.m.

Indications at the conclusion of the preliminary meeting were that this year's Charity Ball will in all probability produce much better financial results than the previous one. Chairman

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Jimmy hoped to have more than 400 persons attending our Ball this year. Donation Ticket Sub-Committee Chairman Wilson Wang was hopeful of selling 15,000 tickets, while Advertising Sub-Committee Chairman Seven Shih has been asked to aim at \$10,000 from the Souvenir Programme.

It may be recalled that our maiden Charity Ball held last November brought us the following results:

Donation tickets . . . .	\$12,050.00
Dinner tickets . . . .	8,650.00
Advertising Income . . . .	8,750.60
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Total gross revenue . . . .	\$29,450.60

Expenditure incurred for the occasion amounted to about 31% of the total gross revenue, or roughly \$9,000 (including \$6,000 for 372 dinners), leaving a net balance of \$20,369.80.

With this sum of \$2,369.80 and with the further sum of \$11,982.00 from fines and contributions from our members at our weekly meetings, our Community Service Fund at the end of the 1954/55 Rotary Year stood at \$32,351.80.

We can, therefore, confidently expect our Community Service Fund to reach more than \$60,000 by the end of the fiscal year on June 30, 1956, in order to finance our social service project which in the first stage calls for the erection of a two-storey school building.

It is most gratifying to learn that our Hon. Treasurer Y. F. Chen, a contractor by profession, will undertake the building of the two-storey school premises at 10% below cost, namely a contribution of \$6,000.

### At Rotary Last Week

**O**UTLINING the myth and fable of monsters, which existed nowhere other than in the realm of legend, and of those known to zoologists to be lurking in our world today, Mr. David Barker, Professor of Zoology at Hong Kong University, gave us a most interesting and educational lecture on monsters at our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on September 7.

The Professor told us that: Dragons exist. The Abominable Snowman is pretty certain to exist. There is much evidence to show that the Loch Ness Monster is quite possible, probably a Plesiosaur, and vouched for by obviously sincere witnesses. And expeditions are abroad or mooted to trap the giant eel, sea serpents, and

### THIS WEEK'S . . .

programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

**HONG KONG (Tuesday):**

*Speaker:* Rtn. Dr. C. T. Wang

*Subject:* Olympic Games

**KOWLOON (Thursday):**

Ladies' Day with Prof. A. Foa giving a violin recital.

**ISLAND WEST (Friday):**

*Speaker:* Mr. Kenneth C. K. Tsung, Associated General Secretary of Chinese Y.M.C.A., Hong Kong

*Subject:* Report on the worldwide Centenary Conference of Y.M.C.A. in Paris.

the giant squid with eight-inch suckers on arms that seamen may well have taken for the sea Serpent.

During the course of his 20-minute talk, Mr. Barker said that in the past scientists had disproved so many fanciful ideas that the layman today was apt to be over sceptical of anything that seemed at all improbable.

But by a curious paradox, the scientist today was apt to be very much less sceptical of the possibility or probability of unexplained phenomena.

The speaker was thanked by Rtn. Ben Lee after which President Ron Bennett adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Scottsdale, Arizona, U.S.A.

Earlier in the meeting, International Service Committee Chairman Pat Cha presented a bannerette of the Scottsdale Club to President Ron, while "The Roaring Tiger" (past Sergeant-at-Arms Ben Lee) led all present to say Many, Many Happy Returns of the Day to "The Smiling Tiger"—Sergeant-at-Arms Edwin Tao.

President Ron also took the opportunity of appealing to members to become either a life member or an ordinary member of the Hong Kong Society for the Blind the inaugural meeting of which will be held on Sept. 22. Ron said that the Society was definitely worthwhile for

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every Rotarian to support and that he hoped to have a 100% support from our members.

The Hong Kong Club's regular meeting last Tuesday was taken over by members of the Toastmasters' Club, who demonstrated the techniques of public speaking and also called on three Rotarians each to give a one-minute talk on an unprepared subject assigned to them on the spot by the Toastmaster of Table Topics.

The main speaker of the day was Mr. Victor Mamak, member of the Toastmasters' Club, who gave a five-minute speech on "We must not destroy nuclear weapons". After the conclusion of the demonstration, Mr. M. N. Rakusen acted as the General Evaluator and formally appraised the speeches.

At the Kowloon Club meeting last Thursday, about 100 colour slides showing the ruins of the ancient temples of Angkor, capital of an ancient Hindu empire in Cambodia, were shown to Rotarians and their guests by Professor E. S. Kirby, of the Hong Kong University.

The slides revealed the magnificent stone structure of the temples, the gigantic statues of the Hindu emperors and Buddhas, and the beautiful carvings of dancing nymphs on the walls. They also told of the gradual adoption of Buddhism in the empire during its decline.

### Enjoyable Fellowship Party

**T**HANKS to the hospitality of Rtn. Jimmy Wu, a party of 12 members and their families had a most enjoyable outing on Sunday afternoon aboard Jimmy's 46-foot pleasure yacht "Blue Bird".

It is pity that only 12 availed themselves of the opportunity though the boat comfortably accommodates more than 30 persons. Those who could not manage to come along had certainly missed plenty of fun. It is, however, hoped that every member of our Club should endeavour to bring along his family and share the wonderful fellowship of others at future fellowship parties.

Please remember that one of the basic principles upon which Rotary was founded is fellowship. Fellowship is not an assignment which can be delegated to a group called the Fellowship Committee. It is the spirit with which all the members must be imbued.

The boat left Queen's Pier at 2.35 p.m. under brilliant sunshine and ideal weather conditions. She rode the gentle waves for nearly 50 minutes all the way through to the Temple Bay.

### Attendance

Of our 30 members, 27 attended last week's regular luncheon meeting at Winner House on September 7, representing 90% as follows:

Members present .. .. .	27
" on leave .. .. .	2
" absent (Speaker Chan) .. .. .	1
Total .. .. .	30

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Eugene Penn .. .. .	Kowloon
" T. Y. Lo .. .. .	Island West
" P. Y. Koo .. .. .	Hong Kong

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. G. S. Stokes .. .. .	Rtn. Ben Lee
" Y. C. Lee .. .. .	" S. C. Shih
" William Kung .. .. .	" Henry Chang
Prof. D. Barker .. .. .	Guest Speaker
Lt.-Com. L. Jennings .. .. .	Rtn. Brig Young

With the exception of one lady and Joe Bao, all went in for swimming. The poorest of all was Henry Chang, who had to depend on a life saver while in water. He, however, confided that he not only enjoyed the good fellowship of others but also learned how to float and other simple fundamentals of swimming from Y. F., Seven, Fred and Jimmy.

The Chens (Y. F. and his son, Peter), one of our Club's most eligible bachelors (Fred Tan), and the Shihs (Seven and Winnie) are certainly great swimmers. Every one of them appeared to be equally at ease in water as walking on the road.

Our President Ron and the First Lady, Winifred (better known as Dick) are also good swimmers. Dick swam nearly 200 yards from the beach to the boat in the company of Peter. It was only towards the last leg she felt a little tired but she managed to finish.

Jimmy and his younger brother, Bunny, displayed first-rate swimming. Jimmy was most helpful and obliging, devoting much of his time to the requirements of others throughout the five-hour get-together.

Though we missed his company, Fellowship Committee Chairman Ben Lee must be thanked for his careful arrangements in giving us a tastefully prepared light buffet.

The five-hour party was so successful and enjoyable that even Joe did not find the necessity of having a seista.

### Extension Of Our Area

**T**HE western territorial limits of our Club may soon be extended from Tonnochy Road to Arsenal Street, it was disclosed by President Ron Bennett at our last week's regular meeting.

The decision on seeking the extension of our territorial limits was made at the Board meeting in August for the purpose of having a bigger area from which to draw new members. As a result, the Board instructed President Ron to write to the Hong Kong Club, requesting them to give up their territory between Arsenal Street and Tonnochy Road to our Club.

The Directors of the Hong Kong Club favourably considered our request at their recent Board meeting and resolved to let us have the territory concerned, pending formal approval of R.I. Administrative Adviser Charlie T. F. Wei.

### They Measure Rotary By Your Lives

The man outside Rotary reads no Rotary literature. He is probably not familiar with our Object or its interpretation. He judges Rotary by the lives of the Rotarians in his community. If our lives are examples of "Service Above Self," he can understand the meaning of our motto.

The Founder of Rotary was fond of saying that Rotary was the product of the minds of thousands of men. Its status with the public, and hence to a large extent its influence and its chance to do good, rests on the impression we make upon our neighbours. When we are "united in the Ideal of Service," then we shall have made measurable progress in the advancement of the world fellowship of business and professional men.

—THE ROTATOR  
Bangalore, India.

### The Objectives of Rotary

From time to time, men criticize Rotary for being non-religious, non-political, non-civic. However, the person making these remarks simply is uninformed about Rotary.

While Rotary is non-sectarian, it does encourage its members to belong to a church—to be faithful in their own religious convictions.

While Rotary is non-political, it does urge its members to vote and, as individuals, to take an active part in politics.

While Rotary might be termed non-civic, it does encourage its members to take an interest in and work for civic endeavours.

Rotary does urge that its members be men of good character, that they run their business in accordance with The Four-Way Test, that they do what they can to bring about international peace.

Those of us who have been Rotarians for many years feel our membership has helped to make us better men.

—THE ROTARY SPOKE  
Toronto, Ontario, Canada

### More Committee Members Appointed

More members have been appointed to serve on the following committees in addition to those announced in the August 30th issue of *Tung Feng*:

*Attendance* (Chairman S. L. Yuen): will also have the help of Fred Tan.

*International Service* (Chairman Pat Cha): Wilson Wang is to replace Y. C. Fogg.

*Membership* (Chairman Seven S. C. Shih): Ben Lee, Hsi Yu-I and H. C. Yang.

*Fellowship* (Chairman Ben Lee): Seven S. C. Shih and Fred Tan.

*Classification*: It will be a one-man committee of Ben Lee.

With Compliments of

Rotarian K. E. Goh

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**T**HE Rotary Macao and in 18 districts have been invited for the program conference to be held November 12-15, reaching here as a tripartite.

Such topics either at presentations or at assemblies, shall be received by the Secretary of R.I. at the central office in before November 1955, in order to be considered by the regional conference committee when it meets in Sydney beginning November 15, 1955.

For the purpose of the regional conference, the following places are included in the region: Australia, Singapore, Malaya, Indonesia, Brunei, China (Taiwan), Hong Kong, Hawaii, the Philippines, Canada, and the United States and California.

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## SYDNEY TO BE VENUE FOR PACIFIC CONFAB

**T**HE Rotary Clubs in Hong Kong, Kowloon, Macao and Taiwan and other fellow Clubs in 18 different places in the Pacific region have been invited to suggest and submit topics for the programme of the Pacific Regional Conference to be held in Sydney, Australia, on November 12-15, 1956, according to directives reaching here from Rotary International Secretariat.

Such topics, for use either at plenary sessions or at discussion assemblies, should be received by the Secretary of R.I. at the central office in Evanston before November 3, 1955, in order to be considered by the regional conference committee when it meets in Sydney beginning November 15, 1955.

For the purpose of regional conferences, Rotary Clubs in the following places are considered part of the Pacific region: Australia, New Zealand, Fiji Islands, Singapore, Malaya, Hong Kong, Macao, Vietnam, Indonesia, Brunei, Borneo, The Philippines, China (Taiwan), Korea, Marianas, Japan, Alaska, Hawaii, the Province of British Columbia in Canada, and the State of Washington, Oregon, and California in the U.S.A.

In his Official Call for the 1956 Pacific Regional Conference, R.I. President A. Z. Baker states:

"Founded in 1788, Sydney is the oldest and largest city in Australia. Its magnificent natural harbour, which extends for miles along the Pacific Ocean and encompasses innumerable scenic attractions, is one of the world's most beautiful harbours.

"Regional Conferences are held to develop and promote acquaintance and understanding and to provide forums for the expression of ideas and the discussion of topics which fall within the Object of Rotary. A Regional Conference is not a legislative body, but the opinion of those present may be expressed through resolutions

addressed to the Board of Directors of Rotary International.

"Although intended primarily for Rotarians and their guests from the Pacific region, those from other parts of the world are welcome to attend the Sydney Conference. The dates have been arranged so that Rotarians may attend both the Rotary Conference and the Olympic Games,

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To afford our members an opportunity to discuss various aspects of our Club's activities, tomorrow's regular luncheon at Winner House will be a

**BUSINESS MEETING**  
(September 21, 1955)

All our members are urged to attend the meeting which will be closed to the Press and guests. Rotarians from other Clubs will, however, be welcome.

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which are scheduled from November 22 to December 8, 1956, in Melbourne, Australia.

"It is my great pleasure to issue this Official Call to the 1956 Pacific Regional Conference, to be held in Sydney, Australia, on November 12-15, and I am hopeful that all Rotarians who can do so will attend this important meeting," the President of R.I. concludes.

In a supplementary note on the Regional Conferences, the Editor of *The Rotarian* wrote in its September issue as follows:

"These regional Conferences are they something new in Rotary? Not at all. Since the first was held in Hawaii in 1926 there have been 14 of them: in Asia, the Caribbean area, Europe, Ibero-America, and the Pacific. World War II interrupted the series, but it resumed with the Conference in Ostend, Belgium, a year ago. Now comes the Pacific Regional Conference in Australia in 1956; after that will come Conferences in the Caribbean-Gulf of Mexico Region, in Asia, in South America, and in the European, North African, and Eastern Mediterranean Region. This is the suggested order for the years ahead.

"Attracting several thousand people, these Regional Conferences are arranged by Rotary International, chairmanned by its President, managed by its Secretary. All Rotarians and their families everywhere are invited to each, but most come from the "region" specified for the Conference."

### THIS WEEK'S

... programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. Reggie Shun Wah, of the Kowloon Club.

*Subject:* Some Aspects of Motorcar Business.

KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Major Charles Harvey, Army PRO.

*Subject:* Public Relations in Community Service.

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. Fung Ping-Fan, of the Hong Kong Club.

*Subject:* Report on Chicago Convention.

### Inner-Wheel's 1st Meeting

*(The Editor is most grateful to Winnie, Rotary-Anne of Seven Shih, who specially recorded the meeting for publication in this bulletin. It is hoped that all our members would urge their Rotary-Annes to attend the second and future meetings of this Sub-Committee.)*

The Inner-Wheel Sub-Committee, specially created to help the Annual Ball Committee, held its first meeting at Sunning House last Thursday, Sept. 15. Presided over by Mrs. Sophia Wang, convener, the meeting was attended by Rotary-Annes of Ron Bennett, Henry Chang, Bill Nichol, K. C. Goh, S. W. Zao, S. L. Yuen and Seven Shih.

Also present as observers were Rtns. Ron Bennett, Jimmy Wu, Ben Lee, S. L. Yuen and Wilson Wang.

Before the meeting opened, President Ron and Chairman Jimmy were invited to speak a few words on how this Sub-committee may render assistance to the coming Charity Ball. Valuable suggestions were also offered by Rtn. Ben. Preliminary discussions were held on the following subjects:

(1) *Sale of dinner and Donation Tickets.*—It is learned that donation tickets cannot be sold in the Gloucester Arcade this year. We can only have a counter to sell Dinner tickets, and perhaps take care of the reservations if necessary. Rotary-Annes can also assist in selling Donation Tickets at the ball. Last year people clamoured for the tickets right from the beginning. This year we would arrange to have each lady take care of a certain number of tables, so that each table may have easy access to any number of donation tickets they want.

(2) *Procuring of Advertisement.*—Rotary-Annes should get together and make a list of likely prospects, each to be interviewed by a certain Rotary-Anne, in order to avoid having several people approaching the same establishment. Cost of one page is HK\$100.00 and half page, HK\$60.00. Like Rotarians, each Rotary-Anne should attempt to procure patrons for two full pages.

(3) *Procuring of prizes.*—Much effort should be put in this direction as attractive prizes will push up sales of tickets. As in procuring advertisements a list of persons to be approached should be made, to avoid the overlapping of individual efforts.

(4) To facilitate the ladies work in procuring prizes and advertisements, a leaflet explaining to the public the object of our giving the Ball is being prepared, and would be ready in the near future.

(5) *Sale of flowers.*—Through last year's bitter experience of paying three dollars for a rose, thereby leaving the Ball a very narrow mar-

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gin of profit, it is suggested that orchids from either Singapore or Bangkok be ordered for the coming ball. President Ron was requested to approach the Rotary Clubs in these districts for assistance in ordering and shipping the orchids to us, and Rtn. Ben was requested to exploit the possibility of getting free freight for the orchids from CPA who has generously donated a HK-Manda-HK passage as one of the prizes. It was also suggested that several extra large ones be ordered for auction to raise funds.

Youngsters would be invited to assist in selling the flowers at the ball. It is to be noted that each table is to be approached only once, in order not to annoy the guests.

The name of the person who buys the largest number of orchids would be announced over the mike.

(6) *Drawing of prizes.*—It was suggested that a proper machine for drawing the lucky numbers should be installed. In this connection, Rtn. Ron promised to speak to Rtn. K. T. about making a plywood container for the purpose. Attention was also drawn to the importance of grading the prizes properly: i.e. the 9th prize should be better than the tenth prize, etc.

(7) *Date for next meeting.*—The next meeting would be held at 3:00 P.M. on 26th September at Sunning House.

**At Rotary Last Week**

**P**AST President Fung Ping-fan of the Hong Kong Club, who acted as our Proxy to the Chicago Convention, showed us a colour film and told us vividly of Rotary's Golden Anniversary Convention held in Chicago last May, which he attended on behalf of the three Clubs in the Colony.

The 15-minute film which he showed at our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on September 14, gave us an idea of the thoroughness of the American hosts and of the magnitude of the Convention, including several spectacular indoor shots of decorations and illuminated displays in rich color.

Earlier in the same meeting, the birthday anniversaries of four members, Rtns. H. C. Yang, Joe Bao, K. S. Chang and Y. C. Fogg were celebrated, and the bannerette of the Shio-gama Club (Japan) was presented to us through International Service Committee Chairman Pat Cha.

The Golden Anniversary celebrations included ballets in modern step and rhythm depicting the history and principles of Rotary—parades of beauties throwing roses to Rotarians (each rose entitled the recipient to a kiss from the thrower). The film even showed Rotarians in pitched battle for the possession of a rose!

**Attendance**

Twenty-four of our 30 members participated in our weekly meeting at Winner House on September 14, representing 80% as follows:

Members present	24
" on leave	1
" absent (Speaker Chan)	1
" absence excused	4
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Total	30

We missed Rtns. S. H. Ma, Alex Shang, Marsh Stayner and Brig Young, whose absence was excused from the above meeting.

**VISITING ROTARIANS**

<i>Name</i>	<i>Home Club</i>
Rtn. Paul Blattmann	Hong Kong
.. Guy Harden	"
.. Gin Su	"
.. Fung Ping-Fan	"
.. Jerry O'Donnell	"
.. Daniel Kao	Island West
.. Henry To	"
.. Hsu Sih-Yu	"
.. Bill Sung	Keelung
.. Larry Shepard	San Marina, Calif., U.S.A.

**VISITORS**

<i>Name</i>	<i>Introduced by</i>
Mr. G. S. Stokes	Rtn. Ben Lee
.. Andrew Lam	.. Henry Chang

Rtn. Fung said, in the course of a talk, that of the many entertainments provided for the amusement of the delegates, the most breathtaking and awe-inspiring undoubtedly was the musical prelude which the official programme called "Prelude to the Convention." This was the 120-piece Chicago Symphony Orchestra, joined by the Varsity Glee Club of Perdue University of more than 100 voices. The Glee Club rendered under the direction of Rotarian Albert P. Stewart of Lafayette, Indiana. The rendering of Elger's "Pomp and Circumstances," followed by the "Battle Hymn of the Republic" in which both the Orchestra and the Glee Club joined in a triumphant outpouring of music and song brought the great audience to its feet.

Regarding the reception accorded delegates attending the Convention, Rtn. Fung said everything possible was done to make each delegate as comfortable as he wished, and there was a complete lack of that stiff formality that so often marred a gathering of such magnitude. As one met some fellow Rotarians, be they from some distant land far removed from one's own native shore, one had a feeling of brotherhood, such being the spontaneous desire to get to know one another better. These meetings transcended

the barriers of race, colour or creed and one was therefore reminded of the adage of Confucius who claimed that "Within the four Seas all are brethren." Delegates attending the Convention came from 64 countries.

"If those representatives of the 64 countries would each endeavour to claim another representative of a strange country as a brother, then one appreciate what wonderful opportunity there was for spreading peace and good will among men as well as among nations by these annual conventions," said Rtn. Fung. "As it was we each of us parted on the best and most cordial of terms, expressing the fervent hope and earnest desire to meet again at the next convention."

He said that outlined in large letters over the portal of the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Sherman where he stayed were three simple but significant words — "House of Friendship." Those three plain words reflected the spirit that animated the whole proceedings of the Convention.

Inside the Hotel was a mammoth birthday cake of paper-mache with 50 golden candles, and surmounting it a 15-foot Rotary Wheel. In place of the hub and spokes a transparent globe revolved slowly. At either end of the room, displayed on decorated pylons, were arranged the hundreds of Rotary banners presented over the years to the Rotary Club of Chicago by overseas Rotarians.

One of the finest scenes enacted at the Convention, and one which would long remain vivid, said Rtn. Fung, was a sort of tableau depicting the growth and development of Rotary entitled "Anniversary Album." On the stage of the great Chicago Stadium, with the auditorium suitably darkened, was focussed a single spotlight which revealed a Rotarian and his wife turning the pages of the family album and describing to their grandson the pictured events of the past. As the Rotarian turned the pages, the scene shifted to the great stage itself where the pictures were dramatised in song and dance and narrative.

Then followed a dance in which the story of the "Four-Way Test" was dramatically depicted by means of a modern ballet, the dancers being garbed in phosphorescence-treated costumes.

He described the Regional Dinner as among the most enjoyable functions held at the Convention. Thirteen were held, marked by capacity attendances, outstanding entertainment, inspirational speeches, excellent food, spirited communal singing and hopeful expectations of "seeing you again next year."

Rtn. Fung attended the Regional Dinner of the British Commonwealth Group at the Palmer House.

Past President John Yuen thanked the speaker, after which President Ron Bennett adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which were the Rotary Clubs of Keelung and San Marino.

### Other Clubs' Meetings

**HONG KONG CLUB:** Rtn. Dr. C. T. Wang gave a most interesting talk on the original Olympic Games in Greece and their modern counterpart. A Chinese member of the International Olympic Committee since 1922, Rtn. C. T. traced the history of the first modern Olympic Games held in Athens in 1896 to the Olympic Games to be held in Melbourne in 1956. According to him, the International Committee at present consisted of 76 members representing 48 nations throughout the world. It cooperates closely with the National Olympic Committees of the various countries as well as the International Federations of the various sports. Before the I.O.C. holds its annual meetings it usually has a few sessions with the representatives of these organisations.

**KOWLOON CLUB:** A violin and piano recital by Professor Arrigo Foa and Professor Harry Ore highlighted the "Ladies Day". More than 20 guests, mostly Rotary-Annes, were present at the special tiffin.

The professors' recital consisted of "Largo" by Veracini, "The Old Refrain" by Kreisler, "Grayer" by Gadre Martini, "Waltz" by Brahms, "Golichineile" by Kreisler and "Allegretto" by Boccherini.

**ISLAND WEST CLUB:** Mr. Kenneth C. K. Tsung, Associated General Secretary of the Chinese Y.M.C.A., Hong Kong, gave a report on the recent worldwide Centenary Conference of Y.M.C.A. held in Paris.

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## MEMBERS DISPLAY MAGNIFICENT GESTURE

"DONATE \$500," said one member. "Why ask for a loan? It is our Club. We should all chip in and make straight forward contributions to meet the deficit," said another member, adding: "This is my proposal to solve the problem." This move brought forth two seconds, which, upon put to the vote by President Ron Bennett, received the unanimous approval.

Fellow Rotarians! This was the wonderful spirit and splendid gesture displayed at our last week's luncheon—a Business Meeting—at Winner House on September 21. President Ron commented: "I'm proud to witness such fine demonstration. No wonder we earned the reputation of being the finest Rotary Club in Hong Kong because (he emphasised) we have the finest members who are willing to come forward with wonderful gestures to solve problems."

All these happened at the meeting when Past President John Yuen appealed to members to make a \$100 loan each (refundable in two years) in order to help the Club meet the operational deficit in the sum of \$4,292.35 as at June 30, 1955.

In his appeal, John pointed out that during

the first 15 months since its Charter until the end of the 1954-55 Rotary year, our Club which had to be built from scratch, had spent tremendous amounts to purchase Club property and to meet regular expenses. This, he said, resulted in a deficit of \$4,292.35 by the end of June, 1955, notwithstanding the generosity of several Past Officers and Directors who had already donated \$2,177.60 towards the Club Fund.

The Past Officers and Directors have had several meetings and decided to appeal to every member to advance a \$100 loan each to the Club, refundable in two years, in order to offset the deficit. In this connection, John said, Past Hon. Treasurer "Dragon" Y. L. Nie would make a donation of \$1,000, while other Past Officers and Directors would each donate \$100 instead of a loan.

In conclusion, the Founder President put forward the request of the Past Officers and Directors to all the members for discussion, upon which our Hon. Treasurer for the current year, Rtn. Y. F. Chen, raised his right hand and offered a donation of \$500. This brought in altogether \$1,500 in donations from "Dragon" and Y. F., narrowing down the deficit to only \$2,792.35.

Rtn. Fred Tan stood up and asked: "Why

ask for a loan?" He added: "It is our Club and we all should split and donate".

Upon putting forward his suggestion formally as a motion, Rtns. Edwin Tao and Brig. Young simultaneously stood up and seconded Fred's motion which received unanimous approval of all the 23 members present at the meeting.

It was, therefore, decided that apart from "Dragon" and Y. F. who would donate \$1,000 and \$500, respectively, the 28 other members of our Club would each contribute \$100. These will bring a total of \$4,300 and, after deducting \$4,292.35 for meeting the deficit, there will be \$7.65 to be carried forward to the Club Fund for the 1955/56 Rotary Year.

*Editor's Note:* According to a Statement of Accounts of our Club from March 24, 1954, to June 30, 1955, which was certified by our Hon. Auditor (Rtn. C. C. Tso of the Hong Kong Club), we raised \$32,351.80 for the Community Service Fund and \$14,607.90 for our Club Fund. We had, however, spent \$4,292.35 in excess of our income for the purchase of Club property and for meeting the operational expenses of our Club during the period under review.

### At Rotary Last Week

SEVERAL educational tests on Rotary knowledge were introduced by Sergeant-at-Arms Edwin Tao at our last weekly luncheon meeting on September 21, which all helped to swell our Community Service Fund.

The members who had the honour of being "educated" were Rtns. Bill Nichol, Joseph Fung, Wilson Wang and K. S. Chang. The "Smiling Tiger" was most alert and active in singling out President Ron Bennett and Rtns. "Dragon" Y. L. Nie, Brig Young and Y. F. Chen for minor offenses.

At the same meeting, visiting Rtn. Sotelo of the Bagued Club in The Philippines thanked us for our wonderful hospitality and fellowship and urged our members to visit his Club in order to give him the opportunity to reciprocate.

President Ron told us that members of the Hong Kong Club at their meeting last Tuesday unanimously favoured our request for extension of our area from Tommochy Road to Arsenal Street, which area belonged to our sponsor Club.

The meeting was adjourned by President Ron with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Bagued, The Philippines.

### THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* The Very Rev. (Rtn.) F. R. Temple, Dean of St. John's Cathedral.

*Subject:* Life Among the Desert Arabs.

KOWLOON (Thursday):

Business Meeting.

ISLAND WEST (Thursday instead of Friday):

*Speaker:* Mr. P. S. H. Chan.

*Subject:* Irish Folk Songs.

### Other Clubs' Meetings

HONG KONG CLUB: A talk on "Some Aspects of the Motor Industry" was given by Rotarian Reggie Shun Wah. Nothing in history, he said, had developed with such astonishing rapidity or had created such great wealth in such a short time as the motor industry.

In America alone, he added, the industry provided some 10 millions with jobs. The automobile had given to most people a freedom of movement that was just a dream 40 years ago.

There were about 90 million motor vehicles in the world today, of which two-thirds were in the United States. The United Kingdom had about four and a half million, and Canada three and a half million.

Hong Kong had about 20,000.

The largest producer of motor cars was the United States. The next biggest was the United Kingdom, although its motor industry in 1954 maintained its lead as the world's largest car exporter, exceeding America by about 90,000 units said Rtn. Reggie.

KOWLOON CLUB: "The essence of sound public relations is the mutual trust between organisation and community and the ability to tell the truth," said Major K. C. Harvey, Army Public Relations Officer. He added that the truth must be told even though it hurts, except when security and other vital considerations are involved.

"That mutual trust," Major Harvey said, "has to be fostered and nurtured." For that reason the Public Relations organisation must be

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## OCTOBER PROGRAMMES

The programmes of our Club's weekly meetings during the month of October have been arranged by the Programme Committee as follows:

- Oct. 5: Ladies' Day—featuring a harmonica band through the courtesy of the Chinese Y.M.C.A. This is the first Ladies' Day of our Club since its Charter and members are requested to bring their ladies to the meeting.
- .. 12: Business Meeting to discuss affairs of the forthcoming Annual Charity Ball.
- .. 19: World Fellowship Week—featuring programmes exchanged with overseas Rotary Clubs.
- .. 26: Rtn. Ben Lee will give a vocational talk on Hotels.

inflexibly fairminded, resolute in its purpose, and ever watchful of public reaction.

Major Harvey said, "Confidence must work both ways: it is not sufficient for the Public Relations organisation to rely exclusively upon public trend and opinion; it must have confidence in the community, the newspaper, the civil administration, in order that the mutual understanding and goodwill shall be homogeneous and flexible.

"Newspaper editors are invariably fair-minded, thinking people, and many of them have Service backgrounds, or have sons undergoing National Service. No one enjoys being conscripted to do anything that affects one's personal freedom, but when, in the national interest, sacrifices and inconveniences have to be encountered, editors who do their job fairly and squarely, recognise the Service viewpoint, as well as that of the individual.

"A sound Public Relations man values the other person's opinion and should always take it into account, especially when dealing with a controversial issue," concluded Maj. Harvey.

ISLAND WEST CLUB: Rtn. Fang Ping-fan showed a colour film and spoke about Rotary's Golden Anniversary Convention in Chicago last May.

The film, taken by him, illustrated the thoroughness of the American hosts and the magnitude of the Convention. There were several spectacular indoor shots of decorations and illuminated displays in rich colour.

## Annual Ball Latest

**N**OTWITHSTANDING thorough discussions which lasted more than one and an half hours, members on the General Committee of the Annual Ball Committee failed to reach any decision on the Donation Tickets prizes at its second meeting held at the Sunning House last Friday, Sept. 23.

It was, however, unanimously decided to request the Board of Directors to arrange for a Business Meeting on Wednesday, October 12, in order to enable Chairman Jimmy Wu to put this particular problem as well as other affairs in connection with the 2nd Annual Charity Ball to the members of our Club for further discussion.

The meeting named Rtn. Bill Nichol to succeed Rtn. Brig Young, who has resigned due to pressure of work, as the Hon. Secretary of the Annual Ball Committee.

The Programme Sub-Committee under Chairman John Yuan has been re-named The Programme & Printing Sub-Committee.

Upon favourable arrangements by Rtn. John Yuen, a definite booking has already been made with The Ritz for us to hold our 2nd Annual Charity Ball on Friday, December 2.

Those present at the meeting were Rtn. Jimmy Wu (Chairman), Ron Bennett, Bill Nichol, Ben Lee, Pat Cha, S. L. Yuen, Seven Shih, Wilson Wang and Henry Chang.

## Attendance

Of our 30 members, 23 attended our last weekly meeting at Wiener House on September 21, representing 76.6% as follows:

Members present	.. .. .	23
" on leave	.. .. .	1
" absent (Alex Shang)	.. .. .	1
" absence excused	.. .. .	5
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Total	.. .. .	30
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The five members whose absence was excused were Rtns. Pat Cha, Conway Chau, K. C. Goh, Hsi Yu-I and Marsh Stayner.

## VISITING ROTARIAN

Name	Home Club
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## Tentative Programme To Welcome Rtn. Frank Spain

**A** FOUR-POINT programme to welcome the visit to the Colony of Rtn. Frank Spain, Past President of Rotary International, was tentatively suggested by a Special Committee at a meeting held at Kin Kwok Restaurant on Sept. 19.

It is learned that Rtn. Spain, accompanied by his wife and a few others, is scheduled to reach Hong Kong on November 2 on an official Rotary visit to Far Eastern areas as a special representative of R.I. President A. Z. Baker.

The Special Meeting which decided the following, was attended by Rtns. Jerry O'Donnell and Gin D. Su (Hong Kong), Sydney Chen (Macao) and Ron Bennett and Henry Chang (Island East). There was no representation at the meeting from the Kowloon and Island West Clubs.

Convener Gin Su reported that prior to the meeting, he had approached the Presidents of the five Clubs in this Area, and all agreed that a special or joint meeting of some kind would be arranged for Rtn. Spain.

It was decided that a cablegram be sent to Rotary International requesting detailed information of arrival, duration of stay, and number of the party so that some programme could be arranged for Rtn. Spain's visit.

In the absence of any definite information other than that Rtn. Spain's party is due in Hong Kong on November 2, the meeting suggested the following tentative programme.

1. A joint meeting at the Peninsula Hotel on Thursday, November 3, 1955 (the regular meeting date of the Kowloon Club) from 12.30 p.m. to 2 p.m.
2. President Jerry O'Donnell of the Hong Kong Club will give a cocktail party to include all Presidents, Vice-Presidents, and Past Presidents of all the Clubs, and members of this Special Committee.

3. The Presidents and Vice-Presidents of all five Clubs will give a Chinese dinner for Rtn. Spain and his party.

4. Past President Fred Clegg of the Kowloon Club will be asked to arrange a tour of sightseeing around Hong Kong and the New Territories.

The Special Committee will hold another meeting as soon as a reply is received from Rotary International.

## Rotary Foundation Fellows On the Move

Most of the 108 Rotary Foundation Fellows who studied in 19 countries during 1954-55 have returned to their 31 home countries. Many of the 108 Rotary Foundation Fellows for 1955-56 are en route to their schools in 20 lands.

Has a Fellow recently arrived in our area (HK) for a year's study? Yes, he is Mr. William J. Moore, who is studying at the Hong Kong University and who will be addressing us at our meeting tomorrow. Following are his particulars:

*Home Town:* Redlands, Calif., U.S.A.

*Education:* Public Schools, Redlands; B.A. University of Redlands (cum Laude in Hist.); M.A. U. of Redlands and Pomona Graduate School; Fellowships: Haynes Foundation—'53-'54; Ford Foundation—'54-'55; Rotary Foundation—'55-'56.

*Extra Curriculum:* Student Body President, Redlands High School '49-'50 and Student President, Univ. of Redlands '53-'54.

*Employment:* Radio Announcer.

*Aim:* College Teaching.

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## AMERICA FACES AN "AWESOME PROBLEM"

*(The Editor regrets being unable to publish a number of other news items on hand in this issue which is devoted to the full text of the speech by Mr. William J. Moore, Rotary's Goodwill "Ambassador" for America to Hong Kong.)*

**T**HE awesome problem of Greatness facing the United States of America today was described in detail from several angles by Mr. William J. Moore, a Rotary Foundation Fellow, in a talk on "America—A Problem of Greatness" at our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on September 28.

Sponsored by the Redlands Rotary Club—which was toasted by us together with the Rotary International at the conclusion of our meeting—Mr. Moore who is now undergoing advance studies at the Hong Kong University most successfully carried America's goodwill message to us, thereby furthering our better understanding of America's problem.

The full text of Mr. Moore's talk follows:

It's not easy to be on top. There are great advantages, of course, to being in the uppermost position, to have achieved the highest rank. But it's not easy to be on top. Talk to a champion in almost any field and he'll corroborate my statement. Talk to a foremost boxer, or baseball player, or artist, or opera singer, or industrialist,

And I think almost everyone of them will tell you, "certainly, it is wonderful to achieve greatness—the praises, the admiration, the respect—it's fine. But it's not easy to be on top, for the simple reason that the only place you can go is down. When you are number one your critics increase a thousand-fold; your every action is carefully scrutinized the world over to

see if it measures up to greatness; your every statement is analyzed; you are constantly compared to other boxers or opera singers to see if you have slipped or if they have gained; and when you, as a champion, make a mistake it is shouted from

the roof-tops around the world—your mistake is criticized in great magnitude, because it came from a champion; and conversely, when you put in an outstanding performance it is often taken for granted—you're a champion and that's the way you should perform."

All this adds up to the simple but profound fact, which too often goes unnoticed, that it's not easy to be on top.

By now, I think you must see what I am driving at; namely that what I have just said applies to nations as well as boxers, baseball

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players, opera singers and industrialists. When a nation, through a combination of hard work, good natural resources, proper climate, and far-sighted leaders, climbs over the years to a pinnacle of greatness, she has a tough battle just to defend her right to be where she is. And this is as it should be.

No person and no nation should be allowed to stay on top if he doesn't measure up. No person and no nation should be allowed to rest on his laurels. But, nevertheless, I think you'll have to grant me my original point, that the greater your position, the greater your problems.

Today, the United States stands as a symbol of success. The American people enjoy the highest standard of living the world has ever known. During the past year, despite the fact there was no "war-economy" to facilitate it, American business witnessed one of the greatest booms the nation has ever seen. Church membership has steadily increased.

Colleges and Universities are undergoing the most accelerated period of growth and expansion in the history of higher education, as multiplied numbers of youth take increasing advantage of their right to a college education. Prosperity and security are evident on the American scene in almost every aspect of national life. Even the recent delegation of Russian farmers to the U.S. could not hide its amazement at, and admiration of, the achievements which have become synonymous with the United States.

### HER GREAT PLATFORM

But, like the champion or leader down through the ages, America has an awesome problem—the frustrating, ironic, yet natural problem of greatness. As America stands before the world on her great platform of achievement, the penetrating eyes of the world community are trained upon her, admiring and respectful, but quick to see the flaws, quick to perceive the contradictions, quick to register every act which does not measure up to greatness.

It seems to me that the crucial question of the present day, both for America and the free world, is: can America withstand the pressures of leadership in a tense era of psychological and mental warfare, and sustain the unique characteristics which earned her her great position? Or will she gradually succumb to these incessant pressures?

Related and equally pertinent questions often asked are: How mature and stable is American thinking? Are Americans concerned with anything besides their own prosperity? How have the people responded to their high standard of living and to the problems of the post-war era? In short, what kind of creature is the American? What really makes him tick?

These, of course, are probing questions, none of which can be answered with finality. But by looking at some of the things which Americans

## LADIES' DAY

(starting at 12.30 p.m. instead of 1 p.m.)

**A** TRIPLE attraction will feature tomorrow's meeting to welcome Rotary-Azules of not only our members but also of those of other fellow Clubs.

The meeting will be held in the main dining hall of Winter House, whose four-piece Fred Sotelo's band will be on hand. In addition, Mr. Frank Sodon, of the Royal Navy, and Mr. Sammy Stellard, of the Royal Air Force,—the two great vocal solos in the British Armed Force Services—will entertain us with a few of their favourite songs.

Mr. George Parks will be at the piano, while a harmonica band from the Chinese Y.M.C.A. will also be on hand.

generally are, and some of the things which they generally are not, we can get an indication as to how they will meet the challenge of greatness.

Let's look first at some general characteristics of the average American, then consider some more specific questions.

One of the truest trademarks of typical Americans is their belief in the worth and potentialities of men—they are confident of their own ability. Call them men of action, if you wish, but it goes deeper than that. Americans continually draw upon their inheritance of idealism—their nation was established as an ideal and has managed to succeed by a continuing attempt to place the ideal into practice; Americans are typically friendly and gregarious—the type of people who are interested in others in a neighborly way, like Paul H. Harris who founded a club which grew into Rotary International.

### AMERICANS ARE TOLERANT

Like most nationalities they think that their way of doing things is the best way—Americans are tolerant of other ways so long as theirs is not interfered with; yet, contrary to many opinions, Americans are self critical and continually voice dissatisfaction at some of their own institutions and actions (not all Americans come from Texas).

It may come as a surprise to some people, but all Americans are not wealthy—on the contrary, sociologists will tell you that America's dominant characteristic is its middle class. People in the United States do enjoy the world's highest standard of living and are thankful for it, but this does not mean there are sheets of gold and milk-lined garbage cans. Finally, Americans can be identified by their restlessness—they have been conquering frontiers for so long that

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In my opinion these are some of the more dominant, descriptive marks of the American character.

But one learns quickly in a foreign country that people abroad are not satisfied with mere generalities and platitudes. They ask specific questions and make pointed charges. They want to know how you explain this or that weakness or paradox. For the most part the questions are justified. But sometimes they are merely the result of pet concepts or entrenched stereotypes.

By looking squarely into some of the most frequent questions about and charges against America, we can perhaps determine still further how secure this great nation is in the face of its greatest challenge.

Probably the most commonly-held misconception of the American character was echoed right here in Hong Kong last month by the President of the Chinese YMCA, after his brief visit to the States. He is quoted as having said that "Americans are impetuous and impulsive, and that in a country where money came first, (Americans) were devoted to money-making." This implication that the American people are materially supreme but spiritually bankrupt has about as much validity as the age-old western superstition that Orientals as a people are "sneaky" and "not to be trusted."

#### THEIR RIGHT TO WORSHIP

Stereotypes and generalizations of this kind are easy to come by and hard to live down, despite the fact that they are based on bias and misinformation. The simple fact is that some Americans are materialists; some Americans either as individuals or as groups are pre-occupied with money-making. But by no means is this typical of the nation as a whole.

The great preponderance of the American population is concerned with having a steady income, a secure station in life, a healthy family, and peace of mind. For every busy tycoon interested in amassing a fortune, there are hundreds and thousands of ordinary people with simple, human desires. Of course, the American people could improve upon their level of moral and spiritual achievement; every people in the world could improve in this respect. But for those who are quick to criticize in this regard, it should be remembered that the United States was forged into a great nation by religious refugees who had a firm faith in God, and in their right to worship as they pleased.

Many Americans are Church-going, Bible-reading people. The strains and stresses put upon religious faith by a technological world of great material advancement are serious. But if one lives among and samples the grass roots of America, he will never be given over to the old

stereotype that these people are on the edge of a spiritual abyss, hanging by their fingertips.

A widely-circulated opinion of the American character describes it as being "impetuous," "impulsive," and "audacious." Certainly if this is a true appraisal, then the American response to the critical challenge of greatness is likely to be catastrophic.

Unfortunately, America has made mistakes and at times has reacted on impulse, just as many nations have. It is historically possible to document a case to the effect that the United States is impulsive and impetuous. But when taken out of the context of history many actions can be condemning.

The U.S. abandonment of the League of Nations; its swift internment of Japanese-Americans after Pearl Harbor; and its long and infamous era of McCarthyism, are all instances in which American judgment showed a disturbing lack of maturity. But this much should be said in defense of these instances: America is a very young nation—only 180 years old, a mere child when compared to China, India, Japan and Greece, or even when compared to Russia, France, or England.

Furthermore, (and very fundamental to this question) the American nation is an experiment. It is a huge country of millions of square miles, embracing a variety of climates and traditions, conducting itself on the principle of a Republic—a concept articulated by Plato as suited only for a minutely small state. Thus, as a young nation, perfecting an experiment, with the added pressure of accelerated greatness, America must learn, grow up, and be a leader, all at once.

#### PRESSURE OF LEADERSHIP

For the most part, Americans have risen to the challenge. They have learned from their mistakes and slowly corrected them. The pressure of leadership demands that the United States must at once be dynamic and pliable, mature and firm. It is generally agreed that America lived up to this difficult demand at the recent Geneva Big Four Conference. If the U.S. continues in this role, she will have solved the difficult problem posed to any child prodigy.

It is revealing and often startling to view one's home land from a foreign perspective. The criticisms, judgments and opinions of one's own country by other nationalities, can be extremely stimulating. The penetrating questions asked force the visitor to probe his own feelings and attitudes as well as those of his countrymen. Sometimes the answers are rewarding and sometimes they are embarrassing.

Here in the Far East perhaps more than any other part of the world at the present time, America is scrutinized and criticized thoroughly and severely. One of the greatest prices to pay for success is this continuous investigation.

One of the most frequent questions posed to overseas Americans concerns discrimination in America—to what extent it exists, what is being done to eradicate it permanently, and, more fundamentally, how it can be reconciled with democracy, freedom and equality. This question is inevitable, and it is better discussed frankly than ignored and allowed to be distorted. I should preface any remarks on this subject with this fact: Virtually every nation in the world with minority races has the problem of discrimination in varying degrees; America is no exception. This does not excuse, but it does aid perspective. I should hasten to say that the problem of discrimination in America has diminished radically in the past 20 years.

The issue over which America fought a bloody civil war is so complex that no one could expect it to be solved until it was soothed by the passing of generations. That discrimination has marred the record of the United States cannot be denied. But neither can it be overlooked that the vast majority of Americans are dedicated to the complete and lasting elimination of discrimination. In the greatest part of the United States, Negroes and other minority groups are well-integrated into the American pattern and enjoy the same rights and privileges as the next person.

### IT IS A DYING CAUSE

Unfortunately, in certain areas of the country the deeply-rooted fallacy of the superiority and inferiority of races still lingers. But it is a dying cause. And the strength of the remaining racialists is rapidly waning. Discrimination, like any malignant disease, cannot be eliminated soon enough. But the fight, like that against other diseases, is long and complicated. The recent decision of the U.S. Supreme Court which declared segregation unconstitutional, proves that however painfully slow the democratic process is, justice does eventually triumph.

In fairness to the millions of Americans who have no brook for racial prejudice, it should be pointed out that only the isolated and embarrassing incidents of discrimination in America make headlines around the world. The countless cases where these incidents are entirely foreign, of course, never receive publicity.

Another pressing problem for America lies in the field of foreign policy. If the judgments of some observers here in the Far East are correct, the United States' reaction to this great challenge leaves much to be desired. It is in the area of international relations as much as in any other that America has become painfully aware of the problem of greatness.

In the tense struggle of power politics, and in the complex era of cold wars, a nation in the titular or actual position of leadership experiences its greatest frustration. Here in Asia, for example, America is faced with delicate problems of encouraging nationalism and independence, while at the same time protecting herself and her allies against the onslaught of communism, which in many cases has attached itself to nationalism. As we all well know, the result of this dilemma is often that America can please no one. As the American Far Eastern expert, Robert C. North, stated a few years ago, regarding this problem: "If we give aid, we are feared for imperialism; if we withhold aid, we are denounced for our indifference. . . . if we express no political preferences we are accused of siding with reaction and the status quo; if we support progressive forces we are

condemned for intervention. In other words, we are damned if we do and damned if we don't."

And the problem in some respects has increased since the Geneva Big Four conference. The latest policy of the Communist bloc nations is one of peace and cream, sweetness and light. Whether or not the new campaign is genuine is not yet clear. But it puts America in this difficult position: if the United States does not measurably relax its stand against Communism, it is labeled a war-monger by the Red nations, and rebuked by the neutrals, and even some allies, for impeding peace. If it does respond to the new Soviet look with arms reduction, relaxation of restrictions, and a corresponding air of cordiality then it is besieged with charges from the militantly anti-Communist nations of being soft, wavering, and a dupe of a false campaign.

For American policy-makers to bring out of this great dilemma a solution which will further the cause of the free world, will require statesmanship of the highest caliber. It is futile, of course, to attempt to please all factions, since America must in the final analysis establish policy on the basis of what she feels is best for herself. Whether or not the various factions are pleased with the result, they can at least understand the strain under which it was produced.

### HE REMAINS CONFIDENT

Uneasiness abroad over how Americans will respond to their continuing challenges undoubtedly emanates in part from a distorted caricature of the American people. Cheap American movies and novels have consistently portrayed the people as either cigar-chewing capitalists, farmers about to be foreclosed on a mortgage, leaders or victims of political machines, gangsters, juvenile delinquents or trigger-happy cowboys. These extremes have no more validity than the comic strips—the average American is capable of sound judgment. His thoughts and hopes and fears are common and human. He is proud of his country's achievements and freedoms. He is happy to share them; but he does not want to lose them. Generally, he is as normal as apple pie, corn or the cob, baseball, Thanksgiving and Christmas. He is increasingly aware of his country's problems and responsibilities. But he remains confident.

Most of us are people who pull for the underdog, who concern ourselves with the little fellow. This is natural and as it should be. But modern psychologists tell us that we must not forget about the "top dog." He has problems and frustrations resulting from his position which should also be our concern. Along with our respect for him, and our constant criticism of him, must go some genuine understanding.

America, approaching the zenith of her greatness, has both the right to enjoy its benefits and the obligation to endure its responsibilities. Just as she shares some of the benefits with the world community, she asks some understanding.

The American people, whatever their faults and mistakes, usually rise to a challenge. As a people they have carved their country into a great nation in a few years, and have displayed a continuing fundamental belief in the worth and potentialities of man. In their brief history, Americans have weathered numerous storms and have overcome many problems. With help, they will overcome their biggest one—the problem of greatness.

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monica band took the floor again to play the "Juban Tango" and "Aida Grand March", while Mr. Sodon followed with two more favourite numbers—"The Dawg" and "Fat Lit Fellow wid his Mammy's eyes".

Concluding the programme, Winner House's four-piece band under Mr. Fred Sotelo gave a fine performance with two light numbers, after which President Ron adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Los Angeles.

### Other Clubs' Meetings

**T**WO senior Government Officers honoured last week's Rotary gatherings, each with a very informative and interesting talk on their respective fields of activity.

Mr. H. A. Angus, Director of the Department of Commerce and Industry, spoke in detail at the Hong Kong Club meeting last Tuesday about the Colony's industrial development. The history, outlined by Mr. Angus, traced changes and development from the earliest ship-building and repair facilities based here for the China coast traffic, to the present day, when the Colony's established exports are known throughout the world, and meeting increased opposition from critics and competitors. During the course of his talk, Mr. Angus said:

"The recent expansion of our industry can be attributed mainly to the influx of capital and labour from Mainland China since 1947. But there is no saying whether capital will continue to be attracted to the Colony, and there is the important consideration that our population, for which we must continue to find employment, is increasing now, by mere excess of births over deaths, at the rate of almost 70,000 persons a year.

"Even allowing for a recovery in our entrepot trade in the future, it is a dire necessity for us to multiply our exports. Yet our hold on overseas markets, including those in which we enjoy the advantage of imperial preference, is not strong and could easily be broken by causes beyond our control.

"I realise that much of our success has come from offering goods to countries where the standard of living is low and price is of more im-

### THIS WEEK'S

programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Sir Kenneth Grubb

*Subject:* International Affairs of Today & Tomorrow

KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Mr. A. W. C. Villiers

*Subject:* India between the Two Wars

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

Screening of a colour travelogue entitled "How Small Is Our Island (Japan)", provided by Pan American Airways.

portance to the buyer than high quality. This is indeed the reason why it would be premature to introduce standards for Hong Kong products at this stage and why manufacturers and exporters should concentrate instead on ensuring that shipments are fully up to sample. But this state of affairs cannot last indefinitely in the face of growing competition from other well-organised industrial countries, which will offer better quality goods than ours at no higher price," he warned.

At the Kowloon Club meeting last Thursday, Rtn. K. M. A. Barnett, District Commissioner of the New Territories, referred to the New Territories as "our little known neighbour". He said that a good many people thought they could see the New Territories without stirring themselves more than getting into a car or boat, which could take them to where they wish.

This was not so, he pointed out, for the simple reason that once a person was off the roads, communications would not be easy.

"Do you realise," Rtn. Ken said, "that only a little over 10 per cent of the inhabitants of the New Territories live near to the roads."

He added most yacht trips rather tended to find secluded anchorage, which was not the way to see the New Territories.

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Even the keen walker, the speaker said, was either rushing up a mountain or down a hill to catch the last train back to town. He did not pay much attention to details, though he had a better idea of life in the villages—but not much.

Rtn. Ken said the N.T. of Hong Kong has a population of 300,000 inhabitants. Of these the majority live by farming, specifically cereal growing, as for instance, rice. There is also a large number of people engaged in fishing.

He called them the boat people whose homes are the boats and the sea their land.

The inhabitants of the New Territories, he said, spoke five dialects—two kinds of Cantonese, two kinds of Hakka and Fouklo.

He said that in the villages the community was a clan or sometimes two clans. The most important thing was that the unit was the family, not the individual. A clan village consisted of as many as 2,000 persons—all related to each other.

The Island West Club meeting last Friday heard a talk by Mr. Chan Yau-Hau on "Dramatic Art and Education".

### Programme to Welcome R.I. Presidents

Two programmes have been mapped out by a Special Committee at a meeting held last night (Oct. 10) to welcome the visits to the Colony of Past President Frank Spain in November and President A. Z. Baker in December.

Rtn. Spain and his wife are due in H.K. by plane at 9.45 a.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 1, and will leave for the United States by ship at midnight on Thursday, Nov. 3. He is on an official visit to Far Eastern areas as a special representative of R.I. President Baker.

The three-day programme for Rtn. Spain are:

Tuesday, Nov. 1: To attend a cocktail party given by Rtn. G. E. Marden, Past Director of Rotary International.

Wednesday, Nov. 2: To attend a Chinese dinner at Kin Kwok Restaurant (China Emporium Building) and meet the Past Presidents, present Presidents, Officers and Directors as well as their Rotary-Annes of the five Clubs

in Hong Kong and Macao.

Thursday, Nov. 3: To address the Joint Regular Meeting at the Kowloon Club in the Peninsula Hotel and to meet all the Rotarians in the Colony and in Macao. All the fellow Rotarians are urged to attend this function which will start at 12.15 p.m. Each Club is requested to send a member or two of the Attendance Committee to the Joint Meeting for looking after the attendance record of its members who will be required to wear their own badges. Members are permitted to bring their guests. Each Club is requested to notify Rtn. Gin Su (Tel. 24707) before October 28 of the number of members and their guests expected to attend the Joint Meeting.

It is also hoped that Rtn. Spain will be able to find time to attend the regular meetings of the Hong Kong Club on Tuesday and of the Island East Club on Wednesday.

### PRES. BAKER'S PROGRAMME

Passing through Hong Kong on his return journey to the United States after attending the Pacific Regional Conference in Australia, President A. Z. Baker, accompanied by his wife and Karl Krueger, the Editor of *The Rotarian*, will reach here by plane at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, December 6, and leave at 10 a.m. the following morning.

During their over-night stay in the Colony, the Rotary Club of Hong Kong has decided to substitute their regular meeting with a Ladies' Night function in the form of a Chinese Banquet at the China Restaurant in the Sincere Company's Building. All Rotarians and their ladies will be welcome to this function.

### The Essence of Rotary

Fellowship is as old as man. It is more than the impetus comradeship of youth, it is the settled faith of men in men. It knows no boundary of nation, creed or calling. It asks only an open heart, a cheerful countenance, an honest purpose and a will to understand. It is the essence of Rotary.

—The Rotary Tarpon

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### Attendance

Of our 30 members, 26 participated in the first Ladies' Day meeting of our Club held at Winner House on October 5, representing 86.7% as follows:

Members present	26
" on leave	2
" absence excused	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>30</b>

Rtns. Hsu Yu-I and Marsh Stayner, whose absence from the above meeting was excused, had certainly missed the fellowship and charming company of so many ladies.

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Albert Quon	Los Angeles
" N. Tihon	Saigon
" H. C. Fung	Island West
" Henry To	"
" T. Y. Lo	"
" Henry Tang	"
" C. N. Li	"
" K. A. Goh	Hong Kong
" Colin Ure	"
" Arthur Woo	"
" Frank Harris	"
" P. Y. Koo	"

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mrs. Conway K. Chau	Rtn. Conway K. Chau
" Dick Bennett	" Ron. Bennett
Mr. Hung Hon-Cheung	"
" So Wai-Kuen	"
" Tang Ping-Yiu	"
" Cheung Ping-Kay	"
" Fung Pang	"
" George Parks	"
" Frank Sodon	"
Miss Alice Chau	" Pat Cha
Mrs. Y. L. Nie	" "Dragon" Nie
Mr. & Mrs. Fred Sorelo	"
Mr. T. V. Cruz	"
" C. Carillo	"
Miss Shirley Dee	" Bill Nichol
Mr. L. J. Palmer	" K. T. Wang
Mr. & Mrs. Steelman	" Brig Young
Mr. D. A. F. Mathers	"
Mrs. Joseph Fung	" Joseph Fung
" Y. C. Fogg	" Y. C. Fogg
" S. W. Zao	" S. W. Zao
" Kay Chuang	" Henry Chang
" "Charity" Fung	" H. C. Fung
" C. N. Li	" C. N. Li
" S. H. Ma	" "Horse" Ma
" Edwin Tao	" Edwin Tao
" K. A. Goh	" K. A. Goh
" K. C. Goh	" K. C. Goh
" Yao	" J. C. Bao
" Wong	"
" Woo	"
" H. C. Yang	" Omar H. C. Yang

### Attendance

Twenty-seven of our 30 members attended our weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on September 28, representing 90% as follows:

Members present	27
" on leave	1
" absent (Seaker Chao)	1
" absence excused (Bill Nichol)	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>30</b>

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
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" Frank Harris	"
" J. E. Sanbach	"
" Alim P. Jagtiani	"
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### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. Wm. J. Moore	Guest Speaker
" A. J. Steelman	Rtn. Brig Young
" M. A. Cheung	"
" G. S. Stokes	" S. J. Yuen
" L. J. Palmer	" K. T. Wang

### CORRECTION

The first community service project of our Club will be the construction of a School for the Deaf and not a School for the Deaf and Blind as reported in the Sept. 13th issue of this weekly bulletin.

### A Definition

No man was ever affiliated with Rotary who could not, in some measure, profit by it. Rotary is making better business men, better husbands, better churchmen, better citizens. Rotary speaks a universal language, knows no national boundaries, and proclaims the brotherhood of man.

It believes in world-wide peace and strives to make that longed-for hope a reality. Rotary is rendering splendid service; it is establishing wonderful friendships; it is promoting better business methods; it is serving communities; it is promoting good will throughout the world.

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Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, U.S.A.

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### AUSTIN CAR AS FIRST DONATION PRIZE

**T**HE Business Meeting at our regular weekly luncheon at Winner House last Wednesday decided by a 11-8 vote (apparently with three absentions as there were 22 members present) in favour of purchasing a A-30 Austin car, through equal contributions (about \$167 each) by our 30 members, as the first prize at our Club's 2nd Annual Charity Ball to be held in December. The car will be sold to us by our Hon. Secretary Bill Nichol's company at the specially reduced price of \$5,000.

ness meeting to Rtn. Jimmy Wu, Chairman of the Annual Ball Committee.

Opening the business session, Jimmy reported that his Committee had several meetings during the past few weeks, at which the forthcoming Charity Ball was discussed and the work for each of the various Sub-Committees was mapped out. He said that he had also enlisted the help of the Inner-Wheel Sub-Committee comprised of Rotary-Annes of our members.

After the usual procedure of extending our warm welcome to visiting Rotarians, President Ron Bennett called upon Vice-President Henry Chang to make a brief report on the programmes decided on by a Hongkong-Macao Special Committee to welcome the visits to the Colony of two Rotary International Presidents in November and December, and Acting Sergeant-at-Arms Ben Lee to perform his regular fund-raising duties.

President Ron also afforded an opportunity to Rtn. Wilson Wang, Principal Director of the Tung Wah Group Hospitals, to make an appeal to those present in connection with last Saturday's Flower Sale Day (see elsewhere for a fuller report), after which he handed over the busi-

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TOMORROW'S MEETING  
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Everything discussed at these meetings turned out pretty well but, according to Jimmy, there was one snag which members of his Committee decided to refer to the business meeting.

The snag concerned the idea of having an Austin car as the first prize for the donation tickets. It would cost \$5,000 and must be financed by our Club if we wished to have it, since Police regulations did not permit the use of more than \$200 from the proceeds of the sale of donation tickets for any purpose in this connection.

Jimmy reported that the views of the members of his Committee were divided; some favoured the idea, while others were against it in view of the heavy burden in contributions to be made

by all our members in connection with the Ball.

The business session then held a lively discussion and heard conflicting views, both in favour and against, expressed by Rtms. Ben Lee, Henry Chang, K. S. Chang, Bill Nichol, Wilson Wang and Hsi Yu-7, after which Chairman Jimmy summarised the views and handed over the meeting to President Ron who formally asked for a vote which resulted in 11-8 in favour of equal contributions—approximately \$167 from each member to finance the purchase of the car.

The meeting was closed with a Toast to Rotary International and the Rotary Club of Rangoon.

### Other Clubs' Meetings

**HONG KONG CLUB:** "It is the duty of Christianity in international affairs to find an equitable way." This was the message being carried around the world by Sir Kenneth Gubb, President of the Church Missionary Society, London. The doctrine he preached, he said at the Hong Kong Club meeting last Tuesday, was one of greater degree of social and economic equity and justice.

**KOWLOON CLUB:** Memories of his happy days in India between the two World Wars were recalled by Mr. A. C. W. Villiers at last Thursday's meeting.

Mr. Villiers, who is at present the Chief Engineer of Kai Tak Airport, spent 28 years in India. He was the Chief Engineer of the Indian Government Railways and lived in various parts, including the United Provinces, Central India and Bombay.

Mr. Villiers said much development had taken place in India in the 20 years between the World Wars. It was a time during which the nationalist feelings of the country had developed imperceptibly, limited to the political and higher class of Indian society. He could not say much about Indian politics because his work as an engineer kept him away from it.

**ISLAND WEST CLUB:** Rotarians at the meeting last Friday saw a colour travelogue entitled "How Small is Our Island (Japan)," provided by Pan American Airways.

### Do You Know . . .

. . . that contributions to The Rotary Foundation were larger in 1954-55 than they have been in any other Rotary year except 1947-48, when a special campaign was conducted as a memorial to Founder Paul Harris? More than US\$500,000 was contributed to the Rotary Foundation last year by some 5,000 contributors.

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

**HONG KONG (Tuesday):**

*Speaker:* Mr. Richard R. Weigle  
*Subject:* An Educator Looks at India

**KOWLOON (Thursday):**

*Speaker:* Mr. L. G. Morgan, Deputy Director of Education  
*Subject:* Changing Trends in Education

**ISLAND WEST (Friday):**

*Speaker:* Dr. Leiang Wong  
*Subject:* International Book

## Change Of Charity Ball Date

**T**HE date for our second Annual Charity Ball to be held at The Ritz has been changed to Tuesday, December 6, 1955, this being made possible through the courtesy and cooperation of all the fellow Clubs in the Colony.

Our Charity Ball was originally scheduled for Friday, December 2, while the Hong Kong Club, upon a decision of the Macao-Hongkong Special Committee, decided to hold a Ladies' Night on Tuesday, December 6, instead of a regular luncheon meeting, in order to welcome the visit to the Colony of R.I. President A. Z. Baker and his wife, who are due to stay here overnight on that date.

Upon the suggestion of a Director at our last Board meeting on October 11, our Club decided to change the date of our Charity Ball to December 6, provided we received the consent and support of the Hong Kong Club in particular and of the other fellow Clubs in general.

As a result, members of the Macao-Hongkong Special Committee were approached and they all favoured our idea, granting us their courtesy and cooperation.

It will be first time in the Colony's Rotary history that a Rotary International President will be present at a Rotary Ball here.

## Rotary in Angola

A new club on Africa's west coast makes a total of 93 countries in the Rotary family. This welcome addition is the Rotary Club of Luanda, Angola, admitted on September 23

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## ROTARY TODAY

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### Generosity Of Frank Harris

THE generosity of Rtn. Frank Harris, of the Hong Kong Club, in donating \$300 to the Tung Wah Group Hospitals in response to an appeal by Rtn. Wilson Wang at our last week's meeting, was much appreciated and received a long applause.

With the permission of President Ron Bennett, Rtn. Wilson, a Principal Director of the Tung Wah Group Hospitals, appealed to members for donations in connection with last Saturday's Flower Sale Day.

All in all, Rtn. Wilson collected \$496, including \$300 from Rtn. Frank. He announced the results at the conclusion of our meeting (which lasted until 2.30 p.m. due to the lengthy discussion at the business session), upon which all present applauded loudly though Rtn. Frank had already left the meeting.

Wilson put out from his own purse a sum of \$248, being half of the amount he collected at the meeting, as a contribution to our Community Service Fund.

On the suggestion of Rtn. K. S. Chang, our members unanimously voted to add Wilson's contribution to the \$496, making a total of \$744 to be donated to the Tung Wah Group Hospitals.

### Joe Bao Fails To Keep up 400%

DURING the first three months of the 1955/56 Rotary Year, Rtn. Joe Bao failed to maintain his 400% attendance record which he had managed to hold for 10 months since he joined Rotary in September, 1954, through June, 1955.

According to the following figures just released by Attendance Committee Chairman S. L. Yuen, Rtn. Joe still topped the list among the 22 (representing 73.3% of our strength) of our 30 members who had participated in the regular meetings of other fellow Clubs.

All in all, Joe attended 36 of the possible 40 meetings of the three fellow Clubs in the

Colony during the July-September period. He continued to hold his 100% attendance record at the Hong Kong Club (13 meetings), but only managed to attend 12 (93.3%) of the 13 meetings of the Kowloon Club, and 11 (78.5%) of the 14 meetings of the Island West Club during the period under review.

Counting his 100% attendance at our own meetings, Joe Bao now is a 370.5 percent of the 400% attendance record attainable in the Colony's Rotary meetings.

A breakdown of the figures compiled by the Attendance Committee showed that 22 of our 30 members paid 97 visits to eight fellow Clubs in the Colony and elsewhere. Of the 97 visits, the Hong Kong Club received 38 made by 11 of our members, the Island West Club 34 by 15 members, and the Kowloon Club 19 by five members. The other six visits were made by Pat Cha to Macao, K. S. Chang to Taipei, Alan Yin to Singapore on two occasions, and Seven Shih to Sydney and Melbourne.

Our President Ron Bennett was second to Joe Bao, making 11 visits to the Hong Kong and Island West Clubs, Past President John Yuen came third with eight visits, while Vice-President Henry Chang and Director Seven Shih shared fourth place with seven visits each.

Particulars of individual's records for the July-September period follow:

Name	Kow- Hong Island Other			Total
	loon	Kong	West Clubs	
Pat Cha	2	1	1	4
Seaker K. Chan		1		1
Henry Chang	5	2		7
K. S. Chang	1	1	1	3
Y. F. Chen		1		1
Conway Chan	1			1
Ron Bennett	6	5		11
Joe Bao	12	13	11	36
Y. C. Fong	1			1
Joseph Fung		1		1
Bill Nichol		1		1
Seven Shih	2	3	2	7
Alex Shang		1		1
Marsa Stayner	1	1		2
Fred Tan		1		1
K. T. Wang	1			1
Wilson Wang		1		1
H. C. Yung	1			1
Alan Yin			2	2
John Yuen	1	5		6
S. L. Yuen		2		2
Brig Young	4			4
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Total	19	38	34	97
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## International Service Walked Out

**T**HIS week many Rotary Clubs will be accepting the invitation extended by the president of Rotary International to share in a simultaneous celebration of World Fellowship Week in Rotary Service. Undoubtedly many Rotary clubs in 93 countries of the world have included in the plans for their observance, an idea for developing a much-to-be-desired personal contact with Rotary clubs elsewhere.

Our Club (H.K. Island East) is exchanging a tape-recorded programme with the Redlands Rotary Club, Calif., U.S.A., which sponsored Mr. Bill Moore for advance studies at the Hong Kong University.

Wonderful friendships have been developed when international service has found a friendly response through exchange of ideas, club programmes, correspondence, development of student exchange projects, personal visits between Rotarians of different lands and other activities.

However, there have been incidents where doors to international service have not opened in friendly response. In such instances international service has not been helped on the receiving end and may have been retarded severely in clubs which made initial friendly overtures.

Early in 1955 a Rotary club of 21 members developed an idea for its Golden Anniversary year of sending a beautiful, interesting, informative and costly atlas of its country to 200 Rotary clubs outside the country. A high governmental official assisted in making the books available and, in return, the club wished to present to him an attractive binder of the letters of appreciation from the recipients of the 200 books.

After many weeks' time the club had received only five letters acknowledging receipt of the books! Not only was the club unable to follow through with its plan for the presentation of letters to the official of its government, but undoubtedly felt it had suffered a rebuke in its efforts to extend international friendship.

One of the five clubs which acknowledged receipt of one of the books, in learning about this, editorialized: "No doubt in those Rotary clubs honoured with the gift there has arisen from time to time the question, 'What can we

do in International Service?' 'How can we make this thing real here in our club?' Here International Service walked right up and shook hands with 200 Rotary clubs but they did not recognize it (195 of them)."

With the exception of the club which distributed the books, probably no one knows the clubs which did not respond. You may know of similar efforts to establish international contacts which, regrettably, have failed to arouse a responsive interest.

Opportunities for international service occur with great frequency and every club president and secretary will want to watch for them,—especially at the time of World Fellowship Week. Not only will a friendly "Thank You" be appreciated by the club initiating an international contact, but the receiving club can carry international service several steps further: by sending a recording of a club programme, by providing books and other information about their club and community, and by letters and other exchanges of greetings and information on the part of individual club members.

If international service knocks at your door, be sure to welcome it and not let it walk away unrecognized.

### Attendance

Twenty-two of our 30 members participated in our last weekly meeting at Winner House on October 12, representing 73.3% as follows:

Members present	22
.. on leave	2
.. absent (Seaker Chan)	1
.. absence excused	5
Total	30

We missed the following members, whose absence was excused from the above meeting: Mrs. Joseph Fung, Alex Shang, Marsh Stayner, Edwin Tao and Brig Young.

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Mrs. R. Y. Cheng	Hong Kong
.. Frank Harris	..
.. W. F. Ko	..
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## WORLD FELLOWSHIP WEEK OBSERVED

**R**OTARIANS and guests at our last weekly luncheon at the Winner House on October 19 heard an interesting 40-minute tape-recorded programme of the Redlands Rotary Club, Calif., U.S.A. This was arranged through an exchange of recorded programmes with the Redlands Club to share in celebration of the World Fellowship Week in Rotary Service.

After a brief introduction and outlining of the exchange by International Service Committee Chairman Pat Cha, the Redlands Club's programme began with a number of lively Rotary songs together with cheers and laughter. There was certainly an atmosphere of friendliness and good Rotary fellowship at the Redlands Club. Sergeant-at-Arms took an active part and did well for the community service chest. The current rate of community service "Tax" at the Redlands Club was US\$10 for owning a new car and US\$1 for attending the meeting without a tie. (Fellow members kindly leave our Sergeant at Arms Edwin Tao informed when your new cars arrive.)

Vocational Service was the theme of the talks given by members of the Vocational Service Committee. One member suggested that today the scope of vocational service can be extended internationally through the exchange of technical knowledge and information, good and fair world

trade and high standards in all business relationships. Members were urged to read the Rotary's book on vocational service—Service is My Business.

Another member talked on trade and professional associations. Members were encouraged to join their trade associations which were described as the workshops for Rotarians to practice their Rotary ideal. It was quoted that 80% of the officers and directors of the California Association of Insurance Agents were Rotarians. The "Four-Way Test" should be applied to our businesses as well as our trade and professional associations to help build a healthy society.

Employer-employee relations was touched upon by a third member. He emphasized that good employees were the greatest asset of an organization; and a proper relation between employer and employee was most important in building up a good business.

The speaker suggested 12 points for the betterment of the employer-employee relationship. These are: 1, job security; 2, opportunity; 3, proper training; 4, right earning; 5, financial security; 6, share in the results produced; 7, recognition and praise for achievements; 8, good working conditions; 9, fair treatment; 10, good merchandise value; 11, honest business practices

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Speaker: Rtn. Ben Lee  
Subject: Hotels—a vocational talk

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It was advocated by the speaker that the principles of the "Four-Way Test" could be applied to solve many business difficulties.

Earlier at our meeting, Sergeant-at-Arms Edwin Tao carried out his usual duties very tactfully, collecting a sum of \$101. As a result, our Community Service Fund now stands at \$2,789 since the beginning of the fiscal Rotary year.

The meeting was adjourned by President Ron Bennett with a Toast to Rotary International, coupled with which was the Rotary Club of Footing, London.

### Other Clubs' Meetings

**T**HE problems of education in India were discussed by an American educator, Mr. Richard R. Weigle, in an address at the Hong Kong Club last Tuesday.

After a three months' tour of Indian educational establishments, Mr. Weigle said that he was impressed with the urgent need of three things—a policy for universal primary education (even for as little as two years); more technical schools; and fewer, smaller, and more independent universities with higher standards and stiffer entrance qualifications.

The three main problems of Indian education today, he pointed out, were the numbers of students and lack of finance; teaching methods based on lecturing instead of study; and student indiscipline.

Of these three, the last two arose partly from the first. Vast numbers attending universities made for over-crowded classes and poor education. Teachers were poorly paid, and had little or no contact with their pupils. And the universities no longer provided a sound mental training for those who should become the leaders in the state.

Mr. Weigle was thanked by Rtn. D. J. S. Crozier, Director of Education, who said that India's problems existed to a certain extent over the whole of the Far East and in Hong Kong.

"It is easy for us as Rotarians to accept these problems without fully understanding them. But understanding is important because education offers great potentialities for good or for evil," added Rtn. Crozier.

At the Kowloon Club meeting last Thursday, Mr. L. G. Morgan, Deputy Director of

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### THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. Lawrence Kadoorie

*Subject:* Cross Harbour Tunnel

KOWLOON (Thursday):

Business Meeting

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Mr. Fung Se-Yu

*Subject:* A Study of Chinese Characters

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Education said that changing trends in education brought about by social and economic conditions in the world have posed many questions for the educator.

Apart from those connected with changes in the parents and the children, Mr. Morgan drew Rotarians' attention to three major trends of change. These are firstly, changes in the demand and provisions for education; secondly, changes in the methods of education; and thirdly, changes in the scope and content of education.

During the course of his talk, Mr. Morgan said: "The youth of today does not have to be led with timid steps to the brink of adult life and shepherded with care and sage advice before being launched into the great big world; it is seeking freedom from restriction by shinning down the drain-pipes in its early teens and dashing off to join in life in all the 'hot-spots' it can find.

"Times have indeed gone far from the days of the Victorian Miss who resorted to fan and smelling salts at the mere thought of being left alone with some strange man; to-day it is the man who has to be careful not to be left alone with some strange Miss."

Dr. L. Wang, well-known preacher talked on "International Book—Bible" at the Island West Club last Friday.

Dr. Wang said he became a devoted Christian after studying the Bible when he was a Chinese Navy Officer.

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## West Club's Attraction

THE Hongkong Island West Club will hold a Ladies' Night on Friday, November 4, instead of the regular weekly luncheon meeting.

The function, open to members of other fellow Clubs, their ladies and guests, will be held at the palatial residence of Rtn. K. S. Lo at the "Flamengo" R.B.L. 245A, Shouson Hill Road, Aberdeen. Charges will be \$15 per person.

Starting at 6 p.m., the evening's programme calls for a one-hour fellowship with buffet dinner served between 7 and 8 p.m., followed by two hours of light entertainment, including music, folk dances, games and bingo until 10 p.m.

The function is expected to be a most informal gathering so that all will be able to enjoy themselves.

It is requested that reservation forms, available from the Hon. Secretaries of all fellow Clubs, reach the Fellowship Committee Chairman, Rtn. Henry Tang, c/o the Chinese Y.M.C.A., Bridges Street, Hong Kong, before the end of October.

## 300 Attended Kln. Ball

THE Kowloon Rotary Club held its eighth Annual Ball at the Peninsula Hotel last Friday night and according to unofficial reports raised more than \$20,000 for its community project this year.

Nearly 300 Rotarians and guests, including prominent residents and heads of Government departments, attended the dinner held in the Ballroom of the Hotel. Dance began at 10 p.m. and ended at 1 a.m.

A programme of magic, songs, and acrobatics added to the success of the evening.

Boys of the Stanley Training Centre Harmonica Band gave a fine performance.

A juggling act on chairs was performed by Mr. Wong Man-lu. Miss Lau Bo-chun gave a display of magic, followed by two songs by Miss Grace Chang. Acrobatics were performed by Mr. Wong Bon-lu and his assistants. Mr. Lee Chi-ming showed what "atomic magic" meant.

In a foreword to the Ballroom Programme, the Club's President Rtn. Reggie Shun Wah, said this year's Club project had not yet been decided upon but would be just as worthy of support as the first project—a Trachoma Clinic in Kowloon.

## THE DRAGON SPIRIT

Tung Fong is most pleased to announce that Rtn. "Dragon" Y. L. Nie has already obtained 15 pages of advertisement at \$100 each for the Souvenir Programme of our forthcoming Annual Charity Ball.

It may be recalled that Rtn. "Dragon" gained last year's advertising-space selling record with \$800 to his credit.

## Attendance

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## VISITING ROTARIAN

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Ross Coombs . . . . .	Hong Kong

## VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. E. J. Lees . . . . .	Rtn. Seven Shih
.. G. S. Stokes . . . . .	.. Ben Lee
.. Bill Moore . . . . .	.. Pat Cha
.. Y. C. Lee . . . . .	.. H. C. Yang

## Charity Ball Latest

TWO traditional Chinese gifts will be presented to Rtn. A. Z. Baker, President of Rotary International, and his wife at our forthcoming Charity Ball to be held at The Ritz on Tuesday, December 6.

At its third meeting last Thursday, the Annual Ball Committee decided to purchase the gifts from the proceeds of dinner tickets (at \$25 each), which will be presented to our honoured guests from Rotary International in the name of all the five fellow Clubs in the Colony and in Macao. The gift presentation will be made by the most senior Rotarian in this area.

The Ball Committee also approved the purchase of 150 corsages of orchards from Singapore and the appointment of Rtn. Fred Tam to be Chairman of the Advertising Sub-Committee, succeeding Rtn. Seven S. C. Shih who is due to leave early in November on an extended business trip to Australia. Members serving under Fred Tam on the Advertising Sub-Committee are Rtns. "Dragon" Y. L. Nie, Seven Shih, Y. F. Chen, Bill Nichol, H. C. Yang, S. L. Yuan and Henry Chang.

### Letter From St. Louis Club

ON the occasion of the "World Fellowship Week" in Rotary Service, members of the Rotary Club of St. Louis, Missouri, U.S.A., extended their warm greetings to us in a letter received by our President Ron Bennett, which reads as follows:

Your club is one selected by our International Service Committee, of which I am a member, for an exchange of letters and ideas that will encourage a closer relationship internationally. This is in line with the purpose of "World Fellowship Week" and I am sure will result in better mutual understanding and cooperation.

Here are a few facts about the Rotary Club of St. Louis which perhaps will be of interest to your members.

Our club was organized in 1910 with 25 members. The current membership is 468 and they represent more than 300 different professions and types of business. It is the only Club in St. Louis, although there are several in surrounding suburban and business areas. The Club meets weekly on Thursdays at 12:15 p.m. at the Statler Hotel. A cordial invitation is extended to members of your Club, visiting St. Louis, to meet with us. If in the city on other days than our regular meeting day, we suggest a call at our office on the mezzanine floor of the Hotel, where our secretary, Dan Paxton, will be delighted to welcome them.

With two other groups, our Club has sponsored, since 1950, a Summer Workshop in Economic Education at Washington University for St. Louis area High School teachers. By

increasing understanding of everyday economics at the teacher level, it aims to improve the appreciation of the general public in the role of business.

In 1942, to help alleviate the shortage of nurses, a Scholarship Fund for nurses was established by contributions from members. Interest free loans averaging \$300 have been made to more than 350 girls to assist them through their training. The average number of loans outstanding is 50.

This year the Club established a Rotary Cerebral Palsy Mobile Unit, consisting of a station wagon and trained personnel, to visit homes of afflicted children to train their parents in psychological and therapeutic treatment. This is being done under the direction of the United Cerebral Palsy Association of Greater St. Louis.

The Club gives over \$5,000 annually to numerous organizations, including the Salvation Army, Goodwill Industries, One-Man Santa Claus, American Youth Foundation Camp, National Folk Festival, etc. Funds come from regular dues and for special collections among members.

By separate mail you will receive an attractive and informative booklet, titled "Metropolitan St. Louis in Missouri." I am sure you will find this to be helpful in gaining a clear idea of our city. Also, in the same envelope, you will receive a copy of the Club's weekly bulletin, "The Pepper Box."

Best wishes for the success of your Club and for the health and happiness of your members.

Rotarily yours,  
ROBERT E. WOODS  
1525 Sublette Ave.  
St. Louis 10, Missouri, U.S.A.

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P.S. I have always wanted to fly around the world and may realize this ambition one of these years. Will contact the Rotary Club and perhaps meet you personally.

With Compliments of

Rotarian Seven S. C. Shih

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NOVEMBER 1, 1955

## R. I. PAST PRESIDENT FRANK SPAIN IN HONGKONG

**T**HE Colony's Rotary world rolled out its red carpet this morning to welcome Rtn. Frank Spain, Past President of Rotary International, and his wife who arrived here by Pan-American World Airways from Tokyo.

Rtn. Spain is visiting the Rotary Clubs in this part of the world on behalf of R.I. President A. Z. Baker and will return to the United States aboard s.s. President Cleveland at midnight on Thursday.

Welcoming Rtn. and Mrs. Spain at Kai Tak Airport were members of the specially-created Welcome Committee, comprising the Presidents and Vice-Presidents of the four Clubs in Hong Kong, and many other senior Rotarians.

Upon disembarking, Rtn. Spain and his wife were escorted to the VIP Room, where he met representatives of the Press and then later they proceeded to the Peninsula Hotel.

For their three-day stay here, the following official programmes have been arranged. In addition, it is hoped that Rtn. Spain will find time to attend the regular meetings of the Hong Kong Club today, and of the Island East Club tomorrow.

*Today, Nov. 1:* They will attend a cocktail party at 6.30 p.m. given by Rtn. Gem Marden, Past Director of Rotary International, at 457, Barker Road, The Peak. The Spains will meet the Colony's Rotarians of less than one year's standing in Rotary and their ladies at this function.

*Tomorrow, Nov. 2:* They will attend a Chinese dinner at Kin Kwok Restaurant (China Emporium Building), commencing at 8 p.m. The Spains will be entertained by the Past Presidents, present Presidents, Officers and Directors as well as their Rotary-Wives of the five Clubs in Hong Kong and Macao. Approximately 70 persons will be at the party at which a suitable gift will be presented to the Spains.

*Thursday, Nov. 3:* Rtn. Spain will address the Joint Regular Meeting at the Kowloon Club in the Peninsula Hotel and to meet most of the Rotarians in the Colony and in Macao. It is expected that at least more than 50% of the Rotarians in the Colony will attend the meeting which is to start at 12.15 p.m.

Each Club is requested to send a member or two of the Attendance Committee to the Joint Meeting for looking after the attendance record

of their own members who are required to wear their own badges.

Members are permitted to bring guests to the meeting.

### At Rotary Last Week

**T**HE Colony's 56 hotels would not be sufficient to meet requirements once Government decided on plans to promote the tourist trade, said Rtn. Ben Lee in a vocational talk on Hotels at our last regular meeting at Winner House on October 12. With this in mind, Ben believed that it would be a good idea to invest in building more hotels, which investment would eventually yield good dividend.

Touching on the management of hotels, he stressed the Rotary principle of "Service Above Self" which was being constantly applied to the operation of a good hotel to the satisfaction of its customers.

To good hotel management, he said, there was no hour either too early or too late; nothing was too big or too small insofar as the benefits of the customers were concerned. He said that customers were always right and no matter how, the hotel operator must do his best to ensure their comfort and happiness.

According to Ben, hotel staff must possess diplomacy, especially in dealing with difficult customers who made complaints about the quality of morning coffee, lifts which were either too fast or too slow, lights which were too bright or too dim, and other results of "getting out on the wrong side of their beds".

The running of hotels, Ben said, presented many problems, the most important of which were human problems. He quoted a story of one of his brightest page-boys and some theatre tickets.

He said that on one occasion, a client at his hotel requested him to get four centre dress circle tickets at a certain theatre. The page boy was told to go early and get tickets for four seats in a row as near the centre as possible. He did, but too literally—they were in the centre one behind the other—A1, B1, C1, and D1.

The operation of a good hotel was quite complicated and required many departments, each of which must be staffed by skilled and trained personnel in order to meet various requirements of the customers and to give satisfactory financial returns to the investors.

### THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. Dr. D. Engel

*Subject:* A Study of English Thinking and Institutions

KOWLOON (Thursday, 12.15 p.m.):

R.I. Past President Frank Spain will address this Joint Meeting to which all Rotarians in the Colony are requested to attend. Fellow members may bring their guests.

ISLAND WEST (Friday, 6-10 p.m.):

Instead of the regular luncheon, a Ladies' Night with buffet dinner and light entertainment will be held at the residence of Rtn. K. S. Lo at the "Flamagie", R.B.L. 245A, Shouson Hill Road, Aberdeen. Fellow members and their ladies are most cordially welcome.

Speaking on his personal background, Rtn. Ben said that for many years before taking up the management of the Sunning House, he was connected with the China Travel Service which was the only well-organised travel service enterprise operating a chain of hotels in China during the second World War.

During his six-month training under American experts, Ben had to go through various courses as a waiter, a room boy, a designer, an accountant and many other positions until he was qualified to become a manager. He had since then managed many hotels for the China Travel Service in Kweilin, Changsing, Shanghai and Nanking.

Thanking the speaker was Rtn. K. S. Chang who was the "best customer" of Rtn. Ben during the last Rotary Year, when the latter was the Sergeant-at-Arms. While lavishly praising Ben's interesting talk, K. S. tactfully succeeded in getting the former Sergeant-at-Arms to contribute handsomely to the Community Service Fund for his fine vocational talk in which he unfortunately slipped in many advertising phrases for the hotel and himself.

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- Nov. 2: Mr. Lawrence Nakathulke speaks on Journalism.
- 9: Dr. T. M. Teoh, of the Police Headquarters, will talk on the History of Western Medicine.
- 16: A colour travelogue, "How Small Is My Island (Japan)", provided by the Pan-American World Airways.
- 23: Rtn. Conway Chan will give a vocational talk on "Beverage".
- 30: To be announced later.

Early at the meeting, Sergeant-at-Arms Edwin Tao led those present to say "Happy Birthday" to Rtn. Joseph Fung.

The meeting was adjourned by President Ron Bennett with a Toast to Rotary International and the Rotary Club of Singapore.

### Other Clubs' Meetings

**T**HE luncheons of the three fellow Clubs last week were conducted in their traditional manner. The Kowloon Club had a business meeting, the Island West Club heard an informative talk on "A Study of Chinese Characters" by Mr. Fung Se-Yu, while Rtn. Lawrence Kadoorie touched on one of the most controversial subjects—The New Tunnel Scheme—at the Hong Kong Club meeting last Tuesday.

Rtn. Kadoorie's eloquent speech in which he convincingly advanced many examples in favour of the cross-harbour tunnel, was given prominent and full coverage in several Chinese and English newspapers the next day. The controversial subject of his talk subsequently drew many comments, in favour and against, in the correspondence columns of the local Press.

Strongly in favour of a cross-harbour tunnel scheme, his speech bristled with ideas and suggestions and warm confidence in the future prospects of the Colony. He outlined the role of up-to-date communications in an expanding Hong Kong, pointing out that Hong Kong was developing into what may become one of the largest cities in the world.

"We are satisfied there would be no engineering difficulty in the construction of a tunnel under the harbour," said Rtn. Kadoorie.

He added: "So state the experts, and as one who believes that communication between the twin cities of Victoria and Kowloon needs to be brought up to date, I am happy to hear it.

"Let us have freedom to circulate and to integrate.

"Perhaps no single public works project would affect life in Hong Kong more generally than a trans-harbour tunnel. Literally millions of people would use it and the everyday habits of thousands would be changed."

"To my mind it would be vastly improved if it were to have two additional outlets, one to the east of the Naval Yard and the other to the west of the Vehicular Ferry Wharf on Connaught Road.

"In this way we should bypass the bottleneck at Queen's Road. Traffic would be diverted underground and vehicles would not all have to pass through the centre of the city.

"The additional outlets of the tunnel should be situated on reclaimed land, thus saving heavy costs for resumption in crowded districts."

Regarding the methods of financing, he said: "Personally, I believe the tunnel would pay for itself within 10 to 15 years. If Government, or in other words the Hong Kong taxpayer, believes this financing could be spread over a period by means of a loan.

"In the experts' report the total cost of the tunnel is estimated at \$161,000,000, and the annual cost of maintenance at \$560,000.

"Assuming that approximately half the present total number of trans-harbour ferry passengers use the tunnel in a year and that they pay 10 cent each, the annual revenue from passenger traffic would amount to \$6,000,000.

"The experts have estimated that an average flow through the tunnel of 400 vehicles per hour in each direction (from 8 in the morning to 8 at night) would soon be reached, or  $3\frac{1}{2}$  million vehicles in a year. At an average of, say, \$3 per vehicle (which is probably less than the present average charge for cars and lorries crossing the harbour by ferry) the annual income from vehicular traffic would be \$10,500,000; making a total of \$16,500,000 per annum. (This does not take into account savings effected by, or revenue derived from, rights of way for water mains, cables and other services).

"If the net annual income, after paying maintenance charges, should be \$16,000,000, the cost of the tunnel would be met in approximately 10 years. After that, the net revenue, less any outstanding interest charges, would all be profit.

"Now to consider my more comprehensive suggestions. If we allow for the additional outlets, the trans harbour tunnel buses, and the terminal garage, let us assume the total cost would be increased to \$240,000,000, and maintenance to \$800,000 per annum. With a net annual income of \$16,000,000 from tunnel tolls and bus passenger tickets, to which must be added parking fees from the terminal garage, the increased cost would be covered in less than 15 years, after which the net revenue, less any interest due, would all be profit.

"It should be emphasised that this is a conservative estimate. With the continued growth of the Colony and rapid transit between the Island and the Mainland which the tunnel would provide, I am confident that we can, very reasonably, anticipate a greatly increased flow of trans-harbour passenger and vehicular traffic."

In conclusion, Rtn. Lawrence said: "Let us have courage. Let us realise Hong Kong is developing into what may well become one of the largest cities in the world. Let us preserve those attributes of sound finance that have been the basis of our success in the past, but let us also realise we are growing up.

"It is good to know Government is undertaking a detailed study of the tunnel scheme. May this proceed with despatch."

### Colony Has 218 Rtns.

THE strength of Rotary world in Hong Kong today stands at 218 members, following the induction by the Hong Kong Club at its weekly meeting last Tuesday of Rtns. Arthur Chase and John Lock, manager of the American President Lines and the Cable & Wireless Ltd., respectively.

Both newly inducted members replaced their predecessors, ex-Rtns. Bob Booth and E. E. Story—the former had left for England on retirement and the latter had been transferred to Kobe. The membership of the Hong Kong Club today is 106; Kowloon Club, 53; Island West Club, 29; and Island East Club, 30.

### Rtn. Presidency For JCI

Rtn. Sonny A. de O. Sales, of the Hong Kong Club, has been nominated as a candidate for the World Presidency of the Junior Chamber International. The election of the World Presidency of JCI will be conducted at its Tenth World Congress to be held in Edinburgh on November 5.

### Attendance

Representing 76.6%, 23 of our 30 members participated in the last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on October 26.

Members present	23
" on leave	1
" absent (Seaker Chan and S. H. Ma)	2
" absence excused	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>30</b>

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Henry Tang	Island West
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" Robert K. Li	"
" P. Y. Koo	Hong Kong

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Dr. T. M. Teoh	Rtn. John Yuen
Mr. W. F. Simpson	" Brig Young
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## FRANK EXHORTS ROTARIANS TO PROMOTE PEACE

**P**OINTING out that Rotary friendship can change the course of history, Rtn. Frank Spain, 1951/52 President of Rotary International, has called upon Rotarians throughout the world to promote universal friendship in the years that lay ahead so that we can say we "are really promoting peace in our generation".

In particular, he exhorted each of the 218 Rotarians in the Colony to meet his obligation towards this noble object because, he explained, Hong Kong, at the cross-roads of the world, offered Rotarians here unique opportunity for the promotion of international friendship and understanding.

Rtn. Frank said that he was glad to have observed that Rotarians here have been promoting that understanding which was so absolutely indispensable to the peace of the world.

The R.I. Past President made the above remarks in a talk at a Joint Rotary Meeting, sponsored by the Kowloon Club at the Peninsula Hotel Ballroom, last Thursday (Nov. 3), on the eve of his departure for the United States aboard s.s. President Wilson following a three-day stay in Hong Kong.

Frank said that someone at the dinner on the previous night (see elsewhere in this edition)

said that if Rotary Clubs were all over the world there would be no war. He said he would agree with this statement because Rotary was a League of Men in whom human values were so importantly and understandingly moulded.

He said that this was particularly true these days, when the scientists had erased all the significance of time and space and put into the hands of men the means to destroy the world.

Earlier in his speech which was heard by 115 Rotarians from Clubs in the Colony, including 15 from our (Island East) Club, in Macao, Taipei, Singapore, Honolulu, Guam, and New York, who gathered at the joint Meeting, Rtn. Frank referred to the warm welcome and hospitality he had received since

his arrival on Tuesday (Nov. 1). He noted exciting scenes around Hong Kong and the wonderful fellowship of Rotarians here.

He also generously paid tribute to the fine publication of *Tung Feng*, the "magic carpet" of Rtn. Jerry O'Donnell's air service which brought him and his Rotary-Anne Margaret to Hong Kong from Tokyo, and the brilliant talk on "A Study of English Thinking and Institution" by Rtn. Dr. D. Engel (Kowloon member) at the Hong Kong Club meeting last Tuesday. He said

Next Meeting: November 9, 1955  
Speaker: Dr. T. M. Teoh, of the Hong Kong Police Force  
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Rotary International Past President (1951-52) Frank and Margaret Spain



Mrs. Fung Ping-Fan presents Mrs. Spain with a lovely Mandarin jacket at the Kin Kwok Restaurant dinner party.



Rtn. Frank replies to a Toast which was proposed by Rtn. Gem Marden.



A Hong Kong Rotarian delegate Rtn. Frank and his wife Margaret at the Kai Tak Airfield on Novem's morning. The couple is in Hong Kong, before continuing journey home.

that he was also much interested in knowing that the Island West Club had adopted the Cantonese-speaking dialect at its meetings.

Rtn. Frank said he thought of Rotary as a porcupine when it first started. The porcupines, he said, pricked one another with their quills, ran together and scattered. Finally, they reached a distance one from another. Rotary Clubs, like the porcupines, had scattered the world over, but the distance separating them was the code of manner and of behaviour, he said.

In the early days, he said, Rotarians met to promote business and even tried to find out what business the members were having.

Today, he said, members found in service the "very heart and soul of Rotary." "He profits most who serves best," said the speaker, adding that "gaining something was not as great as giving."

"Rotary fellowship and friendship is running through the community. It brings men more closely together and eventually nations together," he added.

In conclusion, the R.I. Past President once again expressed his and Margaret's gratitude to all fellow members and their Rotary Annes for the wonderful fellowship and hospitality they received during their stay here, and assured us that they were taking back to their homeland the most happy memories.

Founder President Fred Cremo of the Kowloon Club who was given the honour to thank Rtn. Frank for his most inspiring address, assured the visiting R.I. Past President that Hong Kong Rotarians would continue to help the under-privileged in their community service and to further promote better understanding and universal peace in their international service.

On behalf of all fellow members, Rtn. Fred wished Frank and Margaret bon voyage on their journey home to the United States.

### Spain Gets VIPs Together

FOR the first time in the Colony's history, no fewer than 50 VIPs of the Rotary world here and 33 Rotary Annes and lady friends were brought together at one function to honour Rtn. Frank Spain, 1951-52 President of Rotary International, and his wife, Margaret, who passed through on their way home.

These VIPs included two Past District Governors, one Past R.I. Administrative Adviser who was R.I. Director under Rtn. Frank's Presidential term in the 1951-52 Rotary Year, as many as 14 Past Presidents, and all the current Presidents and majority of the Officers and Directors of the five Clubs in the Colony and in Macao.

However, it was most regrettable to record the unavoidable absence from the function of Rtn. Dr. C. T. Wang, Past Vice-President of Rotary International, due to an injury which the

Father of the Rotary Club was sustained in *Tung Fong* wis

The function dined at Kin Kwok on Monday (Nov. 2), and were officially in Gen Marden, on the Board of 1951-52 Rotary President.

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President (1951-52) Frank and Mrs. Spain in Hong Kong



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The function was in the form of a Chinese dinner at Kin Kwok Restaurant last Wednesday (Nov. 2) at which Rtn. Frank and his wife were officially introduced to those present by Rtn. Gen Marden, who had the pleasure of serving on the Board of R.I. Directors during the 1951-52 Rotary Year when Frank was the President.

Rtn. Frank was passing through Hong Kong after attending four District Conferences in Japan on behalf of R.I. President A. Z. Baker during Oct. 10-28. He told *Tung Fung* that there were 163 Rotary Clubs in Japan with a combined membership of approximately 6,500 Rotarians and that each of the four District Conferences was attended by from 700 to 800 Rotarians.

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Proposing a Toast to the honoured guests, Rtn. Gen said that Rtn. Frank has been an inspiring leader and a sterling worker of our great organization. At this dinner a lovely Mandarin jacket was presented to Mrs. Spain by the Rotary-Aime of Past President Fung Ping Fan on behalf of the five Clubs in Hong Kong and Macao.

Those Rotarians who participated in the dinner party honouring Rtn. Frank and Mrs. Spain were:

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- Hong Kong Club:* Rtns. W. S. Anderson, A. of Arculi, Paul Blatmann, R. R. Corbils, Jack M. Berg, Fung Ping-Fan, D. S. Hill, Kwok Chee, L. P. Kwok, Li Shu-Pan, George Lin, Gen Marden, Jerry O'Donnell, Ray Piccotta, D. L. Sackett, Gin D. Su, Thomas Tam and P. L. Tseng.

- Kowloon Club:* E. C. Clarno, D. C. Elwins, L. Harilela, W. S. T. Long, O. R. Sadick, D. Scott, Reggie Shun Wah, Elmer Tzu and P. V. Wong.

- Island East Club:* Roy Bennett, Pat Chu, Henry Chang, K. S. Chang, Y. P. Chen, Bill Nichol, Seven Sui, Jimmy Wu, John Yuen, and S. L. Yuen.

- Island West Club:* P. C. Chang, H. C. Fung, C. K. Ho, S. Y. Hsu, C. N. Li, Li Shu-Pan, F. Y. Lo and Henry Tang.

- Wanchai Club:* Sydney Chen, Leo Do-Tin, P. Lovato and H. Monteiro.

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HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. K. M. A. Barnett

*Subject:* Signposts in Babel

KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Rt. Rev. R. O. Hall, Bishop of Hong Kong

*Subject:* Welfare of Young Industrial Workers

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Mr. Shun Choi-Sang

*Subject:* Journalism in America

## At Rotary Last Week

**A** UNIQUE coincidence was recorded last week, when three of the four weekly Rotary meetings in Hong Kong associated the Rotary Club of Birmingham, Ala., U.S.A., with the usual Toast to Rotary International.

This happened when the presence of Rtn. Frank Spain of the Birmingham Club was honoured at the regular meetings of the Rotary Clubs of Hong Kong, Kowloon and Island East.

At our meeting last Wednesday, we heard a talk on the history of Hawaii by Mr. Lawrence Nakashuka, a veteran journalist, who is on a tour of Far Eastern countries sponsored by the State Department of the United States. He told us many interesting aspects of the life of American subjects of other races, specially Chinese immigrants, living in Hawaii.

Rtn. Dr. D. Eugel of the Kowloon Club last Tuesday gave a talk on "A Study of English Thinking and Institution" at the Hong Kong Club meeting. His speech brought out many interesting comparisons of thinking between the English and continental races.

The Kowloon Club meeting last Thursday heard an inspiring talk by Rtn. Frank Spain, Past President of Rotary International (refer to front page for fuller report).

Instead of a regular luncheon meeting, the Island West Club held a successful Ladies' Night last Friday at the residence of their member, Rtn. K. S. Lo. Eighty-one persons, including 37 ladies, participated in the fellowship of the West Club members and had a most enjoyable evening.

## News In Brief

*On Leave:* Rtn. Seven S. C. Shih is due to leave today (Nov. 8) for Australia on business. He is expected to be away for several months, and was entertained at a tea party by several members at the residence of Rtn. Y. F. Chen yesterday.

## Attendance

Of our 30 members, 25 attended our weekly regular meeting at Winner House on November 2, representing 83.3% as follows:

Members present . . . . .	25
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" absence excused . . . . .	4
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Total . . . . .	30

We missed Rtns. Seaker Chan, Hsi Yu-I, S. H. Ma and Marsh Stayner, whose absence from the above meeting was, however, excused.

## VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Frank Spain . . . . .	Birmingham, Ala., U.S.A.
" H. C. Fung . . . . .	Island West
" Tse Yu-Chuen . . . . .	"
" T. Y. Lo . . . . .	"
" S. Y. Hsu . . . . .	"
" Sydney Chen . . . . .	Macao

## VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. Lawrence Nakashuka . . . . .	Guest Speaker
" Robert J. Clark . . . . .	Rtn. John Yuen
" Teddy Duff . . . . .	Bill Nichol
" G. S. Stokes . . . . .	Ben Lee
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HENRY CHANG

## GOVT. EARMARKS LAND FOR OUR SCHOOL PROJECT

**G**OVERNMENT has earmarked a 4,900-square-foot site on Hing Fat Street, next to the Victoria Park at Causeway Bay, for our Club's community service project—a School for the Deaf.

We are most grateful to the Social Welfare Officer and the Directors of Education, Public Works and Medical Departments and their staff for the favourable consideration and kind assistance shown us in the early stages of application to Government for the site.

In a letter to our President on November 9, the Colonial Secretary, Hon. E. B. David, wrote:

It may be recalled that earlier indications of Government for considering the grant of the site were that a sum of \$200,000 would have to be spent by our Club on the construction cost of the School.

"I am directed to refer to your letter of 25th October, 1955, on the subject of your Club's intention to establish a School for the Deaf, and to express to you Government's appreciation of the efforts being made by the members of the Rotary Club of Hongkong Island East in so deserving a cause.

**NEXT MEETING**

A colour travelogue, "How Small Is My Island (Japan)", will be shown through the courtesy of Pan-American World Airways at our luncheon meeting tomorrow.

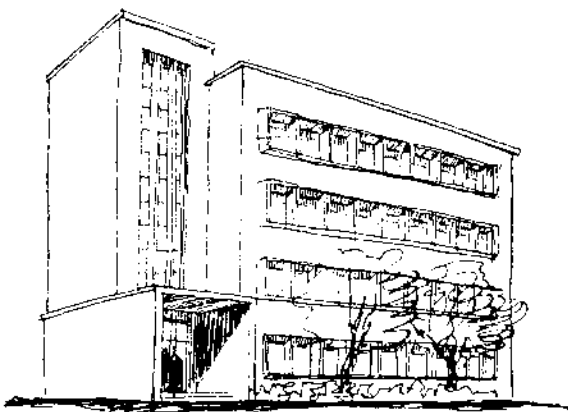
We are extremely fortunate that our member contractor, Rtn. Y. F. Chen, has generously offered to build the School at 10% below actual cost. It is hoped that we can commence the site formation work within this year and the construction of the School building early next year.

"A site of 4,900 square-feet on Hing Fat Street, Causeway Bay, has been earmarked for this school, and I understand the Superintendent, Crown Lands, has discussed with you the covenant which will be necessary to meet to ensure adequate development of the site.

According to our plan, a drawing of which will be found elsewhere in this edition of *Tung Feng*, the School for the Deaf will be a four-storey building—two storeys to be built immediately and the other two top floors added on upon sufficient funds being raised in the next few years.

"Details concerning the actual method of grant are at present under consideration with the Director of Education, and I am to assure you of Government's readiness to extend to your Club every assistance in bringing this scheme to a successful conclusion."

The efforts of our Club during its first 14 months ended June 30, 1955, brought in \$32,351.80 for our Community Service Fund. Of



Artist's perspective view of the projected four-storey building for the School for the Deaf.

this, \$20,369.80 were the net proceeds of our first Annual Charity Ball held on November 26, 1954, and the remaining \$11,982 came from contributions among our 30 members at our 65 regular weekly meetings.

We are confident that our efforts in increasing our Community Service Fund during the fiscal Rotary Year by the end of June 30, 1956, will be greater than that of the previous year.

### At Rotary Last Week

**T**HE Rotary Club of Murwillumbah, N.S.W., Australia, exchanged its bannerette with us through its visiting member, Rtn. Ken Harbinson, at our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on November 9.

Thanks must be extended to three Hong Kong Club members, Rtns. Jerry O'Donnell, Alim P. Jagtiani and W. Dayaram, who all voluntarily reached out for the Red Box and put in handsome contributions towards our Community Service Fund.

The guest speaker of the day was Dr. T. M. Teoh, Police Surgeon, who traced the history of ancient medicine of some ancient countries and related many interesting superstitious methods of treating illness in ancient times. He said that the ancient belief was that disease was not due to natural causes, but due to evil doings of a god or a supernatural being, dead or alive.

Dr. Teoh said that in ancient Melanesia, death from a snake bite was considered not due to poison but due to the sorcerer putting the snake there or the sorcerer himself turning into a snake. Speaking on the ancient belief regarding death, he said that the original belief was that man was immortal, and death came only as a punishment for man's disobedience.

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

**HONG KONG (Tuesday):**

*Speaker:* Dr. Sherwood Eddy

*Subject:* The World in Transition

**KOWLOON (Thursday):**

*Speaker:* Group Captain Smyth

*Subject:* R.A.F. Mountaineering Expedition to Lahul

**ISLAND WEST (Friday):**

*Speaker:* Mr. Wm. J. Moore, a Rotary Foundation Fellow

*Subject:* Friendship Through Understanding

The speaker was thanked by Rtn. Dr. K. C. Goh, after which President Ron Bennett adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Murwillumbah.

### Other Clubs' Meetings

**HONG KONG CLUB:** Rtn. Ken Barnett, of the Kowloon Club, who is Commissioner of New Territories, presented clues to the existence, language and relics of a tough and numerous race of boat dwellers and hill farming tribesmen who occupied the present New Territories some 600 years ago.

**KOWLOON CLUB:** Right Rev. R. C. Hail, Bishop of Hong Kong, made an appeal for donations towards the building of the projected Holy Carpenter Church and Hostel for young industrial workers in Hunghom, when he spoke on the welfare of young industrial workers.

**ISLAND WEST CLUB:** Mr. Shun Choy-Sang, the News Editor of *H'ah Kiu Yat Pao* who recently toured the United States, gave a talk on "Journalism in America".

### MACAO CHANGES MEETING TIME

Starting this month, the Macao Rotary Club has changed the time of its regular weekly (every Thursday) meetings from evening to 1.30 p.m.

The Ladies' Night, scheduled for November 19, has been cancelled.

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## AN APPEAL

**T**HE Hongkong Island East Club appeals to fellow Rotarians of other fellow Clubs in the Colony to make whatever contributions possible for the success of its 2nd Annual Charity Ball, to be held at The Ritz on Tuesday, December 6.

R.I. President A. Z. Baker and his Rotary-Anne, Cornelia, will attend this function during their overnight stop in Hong Kong on their journey home to the United States.

Fellow Rotarians may contact the following members of the Island East Club for any of their requirements.

Dinner tickets: Rtn. Wilson Wang, Tel. 770254.

Donation tickets: Rtn. Wilson Wang, Tel. 770254.

Donation gifts: Rtn. S. L. Yuen, Tel. 26032.

Advertisements: Rtn. Fred Tan, Tel. 71341.

Table reservations: Rtn. Ben Lee, Tel. 73301.

In case you find difficulty in reaching any of the above, you may contact Rtn. Henry Chang, Tel. 20095, or Miss Shirley Dee (our assistant secretary), Tel. 71321.

As the date for the Ball is drawing very close, please let us have your contributions and requirements before the end of this week, Nov. 19.

## Charity Ball Latest

**T**HE Annual Ball Committee under Chairman Jimmy Wu held two meetings on October 31 and November 9 and decided, among other things, that:—

1. In view of Rtn. Conway Chau's request to be relieved of the duty as Master of Ceremonies, Rtn. Marsh Stayner be appointed to succeed Rtn. Conway;

2. A suitable gift costing not more than \$500 be bought and presented to R.I. President A. Z. and Mrs. Baker in the name of all the Clubs in the Colony and in Macao. The gift to be purchased at the expense of our Club and be given to the Bakers when they attend our Charity Ball on December 6.

3. If possible, the entertainment programme at the Charity Ball to include the usual Ritz floor show featuring two Egyptian dancers; a ribbon dance and a brief performance by a few Chinese acrobats.

4. Seating arrangements be undertaken by Reception Sub-Committee Chairman Ben Lee. A ring-side table for 20 persons will be allotted to each of the five Clubs in Hong Kong and Macao for their Officers and Directors. Another ring-side official table will be provided for President and Mrs. Ron Bennett, R.I. President and Mrs. Baker and the official guests of our Club. Other seating accommodations will be on the first come, first serve basis.

## Spains Say "Thanks"

**W**RITING from on board s.s. President Wilson on their journey home to the United States, Rtn. Frank Spain, 1951/52 President of Rotary International, and his Rotary-Anne, Margaret, have sent letters of appreciation to the Presidents of the Rotary Clubs in the Colony.

In a letter to our (Island East Club) President Ron Bennett, the Spains wrote: "Many thanks to you and the members of your Club for the privilege of being your guests and for all the hospitality shown us during our visit.

"Never will we forget the charming dinner with the Officers and Directors and their wives nor the beautiful souvenir."

## Splendid Efforts

**M**ANY members of our Club and a few of the Kowloon and Island West Clubs have achieved splendid efforts in obtaining advertisements for our forthcoming Charity Ball Souvenir Programme.

"Dragon" Nie has sold 23 pages of advertising space for \$2,300; Jimmy Wu, 10 pages for \$1,000; while Seaker Chan, Joseph Fung and Wilson Wang have each donated \$500 for one page of space. Advertisements booked to date by a few of the Kowloon and Island West Clubs' members amount to \$800. All in all, \$5,600 worth of advertising space has already been sold.

Thanks to the fine efforts of S. L. Yuen, Chairman of the Donation Sub-Committee, 75 different prizes have been obtained to date for distribution to Donation Ticket holders.

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## SONNY ELECTED JCI PRESIDENT

Rtn. Sonny A. de O. Sales, of the Hong Kong Club, has been elected President of the Junior Chamber International for 1956. The election of the World Presidency of JCI took place at its Tenth World Congress held at Edinburgh from November 5 to 12.

## Election Of Directors

**T**WO Directors will be elected at our regular meeting tomorrow to fill the posts vacated by Rtns. Ben Lee and Seven Shih, according to a resolution of the Board of Directors of our Club at its meeting on November 10.

The election has become necessary because of the resignation of Rtn. Ben Lee from his three concurrent posts as the Director, and Chairman of the both Classification and Fellowship Committees, and of Rtn. Seven Shih from his two concurrent posts as the Director and Chairman of the Membership Committee.

The Board resolved with regret to accept the resignations of Ben and Seven—the former due to pressure of work and the latter due to his extended business trip to Australia.

The Board has nominated Rtns. Y. C. Fogg, "Dragon" Nie, Fred Tan and S. W. Zao as candidates to fill the two vacancies.

The Directors also resolved with much regret to accept the resignation of Rtn. S. H. Ma from his membership of our Club due to his impending transfer by his company (Hong Kong Telephone Co., Ltd.) from our area to a different district.

The meeting of the Board was attended by President Ron Bennett (in the chair) and Rtns. Bill Nichol, John Yuen, K. S. Chang, Y. F. Chen, Pat Cha and Henry Chang.

## Attendance

Of our 30 members, 21 attended our last weekly luncheon meeting at Warner House on November 9, representing 70% as follows:

Members present	21
" on leave	3
" absent	2
" absence excused	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>30</b>

## VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Jerry O'Donnell	Hong Kong
" Jack Moyles	"
" Alim P. Jagtiani	"
" W. Dayaram	"
" Jim Millikin	Melbourne, Australia
" Ken Harbinson	Murwillumbah, NSW Australia

## VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Dr. T. M. Teoh	Guest Speaker
Mr. G. S. Stokes	Rtn. Ben Lee
" Sharma	W. Dayaram
" Kishinchand	"
" Chaharnaol	"
" Morjani Gagan	Alim P. Jagtiani

## Kln. Pres. On Home Leave

**R**TN. Reggie Shun Wah, President of the Kowloon Club, accompanied by his wife and children, boarded the m.v. Taiyuan last Sunday for Australia on home leave.

Vice-President J. Moodie will take over the Kowloon Club's Presidency as of Thursday.

Presiding at his last meeting last Thursday before going on home leave, President Reggie thanked all the officers and members of his Club in having given him their fullest support and cooperation which enabled him to carry out his duties smoothly.

On behalf of the members, Founder President Fred Clemo paid warm tribute to Reggie for his fine work as the President of the Club and upholding the traditional Rotary spirit.

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**P**RESIDENT national, upon Tuesday (Nov. 14) to convey his personal greetings to members of all Rotary Clubs in Hong Kong. He said that he and his family were en route forward to meeting the Ball on December 10.

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## A. Z. BAKER SENDS GREETINGS TO HK RTNS.

PRESIDENT A. Z. Baker of Rotary International, upon his arrival in Sydney last Tuesday (Nov. 15), asked Rtn. Seven Shih to convey his personal greetings to fellow members of all Rotary Clubs in Hong Kong. He said that he and his Rotary-Anne were looking forward to meeting us at our forthcoming Charity Ball on December 6.

In a letter to *Tung Feng*, Rtn. Seven wrote from Sydney on November 16 as follows:

"... President A. Z. Baker asked me during yesterday's regular meeting of Sydney Rotary Club to convey his personal greetings to members of all Rotary Clubs in Hong Kong. President A. Z. accompanied by his wife arrived here at 3.30 yesterday morning after a long journey and almost without rest, attended the Sydney meeting held at 12.30 p.m.

"The Sydney Club did not put up a special programme for A. Z. in order to let him see what the normal Sydney Club appears to be. They appointed one of their own members to act as the Speaker. However, this member is quite a V.I.P. in the person of Professor J. P. Baxter, O.B.E., Ph.D., on the topic of Atomic Energy for

Peaceful Purpose. Rtn. J. P. is an authority on Atomic Energy and just came back from an important international conference on Atomic energy held in Geneva. He gave a very interesting talk, that was to be expected. Many Rotarians attended the function including 29 Club Presidents and many District Governors as well as many past VIPs. Many guests of importance attended including Lord Mayor of Sydney.

"During my 5 minutes talk with President A. Z., he enquired if I knew one Miss Grace Soong, a scholarship student sponsored by HK. He was very impressed by this girl student, saying that she is very intelligent, capable and nice and also has every grace. I said that her name must be a well chosen one. Then we talked about

Rtn. Frank Spain's recent visit and Pres. A. Z. was very much interested to hear how Frank & wife were well treated. Pres. A. Z. expressed his sincere thanks over our thoughtful consideration to postpone our Annual Charity Ball to Dec. 6 to honour his arrival and said that he hoped that they would arrive on time to enjoy the evening. A big party of about 1,200 Rotarians is to be held to-night to welcome A. Z. and I am also invited to attend."

### NEXT MEETING

Instead of a vocational talk on Beverage, Rtn. Conway Chau will show a colour film, "Refreshments Through Years", at tomorrow's luncheon meeting.

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## At Rotary Last Week

THE 23rd Wedding Anniversary of President Ron Bennett and Rotary-Anne Dick last Wednesday, and the encouraging news of Government's decision in earmarking a site for our School for the Deaf project, were most appropriately marked at our last weekly meeting at Winner House on November 16, when at the suggestion of Sergeant-at-Arms Edwin Tao, every member made handsome contributions to our Community Service Fund.

Members at the meeting were entertained to a colour travelogue film, entitled "How Small Is My Island", which was made available through the courtesy of Pan-American World Airways. The film captured many beautiful Japanese scenery, including the majestic and serene Mount Fuji and colourful Japanese Shrines in Kyoto.

In thanking PAA on behalf of our Club, Rtn. Ben Lee suggested that PAA giving consideration to make a similar film of Hong Kong for the promotion of our tourist trade among American and European countries.

The meeting was adjourned by President Ron with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Dublin, England.

## Other Clubs' Meetings

HONG KONG: Dr. Sherwood Eddy, noted author and evangelist, spoke of revolutionary advances made by India and Japan during the last few decades, when he talked on "The World in Transition". Nations throughout the world, he said, wanted liberty, justice and peace. He was of the opinion that the Republicans in the United States would lose the next presidential election.

KOWLOON: Group Capt. A. J. M. Smyth, Station Commander, Kai Tak, gave a talk on his Himalaya expedition to Lahu in June this year.

The expedition took eight weeks and cost £5,000. There were eight English climbers, one transport officer, two Indians and four Sherpas. Each man carried a 60-lb. package on his back during the climb. Their total luggage weighed three tons, two-thirds of which were food and one-third equipment.

The talk was illustrated by colour slides depicting the various stages of the climb, camp sites and scenes of several peaks, glaciers and valleys.

## AN APOLOGY

The Editor of *Tung Feng* wishes to tender his sincerest apologies to Rtn. Ben Lee and all other fellow Rotarians here for any inconvenience caused by the publication in the last issue of our Club Bulletin that table reservations at our forthcoming Charity Ball may be booked through telephone calls to Rtn. Ben.

It was pointed out at an Annual Ball Committee meeting late last week that table reservations will not be ready until December 1. The Annual Ball Committee will make an announcement on the arrangement of table reservations in due course.

ISLAND WEST: Mr. William J. Moore, a Rotary Foundation Fellow studying at the Hong Kong University, gave details of Rotary Foundation principles and working schemes when he spoke on "Friendship through Understanding".

## Attendance

Twenty-three of our 29 members attended our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on November 16, representing 79.3% as follows:

Members present	23
.. on leave	2
.. absent (Seaker Chan & Alex Shang)	2
.. absence excused	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>29</b>

We missed Rtns. K. T. Wang and Brig Young, whose absence was, however, excused from the above meeting.

## VISITING ROTARIANS

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Rtn. Jerry O'Donnell	Hong Kong
.. E. N. Koo	"
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## October Visits To Other Clubs

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Joe Bao	Hong Kong	Oct. 4
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	Kowloon	" 6
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	Island West	" 7
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William Nichol	Island West	" 21
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	"	" 28
Alex Shang	Island West	" 21
Fred Fan	Hong Kong	" 18
	"	" 25
	Island West	" 21
K. T. Wang	Island West	" 21
	Hong Kong	" 25
John Yuen	Island West	" 28
	Manila	" 20

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**HONG KONG (Tuesday):**

*Speaker:* Rtn. John L. Marden

*Subject:* Commercial Investment—a vocational talk

**Kowloon (Thursday):**

Business Meeting

**ISLAND WEST (Friday):**

*Speaker:* Mr. Chan Moon-Yan

*Subject:* Chinese Cooking

## FUNG THANKS FUNG

Rotarian Kenneth Fung Ping-Fan, Past President of the Hong Kong Club, was the guest of honour at a Chinese dinner party given by Past President H. C. Fung for the former's kindness in attending the last Rotary International Convention in Chicago on behalf of the Island West Club.

The dinner took place at the residence of Rtn. H. C. and was attended by Mrs. Fung and many others.

## An Honour to R.I. President

**A**T the conclusion of his journey throughout Africa and part of Europe President A. Z. visited Rotary clubs in France. The Republic of France honoured Rotary International and the president on that occasion by conferring on President Baker the rank of Chevalier in the Legion of Honour.

This speaks well of the excellent standing of Rotary in France and is an appreciated award.

After a few days at their home in Cleveland at the conclusion of their African and European travels, President A. Z. and his wife, Cornelia, journeyed to St. Joseph, Missouri, U.S.A., where the president spoke at a Rotary gathering. Kansas City, Missouri, U.S.A., was the next stop. There A. Z. spoke at a meeting of Rotarians from three districts and at the convention of the Future Farmers of America. While in Kansas City, Mayor Roe Bartle, a past district governor of R.I., presented to A. Z. a key to the city.

On October 17, the Bakers were guests at a surprise testimonial dinner honouring Past R.I. President Richard C. Hedke of Detroit, Michigan, U.S.A., on the occasion of Dick's retirement from business.

President A. Z.'s schedule for the end of October and first of November calls for his participation in a meeting of the North American members of the 1956 convention committee in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S.A., and meetings of the finance and executive committees at R.I. headquarters in Evanston.

After a brief Rotary visit in Omaha, Nebraska, U.S.A., President A. Z. and Cornelia travelled to Sydney, Australia, for a meeting of the 1956 Pacific regional conference committee.

## OUTSTANDING FEAT

**R**OTARIAN "Dragon" Y. L. Nie has achieved an outstanding feat which is believed to be a record in the Colony's Rotary annuals.

To date, he has sold 31 pages of advertisements for our Souvenir Ball Programme, bringing in \$3,100 for our Community Service Fund.

## Colony Has 222 Rtns.

**R**OTARY membership of the Colony today stands at 222, following the induction of five new members by the Kowloon Club last week, during which period, however, one of the Island East Club members resigned.

The new additions are Rtns. Richard Chang, William Cowden, Rupert Lee, A. W. C. Villiers and Donald Young, while Rtn. S. H. Ma of the Island East Club tendered his resignation.

The membership of the Hong Kong Club today is 106; Kowloon Club, 58; Island West Club, 29; and Island East Club, 29.

## Non-Rotarians and The Four-Way Test

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## Philadelphia Prepares for 1956 Convention

**T**HE Rotary Club of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S.A., and its host club executive committee for the 1956 Rotary International convention are already at work planning hospitality events.

The annual convention is a source of inspiration to all who attend and in 1956 will be an essential meeting for the consideration of the organization's legislation and for election of officers.

The 1956 convention is open to all Rotarians and their guests, with preference in the assignment of accommodations going to those traveling the greatest distances. The dates of the convention are June 3-7, 1956.

## Service Is My Business

Recently, Rotary International revised one of its most interesting books "Service Is My Business." It is very interesting reading which you will be glad to keep on your bookshelf. The book deals with your business profession—making your occupation a service to society as well as yourself; many of its points are illustrated with true incidents from life.

The final thought is that Rotary's standard for Vocational Service must not be respected alone. It must be practiced or it will die.

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## ROTARY TODAY

[Statistics as of October 28]

87 new clubs in 29 countries since July 1, 1955

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**THE ROTARY SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF**

**T**HE school which we are going to build on the 4,900-square-foot lot, granted by Government in Hin Fat Street, as our Club's first community service project, has been named the Rotary School for the Deaf (扶輪聾啞學校).

This was unanimously decided upon by the Directors at an extra ordinary Board meeting held at Sunning House last Friday, November 25. Presided over by President Ron Bennett, the meeting was attended by Rtns. Y. F. Chen, Y. C. Fogg, Fred Tan, S. L. Yuen, Pat Cha, K. S. Chang, John Yuen, Jimmy Wu and Henry Chang.

The Board also created a School Constitution Draft Committee, composed of Rtns. Jimmy Wu (convener), Ron Bennett, Henry Chang, K. S. Chang, Y. C. Fogg and Wilson Wang, to study the formation of an incorporated Association which would be the legal body to receive the land from Government and to look after all pertinent affairs of the School.

It may be recalled that under a tentative Government's covenant covering the grant of the site, a sum of \$200,000 would have to be spent by our Club for the construction of the four-storey building for the School with two storeys built in the first stage and the other two top

floors added upon sufficient funds being raised in the next few years.

Rtn. Y. F. Chen, Hon. Treasurer of our Club who is a contractor by profession, has most generously offered to undertake the first stage construction at 10 per cent below actual cost. In making this offer as a personal donation to our Community Service Fund, Y. F. suggested that tenders be called and the construction be given to the lowest one. If his own tender is unsuccessful, he would contribute 10 per cent of the cost in cash.

Born 43 years ago in a humble painter's family in Shanghai, Rtn. Y. F. has lived and learned through hard ways and, in his early childhood days, he was often left alone and uncared.

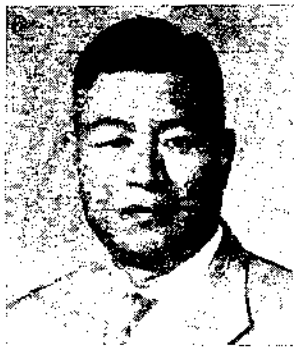
Deep in his heart today, he realises perhaps more than any other person, how sad a child could be without care and schooling. He quietly confided in *Tung Feng* how pleased and happy he is whenever he gets an opportunity of rendering whatever service he can to unfortunate children.

Believing strongly that "where is the will, there is the way", Y. F. despite overwhelming odds, studied hard and somehow managed to receive seven or eight years of primary education in the Chinese language until 14, when he was

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 Subject: A Rotarian's Obligations to His Club and Community

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sent by his father to become an apprentice in a rice shop. For the next two years, he had to earn his meager living by doing odds and ends and carrying heavy bags of rice on his head.



Y. F. Chen

When the shop ceased its business, Y. F. had the opportunity at 16 to become what he wanted to be—a building contractor. He joined the Chang Sang Construction Co. and was apprenticed for three years, during which period he learned his trade stage by stage, and put in splendid efforts to help his boss to put up better buildings with less time and cost.

Always eager to learn, Y. F. joined a night school and studied the English language for a few years, and became a self-taught student, constantly practicing and absorbing so much that today he masters the English language as if he were a university graduate.

Steadily and gradually winning the confidence of his boss, Y. F. was eventually invited to become a junior partner in the company. In 1939, he was commissioned by his company to proceed to Burma and to supervise the construction of much needed godowns and staff quarters for the Chinese Government along the Burma Road to receive foreign supplies in the nation's fight against the Japanese.

Following the successful completion of the company's "Burma Road" contract in early 1941, Y. F. remained in Kunning and branched out to the transportation field, trading between Raungoon and the provincial capital of Yunnan.

Unfortunately, Y. F. came to Hong Kong for a trip shortly before the outbreak of the Pacific War and was caught here during the Japanese occupation for almost one year. He managed to return to Shanghai, where due to lack of construction work, he started a one-man taxi business conveying passengers between Shanghai and other neighbouring cities.

The business of his construction company was rehabilitated after the Japanese surrender and Y. F. helped his company to complete a few fairly large-scale contracts before he came to Hong Kong in September, 1948, to undertake the construction of his first building here—two

godowns for the British-American Tobacco Co., Ltd.

He then established the Chang Sang Construction Co. in Hong Kong and became the senior partner of the firm with which he has been connected for the last 27 years since his apprenticeship days.

Among the construction works undertaken by Y. F. in Hong Kong since 1948 were BAT godown, in Gloucester Road, Dodwell Mansions on the Peak, many station extensions and substations and three blocks of staff quarters for the Hong Kong Electric Co., Ltd. and the Shatin Heights Hotel.

Married since 22 years of age, Y. F. has five sons and two daughters—the eldest son, Pan-Ling, aged 21, is now studying medicine at McGill University in Canada. A connoisseur of liquor, Y. F. always stocks a variety of fine drinks at his home which is one of the few homes of fellow members mostly frequented by not only the Rotarians of our Club but also of other Clubs.

Cheerful and kind-hearted, Y. F. always extends to others warm fellowship and hospitality which have been long appreciated by our members. His generosity in making such a magnificent donation to the Rotary School for the Deaf project is deeply appreciated by our Club.

### Seven Reports On Sydney Confab

**R**TN. Seven S. C. Shih reports that reception party preceding the 29th District Conference held in Sydney on November 16 was both grand and colourful, with 1,103 Rotarians and their ladies attending.

According to Seven who is on a business trip in Australia, Presidents became insignificant at that reception because there was such a long and impressive list of District Governors and Past Governors.

The junction was attended also by R.I. President A.Z. and his Rotary-Anne, Cornelia, who were accorded a most dignified welcome. Prior to their entering the reception hall, all Rotarians and their ladies were seated, but all the VIPs formed lines two-deep through which President A.Z. and the Rotary's First Lady were escorted to their seats by the Sergeant-at-Arms, followed by the Vice-Presidents and Directors of Rotary International present at the party.

President A.Z. gave a long but very sincere speech which, reports Seven, deeply touched the hearts of Rotarians.

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President A.Z. and his party are in Australia, attending the Pacific Regional Conference Committee meetings, after which he will come to Hong Kong where he will attend our Charity Ball on December 6.

### At Rotary Last Week

**T**HE Honourable Ngan Shing-Kwan, Managing Director of the China Motor Bus Co. Ltd., became the first Hon. Member of our Club last Wednesday, when he received his regular Club Badge at our weekly luncheon meeting at the Winner House.

Conferring the honour on the Hon. Member, President Ron Bennett paid high tribute to Mr. Ngan Shing-Kwan (who will be known to us by his Club name "S. K.") for his unselfish and valuable services to the community.

Receiving the badge, S. K. thanked our Club for the cordial welcome and honour extended to him to become the first Hon. Member of our Club and pledged that he would attend our regular meetings whenever possible to enjoy our fellowship and would also contribute whatever he could towards maintaining the Ideals of Rotary which, he said, our Club has been truly upholding since its Charter. He took the opportunity to congratulate us for the fine programme which we have mapped out for our maiden community service project.

It may be recalled that S. K. had been for many years a member of the Hong Kong Club and later most regrettably resigned his membership due to the fact that he could not keep up his attendance requirements on account of heavy public duties. As an Hon. Member, S. K. is exempted from the attendance requirements.

In public life, S. K. is an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council, Unofficial Justice of the Peace, Deputy Chairman of Alice Ho Miu Ling Nethersole Hospital and Committee of Hong Kong War Memorial Fund, and Vice-President of Hong Kong Society for the Protection of Children.

At the same meeting, Rtns. Y. C. Fogg and Fred Tan were elected Directors of our Club to succeed Rtns. Ben Lee and Seven S. C. Shih—the latter two recently resigned due to pressure of work and extended leave on business from Hong Kong. The Club has also appointed Rtn. Y. C. Fogg to be Chairman of both the Fellowship and Classification Committees, and Rtn. Fred Tan, Chairman of the Membership Committee.

President Ron exchanged our barnette with that of the Rotary Club of Point Loma, San Diego,

### 130 DONATION PRIZES

A total of 130 prizes will be available for distribution among lucky Donation Ticket holders. The drawing of the lucky numbers will take place at our forthcoming Charity Ball at The Ritz on Tuesday, December 6.

Among the prizes will be one A-30 Austin car, one 7.7-cu-ft Hot point refrigerator, one Cathay Pacific Airways roundtrip passage ticket to Manila, and one ladies' gold wrist watch.

U.S.A., while Acting Sergeant-at-Arms led those present to mark the birthday anniversaries of Rtns. Jimmy Wu and Marsh Stayner. Due to his absence in Japan, the birthday cake for Marsh was received Rtn. Henry Chang.

Instead of giving a vocation talk on Beverage, Rtn. Conway Chau showed us a most interesting colour film on "Refreshment Through The Years", which was produced by Coca-Cola Corporation. The film told of the desire to satisfy one's thirst through drinking the natural source—water—up to the present world when how carbonated refreshment industry was developed and improved.

After thanking Rtn. Conway, President Ron adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, coupled with which was the Rotary Club of Point Loma, San Diego.

### Attendance

Of our 29 members, 24 attended our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on November 23, representing 82.8% as follows:

Members present	24
.. on leave	2
.. absent (Marsh Stayner)	1
.. absence excused (Edwin Tao & Brig Young)	2
Total	29

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. Sam Blasker	Point Loma, San Diego, USA
.. P. Y. Koo	Hong Kong

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## Charity Ball Arrangement

The following arrangements have been decided at yesterday's (Monday) meeting of the Annual Ball Committee:

*Recreation of Tables:* To be taken care of on December 1 and 2 at the Gloucester Arcade, commencing at 10 a.m. throughout the day until 5.30 p.m. It will be on the first come, first serve basis.

*Ferry Service:* Yaumati vehicular ferry will extend its service to 2 a.m. on Tuesday, December 6.

*Drinks:* Drinks in bottles may be obtained from our own counter in the lobby of The Ritz against cash payments.

## Other Clubs' Meetings

**HONG KONG:** Rtn. John L. Marden gave a vocation talk on commercial investment in Hong Kong, in which he said the secret for successful buying of shares was "Keep your money in the bank and wait till the market falls again because one thing that is certain, what goes up must come down". His additional tips are "If your future is with Hong Kong, buy shares without any outside interests. You cannot go far wrong with the utilities as long as Hong Kong continues as it is doing now." He also advised to deal with land (realty), shipping and bank shares. (*Editor's advise: If you deal in shares, please take Rtn. John's advise but don't forget to make contributions to the Red Box of the Hong Kong and our own Club.*)

**KOWLOON:** A business meeting was held to further fellowship among its members and to discuss Club affairs.

**ISLAND WEST:** A talk on "Chinese Chow Analects" was given by Mr. Chan Mong-yan, Chief Editor of the *Sing Tao Jih Pao*.

In his talk, Mr. Chan spoke of the art of courses in Chinese food and criticised the present-day courses which were usually served at feasts.

## Develop Our Resources!

**T**HE Board of Directors of our Club at its latest meeting decided to expand our membership and to encourage every member to look into possibilities of introducing "new blood" into our Club as worthy Rotarians.

It may be recalled that one of the most impressive things about the Golden Anniversary celebration was the realization that so much Rotary service had been accomplished in the first fifty years. With that as a background, President A. Z. Baker has given to Rotary clubs and Rotarians for 1955-56 the challenge: "Develop Our Resources."

Rotary has begun its second fifty years with a decided advantage. Instead of four men, with a new, untried idea, more than 400,000 Rotarians now profess to believe in an Ideal of Service which has stood the test of time.

This world-wide membership represents a vast potential. It staggers the imagination to think what might be accomplished in the next fifty years if that potential can be used to the maximum. Rotary has the resources!

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

**HONG KONG (Tuesday):**

*Speaker:* Rtn. S. C. Smith

*Subject:* Seafaring

**KOWLOON (Thursday):**

*Speaker:* Mr. J. Liao

*Subject:* Modern Architecture in Brazil

**ISLAND WEST (Friday):**

*Speaker:* Mr. M. K. Lau

*Subject:* Chinese Puppet Show—accompanied by demonstration

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**A** DELEGATION of Rotarians and Rotarians from the Island West and Tak Airport Clubs of Baker, of Rotarian, and Rotarian.

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## HONG KONG WELCOME R. I. PRESIDENTIAL VISIT

**A** DELEGATION of more than 30 Rotarians and Rotary-Annes representing the Rotary Clubs of Hong Kong, Macao, Kowloon, Island West and Island East were at the Kai Tak Airport today to welcome President A. Z. Baker, of Rotary International, his Rotary-Anne, Cornelia, and Mr. Karl Krueger, Editor of *The Rotarian*.

The Presidential party, accompanied by President Jerry O'Donnell of the Hong Kong Club who flew to Bangkok yesterday to escort them, arrived at Kai Tak shortly after 12 noon today by Pan-American World Airways.

When they alighted from the plane, Mrs. G. E. Marden, Rotary-Anne of Past R.I. Director Gen, presented a bouquet of flowers to Cornelia, while Rtn. Jerry introduced each of the welcoming delegation to the distinguished visitors, after which President A. Z. and Mr. Krueger were escorted to the launch, "Phoenix, The 2nd", while local Rotary-Annes accompanied Rotary's First Lady to the Peninsula Hotel for lunch.

At the time the *Tung Feng* went to press, the "Phoenix, The 2nd", made available by Past President Dr. Li Shu-Fan, was proceeding to Blake Pier, whence the party will journey to the

Paramount Ball to attend the regular weekly luncheon meeting of the Hong Kong Club.

Among those who greeted the Presidential party at Kai Tak were Rtn. and Mrs. Fung Ping-Fan, Rtn. and Mrs. Ray Picciotto, Mrs. G. E. Marden and Rtns. Li Shu-Fan and Gin D. Su, of the Hong Kong Club; Rtn. Sydney Chen, of the Macao Club; Rtn. and Mrs. O. F. Hamilton, Rtn. and Mrs. A. J. Stoyner, and Rtns. O. Sadick, Dadlani and Harry Harilca, of the Kowloon Club; Rtn. and Mrs. C. N. Li, Rtn. and Mrs. T. Y. Lo, Rtn. and Mrs. Henry To and Rtn. Henry Tang, of the Island West Club; Rtn. and Mrs. Ron Bennett, Rtn. and Mrs. Henry Chang, and Rtns. John Yuen, Bill Nichol and Jimmy Wu, of the Island East Club.

President A. Z. and his party will attend our Charity Ball tonight and will continue the Rotary tour to Taipei tomorrow morning, thence to Tokyo before returning to the United States. They left America on November 10 and since then have visited Hawaii, Australia (where A. Z. attended the Pacific Regional Conference Committee meetings), New Zealand, Indonesia, Singapore, Federation of Malaya, the Philippines and Thailand.

According to tentative arrangements made

by Administrative Adviser Charlie Wei, President A. Z. and his party while in Taipei will make courtesy calls on President and Madame Chiang Kai-shek and Governor C. K. Yen and attend a joint meeting of Taiwan Clubs on Thursday evening (Dec. 8).

### At Rotary Last Week

**T**HE responsibility of a Rotarian to his Club and to his community was outlined in great detail by Founder President John Yuen at our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on November 30.

It is earnestly hoped that as a result of John's informative and inspiring talk, our Club's attendance record which has been of late on the decline, and fellowship among our members will be greatly improved in future.

After thanking John for his inspiring talk, President Ron Bennett adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, coupled with which was the Rotary Club of Portgolf, Miss., U.S.A.

The text of Rtn. John's talk on "A Rotarian's Responsibility to His Club and Community" follows:

"It should be clearly recognized that to be a Rotarian is a great privilege. If you are a Rotarian, better recognition is usually accorded to you among business and social circles. However, you should not overlook that greatness or high position calls for responsibilities. In other words, the privilege which a Rotarian enjoys, also carries with it corresponding obligations to his club, and to his community.

"When we join a Rotary Club, we should understand that Rotary is a voluntary association of businessmen chosen according to vocational classifications and dedicated to the ideal of service not in mere words but in actual deeds.

"Also we should realize that the emblem of Rotary is a wheel. It is a strong geared wheel, designed for service and heavy duty. It is not an ordinary rubber-tired wheel for easy riding, because Rotary carries no idle passengers, but is formed by a strong membership of willing workers.

"Personally, I feel that a man should not become affiliated with a club until he has obtained a clear idea of its origin and purpose.

"Now let me discuss briefly the club service in relation to a Rotarian's duties. First comes the problem of classifications and membership. The Rotary's membership plan is rather unique. To make a Rotary Club a true representative

## OUR CHARITY BALL

The following information may be useful to those attending the Charity Ball at The Ritz tonight:

1. **NO BADGES:** Rotarians, Rotary-Wives and all guests are not required to wear badges.

2. **RIBBONS:** Members of the Annual Ball Committee will wear red ribbons and render whatever services are required by fellow Rotarians and guests.

3. **DRINKS:** You may obtain drinks in bottles from our own counter in the lobby at The Ritz against cash payment at usual retail prices.

4. **FERRY SERVICE:** Yaumatei vehicular ferry will extend its service to 2 a.m. and those residing in Kowloon will have ample time catch the 2 a.m. ferry if they leave The Ritz at 1.45 a.m.

cross-section of the community, its membership is selected on the basis of one active member from each recognized business or profession in the community. This distinction naturally calls for high responsibilities.

"While in Rotary we invite candidates to join our Club and do not accept members at their request, we should be cautious in admitting new members. We should carefully investigate their character, business and social standings. Also we should find out whether a proposed member has an active interest in Rotary, whether he is willing to attend all weekly meetings and whether he is prepared to sacrifice part of his time to co-operate in carrying our Rotary services. If such requirements were not positively met, it would not be strange to find certain members backing out before long, after they have been admitted.

"Despite the said precautions, I presume many of us feel that this club requires more manpower to share the burden of four Rotary services, club, vocational, community, and international. Especially when this club needs more hands and money to manage and finance the club and community services, an urgent extension of membership should be pursued. We need more new blood, and we want more members to share and lighten our individual financial obligations to our club and community.

"Recently we have requested the Hongkong Club to concede more territory to us by extending our boundary line from Tonnochy Road to Arsenal Street. Happily this request has been granted and further sanctioned by our Administrative Adviser, Charlie Wei.

"With such extension, we hope more new members could be drawn into our club in the

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very near future. So let us look out for possibilities of sponsoring new candidates to fill up available classifications. However, in sponsoring a new member, it should be understood that a candidate must be an executive of a business or profession in which he should occupy 60% of his time and that his headquarters of operation must be located within our club territory.

"Now comes the important duty of a Rotarian in his attendance. Different from other organizations, regular attendance is one of the requirements of membership in Rotary. Rotary stresses attendance, because it recognizes that in order to become and to remain a Rotarian, a member must experience the fellowship, and that close friendly contact could be best obtained through the weekly meetings.

"In other words, attendance is not only an obligation of every Rotarian, but it also provides for an education in Rotary. Every member should be warned that his absence from four consecutive weekly meetings without excuse or his semi-annual attendance of less than 60% shall automatically terminate his membership.

"It is rather disappointing to hear that the attendance record of this club is dropping and I hope better efforts will be exercised on the part of our members to attend weekly meetings and that some attendance promotion will be carried out by the attendance committee.

"At this point, may I remind the present officers that they should present a silk ribbon to all 100 percenters of the annual attendance last year, in order to set an example of better attendance for our members to follow.

"Besides attending weekly meetings, every member should participate in the fellowship. I presume you all realize that fellowship is the motivating force of Rotary: without it, a club will become lifeless. To develop this fellowship, members must become acquainted with each other.

"Try to consider your club as your home and treat your fellow members as one of your family. Promote more social functions to develop friendly acquaintances, such as picnics, ladies night, and Charity Balls. Be reminded that Rotary is not a mere luncheon club. It is a club from which you should at least get the fellowship as your reward while you are contributing your time and money as your unselfish service to your club and community.

"Speaking of money, I wish to say something about our club dues, and contributions. Inasmuch as your directors try not to overburden you with financial responsibility, it is the duty of every member to pay his club dues and contributions, in order that the club and community services can be efficiently carried out.

## THIS WEEK'S

programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):

Fellowship Meeting to welcome R.I. President A. Z. Baker. Specially arranged Chinese lunch will be served.

Kowloon (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Prof. Hans J. Morgenthau, Professor of Political Science, University of Chicago.

*Subject:* Conduct of American Foreign Policy

ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Mr. D. R. W. Alexander, M.B.E.

*Subject:* Cyrenaica

"It is a healthy sign that several members of this club have voiced their views on the uncomfortable burden that they are shouldering. I know your directors have seriously considered your view points and have decided not to make the club too expensive for its members. Though they could not provide certain members with special financial exemption, it would be regrettable to lose a member just because of his financial inability.

"Please bear in mind that Rotarians enjoy equality in privileges as well as in contributions. Rotary welcomes collective effort of its members. Each little contribution given by its members is a great asset to the club.

"On the other hand, it is proper to call your attention that on many occasions, more contributions are collected from non-rich members than from millionaires and more work for the club has been rendered by the most busy members. We should know that nearly all Rotarians are business executives, concurrently the leaders of the community and they are most of the time very busy.

"It is not the Rotarian spirit to grudge, but try your best to serve your club either as an officer, a director, or a committee member. Please remember that an ordinary member is just as important as the president of a club, because the success of a club depends on the effort of all its members.

"So much for the club service in relation to the Rotarian's individual responsibility, now let me discuss with you a Rotarian's duty to his community service. To understand the community service of a club, we must first survey and find out the best and urgent need of the community according to our financial means and our administrative abilities. By financial means, I mean a club should not endorse a project, unless it is prepared and willing to assume all or a definite part of the financial responsibility to complete it.

"Every Rotary Club should have some community service activity which, in my opinion, should again require the collective action of its members. After long and strenuous deliberation last year, we decided to devote our community project on a school for the deaf at Causeway Bay.

## DECEMBER PROGRAMME

Three members of the Hong Kong Club will address us at the remaining three weekly meetings of our Club during December.

- December 14: Rtn. S. H. Paug, Secretary General of the Chinese Y.M.C.A., will talk on "The Needs of Youth".
- " 21: Rtn. F. S. Temple, Dean of St. John's Cathedral, will give us a Christmas talk.
- " 28: Rtn. John Marden will speak on "Commercial Investment".

"The choice is a good one, because there are thousands of deaf children in this colony who require urgent assistance. We are grateful to the Hong Kong Government for the grant of 4,900 square feet on Hing Fat Street adjacent to the Victoria Park, because it is a beautiful site worth over half a million dollars.

"In view of the fact that this club is a young and small club with no more than 30 members, we should feel gratified that last year we had already built up a good community service fund to initiate this worthy project. It is also encouraging this year that the Charity Ball committee under the chairmanship of Rtn. Jimmy Wu is working equally hard.

"We are fully aware of certain objections raised by several members in regard to the purchase of a car for the first prize of the raffle of this coming ball. Since the proposal was voted upon and approved by the majority of our members, the purchase becomes justifiable in the hope of increasing the sale of donation tickets.

"More sales of donation tickets mean more income to the community service fund; thereby reducing the financial commitments of our members. However, in future, policy can be so formed that the differences of opinion of our members can be happily avoided.

"I wish every member will give their best co-operation and help the wheel of his club turn smoothly, upholding the Rotary motto, "Service above self".

## Other Clubs' Meetings

**HONG KONG CLUB:** Adventure at sea during his early life in a square rigged ship sailing from France to South America was vividly related by Rtn. Sam Smith, who started his seafaring career as early as 14 years of age. Immediate Past President W. A. Peardell who returned from home leave last Monday, was given a warm welcome by the members who greeted him with cheers and applause at the meeting.

**KOWLOON CLUB:** The charm and diversity of modern architecture in Brazil today is second to no other country, said Mr. J. Leao, Brazilian Consul-General. Ahead of all other countries in modern architecture within the last 25 years, Mr. Leao said Brazilian architects today had transformed the most strictly utilitarian architectural programme into plastic expressions of the purest refinement without harming in the least the functional concepts of the work to be done.

**ISLAND WEST CLUB:** Three puppet shows were presented by students of the North Point Government School.

Mr. M. K. Lau, Headmaster of the School, stressed the importance of the educational value of puppet shows for children and spoke of their advantages and disadvantages over dramas for children.

## Attendance

Twenty-four of our 29 members participated in our last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House on November 30, representing 82.8% as follows.

Members present	24
" on leave	2
" absent (Speaker Chan, Marsh Stayner and H. C. Yang)	3
Total	29

## VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. D. S. Hill	Hong Kong
" John Bell	Golfport, Miss., U.S.A.

## VISITORS

Mr. K. S. Anyang	Rtn. Henry Chang
" T. K. Chang	"
" Li Chung Sang	Rtn. John Bell
" G. S. Stokes	" Ben Lee

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**DECEMBER 13, 1955**

## MOST SUCCESSFUL ROTARY CHARITY BALL

**T**HANKS to the whole-hearted support of our fellow Clubs, especially our twin-brother (West Club), our Second Annual Charity Ball held at The Ritz last Tuesday, December 6, was financially the most successful. Quoting Chairman Jimmy Wu, President Ron Bennett said that although the final figures have yet to be worked out, the proceeds might show a record figure for any Rotary Ball in the past.

With the presence of Rotary's "First Family" and the Editor of *The Rotarian*, the brilliant function was the most memorable and historical event in the annals of local Rotary.

The Presidential party, accompanied by Kowloon Rotarians, arrived punctually at 8 p.m. and was greeted by President Ron and Chairman Jimmy.

After signing the register for himself and his Rotary-Anne, Cornelia, President A. Z. stood at the entrance of the Ballroom for nearly 45 minutes to be introduced by Vice-President Henry Chang to fellow members, their wives and guests before joining the official guests for cocktails.

Seated at the official table with President Ron and Mrs. Dick Bennett were President A. Z. and Mrs. Cornelia Baker, Rtn. Karl Kraeger, Mrs. Dorothy Marden, Rtn. and Mrs. C. T.

Wang, the Hon. and Mrs. T. L. Bowring, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. M. Morrison, the Hon. and Mrs. Ngan Shing-Kwan, Rtn. and Mrs. Arthur Woo, Rtn. and Mrs. Li Shu-Fan, Mr. and Mrs. W. Szeto, President and Mrs. Lee Po-tin (Macao), President and Mrs. Jim Moodie (Kowloon), President and Mrs. C. N. Li (Island West), President Jerry O'Donnell (Hong Kong) and Miss Helen Hindmarsh.

The function was opened by Chairman Jimmy with a brief talk outlining the plans of our Club's first community service project—the Rotary School for the Deaf—followed by President Ron's welcome message.

Master of Ceremonies, Rtn. Pat Cha, who most ably performed his duties, introduced President A. Z. who praised us, in his brief but encouraging speech, for our efforts towards serving our community, after which Rtn. C. T., the "Father" of Rotary movement in China, presented a souvenir on behalf of the five Clubs in this area to President A. Z., and Mrs. Dick Bennett presented a bouquet of flowers to Mrs. Baker.

The souvenir was a 16-layer ivory ball on a 12-inch ivory stand on which was the inscription of the names of R.I. President A. Z. and Mrs. Cornelia Baker and the Rotary Clubs of Hong Kong, Macao, Kowloon, Island West and East.

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HENRY CHANG

Next Meeting: December 14, 1955  
Speaker: Rtn. S. H. Pang  
Subject: The Needs of Youth

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## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

### HONG KONG (Tuesday):

*Speaker:* Rtn. G. M. Hughes

*Subject:* The Most Human Business in the World—a vocational talk on life insurance

### KOWLOON (Thursday):

*Speaker:* Dr. Densley Browning

*Subject:* Trachoma

### ISLAND WEST (Friday):

*Speaker:* Mr. Chiu Yiu-Wah

*Subject:* Chinese Wine Industry

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The entertainment programme for the evening included a ribbon dance by Miss Ma Ching-lin and a Chinese palace dance by 12 lady teachers of Y.W.C.A. under the direction of Mrs. D. Y. Lin.

The drawing of lucky winners of the donation tickets was performed by Dorothy, Rotary-Anne of Past R.I. Director Gem Marden.

The function ended at 2 a.m.

## A. Z. And His 21 Hrs. In HK

**A**SSISTED by the world's most understanding Rotary-Anne, Cornelia, who like her husband has dedicated herself to the "Ideal of Service", President A. Z. (Albert Zachariah) of Rotary International fully utilized his 21-hour stopover in Hong Kong to get acquainted with fellow Rotarians, and their families as well as to learn for himself more about the Rotary movement in Hong Kong.

He brought to Hong Kong the most cheerful Christmas gift of Rotary through his charming personality, warm fellowship, and inspiring and sincere speeches which all deeply moved the hearts of fellow members. He has likewise carried along with him wherever he goes the Rotary spirit and the immeasurable contributions of local Rotarians towards the community and international service.

Upon landing at Kai Tak from Bangkok via PAA shortly after 12 noon last Tuesday, A. Z. was escorted to the Hong Kong Club, where he awarded 100% attendance ribbons to 11 Hong Kong members and spoke of his admiration for the way that local Clubs had set about in dealing with the Colony's problems and for the won-

derful amount of charitable work they had done and were doing.

He said, in part: "You can say that a thought can lead to an act; an act can lead to a habit; a habit can lead to a character; and a character can lead to a destiny . . . Paul Harris had a thought. The thought was just 'fellowship.' But it led to an act—the starting of Rotary. Rotary is a habit. It affects over 420,000 members of every race, creed, and religion in 8,877 clubs throughout the world. This has led to the character of Rotary—the character of International Goodwill and the bettering of understanding between peoples.

"It is our destiny to have created a world-wide fellowship with members coming from many different nationalities, religions, races and cultures, meeting in fellowship around the Rotary table. It is our destiny in the world to increase understanding between men and goodwill between nations."

A. Z. said that the Clubs in Hong Kong personified this international goodwill. In his travels, he found he was going Eastward to get to the West and Westward to get to the East, but there was no East and West where Rotarians met.

In reply, Rtn. Dr. C. T. Wang (a Past R.I. Vice-President) thanked President A. Z. for his inspiring talk and wished him and his Rotary-Anne a happy stay in Hong Kong and back to his home country Westward with the Eastward thinking.

After the luncheon meeting, Rtn. Ray Picciotto accompanied A. Z. to the office of Past R.I. Director Gem Marden, where they had a long talk about the Rotary movement in the Colony, before going on a sight-seeing tour and returning to his hotel well after 5.30 p.m. to join Cornelia who had been taken on a shopping and sight-seeing tour during the afternoon by several Rotary-Annes.

The "First Couple" of Rotary retired to change and were escorted by Kowloon Rotarians an hour later to board Rtn. Dr. Li Shu-Fai's yacht, the "Phoenix, The Second", for a cruise in the harbour to see the beautiful night scene of Hong Kong. They landed at Fenwick Pier and drove to The Ritz to attend our 2nd Annual Charity Ball.

In the course of his address at the Ball, President A. Z. left this suggestion: "Reach Out To Advance Rotary Yourself." The first letters in the phrases spelled out R-o-t-a-r-y.

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## SECOND ANNUAL CHARITY BALL



R.I. President A. Z. Baker, accompanied by his Rotary-Anne, Cornelia, and Rtn. Karl Krueger, editor of *The Rotarian*, paid a "hurricane" visit to Hong Kong on December 6-7. During his 21-hour stopover here, A. Z. attended the regular meeting of the Hong Kong Club and the Charity Ball of the Island East Club.

Photos show (top by *New Life Evening Post*); a delegation of 35 Rotarians and Rotary-Annes welcoming them on their arrival from Bangkok on Dec. 6; (top and lower left by Salon Photo Supply) the R.I. President signing the Visiting Rotarians' Register and sharing the admiration of the Rotary Wheel made of ice with Cornelia and Mrs. Lee Po-Tin at the Charity Ball; and (lower right by CAT-PRO) before boarding the CAT plane for Taipei on Dec. 7.



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# AT THE CHARITY BALL

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A. Z. thanks the five Clubs after receiving a 16-layer ivory ball from Rtn. Dr. C. T. Wang.



President Ron Bennett welcomes fellow Rotarians, Rotary-Annes and distinguished guests attending the Charity Ball.



President Bennett performs a magic trick, explaining to A. Z. and Cornelia the intricately carved ivory ball by expert Chinese craftsmen.



Rotary's "First Couple" at cocktails with Rtn. C. T. Wang and President and Mrs. Lee Po-Fin of Macao.



Cornelia expresses her gratitude after being presented with a bouquet of flowers by Mrs. Ron Bennett.



A. Z. chats with our Hon. Member, the Hon. Ngan Shing-Kwan, while Rtn. Anne Dorothy Marden introduces Cornelia to other Rotary Annes.



Ball Committee Chairman Jimmy Wu speaks on our community service project - the Rotary School for the Deaf.



At the official opening of the Department of Education, Rtn. C. T. Wang (left) and President Ron Bennett (right) are joined by Rtn. L. L. Bowring, Chairman of the Department, and Rtn. A. Z. and Mrs. Bennett.

# AT THE CHARITY BALL

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President Ron Bennett is performing a magician's act. He was, in fact, explaining to A. Z. and Cornelia how the 16-layer ivory ball was intricately crafted by expert Chinese craftsman.



A. Z. chats with President Ron Bennett, Vice-President Henry Chang and Hon. Secretary Bill Nichol.



A. Z. shakes hands with Mrs. Lo, while her husband, Rtn. K. S. of the Island West Club looks on.



At the official table (left to right) the Hon. Director of Public Works Department, Cornelia, President Ron Bennett, Mrs. Bowring, R.I. President A. Z. and Rtn. C. T. Wang (facing the camera) and left.



Rtn. Ben Lee reads out the first prize number of Donation Tickets after it was drawn by Dorothy, Rotary-Aime of Past R.I. Director Gen. Marden.



President Jerry O'Donnell (HK) with his charming friend, Miss Helen Hindmarsh.



President and Mrs. Roy Bennett.



Rotary-Anne Dorothy Marden with Rtn. Karl Krueger, editor of *The Kotorian*.



Hong Kong Club's foursome: Rtns. L. P. Kwok and Celia Ure and their Rotary-Annes.



Hon. Secretary Bill Nichol interests Rotary Foundation Fellow Bill Moore in his "finger" games.

President Jim Moodie (Kin) with Rotary-Anne Dorothy Marden.



Rtn. and Mrs. Jack M. Eng.

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## CONGRATULATIONS

TWO Rotarians are among the 28 local residents who received the insignia of decorations and awards conferred upon them by H.M. the Queen in the Birthday Honours. The presentations were made during a colourful ceremony at Government House last Wednesday by H.E. the Governor, Sir Alexander Grantham.

The Rotarians are The Hon. Ngan Shing-Kwan, Hon. Member of the Island East Club, who received the OBE (Civil) honour, and Rtn. H. C. Fung, Founder President of the Island West Club, who was awarded a Certificate of Honour.

"You can reach up for ideals and reach down with a helping hand to those in need," he said. He said "Island East" was doing both in its efforts to build a school for the deaf in Causeway Bay.

"I like to see a man who lives in such a way," he said, recalling Abraham Lincoln, "that not only is he proud of the place in which he lives, but the community is proud of him."

Again Island East was filling the bill—Hong Kong could be proud of the service the Club was giving, he added.

Speaking for herself at the Ball, Rotary-Anne Cornelia asked all to excuse her for having to take away her husband from the enjoyable function so early as she has promised R.I. directors that she would look after A. Z. during their world-wide travels.

She told the gathering that "since meeting my husband and my subsequent exposure to Rotary I know my best gift to help Rotary—which is wonderful thing—is to keep him ticking."

Quoting her personal rule for all Rotary-Annes, she said "This way you find your own happiness in his happiness. Keep him free to do his great work as a Rotarian."

Accompanied by Rtn. Karl Krueger, the Editor of *The Rotarian*, who is travelling around the world with them, President A. Z. and Cornelia left The Ritz shortly before mid-night and were back at Kai Tak early Wednesday morning to be sent off by a number of local Rotarians to board a CAT plane at 9 a.m. for Taipei, where they had two full days of Rotary activities.

## The Lucky Numbers

THE first prize—an A-30 Austin car—of our Charity Ball's Donation Tickets was won by Mr. R. H. Wang, of 415, China Building, the holder of ticket No. 743. The second prize—a 7.7 cu.-ft. Hotpoint refrigerator—went to ticket No. 12738, the holder being one of Rtn. Dr. Arthur Woo's daughters.

Our Administrative Adviser Charlie T. F. Wei, who donated \$20, drew two prizes—a piece of ladies' silk dress material (ticket No. 1908) and four Coca-Cola tumblers, one lighter and one tray (ticket No. 2075).

All the prizes may be obtained from Hon. Secretary Bill Nichol, of Metro Cars (H.K.) Ltd., 121, King's Road, before January 6, 1956.

For the convenience of fellow Rotarians and their friends, *Tung Fung* publishes below a complete list of the lucky numbers with the prize numbers in parenthesis:

77 -- (11)	9043 -- (80)	17301 -- (86)
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## At Rotary Last Week

It was the first time in our Club's history that we had a lady speaker at our last regular luncheon meeting at Winner House on December 7. She was a young classical Chinese painter, Miss Katherine W. H. Wu, who spoke of her experience in learning and appreciating Chinese pictorial art and of the mood and methods through which a Chinese painter expresses himself.

She demonstrated her painting of a bamboo stalk, which she generously donated to our Club, and which was auctioned for \$100 to Hon. Secretary Bill Nichol.

Rtn. John Yuen thanked the speaker, after which President Ron Bennett adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary Clubs the world over.

The Hong Kong Club most appropriately held a fellowship meeting to welcome R.I. President A. Z. Baker and Rtn. Karl Kraeger, the Editor of *The Rotarian*, with a 22-course Chinese lunch. On behalf of H.K. Club, A. Z. awarded 100% attendance ribbons for 1954/55 Year to Rtns. Daniel Au, B. C. Field, Guy Harden, Alfred Ho, J. C. Hsia, Alim P. Jagtiani, P. Y. Koo, L. P. Kwok, George Lin, Ray Picciotto and D. P. Sarin. Rtn. Joe Bao (Island East) was also given a 100% attendance ribbon by the Hong Kong Club.

The regular meeting of the Kowloon Club was addressed by Dr. Hans J. Morgenthau, Professor of Political Science from the University of Chicago who spoke on "The influence of domestic politics on U.S. foreign policy with special reference to China". Mr. D. R. W. Alexander, Chief Asst. Social Welfare Officer, spoke on Cyrenaica in Africa at the Island West Club meeting.

## Attendance

Of our 29 members, 24 attended our last regular meeting at Winner House on December 7, representing 82.8% as follows:

Member present	24
.. on leave	2
.. absent (Marsh Stayner & Brig Young)	2
.. absence excused (K. S. Chang)	1
Total	29

There was no visiting Rotarian at this meeting.

## VISITORS

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Miss Katherine Wu	Guest Speaker
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## The Rotarian—A Good Asset

*The Rotarian* is a good asset to Rotary International; though it is a non-profit publication, it has brought a considerable financial contribution to Rotary during its 45 years of existence—only two years (1948 and 1949) were in the red slightly.

This was told to *Tung Feng* by Editor Karl Kraeger, before he took off for Taipei last Wednesday with R.I. President A. Z. and Mrs. Cornelia Baker. Karl is the first editor of *The Rotarian* taken on a world tour by any R.I. President.

A member of the Rotary Club of Winnetka, Illinois, since 1947, Rtn. Karl is one of a dozen persons in the world who holds a minor classification of Rotary International under the major classification of Associations. Although his classification entitles him to exemption of attendance requirements, Karl has nevertheless a record of 100% attendance since he became a member of the worldwide organization.

To put out 340,000 copies of *The Rotarian* and 40,000 copies of *Revista Rotaria* (the Spanish edition) each issue, Rtn. Karl said that his staff members have to go through about 3,000 to 5,000 letters, 400 manuscripts and 30 Club speeches every month. In addition, they have to choose the magazines' cover subjects from among 5,000 transparencies every year.

Karl further said that the Magazine Division of Rotary International has an annual budget of US\$900,000 and uses 100 carloads of paper, which if lined up equals a 1½ mile train for producing *The Rotarian* and *Revista Rotaria* each year.

Rtn. Karl said that upon his return to R.I. Headquarters in Chicago, he will do a story for *The Rotarian* on the Silver Mine Bay Camp, sponsored by the Hong Kong Club for underprivileged children. He invites stories of Rotary interest from any fellow member in this area for publication in *The Rotarian* so that the magazine can have a more international coverage.

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## ROTARY AND YOUTH SERVICE

**S**ERVICE to youth could be achieved best by working with youth instead of working for youth, because the latter practice would leave youth with nothing to do but enjoy what has been done for them thereby creating a situation which could contribute to poor citizenship attitudes at the very least.

This was the opinion expressed by Rtn. S. H. Pang, of the Hong Kong Club who is Secretary General of the Chinese Y.M.C.A., last Wednesday, when he spoke on "Service to Youth" at our regular weekly meeting at Winner House.

After being introduced by Past President John Yuen, Rtn. S. H. said that instead of talking on the original subject "The Needs of Youth" which was too big a topic to discuss, he would speak on "Service to Youth" in line with Rotary's "Ideal of Service" principles.

Service to youth presented a serious challenge to Rotary service programme, said S. H. He added *inter alia*: "What can we do what is more important to ourselves and the future than to assist and guide our young people—helping to create, through the youth of our own community, a cleaner, healthier, happier, and more intelligent manhood for the future? To-morrow's

world depends on moral and physical standards of young people today.

"Youth to-day has greater freedom, exercises greater power, speaks more frankly, and has more opportunities for both good and evil than it has ever had. How important it is that these great possibilities for good be realized and developed!

"Service to youth is one of the most interesting and worthwhile fields of activity that can be undertaken by Rotary Clubs and Rotarians.

The results are of inestimable value. Such service is not merely the selection and operation of a project, or the formulation of a programme for youth—it is the building of character and citizenship in the individual boy and girl through carefully selected and directed activities.

"Objectives of service to youth, approved by the Board of Directors of Rotary International as guides for the Youth Committee of Rotary International and as suggestions for Rotary clubs, have helped us to 'set our sights' on local conditions. They are:

"1. The acquisition of a practical knowledge and understanding of urban and rural conditions and factors affecting youth in the process of their development to maturity.

Next Meeting: December 21, 1955  
Speaker: Rtn. F. S. Temple, Dean of St. John's Cathedral  
Subject: Christmas Programme

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## MERRY CHRISTMAS

The Editor of *Tung Feng* wishes to convey his sincerest greetings for a Very Merry Christmas to all Rotarians and their families in Hong Kong.

"2. The recognition of the importance to youth of (a) physical health, (b) well-rounded education, (c) cultivation of spiritual qualities, (d) wise choice of vocation, and (e) thorough vocational preparation.

"3. The encouragement of activities pertaining to youth on the part of Rotary clubs and individual Rotarians for which they are best qualified, and through which they can render the greatest service.

"4. The stimulation of good citizenship in youth through a recognition of the responsibilities owed by the individual to the community by which alone the privileges of membership in it can be preserved.

"5. The development in the minds of youth of a better understanding of world affairs, and the promotion of right attitudes toward the peoples of other countries as well as their own.

"6. The promotion of ways and means of (a) effecting personal contacts of Rotarians with youth, and (b) effecting direct and indirect contact between the youth of different countries.

"Rotary activities in service to youth are being carried on every hour of every day throughout the world. Let us call the roll of a few of their activities:

"Occupational information, Summer camps, Clubs, hobby shows, citizenship training, athletics, physical training, recreation, parent forums, student loan funds, scholarships, essay and speaking contests, and rural youth projects.

"Rotary clubs themselves have defined the scope of Rotary's efforts in community service in this manner—a community service activity requiring the collective co-operation of all its members, in addition to its programme for the stimulation of the club members to individual service within the community.

"Service to youth is a part of Rotary's object—the application of the ideal of service. This ideal is an attitude of living that inspires positive action with thoughtfulness as its basis and helpfulness as its expression.

"But an unfortunate failing of many youth-serving activities is the tendency to make service

to youth too elaborate, to plan everything, do everything, and provide everything for boys and girls. Such programmes are in danger of defeating their own ends—and in grave danger of creating the very difficulties the activities are designed to prevent. They leave youth nothing to do but enjoy what is done for them, without making any return—a situation which can contribute to poor citizenship attitudes at the very least.

"Youth programmes, carefully organised and consistently operated, will satisfy not only Rotary club's desire to put its good intentions to practical use, but will produce a harvest of results which will more than justify the effort."

Thanking Rtn. S. H. on behalf of our Club Rtn. Y. C. Fogg said the speaker was the most appropriate person to talk on this subject as he has been a youth leader, a social worker and a member of Rotary.

Visiting Rtn. R. Knowles, Vice-President of the Jesselton Club, who had earlier at the meeting exchanged his Club's flag with that of our Club, said he fully concurred with the speaker's view and told us of the many services undertaken by his Club for the under-privileged children in their community.

President Ron Bennett adjourned the meeting with a Toast to Rotary International, associated with which was the Rotary Club of Jesselton, North Borneo.

### Attendance

Twenty-two of our 29 members participated in our last weekly meeting at Winner House on December 14, representing 75.9% as follows:

Members present	22
" on leave	2
" absent	2
(K. C. Goh & Alex Shang)	
" absence excused	3
Total	29

We missed Rtns. Pat Cha, K. S. Chang and H. C. Yang, whose absence from the above meeting was excused.

### VISITING ROTARIANS

Name	Home Club
Rtn. S. H. Paog	Hong Kong
" Henry Tang	Island West
" R. Knowles	Jesselton, N. Borneo

### VISITORS

Name	Introduced by
Mr. G. S. Stokes	Rtn. Ben Lee
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Top left: Mrs. K. C. Goh, Mrs. Jimmy Wu and Mrs. Wilson Wang giving a hand in the sale of corsages of orchids. Lower left: Miss Ma Chiu-Lin performs a Chinese Ribbon Dance. Top right: President Ron Bennett welcomes The Hon. and Mrs. T. L. Bowring. Centre right: R.I. President A. Z. with Mrs. K. C., Jimmy, Henry and Y. F.

Above: Six of the 12 lady teachers of Y.W.C.A. performing the Chinese Palace Dance.

## THIS WEEK'S . . .

. . . programmes of other fellow Clubs in the Colony are as follows:

HONG KONG (Tuesday):  
Christmas Programme

KOWLOON (Thursday):  
Christmas Programme

ISLAND WEST (Friday):  
*Speaker:* Rtn. W. V. Pennell  
*Subject:* Impressions of My Recent Trip to Europe

## Other Clubs' Meetings

HONG KONG: Rtn. Barney Hughes said that "the spirit of life insurance is like the spirit of Rotary's service to mankind" when he spoke on "The most human business in the world"—a vocational talk on life insurance.

KOWLOON: Dr. Dansey Browning, who is the director of the Kowloon Trachoma Clinic recently turned over by the Kowloon Club to Government said that thanks to the gift of this clinic by Kowloon Rotarians a start has been made towards coping with the disease here. He stated that the incidence of the disease was, fortunately, low in the Colony. Of 6,000 people checked annually about 15 per cent were found to suffer from trachoma. The disease also afflicted 10 per cent of the Colony's blind.

The important question was to educate the people about the disease which was contagious, Dr. Dansey Browning said. For this, he called for further support from Rotary and propaganda campaigns to impress people that dirt spread the disease.

ISLAND WEST: Mr. Chiu Yiu-Wah related many interesting points and facts about Chinese wine when speaking on the Chinese wine industry.

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## November Visits To Other Clubs

**S**INTEEN of our 20 members paid 58 visits to fellow Clubs in Hong Kong and in Australia during the month of November, according to figures released by Attendance Committee Chairman S. L. Yuen. Of the 58 visits, 25 were made to the Island West Club, 23 to the Hong Kong Club, eight to the Kowloon Club and one each to the Sydney and Melbourne Clubs by Rtn. Seven S. C. Shih.

Name	Club	Date Visited
Pat Cha	Hong Kong	Nov. 8
	Island West	" 11
Joe Bao	Hong Kong	" 1
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	Kowloon	" 11
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	Island West	" 11
	"	" 18
	"	" 25
Ron Bennett	Hong Kong	" 1
	"	" 15
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	"	" 29
	Kowloon	" 11
	Island West	" 4
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Seaker Chan	Island West	" 16
Henry Chang	Hong Kong	" 1
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	"	" 20
	Kowloon	" 11
	Island West	" 4
	"	" 11
Y. F. Chea	Hong Kong	" 15
	Island West	" 4
	"	" 11
	"	" 18
	"	" 25
Bill Nichol	Island West	" 11
	"	" 18
S. C. Shih	Sydney	" 1
	Melbourne	" 1
Alex Shang	Island West	" 18
Fred Tai	Hong Kong	" 15
	Island West	" 18
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K. T. Wang	Island West	" 18
Wilson Wang	Hong Kong	" 15
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John Yuen	Hong Kong	" 1
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	Island West	" 25
S. L. Yuen	Hong Kong	" 8
Brig Young	Hong Kong	" 1
	Kowloon	" 17

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Rotarian of Cathedral presented the meetings of the Island on Tuesday, respectively

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## SEASONAL SPIRIT AT ROTARY MEETINGS

**T**HE Christmas spirit and atmosphere enhanced by colourful decorations and special luncheons prevailed at the regular meetings of the four Rotary Clubs last week.

Rotarian F. S. Temple (Dean of St. John's Cathedral) provided Christmas programmes at the meetings of the Hong Kong Club (his own) and the Island East Club on Tuesday and Wednesday, respectively.

At his own Club gathering, Rtn. Fred brought along most of the choir of the Cathedral, their organist, Mr. D. B. Soul, and choir master, Miss Cecilia Cheng, who rendered a series of carols. The Dean of the Cathedral also spoke briefly on Christmas, while Rtn. Ernest Sandbach recited a most inspiring poem called "The Inn that missed its chance".

In his talk at our meeting last Wednesday, Rtn. Fred traced the historical background leading to the universal celebration of the Christmas—emphasising that with the celebration of Christ's birthday we should be reminded that "it is a challenge for us to live more fully up to the ideals of our religion as well as to the ideals of Rotary principles".

He said that if the first Christmas had happened in Hong Kong, it would have happened in the corner of a back street in Wanchai.

It was not to the powerful that Christ had come, nor to the rich that Christ had been born, nor to the brainy who juggled with ideas. It was to the poor, the refugees—that God had come down at Christmas.

The Dean said that it was not for about the first four centuries that the ancient Christian church celebrated Christmas at all. The festival at that time, celebrated with the greatest devotion, was Easter.

It was the Emperor Constantine of Rome who established the custom of celebrating the birthday of Christ.

And the date he chose was not supposed to be historical. It was fixed on the date of the winter solstice, the time of an ancient sun festival of the ancient pre-Christian world.

In the Eastern churches—the Greek church, and the Assyrian, the date of Christmas is January 6. In the Western churches, stemming from the Church of Rome, the date is December 25.

### LADIES' DAY

will take place at our regular meeting tomorrow, December 28. Rtn. K. S. Chang, who will bring several Chinese actresses and actors as his guests, will give us a vocational talk on the Chinese Motion Picture Industry in Hong Kong.

#### Other Clubs

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## ONCE AGAIN . . .

. . . best wishes to all Rotarians and their families for a Very Happy and Brighter 1956.

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The difference was simply variations in the sun and moon calendar. In the uncertain calendar of those days the date of the winter solstice was fixed at different dates in different parts of the Mediterranean—the cradle of Christendom.

Today, Easter remained a movable feast, based on the ancient Jewish moon calendar, while Christmas was a fixed feast—based on the Roman calendar worked out from the sun. Thus, Christianity traced its traditions back through two ancient lines, the Roman and the Jew.

The Dean added: "The meaning of Christmas is that Jesus came for everyone . . . that every person matters . . . that the Good News is something we must share."

"That God came down is the central fact of every true religion. But to us He came to the pure, to the hard working, and to the true.

"First He came to Mary—a simple ordinary girl whose mind and heart were clean. She did not have her mind cluttered with the things of everyday. "Then, He came to the shepherds—ordinary working men going about their jobs.

"Then, third, and only then, He came to the wise men. But they were not just clever men. They were men who saw the star and followed it right through till they found the Truth. "These are people to whom Christmas comes."

"And what is the meaning of Christmas?"

"First it brought comfort—comfort in the cold bitter time of year. In Hong Kong, perhaps, Christmas should come in the summer when the weather is bad and we are all depressed. But in Europe it comes at the sad time of year when men need cheering.

"Next, Christianity and Christmas came to all. It is part of every man's experience. Tell it to the poorest boy in Wanchai and he will not say 'Oh, I am not clever, or well born, like He.' He will say: 'Oh that is something I can understand.' Christmas is part of every man's experience," concluded the Dean.

Thanking the Dean, Hon. Secretary Bill Nichol said that we had heard at our previous meetings speeches on subjects that varied from snakes to the politics of the Philippines, but we had never before seen such a deeply absorbed audience. This silence and concentration, Bill added, was more eloquent acknowledgement of a speaker's success.

President Ron Bennett extended Christmas greetings to all, after which he adjourned this meeting with a Toast to Rotary International and singled out the Rotary Club of St. John, N.B., Canada, in particular.

### Xmas Gift To "Tram" Baby

**A**T the suggestion of Founder President John Yuen, members of our Club at last Wednesday's meeting each contributed \$2 to buy a gold bangle as a Christmas gift for a baby born in the third-class section of a tram passing through the Wanchai district earlier that morning.

John made the suggestion following the disclosure by President Ron Bennett (Traffic Superintendent of the Hong Kong Tramways Ltd.) of the birth of a baby given by a third-class woman passenger—coincident to the reference made by our speaker that if the first Christmas had happened in Hong Kong, it would have happened in the Wanchai district.

President Ron told *Tung Pong* last night (Monday) that the gold bangle, purchased at \$39, had already been presented to the mother of the "tram" baby at a hospital.

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**HONG KONG**

(Wednesday, instead of Tuesday):  
 Business Meeting

**KOWLOON (Thursday):**  
 Business Meeting

**ISLAND WEST (Friday):**

*Speakers:* Mr. G. B. W. Harrison,  
 United Kingdom Trade  
 Commissioner

*Subject:* A Trade Commissioner on  
 Holiday

**Attendance**

Of our 29 members, 22 were present at our  
 last weekly luncheon meeting at Winner House  
 on December 21, representing 75.9% as follows:

Members present . . . . .	22
" on leave . . . . .	2
" absent (Seaker Chan & Alex. Shang) . . . . .	2
" absence excused . . . . .	3
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>29</b>

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**VISITING ROTARIANS**

- Rtn. Robert Li . . . Island West
- " Henry To . . . "
- " Frank Harris . . . Hong Kong
- " F. S. Temple . . . "
- " Gene Wong . . . St. John, N.B., Canada

**Lunch on Wheels**

**T**HE Rotary Club of Zurich, Switzerland re-  
 cently held a regular weekly meeting "on  
 wheels." This successful meeting was at-  
 tended not only by members of the Rotary Club  
 of Zurich but also by their wives and some Ro-  
 tarians from nearby clubs.

A special train composed entirely of dining  
 cars left Zurich at noon and travelled to the  
 Rhine River, followed the river for some miles,  
 and then returned to Zurich two hours later.

The scenery was new to many in the party  
 inasmuch as secondary rail lines rather than main  
 lines formed the route. All dining cars were com-  
 pleted with loud-speaker equipment so that the  
 regular Rotary club meeting could be conducted  
 en route.

Is this a possibility for our club?

**The Destiny of Rotary**

**R**OTARY is in continual evolution. It has  
 undergone transformation, but in changing  
 it has retained its human appeal which grips  
 men and holds them in a fellowship of strength  
 and understanding. Today it is deeper, broader  
 and vastly more far-reaching than ever before.

The change that Rotary is continually under-  
 going is not that of the shifting sands. It is not  
 because it is aimless in purpose; but because it is  
 responsive to the aspirations and ideals of the  
 men who make up its membership. If it should  
 always do the same things, it would soon staga-  
 nate, then retrogression would follow. So  
 Rotary evolves and lives, becoming stronger at  
 every stage of its transition.

No one knows Rotary's ultimate destiny.  
 But Rotary will continue to bring men together  
 in friendship and understanding; will help to  
 broaden their outlook on life; will teach them the  
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**W**HY does Rotary insist on the classification system of choosing its membership? First of all, it is to keep Rotary from becoming a teachers association, a medical society, a legal fraternity. But most of all, it is to enable its members to take the principles of Rotary to all of the vocations. It is to make Rotary a true cross-section of the business and professional world, and through it all to create a mutual understanding between the professions. It is a wise provision. Rotary would never have attained the heights it has without the classification system.

—THE GUSHER  
Stafford, Kansas, U.S.A.

## A Cherished Possession

**W**HEN you were elected to Rotary, you were selected as the one representative of your particular classification. This gave you a very special privilege.

Likewise, it became your right each week to associate around the luncheon tables at the Rotary meeting, with men of *different* classifications, representing every conceivable service to the community.

This is not only a remarkable opportunity to meet with men of like ideals and purposes, but a veritable bureau of information and inspiration regarding all sorts of activities of men in business and professions.

No one will deny what a special privilege Rotary membership is. To make it function well, regular attendance is a prime obligation. Rotarians know it. Other people marvel at the unique setup of the organization.

Don't miss your dividend every Wednesday.

—THE WEEKLY BULLETIN  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S.A.

## Do You Know All of Them?

How well do you know your fellow Rotarians? Do you know all of them or just a few? Do you make it a practice to eat at a different table each meeting? Know your fellow Rotarians-- you will both benefit.

—ROTARY SNAPS  
Johnson City, New York, U.S.A.

## Rotary is a Fellowship

Rotary means sitting down with men and calling them "Ed" and "Bill" in a relationship you don't have across the counter of their store, in their office, or in the dentist's chair. And this, of course, is where attendance comes in. It's you that we require attendance just for a good Club record, but that the fellowship cannot be attained when you and I are not there to meet and talk and eat together.

—THE ROTOGRAM  
Lansing, Michigan, U.S.A.

## A Family of the U.S.A.

*The Rotarian* is presenting, in the January issue, the first of a series on how Rotarians live. It seemed appropriate to start the series with a Rotarian of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S.A., where the 1956 Rotary Convention will be held.

In ten pages of text and photos, readers are taken into the home, the business, the Rotary Club, and the multitude of activities of the Rotarian and his family. It's choice reading!

## Franklin Almost Invented Rotary

Benjamin Franklin, whose 250th birthday anniversary is being celebrated in January, 1956, was the founder of a club known as the Junto. Its many points of likeness to the modern service club were noted by Carl Van Doren, the late literary critic and biographer, a number of years ago. It has been reprinted in *The Rotarian* for January as a tribute to the memory of this great American diplomat and philosopher.

## You Have to Be There

**O**NE of the prime facts of Rotary existence is "You have to be there to contribute your share."

You can't be an asset to Rotary and your Club and yourself as an instrument of service if you do not attend the regular meetings of your home Club. Make-ups are fun and a traveling Rotarian can have many interesting adventures, but the real test of Rotary is "What did you contribute to your Rotary Club this week?"

—THE ROTAR-ELY.  
East York, Ontario, Canada

## MANDA

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