

— District 993 —

R.I. President: District Governor:
W. JACK DAVIS LEIGHTON PATMORE

"Serve
to
UNITE MANKIND"

Club

Weekly
Meeting

Farmers'
Tearooms

Tuesday,
12.15 p.m.

SERVICE ABOVE SELF

1977-78



WEEKLY NEWS

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The Fruit Bowl of New Zealand

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If you are unable to be present to undertake
the duty allotted to you please advise Club
Marshal Roy Batchelor, Phone 88 766.

Thursday, June 20th, 1978.

Presidents:

Speaker: Mr Don Kiffman is coming from Massey University, to tell us all about - "Massey International".

Introduction:

Our Dames: Don Haggitt

Members:

Guests: Phil May, Matt Parkhill, Bill Passon, Don Peayear.
Offices: Nigel Ross, Keith Saida.
Staff/Agency: Bruce George
Ordn: Graham Scott, Les Woodhouse.
Our Table: Gary Pike, Pat Skinner.
Representatives: Malcolm Scougall, Peter Single, Dick Spence, George Peasey

News:

Visit Wellington: 13th June, 1978.

Present 75 Misses \$0.32
Absent 25 Misses \$0.31
Attendance 70% Total \$1.83

Introduction by the Club Chairman, E.L. Robertson

1978 - "Serve to Unite Mankind" was the theme of the Convention, and the focal point of the plenary session address and panel discussion. In the House of Friendship, Rotarians and guests were treated by their Japanese hosts to demonstrations of the tea ceremony, "Chakoyu" - Japanese flower arrangements, "Ikebana" - calligraphy, - and electron playing. More than 40,000

Rotarians and guests attended the plenary sessions and opening session of the Convention, the Yuzen National Stadium - site of some events of the 1984 Olympic Games. The Convention was opened by G. Robert Allison, former Prime, Minnesota, U.S.A., Chairman of the 1978 Convention Committee. In his opening remarks, 1977/78 R.I. President, Jack Davis, Bermuda stated that - "There are no strangers in the great family of Rotary."

The opening entertainment featured vocal and choreographic pieces by the World famous Tokurudaka, Giri's Opera Troupe, the Kameko Ryukyu Dance Group and other performers. President Davis announced on the Monday, that the R.I. Board agreed that a program be undertaken to encourage and guide Rotary Clubs to become involved in a world-wide effort for the immunization of children and adults. He also announced the inauguration of the Rotary 25th Anniversary Fund - details to be sent to Clubs early 1978/79. On Tuesday, a report on the Finances of R.I. was presented. At the close of the fiscal year 1976/77 the assets of R.I. exceeded liabilities by \$182,130,000. World Community Service was the theme for Wednesday, and sessions was made of collaboration between the Canadian International Development Agency (CIDA) and Rotary Clubs and Districts. Our evening

dinner contributed by Rotary Clubs, CIDA contributed three dollars for World Community Service projects in developing countries. On Thursday, the first day, President-Elect, Kenyon, presented a challenge to Rotarians to "Reach Out", with helping hands to other people.

INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE: The District Conference advised, that following a Session of Conference, that an investigating committee be set up to report to District on possible R.I. Personnel in France or Switzerland, the following Rotarians were named: Bill Davidson, John Webb, Hamilton - Bob White, Pittsburgh - Wallace Jackson, and District 11. It is hoped that an

EXAMINATION'S COMMISSION:

Follows.

President-elect, Roger, has distributed the proposed list of Committees for the coming Rotary year. Would you please study it carefully and make sure that the committees on which you have been placed meet on the day of the month that is suitable to you, so that you will be able to play your part at evening meetings.

Mary Robertson will tell you that when you miss a financial meeting, you miss the most part of Rotary. Let us all make a special effort in the New Year and enjoy the good Fellowship of Rotary, where it starts - at the financial meetings. ROI.

CHANGE-OVER NIGHT - LUNCHEON NIGHT: The time has come to count-down for our Change-Over Night at the N.E. Farmers, on Tuesday evening, 27 June. This is the night we ground our old machines, and send our new jets out into space on the never-ending search for service. The Change-Over of the Officers of our Club will commence with Fellowship in the Blue Room at 6.20 p.m. - with refreshments to break the ice - followed by a meal with all the trimmings, at 7.15p.m. Once again we can look forward to our Master of Music, John Mullany, at the Levery Organ. There is a very special Sgt/Arms session, and here perhaps you will recall John King Green with an original composition, concerning Others - Help Him to Help Himself alright with a few riddles. We also have a surprise speaker - we will tell you who - next week. The cost is only \$9 per person, and in the meantime we remind you that at our next Tuesday Luncheon, members will be taken of Rotarians and wives attending Change-Over Night, Tuesday evening, 27 June. Don't forget - there is no Luncheon Meeting on that day.

MEMBERSHIP OF THE CLUB:

Attendance: June 21 Tony Agnew
" 23 Tom Graham
" 25 Len Hooperberg
" 25 Ted Sallon

Wedding Announcements:

June 25 Marjorie & Max Luttrell
For an Anniversary present, she gave me a photo of herself - and posted it on to my bank credit card.

OUR CLUB BOOKLET:

This Club Booklet for the new Rotary Year, 1978/79, is now being prepared for the Club Rotary Year, 1978/79. To ask members to please check your copy of the Booklet, to ensure that your name classification, phone numbers, or any other relevant information are correctly listed. Contact Max Luttrell if you desire alterations, or if you have suggestions to improve the presentation of our Club Booklet for the New Rotary Year.

ROBBERY MEMORIAL:

Members who were absent from our last Luncheon meeting, kindly contact Max, Fred Grant, and tell him which Rotary magazine you desire to receive - in accordance with Director, Don R.I.

OUR SKINNY IN THE NIGHT FEELER:

The Directors advise that \$200 has been donated to the Blacks' Radio N.E. Sponsor Appeal - for a Diabetic Ulcer Sore Sponsor for the N.E. Hospital Board.

NOTE TO PEOPLE:

My Uncle Fred welcome article should be in the Olympia, - the way the Blacks' Appeal to conclusions. The Blacks' Appeal - Purple Trolley, System - machine, produced will be submitted later.

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MEETING TIMES OF LOCAL CLUBS

NAPIER: War Memorial Hall—Monday 12.15
NAPIER WEST: Fire Station Hall—Tuesday 6.00
TARADALE: Town Hall—Thursday 6.00
AHURIRI: Napier Sailing Club, Ahuriri—Monday 5.30
HAVELOCK NORTH: D.B. Te Mata Hotel—Monday 6.00
STORTFORD LODGE: D.B. Heretaunga Motor Hotel—Tuesday 6.00
GREENMEADOWS: Taradale Town Hall—Wednesday 6.00.
HASTINGS-KARAMU: Travelodge—Thursday 5.30.