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THIS WEEK--January 5, 1972

December 31, 1971
Vern Perry, Editor

Roosevelt Hotel--Frank Nye of the Cedar Rapids Gazette crystal balling the activities of the upcoming Iowa Legislative Session. Am sure that there was considerable unfinished business last session--and Frank was there when they pulled the big switch. And it will be interesting to hear what new things are in the wind. Last week's turnout for Mayor Canney was most gratifying to Program Chairman Landis. How about as good a turnout for Frank? (The Roosevelt must have more of those round tables. Hard to sneak in late when one winds up sitting at the head table! Has happened to me the last two meetings I have attended! I'm sure going to try to get to the meetings on time after this.)

MID-WINTER CONFERENCE

You haven't missed it yet, but you had better be making your plans. Saturday, January 15 is the date. KIWANIS leadership training at the Paxton Hotel, Omaha. Give Ed Colton or Dick Landis a call. The plan is to leave Friday eve and return to CR Saturday.

INTERCLUB PUSH

Norril Rogness advises Adolph Helm and Bob Rush have joined his Interclub Committee, replacing two who are no longer active. By the way, did you notice the professional finesse and grace with which Bob Rush directed us in our off-key singing last Wednesday? Would almost make one think that he also knows the words--although come to think of it, don't believe he "mouthed" the words like many directors do!

HARD TIMES

Too bad the Downtown KIWANIS can't afford to give pins to our hardworking and devoted Secretary and Treasurer!

LAST WEEK

Am not sure that Mayor Don Canney told us many new things last week, but he has a knack of telling it like it is--and in a manner which makes one feel that all of the cards are in sight on the table. He reviewed progress on the IE Tower; Interstate 380; Riverfront Park/Dike System; Neighborhood Development; Vinton and Kenwood Drainage Ditches; Dam/Interstate Overpass/E & F Avenue Bridge combo; and ended his "formal" presentation with statements that "Cedar Rapids is not broke" and that he sees our city having a bright future, in spite of some of the current "downers" such as relatively high unemployment (for CR). Mayor Canney didn't discuss any of the projects in detail. He opened the floor to questions after using approximately half of his allotted time to giving "the year 1971 in Cedar Rapids" the quick brush treatment. The Downtown K's had a number of questions for the Mayor, but I had the feeling that the questions asked were asked because of a sincere interest--not jut to give Don an embarrassing jab. He appears to have an amazing memory for figures (\$ and dimensions!) and appears to be well versed upon the status of the many projects with which he is concerned and/or responsible. It appeared to me that if you have a question--Mayor Canney is ready to field it with words and facts. Give him a call if he didn't get to your question last Wednesday!

VISITORS

Stuart Bauer, Past President, Franklin Park, Illinois KIWANIS, guest of Joe Greenlief.
Ted Lewis, Cedar Rapids, guest of Bill Schneider.
Mark Vander Schaaf guest of his Dad, Howard Vander Schaaf.
Don Barry guest of Howard Smith.
Ron Howe, Intern Attorney, and guest of Ed Colton.

ANNIVERSARY

Robert W. Gale ... December 29,

SAVE IT

Really appreciate your get-well-wishes and welcome upon my return from session in the hospital--but let's forego it this second round. I was so touched that I played a return engagement--to the hospital, flat on my back! ... Vern



WE BUILD

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OFFICERS

October 1, 1971 to September 30, 1972

Eldon Colton-----President
James Luhrs-----Past President
William Jameson-----First Vice President
Richard Landis-----Second Vice President
Kenneth Holvenstot-----Treasurer
Joseph E Power -----Secretary
Frank Wilber-----Assistant Secretary

DIRECTORS

Serve until September 30

E. Victor Bock-----1974
Clarence Fenner -----1974
Vernon Perry-----1974
Arnold Herbst-----1973
Russell Mueller-----1973
Larry Wichmann-----1973
Albert Gee-----1972
William Pohorsky-----1972
Norriil Rogness-----1972

SPECIAL INFORMATION

Board Meeting - 2nd Tuesday each month
Committee Reports due first Monday

For makeup meetings:

1. See Secretary for locations
2. Attend Board meetings

Attendance Rules: Member must attend
60% of meetings either half of year

Annual meeting of Club:
First regular meeting in June

LEGEND

- x Chairman
- xx Vice Chairman
- CG# Committee Group number

COMMITTEES

October 1, 1971 - September 30, 1972

Citizenship Services

1. Achievement, Finance, Laws and Regulations CG #1
 - x Frank Cosgrove
 - xx James Luhrs (Finance)
 - xx Bryce Fisher (Laws & Reg.)
 - Richard McConnell
 - James Hanville
 - James Bowker
 - Frank Elias

2. Interclub & New Club Building CG #1

- x Norriil Rogness
- xx Richard Chandler
- Hugh DeWees
- Melvin Galbraith
- Maj. John Kimmons
- Glenn McMillan
- Wm. Schneider

3. Member Services CG #2

- x Russell Mueller
- xx Robert Rush (Attendance)
- xx Kenneth Drish (Education)
- xx Blake Garske (Development)
- xx James Loyd (Directory)
- xx Frank Wilber (Membership Welfare)
- Duane Anton
- Adolph Helm
- Oscar Anderson
- Kenneth Rudd
- John Palmer
- Robert Nelson
- Milan Johnson
- R W Gable
- Eugene Adney
- Joseph Stenner
- Clyde Sanborn

Kiwanis Administration

4. Program - Music CG #3

- x Richard Landis
- xx Lew Ellis
- Robert Armstrong
- Ernest Kosek
- Howard Smith
- Bob Birr

5. House & Reception CG #3

- x Walter Schultz
- xx Alexander Batchelor
- John Kennedy
- F Wm. Franey
- C R Fahrney
- James Crumrine
- Bob Blinn

6. Public Relations CG #4

- x Albert Gravelle
- xx Verne Haaland
- x Vernon Perry
- Grant Williams
- Kenneth Holvenstot
- Ralph Dresher

7. Public - Business Affairs and Intraditional Relations CG #5

- x Wm. Pohorsky
- xx E Victor Bock
- xx Arnold Herbst
- Ora Lawrence
- Charles Loomis
- Warren McAllister
- Horace McGrath
- Frank Race
- Howard Vander Schaaf
- Fred Kluss
- Ed Bock

8. Agriculture, Conservation & Athletics CG #6

- x Larry Wichmann
- xx Clarence Fenner (Agriculture)
- George Seyfer
- Melvin Kropuenske
- Wallace Krouse
- Wallace Brown
- xx Alan Bickel (Athletics)
- Roy Stoddard
- Dan Schwitters
- Robert Kelley
- Walter Dunham
- James Corell
- Richard Buresh
- Joseph Ainsworth
- William Chadima

9. Support of Churches CG #7

- x Stephen Root
- xx Ray Vaughn
- Roy Parker
- Burton Hynden
- Russell Sandercock
- Ludmil Prastka
- Frank Waples
- Harry Johnson

10. Youth Services CG #8

- x Charles McIntyre
- xx Albert Gee (Key & K)
- xx James Downing (Youth Welfare)
- xx Bob Matteson (Vocational)
- xx Ronald Moore (Ind Arts Day)
- Robert Butterfield
- Joe Greenlief
- Wayne Mead
- Jerry Banas
- C Douglas Valentine
- Spencer Sorenson
- James Rasley
- David McFarland

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