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This Christmas Season,
Heeding that age old call,
Even in our busy times,

Having light hearts and
Emitting words of cheer,
Always cheerful, always gay,
Dear ones, we pause

Lest we forget, our task
In this old World. "Peace
On Earth," fine words that'll
Never, never die. Best wishes

Everyone, this happy season
Round the corner, now it is.

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

SEWING COMMITTEES

DECEMBER 4. Lions Bowen, Goodrich, Nouns, Heidmann, Hessemann, Otto and Pounds.

DECEMBER 11. Lions Hirschl, Jasper, Niowald, Knickerbocker, Kruehl, Eldon Miller and Robert Miller.

DECEMBER 18, Lions Arendall, Asel, Wood, Bennett, McLaughlin, Wright and Zoellner.

DECEMBER 24, MONDAY, Lions Bleckmann, Teubocklage, Boland, Hettenhaus, Wehrmuller, Elmer Toben and Wilson.

DECEMBER 25. Merry Christmas! No meeting!

DECEMBER 31, MONDAY, Lions Peters, Tiley, George Buescher, Cassidy, Eater, Theobald and Dolph Toben.

JANUARY 1. Happy New Year! No meeting!

Lion Sincox and his crew will be pretty busy these next few weeks, but I'll bet he makes every effort to get this little bittle to you on time. Wanna bet?



Did you ever stop to think, everything you get from Buck and his cohorts, excuse me, from Lion Sincox and his aides, goes right back to them? What earthly good is a postage stamp if you don't give it back to him? Did you ever stop to think of the tremendous amount of business he does, and without competition too? What a racket? Need a partner?

But, where in the h---, would you be with out them?

As an added thought, why not send a card to those in the Post Office? Let's make their task this Christmas Season a little brighter.

GET OUT ON THE CURB SIDE OF YOUR VEHICLE!



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This issue brought to you through the courtesy of Lion Morris Betts, now in the locale of Creve Coeur, Mo. Red says; "Dorothy and I look forward to this link with those happy days we spent in Washington."

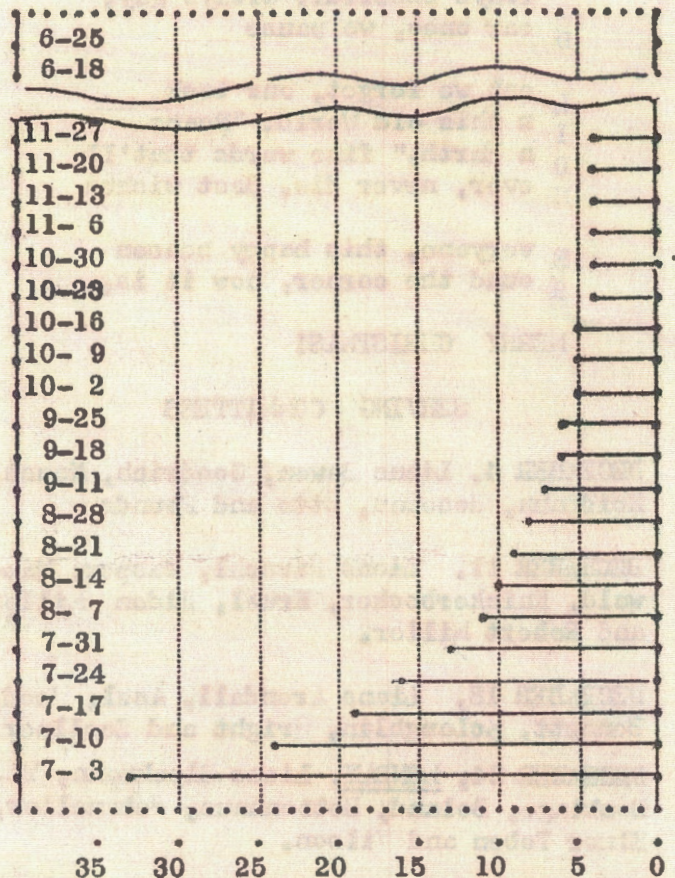
The American girl is the best dressed girl. Accessories for the modern girl not only emphasize her charms; they actually aim them at you.

Then there's the case of the little old lady who left a million dollars sewed in her bustle when she died. That's a lot of money to leave behind.

COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

What's the matter with all of you Committee Chairmen? Man, Oh, Man, don't you realize this little paper goes to every Lion once a month—it won't cost you a cent this way to get your message to all members. This bulletin is also mailed to the District Governor, the Deputy District Governor, the Zone Chairman, the Lions Magazine, the Roaring Lion, What better and cheaper way can you find to let the world of Lionism know you're on the ball, and that you're carrying the ball on your particular job? Besides, the bulletin editor wants help in filling the pages, so that it is worth the two cents it costs to mail the copies each month.

100% ATTENDANCE

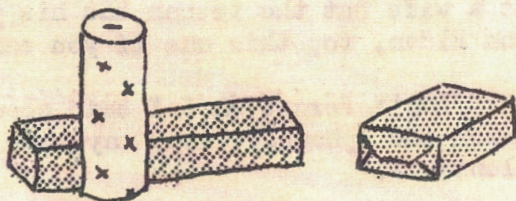


Lion W. A. Schuette dropped out of the 100% attenders on October 23, leaving in that cherished group, Lions John H. Feltmann, Leroy W. Peters, T. W. Sincox and Dolph Toben.

Primarily, physical culture is important for one to keep in good health, and for that reason, most girls who exercise have an end in view

THIS and THAT

It is told that Lion M. E. F. was trying to fill out an insurance claim sheet for a cow that had been killed on Highway 100. He came to the last item: "Disposition of the carcass." After puzzling over the question for some time, he wrote, "kind and gentle."



Lion Tail Twister Linder and his lovely wife "flew low" in from Crawfordsville, Indiana, last Monday so he could attend the meeting on November 27. Leo said the highway was wet over in Indiana or he would have made it home in five hours instead of six. For a retired Lion, he certainly moves fast.

Lion R. F. Z. and his "better half" spent the last half of the month of November vacationing in and around Donna, Texas. "Doc" reports that the bathing beauties at Padre Island are more beautiful than any he has seen in Florida or California, but that the Texas Lions Clubs aren't any bigger than the one at Washington, Mo.

Lion Schuette, the honorable president, is planning a big "induction ceremony" for the class of new Lions in the near future. All you sponsors get your new members lined up with the proper application so we can make this a big and impressive meeting.

How long since you attended a Tuesday meeting??? Beginning with the next issue, this column will publish the names of the Lions that have not attended at least two of the monthly meetings. That will be one way of having your honorable name appear in the monthly bulletin. ---B. S.

AT THE MEETINGS

NOVEMBER 6. One guest and thirty-six members present. The program that had been scheduled was cancelled too late to secure another. Steak, scalloped potatoes, peas, tossed salad and coconut cream pie

NOVEMBER 6, Board Meeting. Seven present. Since a District Convention has been proposed for April 21, 1957, in Washington, the Board of Directors voted to proceed with the preliminary steps.

NOVEMBER 13. Seven guests and thirty-six members present. Miss Martha Slinkmann, Missionary, spoke on some of her experiences in Honduras. Johnny Parsons talked about his racing experiences and showed movies of some of the events. Meat Loaf, baked potatoes, yellow wax beans, slaw, pumpkin pie with whipped cream. (U.I.I.I.)

NOVEMBER 19, Board Meeting, combined with Committee Chairmen. Eight board members, three committee chairmen present. Lion E. A. Spickelmier's request for a dimit was approved. The Board of Directors voted to bear the cost of moving the playground equipment near the new grandstand to a new location.

NOVEMBER 20. Business Meeting. Thirty-eight members present. The actions of the November 19th Board Meeting were approved. Steak, scalloped potatoes, cauliflower, pickles, ripe olives and pineapple upside down cake.

NOVEMBER 20. Board Meeting. Eight present. It was unanimously agreed to give the two very efficient ladies a dollar extra for preparing the meals.

NOVEMBER 27. Two guests and thirty-four members present. This was supposed to be a program meeting, but such business, oo. After Arthur Mauntel, Clarence Wehneier, Wesley Koch, Carl Otto, Lester Vitt, Guy Fischer and Harold Bockhorst had been unanimously accepted for membership, the fun really began. Upon motion, duly made, seconded and carried it was decided to have meetings on December 24th and 31st, instead of December 25th and January 1st. (17-13) After a short but heated discus-

sion, a motion was duly made, seconded, and carried, that the first motion be rescinded. (19-6) Jasper quickly made a motion, which was seconded and carried, that the meeting be turned over to the program chairman. Before relinquishing the chair, President Schuette announced meetings are to be held on December 24th and 31st as originally voted. No objections were noticed. A film, "Painting the Town" was shown. Fork Chops, Dressing, stewed tomatoes, pickles, celery and apple pie were on the menu.

LIONS TALES

Mystery of the month—what prominent Main Street Lion was seen discussing holiday "BIZ" over a chopped liver sandwich on rye with celery tonic, at a certain mid-town poolroom, , , , ???? (Reward)



This writer has heard recent gossip to this effect: all musically minded Lions will be under the baton of Lion (to be appointed) for a special program of chamber music preceding our annual Christmas meeting....some say the program will even include a bit of barber shop "horny" by the hairless four (you figure 'em out)... date of the annual bash is a bit uncertain; some say the day before....while others say the week before....this is just a warning to anyone who has talent.. don't answer the 'phone....just be ready or suffer the consequences (a years sentence at hard labor, as PROGRAM CHAIRMAN)probably just gossip.

And speaking of program chairman: ..after a recent Tuesday meeting which found us enjoying an outstanding double barreled program presented by Lion Fetters, we over heard a fellow Lion remark; after all, this guy happens to be an above average genius.....(no comments).....

Last week at our weekly clambake, I happened to learn of the sales pitch now in use by one of our Lions so successful in the field of selling....as the housewife answers his mid coming knock at the door he sez....Madame, (AND who does this remind you of?).....he sez...."Madame, you should have seen what I saw at your neighbor's house....may I step in and tell you about it?"

A final bit borrowed from one of the Barber Shoppers at the recent Hermann tonsil torture.....It was agreed that every man has a wife but the iceman has his pick... Lion Eldon, top this one if you can.....

P.S. Don't forget what I said about answering the 'phone....you may have hidden talent.....

STOP—LOOK—LISTEN. The meeting of December 18th will be the annual Christmas Party. The program will be so unusual, it is not even available. However, this much can be told: you'd better get there right at 11:30 am, so that you don't miss anything.

FOR OTHER DECEMBER MEETINGS—see article entitled "Serving Committees"

Lion George Hausmann has returned from a stay at St. Luke's Hospital and is convalescing at home. Best wishes for a fast and complete recovery.



--SMILE

"I trust you found the novel interesting" the librarian remarked.
"The book wasn't so much," the co-ed replied, "but that letter some one left in it for a bookmark was a lulu."