## The Fellowship Forum

The Fellowship Forum is a group of men having a desire for fellowship and an opportunity to increase their understanding of world affairs and other subjects of common interest. The idea for such an organization was conceived by two friends, Paul Stinchfield and Graeff Kennedy, who were in the habit of lunching together and who wished there might be such a group in Palo Alto. On December 27, 1950, they invited several of their friends to a luncheon at Marie Antoinette Inn, Menlo Park, and presented their idea to them. The plan was enthusiastically approved and the name "The Fellowship Forum" was adopted upon the suggestion of Mr. Stinchfield, who was chosen as provisional chairman.

In the beginning the form of organization was very simple. Weekly luncheons were held at which each member in turn was given the responsibility of presenting a subject for discussion by the group. During the first few months the membership increased, guest speakers were added and a set of Bylaws was drawn up and adopted. The Bylaws provide for officers to be elected annually. The officers, together with the junior Past President and the Chairman of the Program Committee constitute the Governing Board. The Board is responsible for formulating policies; for passing on nominations for membership referred to it by the Membership Committee; and for making recommendations on all proposals for amendments to the Bylaws. All decisions of the Governing Board are submitted to the Forum for approval.

Luncheon meetings of the Forum are held each Tuesday at Marie Antoinette Inn. Members may entertain guests at the luncheon. Following the luncheon there is a program, arranged by the Program Committee, when the group is addressed by a guest speaker or by a member of the Forum. Following the address members have an opportunity to comment or ask questions on points made by the speaker. The rules of the Forum provide that partisan political issues and denominational religion shall not be discussed by the speaker. Occasionally a meeting is devoted to a group discussion of an announced topic. The Record of Programs for 1956 indicates the broad range of subjects presented by members and guests.

Active membership, which implies regular attendance and participation in the activities of the Forum, is limited to forty men. Allowing for leaves of absence, the attendance of active members has averaged approximately 80%. This indicates the interest which the members of the Forum have in the programs and the high degree of fellowship which prevails.

## The Fellowship Forum

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# In Memoriam

#### CHARLES T. OWENS Died July 20, 1956

A distinguished officer of the United States Navy, Captain Owens served his country with important commands in the Spanish-American War and in World Wars I and II. A man of outstanding character, unswerving patriotism and deep devotion to the right things of life, his life has been an inspiration to those about him.

#### HARRY C. WILSON Died December 13, 1956

Dr. Harry C. Wilson was a nationally known member of the Methodist ministry, a man of profound faith, a scholar, editor, humanitarian and champion of youth. He was beloved for his gentleness of spirit, his charity, his fortitude and for his consistent application of Christian principles to the solution of life's baffling problems.

## Record of Programs

January 3—Professor Chau Wing Chan
"China Since the Communists Took Over"

January 10-Mr. Max A. Furrer
"The Oil Situation in Iran"

January 17—Dr. A. S. Felsovanyi "Modern Medicine"

January 24—Dr. Felix M. Keesing
"Anthropology"

January 31—Professor C. O. Hutton
"New Zealand and the Fiji Islands"

February 7—Mr. Herbert E. Bowen
"Conditions in South Africa"

February 14—Mr. Carl A. Trexel
"Israel, the Great Experiment"

February 21—Dr. George W. Dowrie
"The Present Outlook of Business"

February 28—Mr. Luciano Verdoni
"Italy Today"

March 6—Admiral C. A. Lockwood, U.S.N.
"Submarine Operations World War II" and
"The Submarine Nautilus"

March 13—Mr. Norman H. Dolloff
"When the Earth Trembles"

March 20—Mr. Daniel S. Wentz III
"Aeronautical Research"

"Things That I Have Learned"

April 3—Professor Charles Moser

March 27—Mr. Vernon J. Pick

"Odds and Ends"

April 10—Reverend Dr. Floyd W. Barr
"Albert Schweitzer"

April 17—Mr. John Thompson
"South of the Rio Grande"

April 24—Dr. William H. Vatcher, Jr.
"South Africa"

May 1—Professor Anthony Sokold
"Russian War Potential"

May 8—Dr. Albert L. Guerard
"History of the International Language Movement"

May 15—Professor Felix Bloch
"Nuclear Research"

May 22—Mr. Carl I. Wheat
"The Mapping of the American West"

May 29-LADIES' DAY

June 5-Barbecue at Home of Professor and Mrs. Charles Moser

June 12—Captain W. B. Chick
"Guided Missile Program"

June 19-Mr. Floyd Tull

"Luck"

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June 26—Dr. William Ready
"Art and Christianity During Recent Centuries"

July 3—Dr. R. B. Loper

"Shakespeare"

July 10—Mr. Sidney W. Treat
"Six Weeks Through Spain and Portugal"

July 17—Mr. Donald W. McGlashon "Regional Rapid Transit for the Bay Area"

July 24—OPEN FORUM

July 31—Mr. Robert C. Ogilvie
"Oil Developments in the Near East"

August 7—Mr. Roy N. Griffin
"Rocket Propelled Satellites"

August 14—Mr. Carl Nielsen
"A Glimpse of the Vitamin Industry"

August 21—Mr. Harold W. Milner "Food From Sunlight"

August 28—Mr. Willard H. Nutting
"The Vallecito Project"

September 4—Mr. Stephen Besse
"Central and South America"

September 11—Honorable J. Arthur Younger "Ecuador"

September 18—Mr. Noboru Kamakura
"Diagnosis of Japan's Economy"
September 25—Mr. Henry C. LaVille

"Experiences in Engineering"

October 2—Mr. Walter C. Smith
"Arbitration in the Adjustment of Insurance Claims"
"Astronomy"

October 9—Mr. Bruce Bliven
"Mass Communications"

October 16—Mr. Thelo A. Perrott
"Possibilities in Human Thinking"

October 23—Dr. Arthur Coladarci
"The Cultural Context of Decisive Thinking Processes"

October 30—Rev. Dr. G. A. Casaday
"Think Anew, Act Anew"

November 6—Mr. Herbert E. Bowen
"St. Helena Island"

November 13—OPEN FORUM

November 20—Colonel Eugene Santschi, Jr. "Reminiscences"

November 27—OPEN FORUM

December 4—Dr. Carl F. Brand
"Britain and the Suez Crisis"

December 11—Mr. Leon E. Seltzer
"The Book Publishing Industry"

December 17—Christmas Party — Ladies' Day Professor F. Cowles Strickland "W by Theater?"

### Addenda

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"There is only one thing here worth minding, and that is to be true and just and to show charity, even to the untrue and unjust."

Marcus Aurelius