

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 1957 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-five 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

W. SHEPARD FRENCH

Born 1888 — Died August 21, 1957

MAXWELL M. HAMILTON

Born 1897 — Died November 12, 1957

FRED HUETTMANN

Born 1873 — Died July 1, 1957

J. GRAEFF KENNEDY

Born 1876 — Died May 5, 1957

During the past year, death has invaded our ranks four times. It is inevitable that, in our age category, the severance of earth's tender human ties is bound to occur with some degree of frequency. Faith in the immortality of the soul is conducive to easement of mind and heart.

We greatly miss the genial presence and constructive activities of these former members of our Fellowship Forum. Let us cherish their memory and commend their spirits to the infinite love and matchless mercy of Almighty God, that beneficent Being, who has done all things well.

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Record of Programs

- January 1—New Year's Day—No Meeting
- January 8—Dr. George W. Dowry
"Business Outlook 1957"
- January 15—Dr. Nobushige Ukai
"Japan—Past, Present and Future"
- January 22—Mr. Theodore S. Connelly
"Public Relations and Business"
- January 29—Dr. Alexander Miller
"Religion in Contemporary Life"
- February 5—Mr. Henry C. LaVille
"Personal Professional Experiences"
- February 12—Mr. Charles D. Means
"Banking, Small Business Loans"
- February 19—Dr. Welden Bailey Gibson
"Activities Stanford Research Institute"
- February 26—Mr. Wyatte F. DeLoache
"Your Horn of Plenty"
- March 5—OPEN FORUM
"Education"
- March 12—OPEN FORUM
"Presentation of Rules and Regulations"
- March 19—Mr. John J. Cassidy
"Social Security Insurance"
- March 26—Mr. Charles A. Gauld
"Brazil"
- April 2—Reverend William C. Kerr
"Beautiful Japan"
- April 10—Brig. Gen. Crawford S. Sams, Army Medical Corps
"Polio"
- April 16—Mr. Walter C. Smith
"Automation"
- April 23—Father Egon Javor
"The Benedictine School in Portola Valley"
- April 30—Professor John B. Hurlbut
Stanford Law Department
"Illegally Obtained Evidence"
- May 7—Dr. Jesse B. Sears
*"A Biography—Cubberley of Stanford
His Contribution to American Education"*
- May 14—Colonel Floyd Goates
U. S. Army Retired
"Austria" Illustrated
- May 21—Reverend Edwin M. Good
"Dead Sea Scrolls"
- May 28—Mr. Abdul Sattar
Vice Consul for Pakistan, in San Francisco
"Pakistan, Her Development and Place in World Affairs"

- June 4—OPEN FORUM
- June 11—Mr. F. Chang
"Communist China Foreign Trade"
- June 18—LADIES' DAY
 Barbecue at home of Professor Charles Moser
- June 25—Mr. Herbert Bowen
"Advertising Salesman's Experience Abroad"
- July 2—Mr. Roy Mallony - Mr. Don Ridenour
"The Voice Beneath the Sea"
 Courtesy Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co.
- July 9—Dr. David Basset
"Anatomy" Stereoscopic Illustrations
- July 16—Mr. C. F. Cress
"Experiences in the Orient"
- July 23—Dr. Edward D. Kohlstedt
"Fruitful Friendships"
- July 30—Dr. David Webster
 Film, *"Powered Flight"*
 Courtesy Shell Oil Co. and Mr. Hugh Harvey
- August 6—County Supervisor Mr. Wesley Hubbard
"County Government—Big Business"
- August 13—Dr. Anthony E. Sokol
"American Professor's Visit to Austria"
 (Illustrated Address)
- August 20—Mr. Everett Calderwood
"Difficulties Installing Mount Rose Relay Station"
 (Descriptive Film Shown)
- August 27—Mr. Ashton O'Donnell, Stanford Research Institute
"Atomic Energy"
- September 3—Mr. Stanley Evans
"Reflections of a City Official"
- September 10—Mr. Charles Powel
"Reminiscences of An Engineer"
- September 17—OPEN FORUM
"Integration"
- September 24—Dr. Tsung-Lien Shen
"Tibet and the Tibetans"
 (Illustrated Film)
- October 1—Dr. John W. Bleasdale
"Peru" (Illustrated)
- October 8—Mr. William J. Platt
"Applied Economic Research"
- October 15—Hon. J. Arthur Younger
"Open Forum"
- October 22—Professor Shan Wing Chan
"Recent Policy Changes in Communist China"
- October 29—Mr. Emott Caldwell
"Art of Thinking" by Jenkins Lloyd Jones
- November 5—Mr. Richard A. Bale, Stanford Research Institute
"International Industrial Development Conference"

- November 12—Mr. Walter C. Smith
"Tour of National Parks" (Illustrated)
- November 19—OPEN FORUM
"Political Party Affiliation"
- November 26—Mr. Walter Smith
Colored Film *"Texas Towers"*
- December 3—Dr. Harry Reynolds
"Highlights of European Tour"
- December 9—LADIES DAY CHRISTMAS PARTY
Dr. Tully C. Knoles
Chancellor College of the Pacific
"Christmas—Historical Development of Its Pageantry"
- December 17—Dr. Nathan A. Bowers
"Tree Lore"
- December 24—OPEN FORUM
"Challenging Our Way of Life"
- December 31—Mr. C. Forrest Cress
"Indonesia"