

HISTORY

The Fellowship Forum was founded in December, 1950 by Paul E. Stinchfield and J. Graeff Kennedy, two friends who invited others to join them in creating a group whose purposes were simply to enjoy each other's company at a weekly luncheon and to benefit from discussion of matters of general interest.

As the size of the group increased, it was felt that a more formal organization was needed, that basic policies should be formulated and the membership limited in number. This ultimately led to the adoption in 1968 of a set of Rules and Regulations, under which the Forum now functions. Officers are elected by the membership at large and serve a one-year term.

The story of the origin and development of the Forum, the wide range of accomplishments and interests of its members, and the calibre of speakers who have appeared before the group are well worth recording. A history of the first 20 years of the Fellowship Forum was recently compiled and distributed to the members. A series of biographies of members, past and present, has also been compiled by the Forum Archivist.



At the weekly luncheon meetings subjects of a broad range of interest are presented by members or guest speakers, as the record indicates. Although partisan politics and denominational religion are prohibited subjects, members or guest speakers addressing the Forum are otherwise unrestricted in the expression of their views, it being understood that such expression is always "off the record." With the speaker's consent, a short period at the end of each program is customarily devoted to questions or comments from Forum members.

Guests of members are always welcome, except at meetings restricted to the discussion of Forum affairs.

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December 3, 1895 — January 8, 1970

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December 17, 1889 — November 26, 1970

Record of Programs—1970

- January 6 — Annual Meeting. Reports of Officers and Committees. Introduction of new Officers and Committee members.
- 13 — "World Trends in Trade and Economics." Weldon B. Gibson, Ph.D. Vice-president Stanford Research Institute.
- 20 — "Environmental Control." Rolf Eliassen, Sc.D. Professor of Engineering, Stanford.
- 27 — "The American Field Service." Ray Ruppel, educator.
- February 3 — "Some Guide Lines for American Policy in the 1970's." Member Walter R. Sharp.
- 10 — Business meeting and open forum on current topics.
- 17 — "Vietnam, Now and Afterward." Lieut. General Clovis E. Byers, U.S.A., Ret.
- 24 — "My Trip Around the World." Member J. Emott Caldwell.
- March 3 — "Environmental Problems." Georg Treichel, Director Center for Study of General Ecology and Environmental Planning, S.F. State College.
- 10 — "The Meaning and Content of Culture." William C. Estler, Public Relations Counselor.
- 17 — "The Management of Growth." Samuel H. Halstead, Consulting planning engineer.
- 24 — "The International Permafrost Conference in Siberia." Albert Lincoln Washburn, Ph.D., Professor of Geophysical Sciences, University of Washington.
- 31 — "The Odd Odyssey of Governor Bradford's Journal." Williston Wirt, D.D., Pomona Public Library Staff.
- April 7 — Book review — "The Kingdom and the Power." Member Donald Bean.
- 14 — "Voices of Tomorrow." Robert W. Simon, Manager of Information Programs, Stanford Research Institute.
- 21 — "Albert Myer, Pioneer Army Physician and Climatologist." Major General Frederick J. Hughes, U.S.A., Cmdr. Letterman General Hospital.
- 28 — "Role of the Family in the Seventies." Loren Beckley, Chief Probation Officer, San Mateo County.
- May 5 — Book review — "The Krupp Story." Member Maynard B. Hites.
- 12 — "Report on Vietnam and Cambodia." Member Frank H. Higgins.
- 19 — "Principles of Environmental Management Applied to State Water Problems." Frank M. Stead, Consulting Engineer.
- 26 — "Photogenic Japan." Member Berton W. Crandall.
- June 2 — "Teaching Law to Reduce Crime." Judge Roy W. Seagraves.
- 9 — "The Presidio Mutiny Trails." Lieut. General Stanley R. Larsen, U.S.A., Commanding General Sixth Army.
- 16 — "Campus Unrest and the Plight of the Disadvantaged." James Harold Moore, General Manager, Western Electric Service Division.
- 23 — "Aggressive Behavior in Wild Chimps and Baboons." David A. Hamburg, Ph.D., Professor of Psychiatry, Stanford Medical School.
- 30 — Annual Ladies Day and Picnic, at home of Mr. and Mrs J. Emott Caldwell.

- July 7 — "Early History and Development of Wireless Telegraphy." Member Leonard F. Fuller.
- 14 — "The Embarcadero Center, San Francisco." Lieut. General Garrison H. Davidson, U.S.A. Ret.
- 21 — "From Portugal to Yugoslavia." Member Richard Crooks.
- 28 — "The One World of Space." Gerd D. Wallenstein, Consulting engineer.
- August 4 — "Psychology Today." Member William L. Roach.
- 11 — "Teaching with Computers." Harold Dean Brown, Ph.D., Stanford Research Institute.
- 18 — "A Look at France, 1970." Member Ralph C. Smith.
- 25 — "A New Approach to Head Shrinking." Joseph McDonough, Ph.D., Psychologist Veteran's Administration Hospital.
- September 1 — "The New Left." Edward D. Bacciocco, The Hoover Institution.
- 8 — "The Goodwill Industries." Raymond Healy, Program Development Director.
- 15 — "Power sans Pollution." Member Elmer Hutchisson.
- 22 — "A Friend of Robert Frost to the Fore." G. William Gahagan.
- 29 — "The Middle East Situation." Ralph W. Keller, Ph.D., Director Career Planning and Placement Center, Stanford.
- October 6 — "The Fire and Casualty Business." Member Wesley Benepe.
- 13 — "The U.S. Economy in 1975 — Its Possible Potentialities." C. Sidney Cottle, Ph.D., Director of Financial and Financial Institutions Research, Stanford Research Institute.
- 20 — "A Look into the Future of a Large School System." George Ebey, Ph.D., Vice-President, United Research Systems.
- 27 — "The Marshall Plan." Member Frank H. Higgins.
- November 3 — "Welfare Reform to Aid the Poor and the Rich." Robert M. Coen, Ph.D., Professor of Economics, Stanford.
- 10 — "The Supersonic Transport — an Objective Overview." Raymond D. Kelly, Vice-President, R. Dixon Speas Associates.
- 17 — "Fiscal Constituencies." Member Walter S. Bowles.
- 24 — "The Art of Medicine." Dr. Russell Lee, President, Palo Alto Medical Clinic and Palo Alto Medical Research Foundation.
- December 1 — Business Meeting; selection of officers for 1971. Open Forum discussion on the topic "The Quality of Life."
- 8 — "The 1969 American — Austrian Hindu-Kush Expedition." George G. Barnes, research engineer, Stanford Research Institute.
- 15 — Christmas Party and Ladies Day, at Palo Alto University Club. Program of Music by Richard Crooks and the Woodside High School Chorus, directed by Robert L. Clark.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY

Year 1970

Meetings Held	50
Aggregate Attendance — Regular Meetings	1710
July 4 Picnic	66
Christmas Luncheon	87
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Guest Speakers	31
Member Speakers	14
Business or Open Forum Meetings	5

Membership

Active Members as of December 31, 1969	44
New Members Elected	4
Resignations	0
Deceased	2
Transferred to Inactive Membership	3
Active Members, December 31, 1970	44
Inactive Members, December 31, 1970	7