

See Page 2

ACCENT IS ON MUSIC AS HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR AND MUMMERS' BAND ENTERTAIN ROTARIANS



THE ATLANTIC CITY SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR entertained Rotarians last night in programs at the Ambassador Hotel. The delegates from Wisconsin, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana and Ohio) and at the Claridge Hotel (for those from New York, New Jersey and Delaware). The choir was directed by Miss Elsie C. Mesakko, and Mrs. Erna O. Sobczak was accompanist. Soloists were Maurice Gallagher and Agnes Thom, and four members of the high school orchestra provided instrumental accompaniment: Mary Phelps, Parker Baratta,



Harold Moskowitz and Marvin Ostroff. Choir members include Thom, Gallagher, Ruth Ann Collier, Lucy Casner, Sylvia Davis, Margaret Field, Barbara Field, Naomi Green, Lenora Simmons, Lora Lee Jackson, Harriet Magill, Audrey Miller, Jean Owen, Irene Roman, Martha Rowart, Alice Tobey, Robert Abel, Stephen Bell, Ronald Camp, Theodore Deben, Bill Flanagan, Elliott Freeman, Jerry Gelula, Robert McBrine, David Sapoznikov, Philip Stoei, Larry Strunwasser and Raul Ruare. (Hess Photo)



A RECEPTION AND BALL AT CONVENTION HALL last night honored visiting Rotary International President Arthur Laques and Mrs. Laques and was featured by the appearance of the Philadelphia Mimmers' Uptown String Band, shown above in full Indian regalia. Climaxing the social events of the 42nd annual convention, the affair was launched in unusual style by the Mimmers group. After this, a stage show featured such acts as Borah Mindelevich's Harmonica Rascals;

Zola Mae Shusell, eight-year-old piano prodigy; The Guardsmen, male singing quartet; Anthony, Allyn and Hodges, comedy dance team; Ray and Gomez, Spaciah dancers; and the Marked Tree (A.R.) Ensemble of nine high school girls. William Stocking and his orchestra played for dancing to cap off an entertaining evening for the Rotarians and their wives. (Central Studios Photo)

FAIR AND WARM
—here today, with highest afternoon temperatures in the low 80's. Friday: Increasing cloudiness and continued warm.
Tides today: High, 4:32 A.M. 5:24 P.M.; Low, 11:01 A.M., 11:46 P.M.
(More on Weather, Page 18)

Atlantic City Press

DEFENSE MEETINGS TODAY
2:45 P.M.—Ocean City High School.
8:50 P.M.—Somers Point City Hall.
(More on Civil Defense, Page 9)

VOL. CVII NO. 98 ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., THURSDAY, MAY 31, 1951 FIVE CENTS

Rotarians Vote \$750,000 Fund For Fellowships

Continue Program For 3 Years; 250 Clubs Added During 1950-51

Rotarians voted yesterday to spend \$750,000 during the next three years for sending graduate students outside their native lands for advanced study.

The delegates at Rotary International's 42nd annual convention in Municipal Auditorium took this action to continue a program that has already provided 224 fellowships for students from 62 countries in the past five years at a cost of nearly \$700,000.

H. Van Churchill, of New Kensington, Pa., chairman of the Rotary's Fellowship Committee, told the convention this program does "something very real in the cause of promoting good will and understanding" throughout the world.

The International program is in addition to similar extensive student projects supported by local clubs. A spokesman said there is no official count of local programs, but figured they involved several hundred students each year.

INDIA PLAN OUT

The convention also voted "to consider as withdrawn" a proposal to prevent election of a president from the same country for consecutive terms. Failure of this measure, presented by the delegation from India, leaves in effect a 1952 resolution that limits to three the number of consecutive terms for which one country can have the presidency.

The organization voted down a by-law amendment that would have given local clubs a direct vote in nominating and electing Rotary International presidents. The change proposed by the Rotary club of Laurel, Miss., was referred to the

See ROTARY, Page 8, Col. 2

Rotary Parley Events Today

10:15 A. M.—Fourth Primary Session. The program for the session includes:

- Community singing.
- Presentation of the convention committee by the host club and convention officials.
- Reports.
- Election and presentation of officers. Address by Kenneth McFarland, superintendent of schools, Topeka, Kans.
- Musical interlude by the Cuba City, Ky., High School Choir.
- Messages by the outgoing and incoming presidents.
- Adjournment.