## SYNOPSIS OF "KIWANIS IN ACTION, 1947"

A statistical review of activities sponsored by Kiwanis Clubs during 1947

#### ACRICULTURE

- 135,268 Farmers entertained at Kiwanis-Farmer Meetings.
  - 19,617 Workers secured for growing and harvesting crops.
    - 1,219 Local farm festivals sponsored.
  - 3,424 4-H Club, Future Farmers of America, and Junior Farmers activities sponsored.
  - 1,843 Soil conservation or drainage projects sponsored.
    606 Tree planting projects sponsored.

#### BUSINESS STANDARDS

- 1,476 Activities for better labor-management relations.
- 1,521 Activities on behalf of economy and efficiency in local government.
- 1,070 Industrial surveys conducted.
- 5,208 Members engaged in industrial surveys.
- 1,221 New industries or business organizations secured.
- 1,155 Activities on behalf of employment of physically handicapped.
- . 2,533 Physically handicapped employed.
- 21,819 Veterans assisted in re-employment

#### PUBLIC AFFAIRS

- \$6,665,605 Raised for Community Chest.
  - \$638,425 Infantile Paralysis funds raised.
- \$9,820,866 Raised for Cancer, Heart and other campaigns.
  - 38,505 Kiwanis members serving on boards of local agencies, such as Community Chest, hospitals, Safety Councils, Youth Organizations, etc.
    - 1,706 Safety, Traffic, and Courtesy Campaigns conducted.
    - 1,583 Public Forums held.
    - 1,524 "Get Out the Vote" Campaigns conducted.
    - 9.745 Kiwanians held public office.
    - 13,201 Veterans assisted in housing problems.
      - 1,953 Volunteers recruited for Armed Service.

#### SUPPORT OF CHURCHES IN THEIR SPIRITUAL AIMS

- 4,851 Religious events sponsored.
- 2,865 "Go to Church" campaigns conducted.
- 4,275 Special meetings held.
- 1.455 Lay preachers supplied for needy churches.
- \$13,192 Financial assistance to needy churches.
  - 9,979 Members teaching Sunday School classes.
- 71,590 Children provided religious education in schools, camps, etc.

# BOYS AND GIRLS WORK

645,242 Boys and girls visited club recreation centers.

741,436 Youths provided other recreation.

67,303 Boys and girls in Kiwanis camps.

2,099 Boy Scout, Cub Pack, Sea Scout, and Air Cadet Troops sponsored.

658 Girl Scout and Camp Fire Girl groups sponsored.

1,038 Baseball teams sponsored.

1,208 Other athletic teams sponsored.

730 Safety patrols sponsored.

3,666 Surveys on home and school conditions made.

3,369 Kiwanians served on School Boards.

### KIWANIS YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS

385 Key Clubs sponsored.

8,470 Members of Key Clubs.

38 Young Builders groups.

1 Circle K Fraternity sponsored.

#### UNDERPRIVILEGED CHILD

255,632 Luncheons provided for needy children.

265,862 Quarts of milk provided.

29,948 Needy families assisted.

25,912 Children given clothing.

116,193 Children examined or treated in clinics.

441 Activities on behalf of hard of hearing.

18,670 Children helped through hard of hearing activities.

7,959 Children aided in day nurseries.

32,506 Children aided in summer camps.

10,261 Juvenile delinquents aided.

18,386 Children given educational assistance.

#### VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE

266,053 Boys and girls counseled.

10,995 Kiwanians encouraged in counseling.

1,215 Industrial tours conducted.

24,660 Youths participating in industrial tours.

3,343 Scholastic awards presented.

53,487 Veterans counseled.