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Rotary was begun in Chicago on February 23, 1905. It was begun in Bangor on June 4, 1917. Paul P. Harris was the founder member of the parent club. Forrest D. Parker was the founder member of the Bangor club.

In founding Rotary, Harris, a Chicago lawyer, gathered several friends, each of a different occupation, to meet weekly. At first, the members of the new club met in rotation at their various places of business. This suggested the name Rotary. Later as the group grew larger and as other Rotary clubs were formed the practice of weekly luncheons at fixed restaurants was adopted.

In 1908 a Rotary club was formed in San Francisco, California. A third club was formed in Oakland, California, in 1909. The first club outside the United States was formed in 1910 at Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada. The International Association of Rotary Clubs, now Rotary International, began in 1912. There are now (September 1982) 19,827 Rotary clubs with total membership of 909,000 in 157 countries or geographical regions.

The basis of membership is one man from each business and profession in the community. You are a member of Bangor Rotary and only as such you a member of Rotary International. Actually it is your club that is the member of Rotary International. Rotary clubs in the United States and Canada and Mexico are organized into districts. Bangor Rotary belongs to District #779, which contains 57 clubs; 18 in Canada and 39 in the United States. Originally we were in district #1, progressing to numbers 2, 31, 8, 38, 193, and 185. It is the general practice of Rotary International to have clubs in North America (to) overlap state and national boundaries wherever practicable.

The Manual of Procedure of Rotary International contains a standard club constitution and by-laws. Clubs are expected to be governed by these. Bangor Rotary did at one time officially adopt the standard documents, but we have not kept up to date with such revisions as have come along and there is actually no Bangor club document representing constitution and by-laws. In general, though, we conduct our affairs in accordance with the official models and with the aid of the many Rotary International releases that are annually supplied to the officers and committee chairmen.

Incidentally, in case you have wondered, the reason why we annually elect officers several months in advance of July first when they are to assume office, is to allow Rotary International headquarters time to assemble before the beginning of the new Rotary year its huge world-wide directory of 19,827 clubs.

By 1917 when Rotary in Bangor was first thought of there were world wide 247 clubs with total membership of 27,000 individuals.

The Rotary Club of Augusta, Maine, was founded in 1916. Robert W. Pope, a member of that club, was the Augusta manager of Swift & Co. On February 2, 1917 Pope had as his guest Forrest D. Parker, Bangor manager of Swift & Co. Forrest saw what a good Rotary Club was like. Shortly after that Forrest talked in Boston with Charles Simons, New England sales manager for Swift, who was an enthusiastic Rotarian. Simons arranged with Forrest for him to talk with Lester P. Winchenbaugh, then Rotary District Governor. Winchenbaugh had already talked with several Bangor people about Rotary. Winchenbaugh delegated Forrest to interest a group in forming a club. On May 22, 1917 Winchenbaugh and Simons came to Bangor for a preliminary meeting at the Bangor House with the men Forrest had interested. Nine men were present. Through this preliminary work Forrest became the founder member. He died in 1954. He lived at 85 Wiley Street not far from where Lloyd Willey and Don Lowell now live. Forrest had a very fine iris garden.

The nine men who attended the preliminary meeting were enthusiastically in favor of founding a Rotary club in Bangor. The club was formally organized at a meeting at the Bangor House on the evening of June 4, 1917. (To locate yourself in time remember that the United States had declared war on the Kaiser's Germany on April 6, 1917.) At that meeting at the Bangor House on June 4, 1917 the Rotary Club of Bangor adopted by-laws and voted to hold meetings at luncheon every Tuesday. Twenty-six men were present. They are generally referred to as having been charter members, but by the time the charter was actually presented, on October 16, 1917, the club had 48 members. So you can take your choice as to whom you call charter members.


James A. Gannett -- Jim -- who died in 1976 at the age of 91, was the final survivor of those who attended the meeting of June 12, 1917. Jim was for many years registrar of the University of Maine at Orono. Later he was executive secretary of the Pulp and Paper Foundation.

At the organization meeting of the club the officers elected were:

President - Harry W. Libbey
Vice-Pres. - Henry W. Cushman
Secretary - William P. Nealey
Treasurer - Howard F. Sawyer

All of them were re-elected when the new club year began on July first. Libbey was president of the Charles Hayward Company. Subsequent officers through the years, and also directors since 1965, are listed in supplementary pages at the end of the club Handbook.

At the first luncheon meeting on June 12, 1917, thirty-three men were present. The entire board of trustees of the University of Maine at Orono was there. Samuel Wadsworth Gould of Skowhegan, chairman of the board, was speaker. Also there was Robert Judson Aley, the president of the university and a member of our club.

Six out of the thirteen men who have been president of the university have been members of the club. These were Aley, Little, Boardman, Hauck, Elliott, Neville, and Silverman. Boardman and Elliott were presidents of the club. During the spring freshet of 1925 the Orono contingent of members would have been cut off from attendance but for the fact that they brought along in the university truck a canoe to cross the Penjajawock Stream at the red bridge where they were met by a Bangor group headed by president Horace S. Stewart, with a car to pick them up.

The second luncheon meeting, that of June 19, was more routine than the first. The program was an appeal for funds for the Red Cross, then much in need of money for its war activities.

On July 10, Harold H. Hodge took over from Will Nealey as secretary. Hodge remained secretary for twenty-seven years, until his death in 1948 except for the year of 1936-37 when he was president. Somewhat of a dictator he always told the presidents what they should do; or more especially, what they should not do. They did not always obey. Harold used a bound, ruled blank book for his reports of the meetings which were always brief and punctilious. He had the attendance records, payments for lunch, and
dues records in another similar book unlike the card record that Steve Kennedy now keeps. Harold would sit at the entrance to the club dining room to check off the diners as they came in and to collect the lunch fee. He also collected the annual dues and sent out, on individual, confidential slips the notes of proposals for new members. One February day he fell on the ice as he walked up Main Street to the Bangor House and broke his right wrist. Fearing that if he reported to a doctor for treatment he would at once be sent to the hospital and thus lose his 100 percent attendance record, he continued to the meeting and with the broken wrist performed all his duties. During the lunches without regard for possible interruption of the speakers, Harold would wander about the dining room checking for possible errors in his door check of the attendance and collecting the luncheon fee for any member he had missed.

Good attendance, because it is the lifeblood of the club, is always stressed, but as ambitions rise and fall, so do good attendance records and the interest in compiling them. In the 1950s, 100 percent records were eagerly compiled. Fred Maxfield, the dentist, father of present member Carl Maxfield, was in that period an ardent one hundred percentert. Herschel Peabody was also a leader in the 100 percent category where he continues. Some people, just for the sake of not becoming a slave to the habit, would intentionally miss one meeting a year without making up. Harold Hodge's 100 percent record has already been mentioned in connection with his broken wrist. Don Higgins, father of present member Lee Higgins, was a great hundred percentert. When confronted with the necessity of an appendectomy he arranged for the operation to be so scheduled that by taking advantage of anticipation and make-up provisions he would not break his record. He scheduled the operation for June 9. On Tuesday, June 7, he went to the regular meeting. On Wednesday, June 8, he anticipated the Tuesday of June 14 which he would miss. He would also miss Tuesday, June 21. He planned to make that up six days later on Monday, June 27. June 27 would give him eighteen days to recover. He would go to our regular meeting on Tuesday, June 28. Perfect! But somehow on June 28 he did not feel peppy enough to go. But still he demonstrated the possibilities of anticipating and making up.

The largest meeting ever held was that of October 11, 1943 when Senator Owen Brewster of the Truman Committee to Investigate National Defense returned from his round-the-world trip to report on his observation of the war. Three hundred and twenty-five men were present, filling the main dining room of the Bangor House and overflowing into the hall, the English room, and the downstairs dining room which was connected by extension speakers. Felix Ranlett was president of the club on that occasion. Brewster had spoken also at an earlier meeting when he told of his experiences in Europe on another assignment by the committee. It was later in the same Rotary year that a large crowd gathered to hear Senator Robert Taft. Excitement was added to the affair by the fact that the small plane bringing Taft from Augusta to Bangor crashed on the ice of the Kennebec River and there was much anxiety for his safety. But he was unhurt and arrived at the meeting by auto only a few minutes late.

At the meeting of July 10, 1917 professor George Ware Stephens of the University spoke about crop conditions in the west. On August 14 of that first year librarian Charles Alcott Flagg, librarian of the Bangor Public Library, was the speaker. On August 21 Captain Stephen McDonough spoke about his experiences on a Navy submarine. (The club was at that time trying to get an Army camp assigned to Bangor.) William Jennings Bryan, the Secretary of State, famous for his opposition to the entry of the United States into the Great War, was the speaker on December 8. On December 31, 1918 Harry Lauder, the Scotch singer, and Mrs. Lauder were the guests. Lauder came again on January 15, 1924. Other big-name speakers in the early years were John Philip Sousa, the band leader and composer, and Billy Sunday, the fiery evangelist. The return of John M. O'Connell, Jr., managing editor of the Bangor Daily News and later president of the club, from his visit to the men at the front in France during World War II, where he was accredited correspondent, carrying everywhere the inquiry, "Anybody here from Maine?", was an outstanding affair.

The "D Day" invocation of May 6, 1944 by The Reverend Alan A. Bailie of All Souls Congregational Church, a member of the club, was of memorable eloquence. During the luncheon of November 20, 1963 the New Olympia movie theater on Union Street opposite the Bangor House dining room was burning down with great display of smoke and flames, and diners would rush to the windows at each new eruption of flame. Club member, city manager Joe Coupal, was the speaker at that day and he got a lot of fun out of remarking that never did a city manager have a better chance to demonstrate the efficiency of his fire department.

For many years the weekly meetings were held at the Bangor House. For several weeks following a fire there the club was invited to meet at the Tarratine Club and was happy to do so. Following the Bangor House the club met at Baldacci's new restaurant, now The Helm. Moving from there it was for some years at the Red Lion from which it moved on to its present location at the Holiday Inn Main Street. Members have occasionally invited the club to lunch at their establishments. Affairs of this sort were held at the Eastern Maine Medical Center, at the Mechanical Drive Turbine Department of General Electric on Griffin Road, at the W. S. Emerson Company's new plant in Brewer, and under president W. J. Moulton at the Bangor Theological Seminary of which he was president.

In the early days meetings at the summer residences of members were not uncommon. Fred Maxfield entertained at Winterport, Albert Bass at Bar Harbor and "King" Eldridge at Trenton. Evening meetings were once tried for awhile, but did not catch on.

Boy Scouting was first introduced into Bangor and Brewer through the activity of Bangor Rotary, which was instrumental in obtaining Arthur Marston as leader. His premature death was a blow to the community. In 1938 in cooperation with the Chamber of Commerce the club activated the Community Chest. Six of the first nine president of the Community Chest were Rotarians, starting with Harold Sanborn in 1938, Harry Trust in 1939, and Gordon Briggs in 1940. One member, Charlie Bragg, was twice president. The club was a large giver to the Eastern Maine Medical Center and to the Phillips-Strickland House. It has long promoted and encouraged Little League under the vigorous encouragement of Danny Webster.

The appearance of Rubinfon the violinist in Bangor on September 24, 1952, with members Dick Drummond, Carl Maxfield, Ed Boulter, and Alan Waterman in charge, was a successful but somewhat hectic fund raising affair. Dick Drummond in charge of ticket sales took the violinist round to many public schools as a "come-on" for the evening concert for adults. Dick's efforts properly to account for cash receipts were hampered by the practice of the violinist repeatedly to plunge his hand into the cash drawer. Dick had to pull out that hand on several occasions. Art Boulter when president in 1974-75 had a successful money-raising experience with the show. "Up With People". This same company returned later for another good show profitable both to themselves and the club.

Upon its formation Bangor Rotary was sponsored by the Boston, Massachusetts club. Old Town, which was chartered on November 9, 1927, and Ellsworth, which was chartered on February 24, 1950 were sponsored by Bangor, as was also Milbridge-Cherryfield in 1948. Lincoln was sponsored in 1948 by Old Town. Supporting that sponsorship we sent a large delegation to the charter night.

The club has had three district governors. Warren J. Moulton who was then president of the Bangor Theological Seminary, was governor for the year 1933-34 at which time we were a member of the 38th district. The conference was held in Bangor, as was the
conference of May 11-12, 1941 when another president of the Bangor Theological Seminary, Harry Trust, was governor. Present member Dennis J. Lombardi was governor in 1968-69.

The conference led by Harry Trust was held in Bangor, as Warren J. Moulton's conference had been. Lawrence H. Striley was club president; Wilfred A Finnegan, conference chairman; and Harold H. Hodge, conference secretary. Meetings were held at the Bangor House, the United Church parlor, the Penobscot Valley Country Club, and the old Bangor City Hall. A difficult incident of the conference, unhappily remembered, was the spontaneous confrontation of the principal speaker U.S. Senator Wayland C. ("Curly") Brooks by Harry Trust. Brooks was anti-war and he said that all the U.S. Navy could do was keep England alive while she was being torn apart from the skies and that that was not worth doing. Trust, who was a native of England, out of loyalty to England, challenged Brooks at great length. Long quoted by Bangor Rotarians was name dropper Mildred Buchanan Flagg who spoke at the women's luncheon.

Dennis Lombardi's conference was held June 5-7, 1969 at the Samoset hotel at Rockland. Paul H. McKenney was club president; Earl C. Banks, conference chairman; and Harold Nason, finance secretary. Lewis J. Unsworth of Trenton, N.J., as special representative of Rotary International, was the speaker at the governor's banquet.

Among special meetings to be remembered was the luncheon during Fred Maxfield's presidency, when Rotary International president Harry H. Rogers was the speaker, and that of October 15, 1971, when, Dave Fox being president of the club, International president Ernst G. Breitholz was the speaker at the Red Lion. Our own Twenty-fifth Anniversary meeting at the Bangor House on the evening of June 23, 1942 was held under the presidency of Charles R. Gordon and with former district governor Warren J. Moulton as speaker. When our Fiftieth Anniversary meeting was held on June 6, 1967 at the Officer's Club at Dow Air Force Base, George Chase's "German" Stamtisch Band performed. Felix Ranlett was asked to give a history of the club in ten minutes. Robbie Speirs clocked him at twelve minutes. The only appearance of Paul P. Harris, founder of Rotary International was on October 3, 1939. It was a regular luncheon of the club. It got generous press coverage, but the records of club secretary Hal Hodge simply said, "Oct. 3, 1939. The thirteenth meeting of the club year was held at the Bangor House with sixty members present. Paul P. Harris, founder of Rotary, gave a very interesting address." At the Seventy-fifth Anniversary of Rotary International Felix Ranlett gave the club a light story of the life of Paul whose early years were filled with amusing ups and downs quite in contrast to the father figure he was to assume later in life.

At various times in the past the club, which now sings very little, was known as a singing club. In the early days Harry Libby was songleader. Lew Porter in the late 1940s was a great songleader. But it is not often that such songleaders can be found, and without a leader singing does not take hold in spite of the efforts of various district governors to promote it. In our pianists for music at the luncheon meetings we have been most fortunate. Until his death in 1935 member Wilbur S. Cochrane, a professional musician, played for us. Norman Lambert, a pianist and accordianist, experienced as a broadcast artist and entertainer, has served as pianist for us almost continuously since Wilbur's death.

The custom of an invocation at each meeting was begun during the 1945-46 presidency of John O'Connell. In some years the invocations have been delivered for the most part by members of the clergy and in other years mainly by laymen.

The bulletin has long been important in maintaining the continuity of the club. Wilfred "Bill” Finnegan, versatile manufacturer, was for many years editor of "The Bangor Special", the club bulletin. At the Bangor Public Library can be found twenty-seven years of bulletins under this title and an additional twenty-seven under the present title, “Weekly Bulletin”. Upon Bill Finnegan's death Felix Ranlett took over with "Weekly Bulletin". Felix had it for five years, to be followed by Arol Charbonneau, John White, "Chuck" Perry, "Bob" Barrett, Ralph Farrar, Jr., Wendell Eaton, and the present editor "Dud" Utterback. The library file for all of this period is handsomely bound in thirty-five volumes and, of course, constitutes a detailed history of the club for fifty-four years. More history of the club is found in the large file of scrapbooks of newspaper articles about club meetings and about the activities of individual members and their businesses, all illustrated with many photographs. Leon Lippincott was compiler of the scrapbook. The original records of the secretary for meetings from June 4, 1917 to September 24, 1945 begin the club history as found in the public library.

Further history of the club is found in the public library set of club handbooks. In 1935, 1938, 1941, and 1945 the handbook was issued as a small bound volume with the same sort of data about each member as is found in the present loose-leaf handbook. The present handbook was first brought out by Felix Ranlett in 1947. He has carried it on in the same form ever since. The handbook as issued to each new member contains pages for each present member, but without pages for former members. As members leave the club the owner of a handbook is expected to transfer their pages to a separate section at the rear. The editor's file of pages of former members consists of four loose-leaf volumes containing a total of 766 pages in many cases repeating successive photos of the same member as he grew older.

Members are offered the opportunity to have their photos made by the club photographer and charged to their membership fee at no other cost to themselves. The Lenox Studio of Brewer is the present photographer. Thayer's Studio of Bangor did the job for many years previously. The editor of the Handbook supplies a copy of each photograph to the Bangor Daily News for its file of pictures of people likely to be in the news.

Members Donald S. Higgins, Abram L. Kirstein, and Fred E. Maxfield have been honorary members. Under the provision that the club may elect to honorary memberships of one year duration non-members who have rendered notable service to the community, Edward M. "Touchy" Short, captain of the Bangor Police Department, was elected in 1964-65. Other community leaders who were similarly honored were Lawrence M. Cutler, Robert N. Haskell and William C. Viner.

Particularly to honor individual members of the club for long-time service to the club, election to the Rotary Foundation of Rotary International as a Paul Harris Fellow is provided. Such election is accompanied by a donation by the club to the Foundation which helps to support the much-coveted Rotary Fellowships for study abroad. Paul Harris Fellows in the Rotary Club of Bangor are, in the order of their election, Felix Ranlett, Joe Dinsmore, Jr., (awarded by his former club, China Lake, California), Charlie Bragg, and Bob Kellogg.

Abram L. Kirstein, who was president 1935-36 and who maintained 100 percent attendance for thirty-two years, on his death in 1955, remembered the club by a bequest of $500.00 which is maintained in the treasurer's books as the Abram L. Kirstein Fund.

By L. Felix Ranlett
Joined September 1, 1936
Secretary 1945-51
Treasurer 1963-68
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BANGOR, MAINE
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