

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CENTRAL OFFICE	
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To the Secretary of Rotary International:

We, the undersigned president and secretary of the provisional Rotary Club of Hangchow, are pleased to inform you that on 22nd of April, 1948, this provisional Rotary club was organized and now seeks admission as a member club of Rotary International.

This club has seen and has adopted or agrees to adopt upon receipt the constitution for a Rotary club prescribed by convention of Rotary International for adoption by all member clubs of Rotary International. The club will adopt by-laws based on the by-laws recommended by Rotary International for a Rotary club, with the understanding that any deviation from the recommended by-laws will not be out of harmony with the provisions of the club constitution or the constitution and by-laws of Rotary International.

The officers of the club are as follows:

	Classification	Address
President: <u>Stephen D. Thurston</u>	<u>Institutions + Hospital</u>	<u>C.M.S. Hospital</u> <u>Hangchow China</u>
Vice-President: <u>Barn. E. Lee</u>	<u>Educational University</u>	<u>Hangchow Christian University, Za Chow China</u>
Secretary: <u>K. S. Wang</u>	<u>Association</u>	<u>Y.M.C.A. Hangchow China</u>
Treasurer: <u>D. D. Lao</u>	<u>Hotel</u>	<u>Lakeview Hotel</u> <u>Hangchow, China</u>
Board of Directors:		
<u>Gordon R. Gilbert</u>	<u>Education, School</u>	<u>Wayland Academy</u> <u>Hangchow, China</u>
<u>C. T. Tsai</u>	<u>Public Utility, Electricity</u>	<u>Hangchow Electricity</u> <u>Hangchow, China</u>
<u>W. H. Chiam</u>	<u>Social Worker</u>	<u>41 Western Dan-San Road</u> <u>Hangchow, China</u>
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This club agrees that it will meet once each week, even though it may not be possible to meet for luncheon or dinner. As soon as conditions permit the club will have its meetings in connection with luncheon or dinner.



The club agrees that it will adhere strictly to the classification principle of membership and that it will not admit members with classifications which duplicate those of other members of the club. A list of the members of the club, together with their classifications, and business and residence addresses is attached hereto.

If possible we desire that the number assigned to the former Rotary club in this city be assigned to this club.

We understand that no charter fee will be required and that per capita tax is to be paid to Rotary International, beginning 1 July, 1946, at a preliminary rate of the equivalent of fifty cents U.S. currency per semiannum, to be paid at the current rate of exchange, with the understanding that gradually as economic conditions improve the per capita tax will be increased until the club is paying to Rotary International at the then current rate of exchange per capita tax at the rate established by Rotary International for all Rotary clubs in the world.

The club desires to subscribe to "The Rotarian" for all its members; subscription rate \$1.00 U.S. currency per semiannum. (This clause is optional -- please delete if it does not apply.)

The club has (does not have) the charter issued to the former Rotary club in this city.

Steph. D. Sturton  
President

K. S. Wang  
Secretary

April 27, 1947  
Date

Regular weekly meetings are held:

Day Thursday  
Hour 12:30  
Place Y.M.C.A.

Recommended  
for readmission.  
C. I. W.



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Wayland Academy  
Hangchow, Chekiang

June 7, 1947

Dr. Chengting T. Wang, District Governor  
Rotary International  
261 Szechuen Road  
Shanghai

Dear Rotarian Wang:

We are sorry that there has been this long delay in getting the list of members with their classifications. L.S. Wang asked me this week if I would get them off to you. Here they are:

✓ D. D. Lau	- Hotels, Rosorts and Restaurants.
R John Curtis	- Hotels
R S. D. Sturton	- Religion
Frank Wood	- Protestant Churches
✓ B-en Lee	- Institutions and Hospitals
✓ G. A. Gilbert	- Hospitals
R C. T. Tsai	- Business Service
✓ K. S. Wang	- Accounting
✓ C. C. Shen	- Education
✓ F. C. Ley	- Universities
R W. H. Chien	- Education
✓ C. L. Chang	- Private Schools
✓ Woodson Wang	- Electrical Industry
✓ C. Y. Chang	- Electric Light and Power Service
✓ Y. C. Lui	- Associations
✓ W. H. Woo	- Y. M. C. A.
	- Government
	- Municipal Government Public Works
	- Government on
	- Provincial Government Administration
	- Associations
	- Charity Associations
	- Transportation
	- (Past Service)
	- Engineering
	- Marine Engineering
	- Government
	- Government Relief Administration
	CNRRA
	- Storage
	- Transfer and storage
	- Banking
	- Commercial Banking

You can see that we are making some growth and we have some more fellows lined up. Thank you for your patience with us.

Sincerely yours,

Gordon A. Gilbert,  
Assistant Secretary



# CLASS OF SERVICE

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JOSEPH L. EGAN  
PRESIDENT

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HANGCHOW CLUB REORGANIZED APRIL TWENTYTWO WITH STEPHEN  
DOUGLAS STURTON PRESIDENT AND KWEISUNG WANG SECRETARY STOP  
ALL RELAVENT PAPERS TO BE MAILED STOP ORIGINAL CHARTER LOST=  
CTWANG.



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CENTRAL OFFICE RECEIVED APR 23 1947	
AGS02	4/28
AGS10	4/25
AGS02	4/28

1946-1947 Board of Directors  
ADMISSION OF CLUBS  
Ballot-By-Mail No. 255  
Date Issued 23 April 1947

## ADMISSION OF NEW CLUB

SUBJECT: ADMISSION OF ROTARY CLUB AT Hangchow, China Dist. 96-7-8

An application for membership in Rotary International has been received from this Provisional Rotary Club

The following is a brief statement of its organization:

STATEMENT  
by  
SECRETARIAT:

Population of Community	Club originally
Survey Made and Approved	admitted 23 June ,
Number of Charter Members	1932. Charter No.
Date Club Organized	3525. Charter
By	cancelled 31 Dec.,
Sponsor Club	1943. Further
Assisted by	details on reorganiza-
	tion not yet available
	in central office.

The R.I. Secretariat hereby certifies that the application documents are in proper form (any exceptions are explained in an accompanying letter) and that this provisional Rotary Club has paid its charter fee and has indicated its intention to fulfill the obligations of a Rotary club.

The admission of this club is recommended by Dist. Gov. C. T. Wang

R. I. SECRETARIAT

By Philip Lovejoy

AGS02: Charter required.

COMMITTEES  
DECISION:

I hereby vote yes on this ballot. (Indicate your decision for the Board of Directors by inserting "yes" or "no" in the blank space.)

Signed by Secretary Lovejoy on behalf of President Hedke in accordance with special agreement.

R C Hedke  
Committee on Admission of Clubs

Date signed: April 23 1947



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(Name of club)

NOTICE *of* ADMISSION *to* MEMBERSHIP  
*in* ROTARY INTERNATIONAL  
*of the*

ROTARY CLUB *of* Hangchow, China (DIST. NO. 96-7)-8

*as of*

(date) 23 April, 1947

P.C.L.

23 April, 1947

Date

The charter number assigned to this club by AGS is:

Charter No. 3525



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## NOTICE OF ADMISSION OF THE ROTARY CLUB

OF

Hangchow, China  
(READMITTED CLUB)

Est. 96-7-8 Pop. 485,100  
(Dist. 97 after July 1st)

CHARTER NO. 3525

DATE ADMITTED: 23 April, 1947

NUMBER OF CHARTER MEMBERS: 16

MEETING DAY: Thursday

HOUR: 12:30

PLACE: YMCA

PRESIDENT:  
Stephen D. Sturton  
(institutions and hospitals)  
C.M.S. Hospital  
Hangchow  
China

SECRETARY:  
K. S. Wang  
(associations)  
YMCA  
Hangchow  
China

FORWARD PASS TO:

OD	TR	PO
600	900	500
330	C-62-0	200
CEO	MAO	BIO

DATE ORIGINALLY ORGANIZED:

11 April, 1931

DATE ORIGINALLY ADMITTED:

23 June, 1932

DATE CHARTER CANCELED:

31 December, 1943

DATE REORGANIZED:

22 April, 1947

GOVERNOR:

C. T. Wang

NUMBER OF SUBSCRIPTIONS  
TO "THE ROTARIAN":

CORRESPONDENCE—  
IF NOT IN ENGLISH  
SHOULD BE IN:

SIGNATURE: E.R.

DATE: 26 June, 1947