

# "I LIKE AMERICA"

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## Patriotic Address Made to Rotary by Prof. E. C. Buehler Today

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"I like America" was the basis of one of the finest patriotic addresses that Rotary has heard during its more than a quarter of a century of life in Lawrence. The address was given by Prof. E. C. Buehler, of the department of speech of the university.

It was an address which dwelt not alone on the vastness of the nation, on the richness of its fields, on the vitality and versatility of its citizens, or on the glory of its achievements, but on the inherent and all important values of the freedom won by our forebears, and instilled in us from childhood's early hours, thru our years in school, and in the very air we breathe, as citizens of a democracy founded upon the ideal of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

While dealing with many of the things which have made the United States great, Professor Buehler stressed particularly our manner of thought, of life, of vision, and of endeavor, which has given us freedom at home and has made us a lodestone to lead other nations to a greater fulfillment of human happiness.

The address was a masterpiece in delineating why one may love America, and might well be included in text books, to be used in the schools and colleges of the land.

At the close of the address Russell L. Wiley, of the school of fine arts, led the club in singing the Star Spangled Banner, the national anthem.

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