

86th Semiannual Convention and Exhibit

Advance Papers Program and Exhibit Directory



Statler Hilton Hotel, New York

October 5-9, 1959

The penultimate stage of Convention planning, represented in the *Journal* by publication of the Advanced Program together with a few last-minute suggestions, has arrived for the 86th Convention. This stage of planning is one of concern that no last-minute crisis occur to alter in even small degree the scheduling of authoritative papers on vital problems affecting the industry or the many plans for the instruction and entertainment of members and their wives. The Advance Program is, of course, subject to last-minute changes, additions, and shifts in schedule that may occur between the date of its publication and the opening day of the Convention—or even during the Convention—but at publication date, the Advance Program is as final and accurate as it can possibly be made.

Information on reservations and hotel rates was published in the August 1959 issue of the *Journal* (p. 550) and by now the postal announcement should have been received by all members. Members are urged to be prompt in making reservations.

The Awards Session, always an event of significance, is scheduled for Tuesday evening.

For the Ladies

The glitter and excitement of a wonderful week in New York will be highlighted by a sponsored tour of the United Nations Building which will include a luncheon in the Delegates Dining Room. This will be no ordinary luncheon of tired mackerel or stringy chicken, but a real gourmet's delight with a wide selection of dishes from which to choose. Hostesses for the luncheon and tour are May E. Tanney and Judith Hamburger. The sponsor is S.O.S. Cinema Supply Company. Transportation will be provided. In addition to the "fun" part of the excursion, members of the tour will have an opportunity to see and perhaps to meet some of the international celebrities whose names have made news—and history.

This is only one of the many entertaining events scheduled for Convention week. The "show will get on the road" with a Get-Acquainted Party, 4 to 5 P.M. Monday, courtesy of W. J. German, Inc., when the week's "fun program" will be discussed and choices made.

One of the scheduled tours no one should miss is the boat trip around Manhattan in a quaint "yacht-type" boat. It is really quite an experience to sail around the island and get a sort of "seagull's-eye" view of such areas as the Brooklyn Navy Yards, Wall Street, and the towering skyscrapers.

Other scheduled events include the traditional luncheon and fashion show (are they *really* going to wear skirts above the knees!), and movies and television shows for which passes will be available.

When sending your Reservation Card to the Statler Hilton, be sure that your name and return address are typed in the top left corner of the address side.



The United Nations from the East River

Outline of Program

Sunday

10:00-5:00 Registration

Monday

9:00 Registration
9:30 Cinematography
12:15 Get-Together Luncheon—Guest Speaker:
Edward P. Curtis
2:00 Business Meeting
2:15 Film Steadiness Symposium
8:00 Sound Recording and Reproduction

Tuesday

9:30 Space Technology and Image Sensing
1:30 Space Technology and Image Sensing
8:00 Presentation of Awards
Guest Speaker: Edgar M. Cortright,
Chief, Advanced Technology Program, National Aeronautics Space Administration

Wednesday

9:30 Equipment Papers and Demonstrations—see the
Exhibit Directory
1:30 Committee Meetings—see separate listing
6:45 Cocktail Party, Banquet, Dance

Thursday

9:30 Television Equipment and Practices
2:00 Television Equipment and Practices

Friday

9:00 CONCURRENT SESSIONS
Instrumentation and High-Speed Photography
Scientific and International Television
2:00 Video-Tape Recording