

news and reports

SMPTE Elections

Results of the 1962 elections were announced at the 92d Convention. Officers elected for the two-year term beginning January 1, 1963, are:

President: Reid H. Ray
Executive Vice-President: Ethan M. Stifle
Editorial Vice-President: Herbert E. Farmer
Convention Vice-President: Geo. W. Colburn
Secretary: Robert G. Hufford

Seven Governors were elected:

Eastern Region—Max Beard and Joseph T. Dougherty
Central Region—Kenneth M. Mason and James L. Wassell
Western Region—William E. Gephart, Jr., and Ralph E. Lovell
Canadian Region—Roger J. Beaudry

The Board of Governors held an election to fill the offices left vacant as a result of the Society Elections. The following were elected to fill the unexpired terms.

Financial Vice-President: Joseph T. Dougherty
Governor: Byron Roudabush (replacing Mr. Dougherty)

Chairmanship of the National Membership Committee has been filled by appointment of Edward A. Winkler by President John W. Servies to replace Mr. Dougherty.

These Section Officers and Managers, as announced in October, have been elected:

ATLANTA: *Chairman,* Edward E. Burris; *Secretary-Treasurer,* Lloyd A. Armbruster; *Managers,* Ralph Haburton, William H. White, Charles W. Wood.

CHICAGO: *Chairman,* Harold Kinzle; *Secretary-Treasurer,* Jack Behrend; *Managers,* Allen F. Hilliard, William A. Koch, Joel Willard.

DETROIT: *Chairman,* James W. Bostwick; *Secretary-Treasurer,* Richard O. Painter; *Managers,* Clifford Hanna, Edward C. Powles, Fred M. Remley, Jr.

HOLLYWOOD: *Chairman,* John Kiel; *Secretary-Treasurer,* D. J. White; *Managers,* Kenneth D. Erhardt, F. Alton Everest, James W. Kaylor, Fred J. Scobey.

HUNTSVILLE: *Chairman,* Donald Southard; *Secretary-Treasurer,* Karl LaRoche, Jr.; *Managers,* C. G. Allen, W. F. Bischof, J. O. Evans, W. G. LaPier, A. R. Miles, H. B. Seawright; *Manager ex officio,* S. H. Hobbs.

NASHVILLE: *Chairman,* William M. O'Rork; *Secretary-Treasurer,* Anton Pilversack; *Managers,* Jack C. Decker, G. Kenneth Futrell, Ralph L. Hucaby.

NEW YORK: *Chairman,* Arthur J. Miller; *Secretary-Treasurer,* Boyce Neme; *Managers,* J. S. Courtney-Pratt, Herbert L. DeGroot, Edward A. Winkler.

ROCHESTER: *Chairman,* Forrest A. Richey; *Secretary-Treasurer,* Bruce R. Beiswenger; *Managers,* Fred M. Emens, Robert C. Lovick, James B. Swain.

SAN FRANCISCO: *Chairman,* R. A. Isberg; *Secretary-Treasurer,* Harry N. Jacobs; *Managers,* Waldon S. Ball, George H. Shoemaker, Paul A. Williams.

SMPTE Business Meeting: New Rates for Dues and Subscriptions

The Society's Financial Advisory Committee in its deliberations and discharge of its duties has recommended an increase in membership dues. This proposal was approved by the Society's Executive Committee and Board of Governors and announced by President J. W. Servies, p. 673 of the September, 1962, *Journal*. The factors of cost increases since the dues rates established in 1955 and the work and service of the Society now being planned were the basis for asking the membership to vote a dues increase.

The proposed increase in annual membership dues was brought before the Business Meeting of the Society's membership held October 22, 1962, during the 92d Convention in Chicago. At this meeting the membership approved the following:

Effective January 1, 1963, annual dues for Fellow and Active Members, \$20.00; Associate Member dues, \$15.00. Student Member dues remain unchanged at \$5.00.

Subscription rate for the *Journal*, beginning January 1, is \$16.00 per year; and outside Continental United States, \$17.00. Single copy rates remain unchanged.

Association of Cinema Laboratories Elections

Saul Jeffee, President of Movielab, Inc., New York, is the newly elected *President* of the Association of Cinema Laboratories. He succeeds Byron Roudabush, Byron Motion Pictures, Washington, D.C. Other officers elected during the Association's Fall meeting in Chicago are: *Vice-President*, W. E. Gephart, Jr., President of General Film Laboratories, Hollywood; and (re-elected) *Treasurer*, Louis Feldman, Du Art Film Laboratories, New York; and (re-elected) *Secretary*, Dudley Spruill, Byron Motion Pictures, Washington, D.C.

93rd SMPTE Convention and Equipment Exhibit April 21-26, Traymore Hotel, Atlantic City, N. J.

ATLANTIC CITY, the East's most popular convention center, will provide an attractive setting for the Society's Spring 1963 Convention. The spacious facilities of the huge Traymore Hotel, just across the boardwalk from the Atlantic Ocean, are well adapted for a smoothly efficient convention operation with something of interest for everyone, including the ladies. New York, Philadelphia and Washington members are most likely already familiar with the advantages of this area as a meeting place. Those from farther afield will now have an opportunity to discover them.

The Chairman of the Local Arrangements Committee is **Arthur J. Miller**, Du Art Film Laboratories, Inc., 245 West 55 St., New York 19. Art is now busy setting up his subcommittees and has announced the first of these, the Exhibit Committee, which is under the chairmanship of **Dennis Kealey**, Reevesound, Inc., 35-54 36th St., Long Island City 6, N.Y. Printed information about the exhibit space available will be ready about the end of November; in the meantime those who plan to take advantage of the excellent opportunity for displaying equipment in this important convention center and want to be sure they are on the list to receive the information when it comes out would do well to register their interest with Dennis Kealey immediately.

The Program Chairman, **Henry Kozanowski**, Radio Corp. of America, Bldg. 10-3, Camden 2, N.J., sends us the reminder that the deadline for abstracts of technical papers to be submitted to Topic Chairmen or to the Program Chairman directly is February 4, 1963. The list of Topic Chairmen was published in the October *Journal*, p. 782.