

news and reports

Los Angeles Program

Planning for the 97th Conference papers program is moving ahead at a satisfying rate, with excellent prospects reported for significant papers in many of the Society's areas of interest. The Conference will be held March 28 - April 2, 1965, at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles.

The Program Chairman, **Dr. Richard J. Goldberg** (c/o Technicolor Corp., Research and Development Div., 2800 West Olive Ave., Burbank, Calif. 91505), has announced the addition of three Topic Chairmen to the list published in the September *Journal*. They are:

Motion Pictures and Television in Education: **Dr. Bernard R. Kantor**, University of Southern California, Dept. of Cinema, Los Angeles, Calif. 90007

New Materials and Processes: **George W. Boemler**, Kalvar Corp., 12345 Ventura Blvd., Suite J, Studio City, Calif. 91604

Rapid-Access Photography: **Dr. LeRoy M. Dearing**, L. M. Dearing Associates, Inc., 12345 Ventura Blvd., Suite R, Studio City, Calif. 91604

The deadline for Author Forms and Abstracts to be submitted is January 11. The Program Chairman has called for a supreme effort on the part of the Topic Chairman to observe the deadline date in order to ensure an outstanding program. At a recent meeting of the Topic Chairmen several commitments for papers were reported.

Author forms are available from the Topic Chairmen, from Dr. Goldberg and from Society Headquarters.

Equipment Exhibit

All signs point to another outstanding Equipment Exhibit. This Exhibit is under the chairmanship of **Warren Strang**, c/o Hollywood Film Co., 956 N. Seward St., Hollywood, Calif. 90038. It is interesting to note that the exhibit last spring in Los Angeles was the largest in the history of SMPTE Technical Conferences with 63 firms represented, many of whom had double or triple booths.

SMPTE Elections

Results of the 1964 mail ballot were announced at the 96th Technical Conference. Elected for the two-year term beginning January 1, 1965, were:

President: Ethan M. Stifle

Executive Vice-President: G. Carleton Hunt

Editorial Vice-President: Herbert E. Farmer

Conference Vice-President: Kenneth M. Mason

Secretary: Robert G. Hufford

Seven Governors were elected:

Eastern Region—Max Beard and Richard S. O'Brien

Central Region—William D. Hedden and James L. Wassell

Western Region—Herbert W. Pangborn and John M. Waner

Canadian Region—Rodger J. Ross

These Section Officers and Managers have been elected:

ATLANTA: *Chairman,* William H. White; *Secretary-Treasurer,* Harold M. Walker; *Managers,* B. M. Loden, Earl R. Ruckdeschel, Wilkes Straley.

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