

SOCIETY NOTES

The Fall Meeting.—The Arrangements Program prepared by Chairman W. C. Kunzmann is printed elsewhere in this issue.

At the suggestion of several members, a boat trip has been arranged for Wednesday afternoon, October 22nd, which will permit of informal get-togethers.

All members are urged to stay over until Thursday morning to witness the two-way television demonstration at the Bell Telephone Laboratories, Inc. The demonstration involves considerable expense and this exceptional opportunity should not be missed.

Authors are urged to forward short abstracts of their papers to the chairman of the Papers Committee, Mr. J. W. Coffman, Audio-Cinema, Inc., 2826-34 Decatur Avenue, Bronx, N. Y. These abstracts are urgently needed by the Publicity Committee.

Authors are warned that they must adhere rigidly to the time allotted for presentation which will usually not exceed 20 minutes. Remember that in this time it is not possible to present more than seven pages of double-spaced typewritten material on the usual 8½ in. by 11 in. page. Also remember that even the most experienced orators rehearse their speeches beforehand. Authors should rehearse and re-rehearse their material so as to make an efficient presentation.

If motion pictures are to be presented, the authors should make preliminary arrangements with Mr. H. Griffin, International Projector Corporation, 90 Gold Street, New York, N. Y., who will have charge of projection arrangements.

Your president will award a prize to the author who makes the most effective and efficient paper presentation.

The Ballot.—The following names appeared on the ballot for new officers.

- President: J. I. CRABTREE,
Research Chemist, Eastman Kodak Co.
F. A. BENFORD,
Research Physicist, General Electric Company
- Vice-President: E. I. SPONABLE,
Technical Director, Fox Film Corp.
W. C. HUBBARD,
Sales Agent, General Electric Vapor Lamp Company

- Secretary: J. H. KURLANDER,
Commercial Engineer, Westinghouse Lamp Com-
pany
E. R. GEIB
Assistant to Manager, Carbon Sales Division,
National Carbon Co.
- Treasurer: H. T. COWLING,
Motion Picture Engineer, Eastman Kodak Com-
pany
W. H. CARSON,
Vice-President, Agfa-Ansco Corp.
- Governors: W. C. KUNZMANN,
Sales Engineer, National Carbon Co.
F. C. BADGLEY,
Director, Canadian Government M. P. Bureau
O. M. GLUNT,
Assistant Apparatus Development Engineer, Bell
Telephone Laboratories, Inc.
M. C. BATSEL,
Chief Engineer, RCA Photophone, Inc.

The officers whose terms expire September 30, 1930, are as follows:

President	J. I. CRABTREE
Vice-President	H. P. GAGE
Secretary	J. H. KURLANDER
Treasurer	W. C. HUBBARD
Governor	W. C. KUNSMANN
Governor	H. T. COWLING

The Editor Manager.—The committee under the chairmanship of Mr. L. A. Jones appointed to report on the applicants for the position of editor-manager is in process of interviewing prospective applicants and will make recommendations to the Board of Governors at their meeting on September 22, 1930.

Historical Committee.—Your president has discharged the previously existing Historical Committee and has appointed a new one under the chairmanship of Mr. C. L. Gregory. The personnel of the committee is as follows:

C. L. GREGORY, <i>Chairman</i>	
E. W. ADAMS	G. E. MATTHEWS
M. CRAWFORD	T. RAMSAYE
C. F. JENKINS	F. J. WILSTACH

**FALL MEETING OF THE SOCIETY, HOTEL PENNSYLVANIA,
NEW YORK**

(October 20th to 23rd, inclusive)

The following committees and individuals will officiate during the convention.

Reception

W. C. KUNZMANN	W. C. HUBBARD	M. W. PALMER
J. W. COFFMAN	H. T. COWLING	W. WHITMORE
O. M. GLUNT	S. R. BURNS	A. N. GOLDSMITH
P. H. EVANS	A. S. DICKINSON	N. M. LAPORTE

Convention Registrars

W. C. KUNZMANN	K. C. D. HICKMANN
S. RENWICK	E. R. GEIB

Hostess to Convention

MRS. E. I. SPONABLE, assisted by
MRS. W. M. PALMER MRS. H. GRIFFIN
MISS DOROTHY P. HUBBARD

Banquet Arrangements

WILLIAM C. HUBBARD

Note.—Make your table reservations with Mr. Hubbard or at the Registration desk.

Tables for 8, 10, or 12 persons.

When making table reservations, kindly list the guests to be seated at your table which will greatly help our Banquet Committee in their seating arrangements.

Banquet Master of Ceremonies

To be announced in Final Program

Supervisors of Projection Equipment

CHARLES EICHORN, Local No. 306, New York M. P. M. O.
H. GRIFFIN, International Projector Corp.
HARRY RUBIN, Publix Theatres Corp.
A. L. RAVEN, Raven Screen Corp.
H. B. SANTEE, Electrical Research Products, Inc.
E. I. SPONABLE, Fox Film Corp.

Entertainment and Amusements

M. C. BATSEL, RCA Photophone, Inc.
LESTER B. ISAACS, Loew's, Inc.
J. S. MACLEOD, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Pictures

M. W. PALMER, Paramount Famous Lasky Corp.

J. H. SPRAY, Warner Bros. Pictures, Inc.

E. I. SPONABLE, Fox Film Corp.

Press and Publicity

W. WHITMORE (Chairman, S. M. P. E. Publicity Committee)
Electrical Research Products, Inc.

G. E. MATTHEWS, Eastman Kodak Company

J. R. CAMERON, Cameron Publishing Company

F. C. ELLIS, Eastman Kodak Company

Note.—This Committee together with Mr. H. T. Cowling, Chairman of the Membership and Subscription Committee will have headquarters in the Registration Room.

Transportation, Bulletins, Reservations, and Announcements

W. C. KUNZMANN

H. T. COWLING

N. D. GOLDEN

Official Photographers

CARL GREGORY, Cameraman, New York

F. C. ZUCKER, Cameraman, New York

Note.—Meeting Headquarters will be in the Salle Moderne on the roof of the Hotel Pennsylvania.

Registration Headquarters will be located on the foyer at the entrance of the Salle Moderne. Look for direction cards on your arrival at the Roof Garden.

Ladies' Headquarters will be located on the roof of the Hotel Pennsylvania, with Mrs. E. I. Sponable the hostess.

Garage accommodations will be available for members and guests motoring to New York at a \$1.50 rate per night, and a \$9.00 weekly rate. Day and night attendants.

Golfing privileges have been arranged at several country clubs in the vicinity of New York, and hotel guest cards can be obtained at the registration desk, by those who wish to play golf; the usual club course fee will be charged.

Tentative Program

MONDAY, OCTOBER 20th

8:30 to 10:00 A.M. Convention Registration, Roof Garden foyer, entrance to the Salle Moderne

10:00 A.M. Convention called to order, Salle Moderne

Address of Welcome—Major Edward J. Bowes, Managing Director,
Loew's Capitol Theatre, New York

Response by President, J. I. Crabtree

Report of the Secretary, J. H. Kurlander

Report of the Treasurer, W. C. Hubbard

Report of Convention Committee, W. C. Kunzmann, *Chairman*

Presentation of Papers

12:30 to 1:30 P.M. Luncheon

2:00 P.M. Meeting, Salle Moderne

Presentation of Papers

7:30 P.M. Monday Evening, October 20th

Get-together party of members and guests in Salle Moderne, admittance by your identification card. An exhibition of a selected film program of unusual interest.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21st

8:30 to 9:30 A.M. Registration

9:30 A.M. Meeting, Salle Moderne

Presentation of Papers

12:30 to 1:30 P.M. Luncheon

2:00 P.M. Meeting, Salle Moderne

Presentation of Papers

TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 21st

Open night for members' own recreation. A film program exhibition in the Salle Moderne is under consideration for those who prefer remaining at the hotel.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22nd

8:30 to 9:30 A.M. Registration

9:30 A.M. Meeting, Salle Moderne

Election of Officers and Presentation of Papers

12:30 to 1:30 P.M. Luncheon

This is the open afternoon of the Convention, and your convention committee has under consideration a boat trip around Manhattan Island. Announcements of the program for this afternoon's recreation will appear in the final program.

7:00 P. M. WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 22nd

S. M. P. E. Semi-Annual Banquet, Grand Ballroom, Hotel Pennsylvania.

Speakers, Dancing, and Entertainment

Note.—Procure your banquet tickets early at the Registration desk, also make your table reservations, listing your guests. Tables for 8, 10, or 12 persons. Banquet tickets will be collected at the tables.

The Banquet Master of Ceremonies and the speakers for the evening will be announced in the final program.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23rd

9:30 A.M. Meeting, Salle Moderne

Presentation of Papers

12:30 to 1:30 P.M. Luncheon

2:00 P.M. Meeting, Salle Moderne

Presentation of Papers

Open Forum

Discussion of location and plans for the 1931 Spring meeting.

Adjournment

Note.—The Papers Committee will have the fall meeting papers program ready for distribution to members early in October.

Convention Committee

J. W. COFFMAN

W. C. HUBBARD

M. W. PALMER

W. C. KUNZMANN, *Chairman*