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HEADQUARTERS

The Headquarters of the Convention will be the Edgewater Beach Hotel, where excellent accommodations and Convention facilities are assured. A special suite will be provided for the ladies. Rates for SMPE delegates, European plan, will be as follows:

One person, room and bath.....	\$3.00
Two persons, double bed and bath.....	5.00
Two persons, twin beds and bath.....	5.00
Parlor suite and bath, for two.....	10.00 and 12.00

Room reservation cards will be mailed to the membership of the Society in the near future, and every one who plans to attend the Convention should return his card to the Hotel promptly in order to be assured of satisfactory accommodations.

A special rate of fifty cents a day has been arranged for SMPE delegates who motor to the Convention, in the Edgewater Beach Hotel fireproof garage. Private *de luxe* motor coaches operated by the Hotel will be available for service between the Hotel and the Chicago Loop area.

TECHNICAL SESSIONS

An attractive program of technical papers and presentations is being arranged by the Papers Committee. All sessions and film programs will be held in the *East Lounge* of the Hotel.

APPARATUS EXHIBIT

An exhibit of newly developed motion picture apparatus will be held in the *West Lounge* of the Hotel, to which all manufacturers of equipment are invited to contribute. The apparatus to be exhibited must either be new or embody new features of interest from a technical point of view. No charge will be made for space. Information concerning the exhibit and reservations for space should be made by writing to the Chairman of the Exhibits Committee, Mr. O. F. Neu, addressed to the General Office of the Society at the Hotel Pennsylvania, New York, N. Y.

SEMI-ANNUAL BANQUET

The Semi-Annual Banquet and Dance of the Society will be held in the Ballroom of the Edgewater Beach Hotel on Wednesday, April 29th, at 7:30 P.M. Addresses will be delivered by eminent members of the motion picture industry, followed by dancing and entertainment.

INSPECTION TRIPS

Arrangements have been made for conducted tours of inspection to various laboratories, studios, theaters, and equipment and instrument manufactories in the Chicago area. Those firms who will act as hosts on these trips are:

Burton Holmes Films, Inc.	J. E. McAuley Manufacturing Company
Bell & Howell Company	Jam Handy Pictures Corp.
Chicago Film Laboratories, Inc.	Jenkins & Adair, Inc.
Da-Lite Screen Company, Inc.	National Screen Service, Inc.
Enterprise Optical Manufacturing Company	Western Electric Company
Herman H. DeVry, Inc.	Wilding Picture Productions, Inc.
Holmes Projector Company	Society of Visual Education

RECREATION

A miniature nine-hole golf course, putting greens, and regulation tennis courts, maintained by the Hotel, will be available to SMPE delegates registered at the Hotel. Details will be available at the registration desk. Special diversions will be provided for the ladies, and passes to local theaters will be available to all delegates registering.

PROGRAM*Monday, April 27th.*

9:00 a.m.	Registration Society business
10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Committee reports Technical papers program
12:30 p.m.	Informal Get-Together Luncheon for members, their families, and guests. Several prominent speakers will address the gathering.
2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.	Technical papers program
8:00 p.m.	Exhibition of newly released motion picture features and shorts.

Tuesday, April 28th.

10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Technical papers program
2:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.	Technical papers program
	The evening of this day is left free for recreation, visiting, etc.

Wednesday, April 29th.

10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Technical papers program
	The afternoon of this day is left free for recreation and for visits to the plants of various Chicago firms serving the motion picture industry.
7:30 p.m.	Semi-Annual Banquet and Dance of the SMPE: speakers and entertainment.

Thursday, April 30th.

10:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

2:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m.

Technical papers program

Technical papers program

Society business

Adjournment of the Convention

SOCIETY SUPPLIES

Reprints of *Standards of the SMPE and Recommended Practice* may be obtained from the General Office of the Society at the price of twenty-five cents each.

A limited number of reprints remain of the Report of the Projection Practice Committee (Oct., 1935) containing the projection room layouts, and "A Glossary of Color Photography." These may be obtained upon request, accompanied by six cents in postage stamps.

Copies of *Aims and Accomplishments*, an index of the *Transactions* from October, 1916, to June, 1930, containing summaries of all the articles, and author and classified indexes, may be obtained from the General Office at the price of one dollar each. Only a limited number of copies remains.

Certificates of Membership may be obtained from the General Office by all members for the price of one dollar. Lapel buttons of the Society's insignia are also available at the same price.

Black fabrikoid binders, lettered in gold, designed to hold a year's supply of the JOURNAL, may be obtained from the General Office for two dollars each. The purchaser's name and the volume number may be lettered in gold upon the backbone of the binder at an additional charge of fifty cents each.

Requests for any of these supplies should be directed to the General Office of the Society at the Hotel Pennsylvania, New York, N. Y., accompanied by the appropriate remittance.