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Headquarters

The headquarters of the Convention will be the Pennsylvania Hotel, where excellent accommodations have been assured and a reception suite will be provided for the Ladies' Committee. An excellent program of entertainment will be arranged by the hostesses.

Special hotel rates guaranteed to SMPE delegates, European plan, will be as follows:

One person, room and bath	\$3.50
Two persons, double bed and bath	5.00
Two persons, twin beds and bath	6.00
Parlor suite, one person	11.00 up
Parlor suite, two persons	13.00 up

Room reservation cards will be mailed to the membership of the Society in the near future, and everyone who plans to attend the Convention should return his card to the Hotel promptly in order to be assured of satisfactory accommodations. Consult your local railroad ticket agent with regard to coach and pullman rates.

Parking accommodations will be available to those who motor to the Convention at the fire-proof garage of the Hotel, at the rate of \$1.25 for twenty-four hours or \$1.00 for twelve hours, including pick-up and delivery at the door of the Hotel; weekly rate, \$7.50.

Technical Sessions

An attractive program of technical papers and presentations is being arranged by the Papers Committee. All technical sessions, apparatus symposiums, and film programs will be held in the *Salle Moderne* of the Hotel, on the eighteenth floor.

There will be no general Apparatus Exhibit, but those who have developed new equipment during the past year are invited to submit technical descriptions of it to the Papers Committee for possible inclusion in the Apparatus Symposium.

Registration

Registration headquarters will be located on the eighteenth floor of the Hotel at the entrance of the *Salle Moderne*, where the technical sessions will be held. Express elevators from the lobby will be reserved for the Convention. All members and guests attending the Convention *are expected to register* and receive their badges and identification cards required for admission to certain evening sessions of the Convention, as well as to various *de luxe* motion picture theaters that will honor the cards as courtesy admissions.

Luncheon and Banquet

The usual informal get-together luncheon will be held at noon on October 11th in the Roof Garden of the Hotel, and the semi-annual banquet and dance will take place on the evening of October 13th.

Addresses will be delivered by prominent members of the industry on both occasions. At the banquet the annual presentation of the SMPE Progress Medal and the Journal Award will be made, and the officers-elect for 1938 will be introduced. The banquet will conclude with dancing and entertainment.

Tickets for admission to the informal luncheon and the banquet may be obtained at the registration desk. Banquet tables reserved for 8, 10, and 12 persons.

Ladies' Program

An especially attractive program for the ladies attending the Convention is being arranged by Mrs. S. K. Wolf and Mrs. O. F. Neu, *Hostesses*, and the Ladies' Committee.

A suite will be provided at the Hotel, where the ladies will register and meet for the various events on their program. Further details will be published in a succeeding issue of the JOURNAL.

Entertainment and Diversion

Golfing privileges may be arranged at several country clubs in the vicinity of New York, as well as various tours to points of interest in and about the city. These arrangements may be made either at the Convention registration desk or through the management of the Hotel.