

SOCIETY ANNOUNCEMENTS

HOLLYWOOD CONVENTION

As the Hollywood Convention, announced in previous issues of the JOURNAL, will barely have ended by the time this issue goes to press, it will not be possible to include further details here. However, in the next issue of the JOURNAL will be published a complete account of the highlights of the Convention and the final program as followed at the meetings.

Abstracts of a majority of the papers were published in the April issue. A few additional abstracts are included elsewhere in this issue.

MID-WEST SECTION

At a meeting held in the meeting rooms of The Western Society of Engineers, Chicago, on March 28th, Mr. T. B. Sliz, patent engineer of Chicago, presented a talk on the subject of "Patent Engineering Relative to Motion Pictures."

Following the talk was an exhibition of 16-mm. sound pictures by Mr. Stevens, of the Cineculture Co., Chicago.

The meeting was well attended and a special meeting is being arranged for April.

ATLANTIC COAST SECTION

On April 6th a meeting of the Section was held in the Eastern Service Studios, subsidiary of Audio Productions, Inc., located at Long Island City, N. Y.

Mr. Frank Speidell, President of Audio Productions, Inc., gave an interesting lecture on the subject of "The Motion Picture in the East."

Groups of members were conducted through the various departments of the studios, including the Sound Department, the Camera Department, and the stages, where typical motion picture sets were viewed. Technicolor camera equipment was also exhibited. Considerable interest was shown in Mr. Speidell's lecture, and the tour through the various departments was very valuable as illustrating many of the points made in Mr. Speidell's talk.

The next meeting of the Atlantic Coast Section will be held on May 10th at the Hotel Pennsylvania, New York, at which time the following papers will be presented: "Television Studio Technic," by A. W. Protzman, "Television Lighting," by William C. Eddy. Messrs. Protzman and Eddy are engineers with the National Broadcasting Company.