

SOCIETY ANNOUNCEMENTS

FIFTY-FIRST SEMI-ANNUAL CONVENTION

**HOLLYWOOD-ROOSEVELT HOTEL, HOLLYWOOD, CALIF.
MAY 4th-8th, INCLUSIVE**

Plans for the approaching Convention at Hollywood are going forward rapidly and a very fine program of papers will be available. Nine sessions will be devoted to technical presentations, four of them in the evenings to make it possible for those to be present who are engaged at the studios during the daytime.

Details concerning the meetings will be found in another section of this issue of the JOURNAL. The Tentative Program listing the papers and presentations will be mailed to the membership of the Society about the middle of this month, together with hotel reservation cards.

Members who contemplate attending the Convention should not delay in returning their reservation cards, so as to be assured of satisfactory accommodations in the hotel.

ATLANTIC COAST SECTION

On February 19th, at a meeting held at the Hotel Pennsylvania, New York, Messrs. R. Blackinton Fuller and L. S. Rhodes of the Marsh Cinesound, Inc., presented a paper on "Procedural and Dimensional Practices for Production of 16-Mm Motion Pictures for Television Projection." A very interesting and lively discussion followed the presentation.

On March 19th at the New Yorker Hotel, Messrs. A. T. Williams and Wm. A. R. Reedy of the Weston Electric Instrument Corp., Newark, N. J., presented a talk on the "Characteristics, Design, and Use of Photoelectric Exposure Meters." The discussion was divided into two sections, the first covering the characteristics and design of present-day exposure meters, methods of calibrating meters, and the use of reflected rather than incident light as a criterion for exposure.

The second section was devoted to the practical uses of the photoelectric exposure meter, illustrated by slides in both black-and-white and color.

On April 16th, Mr. R. M. Evans of the Eastman Kodak Co., Rochester, N. Y., will present a paper on the present-day status of still-color photography, including Kodacolor, Minicolor, Kotavachrome, 35-mm Kodachrome, and Professional Cut Sheet. The place of the meeting will be announced shortly.

PACIFIC COAST SECTION

At a meeting held on March 10th on the new scoring stage of the RCA Manufacturing Co., at Hollywood, Mr. M. Rettinger, RCA Acoustical Engineer, pre-

sented a paper describing the changes made in the acoustical treatment of the stage for improved sound recording. Following this presentation, Mr. Olin Dupy of the Sound Department of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios discussed the use of mercury lamps in printers at the M-G-M Laboratory. The meeting closed with a presentation by Mr. Alston Rodgers of the Lamp Department of General Electric Company on "New Light-Sources in the Studios." His presentation was accompanied by a demonstration of the various light-sources.

ADMISSIONS COMMITTEE

At a recent meeting of the Admissions Committee, the following applicants for membership were admitted into the Society in the Associate grade:

BAUM, WM. J. War Dept. Theater No. 4 East Garrison, Camp Roberts, Calif.	MAAG, G. A. 609 West 115th St., New York, N. Y.
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BUNCHEZ, S. 130 West 46th St., New York, N. Y.	PERRY, B. F. National Film Board, Ottawa, Canada
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In addition, the following applicants have been admitted to the Active grade:

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