

FIFTY-FOURTH SEMI-ANNUAL TECHNICAL CONFERENCE

OF THE

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There will be no special or prearranged ladies entertainment program during the five-day 1943 Fall Conference. However, a reception parlor will be available in the Hotel where the ladies may meet daily. The ladies are cordially invited to attend the functions of the Conference.

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

Monday, October 18th

9:30 a.m. *Hotel Lobby*; **Registration.**

The program for the morning of this date will be announced later.

12:30 p.m. *Terrace Room*; **Informal Get-Together Luncheon** for members, their guests, and families. The luncheon program will be announced later.

Due to the hotel labor and food situation, it is imperative members procure their luncheon and dinner-dance tickets at the time of registering so that the Arrangements Committee may provide the necessary accommodations.

- 2:00 p.m. *Blossom Room*; **General Session.**
- 8:00 p.m. **General Session**; the location will be announced later.

Tuesday, October 19th

- 10:00 a.m. *Hotel Lobby*; **Registration.** Open morning.
- 2:00 p.m. *Blossom Room*; **General Session.**
- 8:00 p.m. **General Session**; the location will be announced later.

Wednesday, October 20th

- 9:30 a.m. *Hotel Lobby*; **Registration.**
- 10:00 a.m. *Blossom Room*; **General Session.**
- 2:00 p.m. Open afternoon for recreational program to be announced later.
- 8:00 p.m. *Blossom Room*; **SMPE Fifty-Fourth Semi-Annual Dinner-Dance.**
The program for the evening will be announced later. (Dancing until 12:30 a.m.; strictly informal business dress and uniforms only.)

Thursday, October 21st

- 10:00 a.m. Open morning.
- 2:00 p.m. *Blossom Room*; **General Session.**
- 8:00 p.m. **General Session**; the location will be announced later.

Friday, October 22nd

- 10:00 a.m. *Blossom Room*; **General Session.**
- 2:00 p.m. *Blossom Room*; **General Session.**
- 8:00 p.m. *Blossom Room*; **General Session and Adjournment.**

Conference Headquarters

The Pacific Coast Section Officers have selected the Hollywood-Roosevelt Hotel, Hollywood, Calif., as headquarters for the 1943 Fall Technical Conference with the following *per diem* rates guaranteed by the hotel management.

Room with bath, one person.....	\$3.85
Room, double bed, with bath, two persons.....	5.50
Room, twin beds with bath, two persons.....	6.60
Small suite, parlor, bedroom with bath, single or double occupancy.....	8.80

Room reservation cards will be mailed to the membership early in September, and should be returned immediately to the Hotel. All booked accommodations will be guaranteed when confirmed by the Hotel Management. Reservations are subject to cancellation at any time prior to the Conference.

Indoor and outdoor parking facilities will be available at the Hotel headquarters if desired.

The Conference registration headquarters will be located in the Hotel Lobby, and members and guests will be expected to register and receive their badges and identification cards. The registration fees are used to help defray the Conference expenses, and cooperation in this respect will be greatly appreciated by the Local Arrangements Committee.

The identification cards will provide admittance to all sessions at and away from the Hotel. They will be honored also at the following *de luxe* motion picture theaters on Hollywood Boulevard, in the vicinity of the Hotel: Fox West Coast *Grauman's Chinese* and *Egyptian* Theaters, *Hollywood Paramount*, *Hollywood Pantages*, and *Warner's Hollywood Theater*.

Eastern and Mid-western members who are planning to attend the 1943 Fall Conference should consult their local railroad passenger agent regarding train schedules, available accommodations, rates, and stop-over privileges *en route*. If a San Francisco stop-over is included in the trip to the West Coast, the Conference Committee suggests the Mark Hopkins Hotel on "Nob Hill." Reservations should be mailed to Mr. R. E. Goldsworthy, Assistant Manager of the Mark Hopkins.

Note.—The 1943 Fall Technical Conference is subject to cancellation if later deemed advisable in the national interest.

W. C. KUNZMANN
Convention Vice-President

IMPORTANT

Hotel reservation cards must be returned immediately. Otherwise the Hotel cannot guarantee accommodations.

Members intending to attend the Fifty-Fourth Semi-Annual Conference should make arrangements for their railroad accommodations immediately or at the latest one and a half months in advance of the Conference date.