

DAILY *Bulletin*

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41st ANNUAL CONVENTION

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

DETROIT, MICHIGAN, U.S.A.

Today's *Program*

REGISTRATION AND PRESENTATION OF CREDENTIALS

Hotel Statler, Wayne Room — 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

COUNCIL ON LEGISLATION

Hotel Book-Cadillac, Grand Ballroom—2 p.m.

Convention Prelude:

Masonic Temple Auditorium—8:20 p.m.

Concert by:

THE SCANDINAVIAN SYMPHONY

ORCHESTRA OF DETROIT

Address by:

PERCY HODGSON

President, Rotary International

For complete program details, refer to your Convention Program Booklet. All Plenary Sessions and Group Meetings will start exactly at the time scheduled. Play safe—BE EARLY!



Welcome to Detroit!

Cordial greetings to all Rotarians and members of their families in attendance at Rotary's 41st Annual Convention.

Your international officers warmly welcome you to Detroit. It is our sincere wish that your experiences here will be most enjoyable, profitable, and long remembered.

It is our hope that the Convention theme—"Service Is Our Business"—not only will be exemplified during these few eventful days we are together, but that it will continue to be a guide for us in a world so sorely in need of the ideals of Rotary and its program.

Let us all work together—making *service our business*—toward a lasting peace and better understanding among all men.

President, Rotary International

PRESIDENT HODGSON WILL SPEAK TONIGHT

President Perce Hodgson of Pawtucket, Rhode Island, U. S. A., will deliver the main address at tonight's prelude to Rotary's 41st Annual Convention. His subject will be "Milestones and Detours."

Perce is a member and Past President of the Rotary Club of Pawtucket and has served Rotary International as Director, District Governor, and as committee chairman and member.

He is President of the Parkin Yarn Mill of Pawtucket. Born in Bradford, Yorkshire, England, he received his early education in England, and completed his studies in textile schools in the United States.

In Pawtucket, Perce is a Director of the St. Andrew's School for Boys, the YMCA and Salvation Army, and a Past President of the Business Chamber. In Rhode Island, he is Vice-Chairman of the Development

Association, a Past Director of the Textile Association, and a Past President of the Federation of Craftsmen's Clubs. He is Chairman for Blackstone Valley of the U.S. Committee for Economic Development, and a former committee member of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce.

During his year as President of Rotary International, Perce Hodgson has travelled more than 200,000 miles in 79 countries to visit Rotary Clubs. Wherever he went, his untiring efforts, sincerity and friendliness brought honor and prestige to Rotary while strengthening the bonds of international friendship and good will.

He has been decorated by the governments of Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, France, Lebanon and Peru; and he has received an LL.D. degree from George Pepperdine College in Los Angeles, California.

Register and Receive Your Convention Badge Today

REGISTER TODAY
As Early as Possible!

An efficient battery of registration clerks will be on duty all day Sunday to take care of the thousands of arriving delegates and visitors.

REGISTER EARLY
And Get Your Badge!

The official badge must be worn in order to be admitted to all Convention functions.

REGISTRATION
Wayne Room, Hotel Statler

DON'T LOSE YOUR BADGE!

It is valuable. It is your passport to all functions. There is no provision for issuing duplicates.

Nominations for Director

By decision of the President of Rotary International, acting on behalf of the Board of Directors, the deadline for receipt of information concerning candidates for Director for publication in the *Convention Daily Bulletin*, has been set for 3:00 p.m., Monday, June 19.

Introducing— Your DAILY BULLETIN

With this first issue, we introduce *your Convention Daily Bulletin!* It will be distributed each morning before breakfast to some 30 Detroit hotels. Pick up your copy at the desk of your floor clerk or at the main information desk in the hotel lobby.

Complete details regarding the Convention program are contained in your Official Program booklet—but many important last-minute events will be covered in the *Daily Bulletin*.

Additional copies will be available at convenient points on the Ballroom Floor of the Hotel Statler.

Council on Legislation Meets Today

The Council on Legislation will convene today in the Grand Ballroom, Hotel Book-Cadillac, at 2:00 p.m.

Especially for the Ladies

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, at 1:00 p.m., the ladies will visit Greenfield Village and Edison Museum and attend a tea at Dearborn Inn, courtesy of the Ford Motor Co.

These trips are only for the ladies. Tickets must be obtained in advance—one trip for each lady only—at the Ladies Committee Booth, Ballroom Lobby, Hotel Statler.

Busses will leave from the Hotel Statler, Bagley Avenue entrance, at 1:00 p.m., and will return by 5:30 p.m.

Daily shopping tours have been arranged for the ladies. Those desiring to join these tours may do so at the Ladies Committee Booth.

The ladies are also welcome to join in the trips through the automobile factories. (See details elsewhere in this Daily Bulletin.)

Rotary Foundation Fellowship Forum

One of the highpoints of the Convention's First Plenary Session, which will be called to order tomorrow in the Temple Building at 1:50 p.m., will be the Rotary Foundation Fellowships Forum, participated in by Rotary Fellows from Brazil, Denmark, England and Switzerland, who are now studying in the U.S.A.

These four Rotary Foundation Fellows will describe some of their experiences and discuss some of the many benefits of the Fellowship program.

Since the program of Rotary Foundation Fellowships was established in 1947, in memory of the Founder of Rotary, Paul Harris, 195 Rotary Foundation Fellowships have been granted to students from 36 countries for study abroad as Rotary ambassadors of good will.

Past RI President S. Kendrick Guernsey of Jacksonville, Florida, U.S.A., will serve as moderator for the forum.

Rotary Radio Broadcasts

When the Rotary special train from Chicago arrived in Detroit yesterday afternoon, with some 400 Rotary International officials and members of their families, a special radio program was broadcast from the railroad station over Station WXYZ. Participating in the broadcast, which officially welcomed Rotarians to Detroit, were President Percy Hodgson and District Governors Nominee Ernest Bate of Melbourne, Australia; Hussein Fahmy Bey of Alexandria, Egypt; and Fernando D. Manalo of Baguio, The Philippines.

This morning, Tom Cashmore, Canon of Wakefield Cathedral in Wakefield, England, will preach at St. Paul's Cathedral, and the service will be broadcast over Station WWJ from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Tom is Vice-President of Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland.

From 12:30 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. today, four distinguished Rotarians will participate in a discussion program over Station WJR, entitled "In Our Opinion," which is one of the top radio forums in the Detroit area. Participants will be Director Nominee Roberto Alvarez Espinosa of Mexico City, Mexico; Director Curt E. Wild of St. Gallen, Switzerland; and District Governors Nominee V. N. Sundaresan of Cochin, Madras, India; and Tomotake Teshima of Tokyo, Japan.

On the "Minute Parade" over Station WWJ, from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m., Monday through Thursday, there will be special Rotary news and interviews.

Many other interesting Rotary radio and television programs are being arranged for Convention Week.

House of Friendship

The Detroit Convention Committee has set up a beautiful House of Friendship which will be a popular rendezvous for Rotarians, visitors, and their ladies during the Convention period. It is located in the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Statler. Be sure to visit it to renew old friendships and make new friends.

Busses to Masonic Temple Sunday Evening

Transportation from downtown Detroit to the Masonic Temple, for Rotarians attending the Sunday evening Prelude to the Convention, will be supplied by shuttle busses which will stop at regular intervals at the Hotels Detroit-Leland, Fort Shelby, Book-Cadillac, Statler and Tuller, starting at 7:45 p.m. Return trip will begin at 10:30 p.m. The signs on these busses will read "Hotels". The fare is 25c per person, each way.

Translator Sets for French and Spanish

Those who readily understand only French or Spanish may obtain an IBM receiver set for the wireless translator system for these languages at Convention sessions. These sets MUST be reserved at the Service-to-Clubs Booth in the Wayne Room, Ballroom Floor, Hotel Statler. They may be

picked up at the Masonic Temple Auditorium just before the Convention sessions.

Voting Delegates! Have Your Credentials Visaed

If you are a voting delegate, *immediately after you have registered*, please file your credentials with the Credentials Committee, in the Wayne Room, Hotel Statler.

Those Rotarians who have been chosen by their Clubs as delegates, or who have been chosen by any other Club to serve as its proxy, must present their credentials and voting delegate's card to the Credentials Committee for visa and obtain their delegate button before they will be entitled to vote. Your right to vote can be established only by the display of your delegate badge and your delegate card, *visaed by the Credentials Committee*.

It will facilitate the work of the Committee if delegates will make certain, before presenting their cards, that their name appears on the voting delegate's card as well as on the credentials certificate.

Scandinavian Symphony Orchestra



Tonight, at 8:20 o'clock, in the Masonic Temple Auditorium, there will be a concert by Detroit's 75-piece Scandinavian Symphony Orchestra. This orchestra is unique in that it is composed entirely of amateurs—carpenters, decorators, salesmen, professional men, housewives—who play for the enjoyment of it. Even their conductor, Vienna-born Eduard Werner, though once a professional conductor, became a lawyer many years ago. He is also Vice-

President of the Detroit Federation of Musicians.

It is the policy of the Scandinavian Symphony Orchestra to give young musicians an opportunity to develop their talents. It is also noted for its policy of introducing some new music, at its concerts, which has never been performed before in America.

The orchestra has just recently completed a five-week tour of the Scandinavian countries.

Tom Cashmore to Preach at St. Paul's Cathedral

Tom Cashmore, Canon of Wakefield Cathedral and Canon Missioner in the Church of England Diocese of Wakefield, England, will preach at St. Paul's Episcopal Cathedral this morning. The service will be broadcast over Radio Station WWJ from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. St. Paul's Cathedral is located at Woodward and Hancock.

Tom is Vice-President and President Nominee of Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland, and is a member of the European, North African and Eastern Mediterranean Advisory Committee of Rotary International.

Tuesday Evening Entertainment

Rotarians will have their choice of two features for Tuesday evening's entertainment:

The famed Orpheus Club of Detroit of 50 male voices will present a very excellent program at the Masonic Temple Auditorium, at 8:30 p.m. Tickets for this performance are not necessary—your Convention badge will admit you.

A limited number of complimentary reserved tickets are available for the baseball game between the Detroit Tigers and the Washington Senators at 8:30 p.m., at Briggs Stadium, which is ten minutes by taxi from the Hotel Statler.

Each person who registered received either a pink or a blue slip. These slips MUST be exchanged for baseball tickets, at the Entertainment Committee Booth, Ballroom Lobby, Hotel Statler, as follows: *Pink Slips*—Monday, between 9:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m., only; *Blue Slips*—Tuesday between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m., only.

NO EXCHANGES ON SUNDAY. DO NOT LOSE THESE SLIPS. THERE ARE ONLY 2,600 TICKETS AVAILABLE.

**REFER TO YOUR
OFFICIAL PROGRAM BOOKLET
FOR DETAILS AS TO
MEETING PLACES AND TIME**

For Advance Registrants

Please present your receipt to the Registration Committee in the Wayne Room, Hotel Statler, to obtain your Convention Badge and Program Book.

Those who have not registered in advance may do so in the Wayne Room, provided they can show evidence of their right to attend the Convention.

Ribbon Badges Where to Get Them

Rotary International officials, present and past district governors, and others who have not as yet received their official ribbon badges, may get them at the office of Convention Manager, Room 1371, Hotel Statler.

"The Youth Hub"

—That's short for the "Hub of Friendship for Youth." This beautiful rendezvous has been planned especially for the young people who are attending the Convention. Here will center many youth activities—good music, dancing, entertainment.

The Youth Hub, for those in their late teens and early twenties, is in the Ivory Room, adjoining the House of Friendship, in the Hotel Statler.

On arrival, these young people are urged to register at the Youth Hub and obtain their program of events for youth. Special features have been planned for Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Mail—Post Office

If the folks back home have not been advised as to your hotel, perhaps letters are awaiting you at the Convention Post Office in the Oak Room Foyer, Ballroom Floor of the Hotel Statler. Other post office facilities are also available.

Reception for Rotarian Mayors

The Hon. Albert E. Cobo, Mayor of Detroit, will hold a reception on Tuesday morning for all Rotarians in attendance at the Convention who are mayors.

For information regarding this reception, Rotarian Mayors may contact Spencer Hagen in the Rotary Press Bureau, Room 1370 in the Hotel Statler.



WALTER R. JENKINS is our genial Song Leader. He has served Rotary International as District Governor, and has been Song Leader at 20 Rotary International Conventions, including those held in Austria, Brazil, Canada, Cuba, France and Mexico. A Rotarian since 1919, he is a former member of the Rotary Clubs of Portland, Oregon, and Memphis, Tennessee, and is now a member and Past President of the Rotary Club of Houston.

Walter has been Musical Director of the First Methodist Church of Houston, Texas, since 1930. He was born in Lancashire, England, has been a Chatauqua lecturer, song leader and baritone soloist for Billy Sunday, and he has made numerous appearances with the Memphis Symphony Orchestra and the Houston Symphony Orchestra.

Moonlight Boat Cruise

The steamers "St. Clair" and "Columbia" have been reserved for the exclusive use of Rotarians and their guests for the moonlight boat cruise on the beautiful Detroit River and Lake St. Clair.

The boat will depart from the docks at the foot of Woodward Avenue on Monday, at 8:30 p.m. The docks are approximately 10 blocks from the Hotel Statler.

You will receive a free ticket for this boat ride at the dock by showing your Convention badge.

Visits to Automobile Plants

Rotarians wishing to visit automobile plants, please notify the Automobile Committee immediately after registering. Visits to the various automobile plants will be on Tuesday and Wednesday. Special busses will leave from the Hotel Statler at 9:00 o'clock on Tuesday and Wednesday. Contact John Mack in the Automobile Committee Booth, Ballroom Lobby, Hotel Statler.

Local Transportation

In addition to the Automobile Committee Booth, which is located in the Ballroom Lobby in the Hotel Statler, the Automobile Committee will have representatives at Hotels Barlum, Madison-Lenox, Wolverine, and Briggs, to offer any assistance or advice relative to transportation in Detroit.

For taxicabs, Rotarians may call Checker Cab, Woodward 3-7000, or Radio Cab, TEmple 3-1200. When calling these cab companies, please mention the fact that you

are a Rotarian. They have promised special service to Rotarians.

Alabama Breakfast

A breakfast for Rotarians from Districts 238 and 239 will be held at 8:00 a.m., sharp, in the Wolverine Room, Hotel Wolverine, Monday, June 19. Tickets must be secured *in advance* from District Governor Jim Rankin, at the Hotel Statler.

District No. 215 Breakfast

District No. 215 will have a breakfast on Tuesday at 8:00 a.m., at the Hotel Wolverine. Tickets for the breakfast were distributed before this Convention within the District, but a few are still available. Rotarians and guests from District 215 may purchase tickets from Don B. Nichols, District Governor Nominee, at the Hotel Statler.

"S. S. Uruguay" Breakfast

A reunion breakfast for passengers on the "S. S. Uruguay" to Rio and Buenos Aires (1948 Convention) will be held Wednesday, 8:00 a.m., June 21, in Parlor F, Hotel Statler.

Please register at the Information Booth in the Ballroom Lobby, Hotel Statler, or leave reservation with Karl Knapp at the Hotel Statler or with Cloyes Collins at the Hotel Book-Cadillac.

District 150 Luncheon

Governor Ezra Crane requests that Rotarians from the 150th District (Hawaii) meet in the lobby of the Hotel Statler at 12:15 Monday noon for the district luncheon.

Rotarian Newspaper and Radio Representatives

All Rotarians in the newspaper, radio and television fields attending the Convention are cordially invited to visit the Convention Press Bureau in Room 1370, Hotel Statler.

The staff members from the RI Secretariat on duty in the Press Bureau will be glad to give every possible assistance in the preparation of Convention news copy.

Rotarian Telephone Representatives

Rotarians Ben Marsh and Bill Shane of the Michigan Bell Telephone Company would like to see visiting Telephone Company Rotarians in their headquarters at the Hotel Statler. All telephone people are invited to drop in at any time to get acquainted.

Church Services — Sunday, June 18th

For the convenience of Rotarians and visitors, there are listed below some of the principal churches of Detroit:

BAPTIST

WOODWARD AVENUE
Corner of Winder Street
10:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

CATHOLIC

CATHEDRAL OF MOST BLESSED SACRAMENT
Woodward Avenue at Belmont
6:00, 7:30, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 a.m., and 12:30 p.m.

ST. ALOYSIUS

Washington near State Street
6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

ST. JOSEPH

Orleans at Gratiot Avenue
8:30, 10:30 a.m., and 12:00 and 1:00 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

FIRST

Cass and Hancock Avenues
11:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

CONGREGATIONAL

FIRST

Woodward Avenue at Forest
11:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

CHRISTIAN

CENTRAL WOODWARD

Woodward Avenue at Josephine
10:50 a.m.

EPISCOPAL

ST. JOHN'S

Woodward Avenue at Vernor Highway
8:00 and 11:00 a.m.

ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL

Woodward Avenue at Hancock
8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 a.m.

LUTHERAN

TRINITY

Gratiot Avenue at Rivard Street
11:00 a.m.

METHODIST

CENTRAL

Woodward Ave. at Grand Circus Park
10:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN

FIRST

Woodward Avenue at Edmund Place
10:30 a.m.

FORT STREET

Fort Street at Third Street
11:00 a.m.

LATTER DAY SAINTS

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST

5858 Fourth Street
11:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.

UNITARIAN — UNIVERSALIST

CHURCH OF OUR FATHER

Corner of Forest and Cass Avenue
10:30 a.m.

UNITY

DETROIT

11:00 a.m., at Detroit Institute of Arts;
8:00 p.m., Maccabees Building, 5057 Woodward