

DAILY Bulletin

TUESDAY
JUNE 20, 1950

41st ANNUAL CONVENTION

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

DETROIT, MICHIGAN, U.S.A.

Today's Program

9:30 a.m.—COUNCIL ON LEGISLATION

Hotel Book-Cadillac, Grand Ballroom

Ibero American Assembly

Group Assemblies: Club Service—Community Service

International Service—Service to Youth

Club Publication Editors

**1:00 p.m.—For the Ladies and Young People—
Trip to Greenwich Village and Edison Museum**

1:50 p.m.—SECOND PLENARY SESSION

Masonic Temple Auditorium

Preliminary Reports of Credentials and

Registration Committees

Address by:

W. WALTER WILLIAMS

Chairman, Committee for Economic Development, U.S.A.

**Presentation of Past Presidents
of Rotary International**

Musical Interlude

COOLEY HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT CHOIR

Detroit, Michigan, U.S.A.

Address by:

H. ROE BARTLE

Boy Scout Executive, Kansas, City, Missouri, U.S.A.

Address by:

EDGAR A. GUEST

Detroit Newspaperman

6:30 p.m.—British Commonwealth of Nations Dinner

8:30 p.m.

Concert by:

THE ORPHEUS CLUB OF DETROIT

Baseball Game:

DETROIT TIGERS VS. WASHINGTON SENATORS



J. EDD McLAUGHLIN is a charter member (1928) and Past President of the Rotary Club of Ralls, Texas, U.S.A. He has served Rotary International as Director and District Governor. He is Chairman of the 1950 Convention Committee.

Edd is Vice-President and Director of the Security State Bank and Trust Company of Ralls, a Director of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, Texas, and joint proprietor of "The McLaughlins" land holdings and investments. He is a Past President and Director of the Ralls Chamber of Commerce, Finance Chairman and member of the Executive Council of South Plains Area of the Boy Scouts, and a Director of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society.

Council on Legislation Meets Today

The Council on Legislation will convene today in the Grand Ballroom, Hotel Book-Cadillac, at 9:30 a.m.

Ibero-American Assembly

The Ibero-American Assembly will be held at 9:30 a.m. today, in the Jade Room, Hotel Detroit-Leland.

"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.

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.

Take the Convention To Your Club

Rotarians planning to report this Convention to their fellow Club members may find the following suggestions helpful:

Daily Bulletin: Keep copies of this publication, which is distributed each morning during the Convention.

Detroit Newspapers: Clip and save items and pictures that you will find each day in the Convention city newspapers.

A Brief Report of the Convention: This will be sent to 1950-51 Club Presidents and Secretaries, to present and past RI officers, and to others who request it, shortly after the Convention. It will contain names of new officers of Rotary International, a review of the events for each day, and Convention action on proposed legislation.

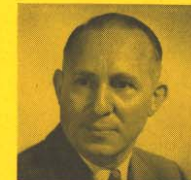
The Rotarian: The August issue of this magazine will feature the highlights of the Convention. The August issue of *Re vista Rotaria* and the Fall issue of *Le Rotarien* will contain similar reports in Spanish and French.

Convention Proceedings: One copy of this 225-page complete story of the Convention will be sent without charge to each Rotary Club. Copies for your personal library may be ordered from the Secretariat at \$2.50 each.

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

W. WALTER WILLIAMS, Chairman of the Committee for Economic Development, will address the Convention this afternoon. He is a member and Past President of the Rotary Club of Seattle, Washington, U.S.A. In recognition of his many services to the community, he was awarded Seattle's "First Citizen" plaque in 1945.

Walter Williams is a member of the Board of Trustees of the International Y.M.C.A., a member of the Council of the International Chamber of Commerce and a Director of the American Association for the United Nations and President of the Seattle Chapter of that Association. He has served as State Chairman for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, and as Chairman of his State Defense Council.



In the August Rotarian—

You'll find the story of the Convention in word and picture. Your copy will be there shortly after your return home. You have marked the trail of our busy reporters by the flash bulbs which have been popping everywhere. Not all of these pictures will get into the magazine, nor all of the words that have been written, but those selected will give you a "quickie" of many happenings. Look for your copy of the August "Rotarian."

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.

Care of Children

Parents needing assistance in the care of children should visit or telephone the Ladies Committee Booth on the Ballroom Floor, Hotel Statler.

Rotarians—Visit Canada!

Canadian Rotarians cordially invite you to visit Canada. Windsor is only a few minutes and a 10c bus fare from Detroit.

Citizens of the U. S. A. need no documents for entry into Canada other than some means of identification. Citizens of all other countries, however, should consult the Overseas Committee in the House of Friendship, before making the trip.

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, TEmples 3-1200. When calling these cab companies, please mention the fact that you are a Rotarian. They have promised special service to Rotarians.

Play Safe!—Be on Time!

All plenary sessions of the Convention, the group assemblies, and the vocational craft assemblies will start promptly on time as scheduled in your Official Program Booklet. A Convention of the large proportions of this 41st annual meeting of Rotary International must move according to schedule. Play safe! Be on time!



H. ROE BARTLE, who will address the Convention this afternoon, has been a member of the Rotary Club of Kansas City, Missouri, U.S.A., since 1929, and is a Past President of that Club. He has served Rotary International as District Governor and as a committee member.

Roe Bartle has been Chief Scout of the Boy Scouts of Kansas City for more than 20 years, and he is President of Missouri Valley College of Marshall, Missouri. He was one of the founders of the Juvenile Improvement Association of Kansas City, and founded the American Humanics Foundation, to endow education for youth leaders. He is an active worker in behalf of mental aid for youth in need of this assistance. In 1940, he was named "Kansas City's Distinguished Citizen" by the American Legion of Kansas City.

Information Booth

The Information Committee has its headquarters in the Ballroom Lobby, Hotel Statler.

Visitors' Index: Rotarians wishing to locate others attending the Convention may do so through the Visitors' Index maintained at the Information Booth.

Golf: Golf enthusiasts can obtain information about their favorite sport at this Booth.

Sightseeing Tours: Those desiring to purchase sightseeing tickets may do so from established companies, whose tickets are sold at the transportation desks in the principal downtown hotels.

Automobile Club Extends Courtesies

Visiting Rotarians will be extended special courtesies by the Automobile Club of Michigan, located at 139 Bagley.

Maps and other travel information will be provided Rotarians who are traveling in cars. Those desiring this information should be able to identify themselves as Rotarians.

Rotary Stickers for Cars

Rotarians having their own cars may obtain Rotary windshield stickers at the Automobile Committee Booth, Ballroom Lobby, Hotel Statler.

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.

If the Game Is Called Off

In the event of rain and the baseball game scheduled for Tuesday evening cannot be played, your ticket or rain check can be exchanged at the ball park for the Wednesday afternoon game, June 21.

If you are not able to attend the game on Wednesday, your ticket or rain check may be returned to the Entertainment Committee Booth, Ballroom Lobby, Hotel Statler. Refunds will be turned over to the Detroit Rotary Club Youth Center.

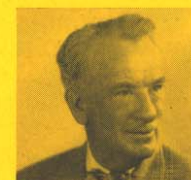
House of Friendship

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.

EDGAR A. GUEST, "America's Beloved Poet," who will address the Convention this afternoon, has been a member of the Rotary Club of Detroit for 37 years.

Eddie Guest is President of the Boys' Club of Detroit and is a Trustee of the Civic Light Opera Association. He gives freely of his time in speaking to Rotary, church and civic groups.

Eddie Guest came to America as an English boy of nine, in 1890. At 14, he went to work as an office boy for the *Detroit Free Press*. Later he became cub reporter, police reporter and finally he had his own daily column, starting it off each day with a new poem. In his 40 years of writing, Eddie Guest has written some 10,000 poems, and more than 3,000,000 copies of his books of poems have been sold.



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.

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.

Especially for the Ladies

At 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, (for ladies holding YELLOW tickets), and Wednesday, (for ladies holding GREEN tickets), 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.)

Take Home a Copy—

The latest of Rotary's family of magazines—"Le Rotarien," the new French edition—has made its debut this month. If you have studied French, and would like to "brush up" on this language, you'll enjoy reading "Le Rotarien." Your local school teachers will appreciate receiving a copy for the classes in French. At any rate, you'll want to get acquainted with "Le Rotarien" at the Magazine Booth on the Ballroom floor in the Hotel Statler, where sample copies are available. Subscriptions may be entered there.

Nominees and Candidates for Nomination as Directors of Rotary International for 1950-51

Ballotting for Candidates (as may be necessary)
Wednesday, 8:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

The 1950-51 Board of Directors of Rotary International, which will assume office on 1 July, will be composed of the following: the President, the Immediate Past President, one Director from Canada, one Director from Great Britain and Ireland, five Directors from the U.S.A., and five Directors from other regions.

The four Directors Nominee named by the present Board of Directors are:



Name: **Roberto Alvarez Espinosa**
Club: **Mexico City, Mexico**
Classification: **Architecture**

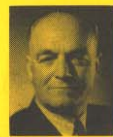
How many years a Rotarian: 25
Present position in Rotary: None
Positions held in Rotary in past:
Member, Credentials Committee, 1933-34;
Member, Election Arrangements Committee for 1940 Convention;
Governor, 23rd District, 1940-41;
Chairman, Extension Committee for Ibero America (northern region), 1944-45;
Member, Credentials Committee for 1945 Convention.



Name: **Heikki H. Herlin**
Club: **Helsinki-Helsingfors, Finland**
Classification: **Elevator Manufacturing**

Name of firm: Kone Osakeyhtio
Position with firm: Manager and Chairman of the Board
How many years a Rotarian: 14
Present position in Rotary:
Chairman, European, North African and Eastern Mediterranean Advisory Committee;
Member, Nominating Committee for President in 1950-51

Positions held in Rotary in past:
Governor, 69th District, 1947-48;
Member, European Consulting Group, 1947-48;
Member, Extension Committee, 1948-49;
Member, European, North African and Eastern Mediterranean Advisory Committee, 1948-49.



Name: **Harold T. Thomas***
Club: **Auckland, New Zealand**
Classification: **Furniture Retailing**

Name of firm: The Maple Furnishing Company, Ltd.
Position with firm: Chairman of Directors
How many years a Rotarian: 26
Present position in Rotary: None
Positions held in Rotary in past:
Governor, 53rd District, 1944-45;
International Service Member, Aims and Objects Committee, 1948-49;
Chairman, International Affairs Committee, 1948-49.



Name: **Helgi Tomasson**
Club: **Reykjavik, Iceland**
Classification: **Mental Hospitals — Psychiatry**

Name of firm: State Hospital for Mental and Nervous Disease
Position with firm: Medical Superintendent
How many years a Rotarian: 15
Present position in Rotary:
Member-at-large, and Alternate Member, European, North African and Eastern Mediterranean Advisory Committee
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*Rotarian Harold T. Thomas of Auckland, New Zealand, was nominated by the Board to serve for the two-year period, 1950-51 and 1951-52. Rotarian Curt E. Wild of St. Gallen, Switzerland, is serving as Director for the two-year period, 1949-50 and 1950-51.

Positions held in Rotary in past:
Governor, 74th District, 1946-48; Member, European Consulting Group, 1946-48;
Alternate Club Service Member, Aims and Objects Committee, 1948-49;
Member, European, North African and Eastern Mediterranean Advisory Committee, 1948-49.

Director Nominee from Canada:



Name: **William R. ("Bill") Macarthur**
Club: **Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada**
Proposed by: **The Rotary Club of Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada**

Classification: Oil Refining
How many years a Rotarian: 30
Present position in Rotary: None
Positions held in Rotary in past:
President and chairman of various committees of his Club;
Director and President, Rotary Club of Calgary, Alberta, Canada;
Governor, 116th District, January-July, 1947.

Director Nominee from Great Britain and Ireland:



Name: **Percy Reay**
Club: **Manchester, England**
Proposed by: **The Rotary Clubs of Great Britain and Ireland**

Classification: Men's Clothing Manufacturing
Name of firm: Percy Reay & Co., Ltd.
Position with firm: Managing Director
How many years a Rotarian: 26
Present position in Rotary:
Member, 1951 Convention Committee;
Member, European, North African and Eastern Mediterranean Advisory Committee.

Positions held in Rotary in past:
Member, RIBI Board, 1937-38;
Member, Aims and Objects Committee, 1937-38;
Member, RIBI General Council, 1938-39;
RI Representative, 1939-43;
Alternate Member, European Advisory Committee, 1939-41;
Alternate Vocational Service Member, Aims and Objects Committee, 1944-45;
Vice-Chairman, Election Arrangements Committee, 1947 Convention.
Vice-President, RIBI, 1947-48;
Member, European, North African and Eastern Mediterranean Advisory Committee, 1948-49;
President, RIBI, 1948-49.

NOTE—Only four Directors in the U.S.A. are elected each year, one for a period of two years. The Director from Zone 2, William C. Rastetter, Jr., of Fort Wayne, Indiana, was elected by the 1949 Convention to serve for the two-year period, 1949-50 and 1950-51. Therefore, there is no candidate from Zone 2 this year. The candidate from Zone 3, elected at the 1950 Convention, will serve for the two-year period, 1950-51 and 1951-52. The candidate from Zone 5 is unopposed.

Directors Candidates from the United States of America:

ZONE 1



Name: **M. W. (Pic) Larmour**
Club: **Graham, Texas**
Proposed by: **Rotary Club of Graham, Texas**

Classification: Motion Picture Theaters
How many years a Rotarian: 24
Present position in Rotary:
Director, Chairman of Club Service Committee, member of Rotary Information Committee, Boy Scouts Committee of his Club;
Club publication editor.

Positions held in Rotary in past:
Director, Secretary-Treasurer, President, member and chairman of many committees of his Club;
Governor, 127th District, 1943-44;
Member, RI Adjustment from War to Peace Committee, 1944-45;
Member, District Finance Committee, 1943-47;
Member, District Advisory Committee, 1944-50.



Name: **George E. Worster**
Club: **Los Angeles, California**
Proposed by: **Rotary Club of Los Angeles, California**

Classification: Taxicab Service
How many years a Rotarian: 17
Present position in Rotary: Member, Extension Committee, 1949-50.
Positions held in Rotary in past:
President, Vice-President, Director and Sergeant-at-Arms of his Club;
Governor, 107th District, 1945-46;
Community Service Member, Aims and Objects Committee, 1946-47;
Chairman, District Vocational Service Committee and Member, District Finance Committee, 1946-48.

ZONE 3



Name: **Edward V. Long**
Club: **Bowling Green, Missouri**
Proposed by: **Rotary Club of Bowling Green, Missouri**

Classification: General Law Practice
How many years a Rotarian: 16
Present position in Rotary: None
Positions held in Rotary in past:
President of his Club, 1938-39;
Governor, 135th District, 1942-43;
Member, Credentials Committee, 1943 Convention;
Member, Constitution and By-Laws Committee, 1943-44;
Chairman, Findings Committee, Rotary Institute, 1948.



Name: **W. Ed. Wiggins**
Club: **Pascagoula, Mississippi**
Proposed by: **Rotary Club of Pascagoula, Mississippi**

Classification: Drugs—Retailing
How many years a Rotarian: 15
Present position in Rotary: Chairman, Club Service Committee of his Club
Positions held in Rotary in past:
President of his Club, 1946-47;
Governor, 141st District, 1947-48;
Chairman, Community Service Committee and member of board of directors of his Club, 1945-46.



Name: **Lester B. "Bottles" Wikoff**
Club: **Lexington, Missouri**
Proposed by: **Rotary Club of Lexington, Missouri**

Classification: Private Schools
How many years a Rotarian: 24

Present position in Rotary: None
Positions held in Rotary in past:
President and Secretary of his Club;
Chairman, District Conference, 1933;
Governor, 14th District, 1936-37;
Member, Youth Committee, 1946-47.

ZONE 4



Name: **J. Cleve Allen**
Club: **Coral Gables, Florida**
Proposed by: **Rotary Club of Coral Gables, Florida**

He is a senior active member of his Club. (Former classification: Furniture Retailing)
How many years a Rotarian: 16
Present position in Rotary: Member Extension Committee, 1949-50;
Chairman, Dixie Dinner, 1950 Convention
Positions held in Rotary in past:
President, Elberton, Georgia, Rotary Club, 1938-39;
Governor, 165th District, 1940-41;
Director of his Club, 1946-48;
President of his Club, 1947-48;
Chairman, "Nieuw Amsterdam" Dinner, 1949 Convention.



Name: **Ralph E. Hill**
Club: **Louisville, Kentucky**
Proposed by: **Rotary Club of Louisville, Kentucky**

He is a senior active member of his club. (Former classification: Education—Universities)
How many years a Rotarian: 27
Present position in Rotary: Member, Hospitality Committee of his Club
Positions held in Rotary in past:
President, Rotary Club of Somerset, Kentucky, 1923;
President of his Club, 1932-33;
Member, Board of Directors and chairman and member of many committees of his Club;
Governor, 161st District, 1947-48.



Name: **James I. Keller, Jr.**
Club: **Miami, Florida**
Proposed by: **Rotary Club of Miami, Florida**

Classification: Accounting Service
How many years a Rotarian: 22
Present position in Rotary: None
Positions held in Rotary in past:
President of his Club, 1941-42;
Director of his Club for four years;
Chairman, Finance, Classifications and Rotary Education Committees of his Club;
Governor, District 167B, 1947-48.

Director Nominee from the United States of America:



Name: **H. V. ("Van") Churchill**
Club: **New Kensington, Pennsylvania**
Proposed by: **Rotary Club of New Kensington, Pennsylvania**

He is a senior active member of his Club. (Former classification: Analytical Chemistry)
How many years a Rotarian: 12
Present position in Rotary: Member, Rotary Foundation Fellowships Committee, 1949-50
Positions held in Rotary in past:
President of his Club, 1938-39;
Governor, 176th District, 1946-47;
Alternate Vocational Service Member, Aims and Objects Committee, 1947-48;
Vocational Service Member, Aims and Objects Committee, 1948-49.

Convention Program Book

Additional copies of the Convention Program Book may be obtained at the Information Booth, Ballroom Lobby, Hotel Statler.

District 215 Breakfast

District No. 215 Rotarians are reminded of the breakfast this morning at Hotel Wolverine (on Elizabeth Street one block east of Woodward) at 8:00 o'clock. Admission by ticket only.

Group Discussion Assemblies

Today, at 9:30 a.m., there will be group discussion assemblies for Club Service, Community Service, International Service, Service to Youth and Club Publication Editors.

Please consult your Convention Program Book, pages 24 to 28, for time, place and other details.

Meeting District No. 225

There will be a meeting of Rotarians from District No. 225, Wednesday, at 9:00 a.m., in Parlor A, Tuller Hotel. All Rotarians from District 225 are requested to be present.

U.S.A. Dinner No. 3

There are only a few more tickets available for the U.S.A. Dinner No. 3, to be held in the India Room, Hotel Detroit-Leland, Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. If you wish to attend this dinner, please get your ticket NOW!

British Commonwealth of Nations Dinner

At 6:30 this evening, the British Commonwealth of Nations Dinner will be held in the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Book-Cadillac.

About Your Magazine

The Magazine Booth on the Ballroom floor of the Hotel Statler is where you can get the answers for questions about your Magazine—"The Rotarian" (in English), "Revista Rotaria" (in Spanish) and "Le Rotarien" (in French). There you will find not only interesting displays and literature about the various editions of your Magazine, but you will also find magazine staff members anxious to answer inquiries about such things as "Fourth Object" subscriptions, bound volumes, indices, Club Magazine Committees, and, surprisingly enough, even about advertising in the Magazine!

PLEASE NOTE:

ALL DINNER TICKET SALES STOP AT NOON ON TUESDAY.

Change of Meeting Place

The meeting room for Vocational Craft Assembly "Insurance" on Wednesday will be held in the Judge Woodward Room, 2nd Floor, Hotel Statler, instead of Parlor B, Hotel Tuller, as listed in the Convention Program Book.

Presentations to Host Club

Rotarians desiring to present flags or other gifts to the Rotary Club of Detroit may do so at 5:00 p.m., *today* in the House of Friendship, Ballroom Floor, Hotel Statler.

P.E.O. Breakfast

On Wednesday, at 8:30 a.m., there will be a P.E.O. breakfast at the Detroit Athletic Club. Those attending, please use the ladies' entrance.

Transportation to Baseball Game

The baseball game between the Detroit Tigers and Washington Senators is called for 8:30 p.m., tonight, at Briggs Stadium, which is a 10 or 15 minute ride by cab from the loop hotels. After the game, there will be busses at the stadium to bring you *down town*. (These special busses will not travel to outlying hotels.)

Busses to Masonic Temple

Transportation from downtown Detroit to the Masonic Temple, for Rotarians attending this afternoon's Plenary Session 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 1:15 p.m. Return trip will begin at 4:15 p.m. The signs on these busses will read "Hotels". The fare is 25c per person, each way.

Similar transportation service will be furnished for the Orpheus Club Concert this evening—bus service starting at 7:45 p.m., and the return trips beginning at 10:15 p.m.

Dance for the Young People

From 2:00 to 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, there will be a tea dance at the Detroit Yacht Club for the young people attending the Convention. Swimming will also be available at the Yacht Club.

Busses will leave the Hotel Statler, Bagley Avenue entrance, at 1:30 p.m.

For further details inquire at the Youth Hub, Ivory Room, Hotel Statler.

Lost and Found

If you have lost anything, you may find it at the Information Committee Booth, Ballroom Lobby, Hotel Statler. Also, please turn in, at this same Booth, any articles you may find.

Cooley High School Choir to Sing

At this afternoon's Second Plenary Session, there will be a musical interlude by the Cooley High School Choir of Detroit. The choir, composed of 75 voices, is directed by Mrs. Ferne Robinson.

This concert is presented through the courtesy of Rotarian Fowler Smith, head of the Music Department of the Detroit High Schools.

President's Ball

At 9:00 p.m. on Wednesday, there will be a reception and ball in honor of President and Mrs. Hodgson, in the Masonic Temple.

There will be special bus service for the ball for those living at down-town hotels. Rotarians wishing to use this means of transportation may board busses, marked "Hotels," at the loop hotels beginning at 8:30 p.m. Return trips will begin at 12:00 midnight, continuing until 1:30 a.m. Fare will be 25c per person, each way.

The Oldest Club President?

The Rotary Club of Emporium, Pennsylvania, U.S.A., believes that their President, Dr. George Metzger—86 years young and going strong—is the oldest Club President. Any challengers to this record?

Vocational Craft Assemblies

One of the tremendously fine features of every Rotary Convention is the vocational craft assemblies.

At this Convention, some 38 craft assemblies are being held simultaneously Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. in various hotels. For complete information about the meetings, see your Official Program Booklet.

New methods, technical problems, vocational practices—all these are discussed by Rotarians with practical experience. Don't miss these meetings!

Helpful Hint! For Your Report

Most Club delegates will have the responsibility of reporting this Convention back to their Clubs. A helpful hint would be to keep a complete set of this *Daily Bulletin* annotated in the margins with your own notes. There will be five issues—Sunday through Thursday.

For the Young People

On Tuesday, there will be a trip for the young people to Greenfield Village and Edison Museum. Those desiring to take this trip may secure tickets in advance at the Youth Hub, in the Ivory Room, Hotel Statler.

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

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.

The Orpheus Club of Detroit



The Orpheus Club of Detroit was born in September, 1900, with a charter membership of 16 leading church and concert singers. Since that time, it has become famous among the choirs of the nation.

The Orpheus Club is under the direction of Dr. W. Lloyd Kemp, a graduate of the University of Michigan School of Music and an outstanding organist and director. Prior to becoming Director of the Club, Dr. Kemp was for ten years a member of the bass section and official accompanist for the Club.

In addition to two formal concerts each year, the Orpheus Club has appeared with signal success as guest artist with the Detroit Symphony, in concert in many cities in the U.S.A. and Canada, and on national radio programs.

Two Detroit Rotarians have long been associated with the Club and are now numbered among its RAMS (*Retired Active Member*, with 10 years of active service). They are Edward H. Burlage, President of the Orpheus Club in 1914, and C. Herbert Peterson, Vice-President from 1931 to 1933.

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.

Appareil Téléphonique Portatif

Les personnes qui comprennent seulement le français ou l'espagnol peuvent obtenir des appareils téléphoniques portatifs pour la traduction des discours prononcés dans ces langues aux séances du Congrès.

On peut réserver ces appareils au Secrétariat du R.I. dans le Wayne Room de l'Hotel Statler. On peut obtenir ces appareils à la Salle du Congrès à l'ouverture de chaque séance.

Telefonos Portatiles Para Traducciones

Las personas que únicamente entienden español o francés pueden solicitar un receptor telefónico portátil en el mostrador para atender a los clubes y gobernadores de Ibero América y del Hemisferio Oriental que se encuentran en el Salón Wayne, en el piso del Salón de Baile, del Hotel Statler.

Con las tarjetas que reciban en este mostrador podrán recoger los aparatos en el Auditorio del "Temple Building" poco antes de las sesiones de la convención.

"S. S. Uruguay" Breakfast

A reunion breakfast for passengers on the "S. S. Uruguay" to Rio, Santos, Montevideo, Sao Paulo and Buenos Aires (1948 Convention) will be held Wednesday, 8:00 a.m., 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 236 Breakfast

All delegates from District No. 236 are invited to attend a breakfast at the Hotel Statler on Wednesday at 7:30 a.m. Those interested, please meet in the hotel lobby.

PLEASE NOTE: Citizens of Countries Other than Canada, Mexico, U.S.A.

Before leaving the U.S.A., you must obtain a "sailing permit" (tax clearance) from an office of the Bureau of Internal Revenue. Two of these offices are located at—

Detroit—Post Office Bldg., Lafayette and Shelby, Room 348. Hours: 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

New York City—292 Madison Avenue. Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Your passport and ticket for your destination will be required.

The Overseas Committee in the House of Friendship will give advice and furnish preliminary blanks.

Air—Rail—Bus Transportation

The Transportation Committee in the Wayne Room, Hotel Statler, is equipped to assist those Rotarians who have not yet made arrangements for their air or rail transportation home. The Transportation Committee Booth is open from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Information regarding transcontinental bus service may be obtained from the Transportation Desk in the Hotel Statler.

It is suggested that you avoid the rush and make your transportation arrangements as soon as possible.

Arrange to Have "Brief Report" Mailed to You

The "Brief Report" of the Convention will be ready for mailing within the next few days. A copy is mailed to each Rotary Club, but any delegate attending the Convention may have a copy mailed direct to him upon application at the Service to Clubs booth, Wayne Room, Ballroom Floor, Hotel Statler.