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## Third Annual Meeting: June 10, 11, 12, 1957

At the Third Annual Meeting of ANS at the Penn-Sheraton Hotel in Pittsburgh, five simultaneous sessions consisting of 255 papers were presented in three very full days, with special trips to the Shippingport Power Reactor on Sunday and again on Monday. There were 1310 registrants, of whom 550 were members of ANS, 728 were non-members, and 32 were ladies, a record attendance for ANS meetings. The Society's thanks are extended to W. E. Shoupp, General Chairman of the meeting, H. E. Walchli, in charge of Local Arrangements, the members of the Pittsburgh Local Section of ANS, and Westinghouse Electric Corporation, who served as local hosts, for an excellent meeting.

### New Officers For 1957-1958

By a mail ballot, with results reported at the Third Annual Business Meeting on June 10th, the following officers were elected for 1957–1958:

President, L. J. Haworth, Brookhaven National Laboratory Vice President, T. G. LeClair, Commonwealth Edison Company Treasurer, M. A. Schultz, Westinghouse Electric Corporation Editor, J. G. Beckerley, Schlumberger Well Surveying Corpn.

# Second Winter Meeting: October 28, 29, 30, 31, 1957

The Second Winter Meeting will be held in New York concurrently with the Atomic Industrial Forum's annual meeting and the Trade Fair at the Coliseum. ANS headquarters will be at the Henry Hudson Hotel; technical sessions will be held at both the Henry Hudson and at the Coliseum on October 28, 29, and 30; a joint "Conference on Reactor Safety" will be sponsored on October 31st by ANS, the Atomic Industrial Forum, and by the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission.

J. G. Luntz, of Nucleonics, is General Chairman of the meeting; George F. Jenkins, of Union Carbide Nuclear Company, is in charge of Local Arrangements; Clarke Williams, of Brookhaven National Laboratory, is Program Chairman; and the New York Metropolitan Section will be local hosts for the meeting.

#### Local Sections and Student Branches

The Board of Directors, at its June meeting in Pittsburgh, took favorable action on the petition for the formation of a Chicago Section of the American

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Nuclear Society. Eight local sections and four student branches are now in existence:

Local Sections: Chairman

Chicago Bernard I. Spinrad Eastern Idaho W. E. Nver New York Metropolitan Clarke Williams Northeastern New York W. R. Kanne Nor. Carolina-Virginia M. C. Edlund Northern California R. H. Graham Pittsburgh E. I. Goodman Southern California Sidney Siegel

STUDENT BRANCHES: Sponsor President

Air Force Institute of H. J. Price Capt. G. R. Crane
Technology
Iowa State College Glenn Murphy L. E. Burkhart
New York University Lyle Borst Stephen Falken

The Pittsburgh Section was a gracious host on June 11th at a Section representatives' breakfast, attended by delegates from six local sections and by several national officers and members of the Board of Directors. Preliminary plans were made for the establishment of an Intersectional Committee, which would aid the members in intersectional activities, programs, membership work, and various other activities. The next meeting of the Intersectional Committee will be held at the New York Meeting in October.

H. J. Gomberg

J. L. Shapiro

#### Membership

University of Michigan

Membership has been climbing steadily during the life of the Society, with a definite upswing in 1957. In six ballots between January 1 and July 31, a total of 658 new members were elected. A number of students have been added through the four student branches, and several students have been reclassified to other grades of membership. There have been two member deaths since the Society was founded, and a few resignations due to changing interests. On July 31st, a breakdown of membership shows:

| Members           | 1810 |
|-------------------|------|
| Overseas Members  | 90   |
| Associate Members | 104  |
| Affiliates        | 47   |
| Student Members   | 145  |
| Total             | 2196 |

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Approximately 200 applications for membership are now being reviewed by the Admissions Committee.

## The 1958 Nuclear Congress

The 1958 Nuclear Congress will be held in Chicago on March 17–21, 1958. The Congress is sponsored by over 30 leading engineering and scientific societies, and coordinated by the Engineers Joint Council. The American Nuclear Society is one of the sponsoring societies. Information on registration, reservations and details of local arrangements can be obtained by writing to the Executive Secretary's office.

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