

NALLD/ACTFL Meeting: The NALLD Southern Regional Meeting was held in conjunction with the ACTFL meeting in New Orleans. The meeting was an unqualified success as it was "standing room only" for the two speeches given. The audience indicated its interest by engaging in a lively discussion following the presentations. Those of you who missed the meeting can read the speeches in this issue of the Journal.

Resignation: Tom Goldsworthy has submitted his resignation as a member of the executive board and as editor. Tom's contribution to NALLD as its founding father and as a motivating force in its continued growth is well known and greatly appreciated by the membership.

Directory: The American Language Lab Directory has been received at the Publication Center from the editor, Mr. LaMarr Kopp. The Directory has been delayed in release due to the time required in transferring the material to stencils for duplication. At the meeting in New Orleans Dr. Kopp publicly expressed his thanks for the work done by the regional editors of the Directory.

Position Wanted: College or University Language Laboratory Director with or without teaching of German/Latin or library assignment.

Experience: Professional librarian, high school and college teacher,

assistant to the language laboratory director. Member of

several professional organizations.

Languages: German, Latin, Ancient Greek, Russian. (French and

Spanish as far as it is necessary to direct a language

laboratory).

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#### **NALLD Regional Meetings**

MOUNTAIN PACIFIC REGIONAL MEETING—December 28, 1969, Denver, Colorado.

Local Chairman—John Macinko Denver Hilton-Savoy Suite

- 3:30-4:45 Warren C. Born, Asst. Director MLA/ERIC, "The Language Laboratory in Middle Schools and Junior High Schools."
- SOUTHERN REGIONAL MEETING—February 20, 1970. Jacksonville, Florida. Hotel Robert Myer.
- 3:30 p.m. Gloria Patron, Louisiana State Univ., New Orleans, "Man and Machine"
- NEW ENGLAND REGIONAL MEETING (WITH NORTHEAST CONFERENCE)—March 20, 1970. Boston, Massachusetts. Statler Hilton Hotel.
- 12:45 p.m. Philip D. Smith, "Why Are They Locking Up the Language Labs?"
- MIDWEST REGIONAL MEETING (WITH CENTRAL STATES CONFERENCE ON THE TEACHING OF FOREIGN LANGUAGES) April 4, 1970 St. Louis, Missouri, Stouffer's Riverfront Inn.
- 2:00 p.m. Mr. Robert Freeman, West Bend High School, Wisconsin.

  "Adapting the Traditional Language Laboratory for Individualizing Teaching".

  Reactor: Sister Dorothy Zimmerman, Mount Mary College,
- CANADIAN CONFERENCE ON LANGUAGE LABORATORIES: A Canadian Conference on Language Laboratories will be held at Sir George Williams University, January 22-24, 1970. The Conference is jointly sponsored by Sir George Williams University, l' Universite de Montreal and the National Association of Language Laboratory Directors.

Registration fee is \$5.00.

Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Communications will be presented either in French or in English and simultaneous translation will be available.

## Program

President d'honneur Dr. Elton Hocking, Professor of Modern Language Education, Purdue University.

## THURSDAY—January 22

9:30 p.m. Opening of the Conference—DR. ELTON HOCKING Laboratoires de Langues:

Rétrospective et Perspectives—PIERRE LEON, University of Toronto.

20:30 p.m. Presentation of "Sight and Sound" A film on Media Assisted Language Teaching.

#### FRIDAY—January 23

9:00-11:00 a.m. "Psychology and Language Laboratory Learning"
WALLACE LAMBERT, McGill University.
PAUL PIMSLEUR, Ohio State University
WILLIAM L. GARDINER, Sir George Williams University

11:30-12:30 a.m. "The Future of Language Laboratories"

ROBERT ROEMING, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

2:30- 4:00 p.m. "Laboratoires de Langues et classes Electroniques Condition Techniques et Principes Pédagogiques"

GILBERT C. TAGGART, Sir George Williams University

LOUIS J. CHATAGNIER, Université de Montreal "Testing in the Language Laboratory" REBECCA M. VALETTE, Boston College

4:30- 6:30 p.m. "International Panel"
Pr. G. PLASTRE, Laval University Presiding
A World-Wide Survey of Language Laboratories
Facts, and Findings"

From—Belgium, France, Germany, Japan, Sweden, the United Kingdom and the USSR.

7:30 p.m.- Reception

## **NALLD Regional Meetings**

SATURDAY—January 24

Techno-linguistics: The Technology of Language Learning Principles and Methods

9:00-10:15 a.m. Language Laboratories in Elementary and Secondary Schools

FRANK GRITTNER, Director of Foreign Languages, State of Wisconsin

The Language Laboratory at the Collegial Level

EDWARD MARXHEIMER, University of Alberta The Language Laboratory at the University Level: The Learning Center

GARY BOYD, Sir George Williams University, Center for Instructional Technology

10:30-12:00 a.m. Demonstration of Instructional Practices
Sir George Williams University
Language Laboratories

- I. The "Traditional" approach
- II. The "Global" approach
- III. The multi-disciplinary "Learning Center"

#### **SYNTHESE**

1:30- 2:00 p.m. "Advice to the Profession: A Word of Caution"

JAMES DODGE, Brown University, Executive Secretary, NALLD

"Pour une Méthodologie Realiste et une utilisation Rationnelle" des Laboratories de Languages" ANDRE PAQUETTE, Modern Language Association, Executive-Secretary-American Council on the teaching of foreign languages

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