### **OCTOBER MEETING**

Tuesday, October 17, 1972 - Cathay House

TOPIC - ROOF TOP UNITS - History, Evolution, Present State of the Art, Future, Applications, Economics and Service

SPEAKER - Mr. David Robertson, Manager, Commercial Sales, "Lennox" PANEL DISCUSSION - Mark Clemann, Al Smith, Fred Schaettgen

#### MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT

The month of October starts us actively on our way through another full season of ASHRAE events. We all look forward to a worth-while and rewarding year.

Our theme, this year, is "Meeting New Challenges". The Technical programs, currently being formulated, will reflect this ideal. We must all be constantly aware of these challenges, so that we may meet them fully prepared and ready to deal with "Future Shock".

Great emphasis will be placed on membership growth this year. Our Society is healthy and enthusiastic but we must maintain our forwardlook to be ready to satisfy the technological requirements of our industry. We have a strong and hard-working Membership Committee, under the Chairmanship of Jim Black, so please give them all of your co-operation when it is asked for. Let us remember, at the same time, that we are always acting as ambassadors for ASHRAE and our Industry in all our dealings, both in business and after-hours. Our conduct should always be that of professional gentlemen, no matter what the occasion. The ASHRAE image will then be of the highest order and membership in the Society will become all-the-more attractive.

It is with great regret that your Board of Governors has found it necessary to increase the local chapter fees. An announcement to that effect is found elsewhere in this Newsletter. Our costs, like everything else, are rising faster than we can cope with them and as our only source of funds is this collection from the Chapter Members we have no choice in the matter. If it hadn't been for a contribution from the 1971-72 Special Events Program, our books for last season would have ended up in red ink. As it was we broke even. Even with this increase we remain as one of the lowest cost Chapters in all of ASHRAE.

The year has begun well with our very successful Golf Tourney in September. Many thanks to Dave Kelly and his Committee. All of our other Committees are functioning well but can always use the help of other interested members. Please contribute as much time as you possibly can when your name comes up.

I know that the Membership will want to join me in offering heartfelt sympathy to Bill Robinson on the recent passing of his wife.

In closing, please let me re-state our need for preparation for "Meeting New Challenges". We can all start by attending the first Dinner Meeting, just a week away, with enthusiasm and a progressive, positive, professional outlook.

Yours in ASHRAE Harry L. Atkinson.

P.S. If you haven't already returned the questionnaire we sent out with the last Newsletter, please do so at once.

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