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The twenty-first annual meeting of The American Association of Public Accountants will be held at the Marlborough-Blenheim Hotel, Atlantic City, New Jersey, October 20, 21 and 22, 1908, under the auspices of the Pennsylvania Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The cooperation of The New York State Society of Certified Public Accountants and The Society of Certified Public Accountants of the State of New Jersey is anticipated.

The Committee has made arrangements for a literary programme of high character and general interest to the profession, including the following papers, viz :

“Railroad Accounting in Relation to the Recent Rulings of the Interstate Commerce Commission”
Professor Henry C. Adams, in charge of Statistics and Accounts,
Interstate Commerce Commission.

Mr. Arthur W. Teele, C. P. A.

A paper dealing with Questions in Accounting Practice and Procedure.

Mr. A. Lowes Dickinson, C. P. A.

“The Accounting of Industrial Enterprises”

Mr. William M. Lybrand, C. P. A.

These papers will be printed and ready for distribution at the annual meeting. The actual presentation of the papers need, therefore, occupy a comparatively short time, and it is hoped that members generally will avail themselves of the opportunity thus afforded for free discussions.

The Committee is in correspondence with Societies abroad, and it is expected that distinguished members thereof will be in attendance.

While the details of the social features have not been fully determined it is anticipated that on Tuesday evening October 20, the New York State Society will entertain the members with a reception, which will take place in the beautiful ocean ball-room of the Marlborough-Blenheim. Other attractive social features are being planned, including outdoor entertainments, but it is intended that the programme in this connection be arranged so as to afford opportunities for members to take advantage of the numerous attractions of the Boardwalk and Piers of Atlantic City.

The Annual Banquet will be held on Thursday night October 22, at the Marlborough-Blenheim. Speakers of national prominence have already accepted invitations to be present.

The Committee is fortunate in having secured the premier hotel of the beach front for the week of our annual meeting. The business sessions will be held in the west solarium directly overlooking the boardwalk and ocean. It is hoped that the members will stay at the Marlborough-Blenheim as it will add to their pleasure and convenience to be under one roof.

The Committee trusts that many ladies will be in attendance. The programme is being arranged with a view to their entertainment.

Committee on Annual Meeting—1908

General Arrangements :

A. A. ROSS, JR., Chairman,
Land Title Building, Philadelphia
C. N. VOLLUM
FRANKLIN ALLEN
T. CULLEN ROBERTS

Attendance and Invitation :

GEORGE WILKINSON, Chairman,
52 Broadway, New York
E. L. SUFFERN
W. M. LYBRAND

E. W. SELLS, President

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ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.

UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE

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ANNOUNCEMENT

THE Annual Meeting of The American Association of Public Accountants will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, October 20, 21 and 22, 1908, at the Marlborough-Blenheim Hotel, Atlantic City, N. J., under the auspices of the Pennsylvania Institute of Certified Public Accountants, and with the co-operation of the New York State Society of Certified Public Accountants and the Society of Certified Public Accountants of the State of New Jersey.

HEADQUARTERS: The sessions will be held in the West Solarium, Blenheim side of the Hotel. Registration and Information Bureau will be at the office in the Blenheim Lobby, where all members and guests are requested to register immediately upon arrival. Cards to the Banquet and other Entertainments will be issued at that office.

PROGRAMME: In June last, a Preliminary Programme was mailed to each member of the Association, outlining briefly the business and literary sessions and referring to the social entertainments to be provided by the three Associated Societies. This programme is substantially unchanged. The papers announced, to wit:

Railroad Accounts in Relation to the Twentieth Section of the Act to Regulate Commerce,
PROFESSOR HENRY C. ADAMS; MR. ARTHUR W. TEELE, C. P. A.

Accounting Practice and Procedure,
MR. A. LOWES DICKINSON, C. P. A.

The Accounting of Industrial Enterprises,
MR. WILLIAM M. LYBRAND, C. P. A.

are now in the hands of the printers and will be ready for distribution at the Annual Meeting. It is believed that the subjects are both interesting and timely, and that their consideration will result in profitable discussions.

GUESTS OF THE ASSOCIATION: The Committee on Invitation has been successful in securing acceptances from societies of professional accountants outside of the United States, and the presence of these delegations will add greatly to the interest of the meeting. The visitors include the President of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales, and a member of the Council; the President and Vice-President of the Society of Incorporated Accountants and Auditors; officers of the several Societies in Scotland, including Mr. Richard Brown, the well-known historian of the profession; and a large delegation from all the Societies in Canada. A special session will probably be arranged to meet and welcome these guests.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS: The Hotel Committee of the Pennsylvania Institute of Certified Public Accountants, Mr. J. M. Pugh, Chairman, 1831 Land Title Building, Philadelphia, has definitely booked a large number of members and guests for the Convention week. Inquiries or requests for reservations will continue to have the Committee's prompt attention.

MEMBERS' GUESTS: Members desiring to bring friends will kindly register them at headquarters, in order that due provision may be made. The price of Banquet Tickets for such guests will be Ten Dollars each. The price to members and members of their families, will, as heretofore, be Five Dollars each.

GOLF: Golfing members will be interested to learn that the American Association Golf Club and the Pennsylvania Institute have arranged for a Tournament to be held on the links of the Atlantic City Country Club, on Friday, 23d October. A number of prizes have been offered by members and Societies, including a Ladies' prize and a prize for Guests. The Committee, Messrs. E. E. Gano, Leon O. Fisher and Herbert G. Stockwell, will be pleased to furnish particulars of the programme.

The Annual Banquet will be held on the evening of the last day of the Convention. Interesting speakers have accepted invitations to be with us. A generous portion of the evening has been set aside for short speeches from members of the Association and guests from other Societies.

Estimates based on the latest information indicate that the attendance will be unusually large, and it is believed that the meeting cannot fail to be of the greatest interest, both socially and professionally, to the members of The American Association and all those present.

Respectfully,

THE COMMITTEE ON ANNUAL MEETING—1908

1831 Land Title Building,
Philadelphia,
1st October, 1908.