ASAE QUAD CITY SECTION ACTIVITIES: 1959-1960 THROUGH 1968-1969

This listing of Section activities was excerpted from a longer listing most likely compiled by John Wilson in 1979-1980 as part of his research into the history of the Quad City Section. This longer listing ends with the April 29, 1979 Section meeting.

1959-1960 Chair: John W. Ackley

Vice Chairs: G. Harvey Shriver

Robert G. Morgan

Secretary: Martin A. Berk
Treasurer: William M. Adams
Nominating: Robert B. Skromme

Harold S. Seeber W. Lee Stevenson

Arrangements: E. L. Stevens
Membership: Vern W. Thede
Publicity: William B. Haley
High School Student: Charles K. Stralow
Steering: Bruce A. Genzel

November 13, 1959 - American Legion Club, Moline, Illinois. Attendance: 136, Meals Served: 150

- 1.) New Developments in Construction Equipment <u>Elmer Braker</u>, Product Consultant, Construction Equipment Division, International Harvester Company, Melrose Park, Illinois.
- 2.) Steel Work Construction of Moline Bettendorf Suspension Bridge <u>Valetinio J. Assetto</u>, Resident Engineer, Bethlehem Steel Company, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

January 15, 1960 - American Legion Club, Moline, Illinois. Attendance: 161

- 1.) Use of Specialized Equipment in Large Farm Operation <u>C. Jack Kennedy</u>, Partner, S. Kennedy and Sons, Clear Lake, Iowa.
- 2.) Grain Trading <u>Rex McCammon</u>, Grain Buyer, Ralston Purina Company, Davenport, Iowa.

Technical Series, Iowa-Illinois Gas and Electric Company Auditorium, Rock Island

January 29, 1960 – Casting Design – <u>Grant Thomas</u>, Foundry Section of Materials Engineering Department, Deere & Company and Machining of Castings – <u>Earl McCullough</u>, Metallurgical Engineer, Deere & Company

February 5, 1960 – Arc Welding of Gauge Material and Related New Procedures – <u>C. A. Hefferman</u>, Assistant Regional Sales Manager, Lindy Co., Division of Union Carbide Company

February 12, 1960 – Design of Fasteners for Production – <u>Walter Hanneman</u>, Executive Engineer, Shakeproof Division of Illinois Tool Works

March 4, 1960 - American Legion Club, Moline, Illinois. Attendance: 166

- 1.) Problems Related to the Design of Light Industrial Equipment <u>J. L. French</u>, Chief Product Engineer, John Deere Industrial Equipment Works.
- 2.) The Role of Chemicals in Today's Agriculture <u>Earl Spurrier</u>, Technical Sales Specialist, Monsanto Chemical Company, St. Louis.

April 22, 1960 – American Legion Club, Moline, Illinois. Attendance: 243

- 1.) Annual Section Meeting: Tour, John Deere Harvester Works, East Moline, Illinois. Attendance: 200+
- 2.) Aeromobile Dr. William Bertelson, Neponset, Illinois.
- 3.) Fatigue Testing Equipment <u>I. B. Jensen</u>, Sales Manager, Reihl Division, American Machine and Metals, East Moline, Illinois.
- 4.) Main Speaker -<u>Lawrence H. Skromme</u>, Chief Engineer, New Holland Machine Division of Sperry Rand Corporation, New Holland, Pennsylvania and ASAE President.

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William M. Adams

Secretary: William B. Haley Treasurer: Verne W. Thede Nominating: Leroy T. Gordon

Harold V. Hansen

Roy E. Harrington

Steering: John W. Ackley

Arrangements: Karl Reed

Education: Royal L. Beldin
Membership: Norman Stroup
Publicity: Ray Wilkes
High School Student: Gail G. Worsley

November 18, 1960 - American Legion Hall, Moline, Illinois – A Decade of Progress Commemorating the Section's First 10 Years. Meals Served: 176

- 1.) Introduction of Past Quad City Section Chairmen, to honor them for their part in the progress of this Section.
- 2.) The film, "Agricultural Engineering Profession with a Future" was presented.
- 3.) Decade of Progress <u>Lloyd Hurlbut</u>, Chairman, Agricultural Engineering Department, University of Nebraska, Lincoln and President, ASAE.

January 13, 1961 - American Legion Hall, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 277

- 1.) A joint meeting with the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.
- 2.) Nostalgia, Agriculture and Agricultural Engineering <u>Lester S. Kellogg</u>, Economist, Deere & Company, Moline, Illinois.
- 3.) Creating Time Through Test Engineering <u>W. M. Cade</u>, Divisional Chief Engineer, Test and Development Group, International Harvester Company, Farm Equipment Research and Engineering Center, Hinsdale, Illinois.

Technical Series, Iowa-Illinois Gas and Electric Company Auditorium, Rock Island

January 26, 1961 – Hydraulic Components and Their Use in Mobile Machinery Systems – <u>Thomas M. Heroux</u>, Field Engineer, Denison Engineering, Division of American Brake Shoe Company

February 2, 1961 – Plastics Available for Industry – <u>John A. Noel</u>, Marketing and Development, Plastics Division of DuPont, Wilmington, Delaware

February 9, 1961 – The Tool Engineers' Role in Agricultural Engineering – panel of <u>C. K. Beeman</u>, Product Engineer, J. I. Case Company, Bettendorf, <u>W. D. Gibbons</u>, Production Research Engineer, International Harvester, East Moline and <u>Carl Krauel</u>, Master Mechanic, John Deere Spreader Works, East Moline

March 3, 1961 - American Legion Hall, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 168

- 1.) Field Wafer Machine <u>Dale O. Hull</u>, Extension_Agricultural Engineer, USDA Extension Service, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa.
- 2.) Row Cultivating with Manual and Automatic Steering <u>Donnell Hunt</u>, Associate Professor, Agricultural Engineering Department, University of Illinois, Urbana.

April 21, 1961 - Blackhawk Hotel, Davenport, Iowa. Meals Served: 222

- 1.) Annual Section Meeting: Tours of the John Deere Industrial Equipment Works, Moline, Illinois, and the French & Hecht Division, Davenport, Iowa.
- 2.) The Status of the Fuel Cell <u>Richard Drushella</u>, Research Division, Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company.
- 3.) A Better Mouse Trap But Whose? <u>L. W. Davis</u> Vice-President and General Manager, Farm Equipment Division, Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company.

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Vice Chairs: V. W. Thede

D. E. Burrough

Secretary: M. W. Forth Treasurer: R. B. Skromme

Nominating: John W. Ackley plus two others

Arrangements: William Terrill Education: Leonard Bucholz

Membership: Al Klouda

High School: Raymond Fairbank
Steering: Robert Morgan
Publicity: Don Roach

November 17, 1961 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Attendance: 143, Meals Served: 154

- 1.) Teosinte Cross Multiple Eared Corn and Its Possible Effect on Corn Harvesting W. J. Mumm, Crows Hybrid Corn Company, Milford, Illinois.
- 2.) Agricultural Engineering Byron T. Virtue, National President, ASAE.

January 12, 1962 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 135

- 1.) Some Operational Considerations Concerning the Size of Farm Machinery <u>David A. Link</u>, Research Associate, Agricultural Engineering Department, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa.
- 2.) Some of Today's Farming Problems <u>Jack Mullen</u>, University of Illinois, Rock Island County Farm Advisor.

Technical Series, Iowa-Illinois Gas and Electric Company Auditorium, Rock Island

January 18, 1962 – Basic Approach to the Design of Load Carrying Members – <u>R.</u> <u>W. Giertz</u>, John Deere Waterloo Works

January 25, 1962 – Strength of Materials – <u>JoDean Morrow</u>, University of Illinois and Service Load Determination – John Millan, Caterpillar Tractor Company

February 1, 1962 – Machines for Laboratory Fatigue Testing – <u>W. M. Cade</u>, International Harvester Company and Analysis for Infinite Life – <u>Ray Cellitti</u>, Manufacturing Research, International Harvester Company and Analysis for Finite Life – <u>Bill Hofmeister</u>, Chain Belt Company

March 2, 1962 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 162

1.) New Products from Agriculture Through Research - <u>Dwight L. Miller</u> - Assistant Director, Northern Utilization Research and Development Division, Agricultural Research Service, USDA, Peoria.

2.) Combine Testing - K. J. M. Godlewski, Chief Field Test Engineer, Massey Ferguson Limited, Canada.

May 4, 1962 - Blackhawk Hotel, Davenport, Iowa. Attendance: 150, Meals Served: 194

- 1.) Annual Section Meeting: Tour of the International Harvester Company, East Moline Works, Illinois
- 2.) Gas Turbine Tractor and Hydrostatic Drive R. E. Wallace, IHC Engineering Research Center, Hinsdale, Illinois.
- 3.) Evening Speaker <u>Glen_Rittenhouse</u>, President, Illinois Implement Retailers Association.

May 8, 1962 – Special Seminar, American Legion, Moline, Illinois.

1.) Design of Moldboard Plows and Rotary Tillage Equipment – Dr. Walter Soehne, Assistant Director for Fundamental Research, University of Braunschweig, West Germany

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Treasurer: Jack O. Utterback
Nominating: Robert G. Morgan

G. Harvey Shriver Ray Barkstrom

Arrangements: James P. Doering
Education: James Graham
Membership: Ronald Correll
Steering: W. M. Adams

High School: Harry Mainert Publicity: Gail Worsley

November 16, 1962 - LeClaire Hotel, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 193

- 1.) PERT A New Method for Project Planning and Status Evaluation. <u>E. 0.</u> <u>Close</u>, Management Control Specialist, AC Spark Plug Division, General Motors Corporation.
- 2.) Management of Engineering Dr. L. W. Wallace

January 11, 1963 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois.

- 1.) Agricultural Machinery Testing by Governmental Agencies <u>H. P. Harrison</u>, Director, Agricultural Machinery Administration, Province of Saskatchewan, Canada.
- 2.) Creativity and the Engineer <u>W. A. Kerr</u>, Associate Professor of Psychology, Illinois Institute of Technology.

Technical Series, Creation of New Machines - LeClaire Hotel, Moline
January 17, 1963 – Recognizing a Need – R. R. Poyner, General Supervisor, Farm
Equipment Product Planning Research, IHC, Chicago and Developing
Specifications – W. M. Clendenin, Chief Engineer, Grass and Haying Tools,

Technical Series, Creation of New Machines - Moline YMCA, Moline

IHC, Engineering and Research Center, Hinsdale.

January 24, 1963 – Marketing Considerations in Design – <u>H. Oemlich</u>, Regional Sales Manager, Deere & Company, Moline and Design Technique – R. H. Meier, Senior Product Engineer, John Deere Des Moines Works

January 31, 1963 – Functional and Durability Testing of Farm Machinery – R. P. Harbage, Manager of Engineering, W. McDougall, Field Test Supervisor, and V. C. Fuhrwerk, Laboratory Supervisor, New Idea Farm Equipment Company, Coldwater, Ohio

March 1, 1963 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 125

- 1.) The What, When, and Why about Feed Processing on the Farm <u>Gerald Karstens</u>, Vice-President, American Trade Publishing Company and Publication Director of Feed Age Magazine.
- 2.) ASAE Meets the Challenge of the 60's <u>Arthur W. Farrall</u>, National ASAE President, Chairman of the Agricultural Engineering Department of Michigan State University.

April 19, 1963 - LeClaire Hotel, Moline, Illinois, Attendance - 190.

- 1.) Annual Section Meeting: Tour of the J. I. Case Company, Bettendorf, Iowa.
- 2.) Change: From the Scythe to the Combine; From the Sling to the Missile; and From the Horse to the Rocket What is Remaining Constant? Only Change Itself! <u>David C. Legault</u>, Dayco Corporation.
- 3.) What an Agricultural Engineer Should Know About the Industry He Serves George F. Seferovich, Editor of Implement and Tractor magazine.

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Vice Chairs: James A. Graham

William O. Terrill

Secretary: J. Leonard Bucholz Treasurer: Leroy T. Gordon Nominating: John W. Ackley

Arnold B. Skromme Vernon W. Thede

November 8, 1963 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 143

- 1.) Engineering Images (engineering ethics and engineering as a profession) Lars Soderholm, Editor of Design News.
- 2.) The Story of Drawn over Mandrel Welded Steel Tubing <u>J. Arntz</u>, Vice-President of Sales, Ohio Seamless Tubing Company, Shelby, Ohio.

January 10, 1964 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 291 including 22 students

1.) Agricultural Tour of Europe and Russia - <u>John Hoffman</u>, Manager, John Deere Planter Works, Moline, and <u>Chuck Johnson</u>, Factory Manager, French and Hecht Division, Kelsey-Hayes Company, Davenport.

Technical Series, Holiday Inn, Moline

January 23, 1964 – Protective Coatings for Iron, Steel and Aluminum – <u>Earl F. Moorman</u>, Engineering Materials Research, International Harvester Company and Advanced Welding Processes – <u>Charles Davis</u>, Materials Engineering Department, Deere & Company

January 30, 1964 – Sprocket Design for Roller Chain Drives – <u>Edwin A. Paul</u>, Chain Belt Company and A New Concept in V-Belt Design – <u>A. E. Poehlman</u>, Research Department, Gates Rubber Company

February 6, 1964 – Product Design and the Patent System – <u>J. J. Kowalik</u>, Patent Department, International Harvester and Product Design and Legal Liability – <u>Robert Barrett</u>, Legal Department, Deere & Company

March 6, 1964 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 168

- 1.) Management Problems of Minimum Tillage <u>Wendell Bowers</u>, University of Illinois.
- 2.) Equipment for Use with Minimum Tillage <u>Harold Hansen</u>, John Deere Planter Works.
- 3.) The Practical Application of Plow-Plant Methods and Other Minimum Tillage Practices <u>Carl and Orson Hill</u> (brothers, farmers), Rochelle, Illinois.

April 10, 1964 - LeClaire Hotel, Moline, Illinois. Attendance: 175, Meals Served: 210

- 1.) Annual Section Meeting: Tour of the Farmall Works, Rock Island, Illinois.
- 2.) Construction and Operation of a Nitrogen Fertilizer Producing Plant William Holzmann, Operating Manager of Nitrin, Inc., Cordova, Illinois.
- 3.) Product Planning for Worldwide Marketing <u>E. L. Barger</u>, General Product Planning Manager, Massey Ferguson, Ltd., Toronto, Canada.

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Leonard Bucholz

Past Chair: Murray Forth

Secretary: Norman G. Stroup

Treasurer: Jim Doering

Nominating: Thomas Evans plus two others

Education: Ray Wilkes
Arrangements: Walter M. Roll
Membership: Howard W. Thomas

High School: Glenn Riffe
Publicity: C. A. Schoessel
Steering: Murray Forth

November 6, 1964 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Attendance: ~175

- 1.) Development of Research Data for Use in Steel Design <u>William A. Stickel</u>, Head, Product Design Group, Application Research Division, United States Steel Corporation.
- 2.) Design with the Family of Steels Existing Applications and Concepts for the Future <u>C. A. Martin</u>, Structures Engineer, Special Technical Service Unit of Product Metallurgy, United States Steel Corporation.

January 15, 1965 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Attendance: 238

- 1.) Experiences on the Illinois Livestock Feeders Association People to People Good Will Tour of South America <u>A.K. Hohenboken</u> and <u>Willard Nelson</u>, Livestock Feeders from Geneseo, Illinois.
- 2.) ASAE Award Winning Short Film, "A Mowing Lesson for Charley" will be presented by the producer, <u>L.W. Knapp</u> of the University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa.

Technical Series, John Deere Administrative Center, Moline

- January 28, 1965 Application of Plastics to Design <u>William Benkelman</u>, Vice President, Sales, Cadillac Plastics, Detroit and Fiberglass Fabrication <u>James MacNamarra</u>, Fabri-Glass, Moline
- February 4, 1965 The Significance of International Fastener Problems <u>Fred Ewert</u>, Materials Engineering Department, Deere & Company and What Fastener to Use <u>William Waltermire</u>, Director of Research, Lamson & Sessions, Cleveland, Ohio
- February 11, 1965 Electric Motors <u>Fred Porter</u>, Reliance Electric Company, Euclid, Ohio and Electrical Controls & Sensing Devices <u>Gene Meyer</u>, Honeywell, Minneapolis and Regulations & Safety, <u>Richard Osborn</u>, Osborn Electric Company, St. Louis

- 1.) Reliability <u>A. R. Townsend</u>, Manager, Reliability, Aircraft Engine Operations, Allison Division, General Motors Corporation, Indianapolis.
- 2.) Use and Application of Farm Chemicals <u>William Conterio</u>, Stauffer Chemical Company, Omaha, Nebraska.

April 23, 1965 - LeClaire Hotel, Moline, Illinois. Attendance: 165

- 1.) Annual Section Meeting: Tours of Nitrin Inc., Cordova, Illinois, Manufacturer of Liquid and Prilled Nitrogen for Agricultural Purposes and Sulfuric Acid for Commercial Use; Drives Inc, Fulton, Illinois, Manufacturer of Steel Detachable, Pintle and Roller Chain, and Auger Flighting. [Note: These tours were later cancelled because of the Mississippi River flood in 1965 and held in 1966.]
- 2.) Engines and Horse Power Rating <u>Howard J. Slothower</u>, Project Engineer, Engine Test Laboratory, International Harvester Company, Hinsdale, Illinois.
- 3.) The Years Ahead and Your Society <u>Price Hobgood</u>, Head, Agricultural Engineering Department, Texas A&M University and National President of American Society of Agricultural Engineers.

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Vice Chairs: LeRoy Gordon

James Doering

Secretary: Walter Roll
Treasurer: Ray Wilkes
Nominating: Murray Forth

William Terrill Howard Thomas

Publicity: Jack Mullen
High School: Erling Lunde
Membership: Herb Allee
Education: Perry Bolhous
Arrangements: Gary Wells
Steering: James Graham

November 12, 1965 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 175

- 1.) Tractors for Tree Farming <u>S. D. Liedtke</u>, Product Engineer, John Deere Dubuque Tractor Works.
- 2.) Modern Haymaking Systems <u>William Fletcher</u>, Associate Editor, Successful Farming, Des Moines.

January 14, 1966 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 306 (including 63 high school students and instructors)

- 1.) Opportunities Unlimited <u>C. S. Morrison</u>, Manager of Agricultural Engineering Research, Deere & Company; and National President of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers.
- 2.) The Engineers' Role in Foods of the Future Dr. <u>Arthur D. Odell, Manager, Isolated Protein Program, Central Research Laboratories, General Mills.</u>

Technical Series, John Deere Administrative Center, Moline

January 27, 1966 – A Basic Look at Powder Metallurgy – M. F. Nissel, Assistant Sales Manager and Victor C. Straub, Project Engineer, Keystone Carbon Company, St. Mary's, Pennsylvania

February 3, 1966 – Agriculture Variable Speed V-Belt Drives – <u>B. R. Bellman</u> and <u>P. E. Nemecek</u>, Senior V-Belt Application Engineers, Dayco Corporation, Dayton, Ohio and Current Status of Hydrostatic Drives - <u>D. B. Reinke</u>, Manager of Engineering, Sunstrand Hydro-Transmission, LaSalle, Illinois

February 10, 1966 – Profit or Perish! – The Choice Is Yours – <u>Henry A.</u> <u>Ferguson</u>, Staff Engineer, John Deere Waterloo Tractor Works, Waterloo, Iowa

March 4, 1966 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 127

- 1.) Modern Farm Buildings <u>Marvin D. Hall</u>, University of Illinois, Extension Specialist, Area Advisor in Agricultural Engineering, Macomb, Illinois.
- 2.) New Material Handling Systems on the Farm <u>Frank W. Andrew</u>, Extension Agricultural Engineer, University of Illinois, Agricultural Engineering Department, Urbana, Illinois.

April 15, 1966 - LeClaire Hotel, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 206

- 1.) Annual Section Meeting; Tour 1 Nitrin, Inc, Cordova, Illinois; Tour 2 Drives, Inc, Fulton, Illinois.
- 2.) Water Use <u>Kent Cornish</u>, Research Engineer, Engineering Research Division, Deere & Company.
- 3.) Evening Speaker <u>Omar G. Voss</u>, Vice-President, Farm Equipment Division, International Harvester Company.

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Norm Stroup

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Arrangements: Ed Spiess
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Publicity: Ron Correll

Education: Howell James High School: Harry Fink

Steering: J. Leonard Bucholz

November 18, 1966 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 206

- 1.) The Computer and the Engineer R.J. Conaway, Manager Scientific Marketing, International Business Machines.
- 2.) The Industrial Designer and the Engineer Coordinating the Efforts of Engineering and Appearance in Farm Machines <u>T. H. Koeber</u>, Manager, Industrial Design Department, International Harvester Company.

January 13, 1967 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 217

1.) How Farm People Accept New Ideas - George M. Beahl and Joseph M. Bohlen, Professors of Rural Sociology, Iowa State University.

Technical Series, John Deere Administrative Center, Moline

January 26, 1967 – Solid Lubricants – <u>L. C. Horwedel</u>, General Manager, Lubricants Division, Electrofilm, Inc., North Hollywood, California and Adhesives - <u>C. A. Douthitt</u>, Manager, Adhesives and Sealants, Chemical Division, Chrysler Corporation, Trenton, Michigan

February 2, 1967 – High Speed Motion Pictures – <u>Donald J. Southard</u>, Advertising Manager, Red Lake Labs Inc., Santa Clara, California and Aperture Card System – <u>James Metzger</u>, Collins Radio, Cedar Rapids, Iowa

February 9, 1967 – Electrical Machining – <u>Matt Kubistant</u>, Cincinnati Milling Machine Company, Berwyn, Illinois and Friction Welding – <u>Cal Loyd</u>, Caterpillar Tractor Company, Industrial Division, Peoria

March 7, 1967 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 220

- 1.) Turbocharged Engines for Agriculture <u>Glenn Holzhausen</u>, Project Engineer, Air Research Industrial Division, Garrett Corporation.
- 2.) Valve Engineering, in Design <u>William Nelson</u>, Staff Engineer, Value Assurance Program, Industrial Division, Caterpillar Tractor Company.

April 14, 1967 - LeClaire Hotel, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 228

- 1.) Annual Section Meeting; Tours of the John Deere Plow Works New Bolt Manufacturing Plant and the Eagle Signal Company, Moline Plant.
- 2.) Product Safety 1967 <u>William Johnson</u>, General Manager, National Safety Council, Chicago.
- 3.) Evening Speaker: Trends in Agricultural Engineering Dr. Walter Carleton, Director, Agricultural Engineering Research, ARS, USDA.

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Howard Thomas

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Nominating: J. Leonard Bucholz

M. A. Bergsten Bob Morgan

Education: Gary Wells
High School: Ray Oldfather
Arrangements: Ken Herren
Membership: Walt Boyer
Publicity: Larry Gay
Steering: Jim Doering

November 16, 1967 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 210

Program: Narrow Rows - As Viewed by an Agronomist, an Equipment Designer, and a Farmer.

- 1.) Agronomics of Narrow Rows Dr. <u>W. L. Colville</u>, Department of Agronomy, University of Nebraska.
- 2.) Equipment for Narrow Rows <u>Maynard E. Walberg</u>, Chief Engineer, Implement Development Engineering, Allis Chalmers Manufacturing Company.
- 3.) Experience with Minimum Tillage and Narrow Rows Robert M. Casper, Farmer, Winterset, Iowa.

January 11, 1968 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois.

- 1.) Ladies Night
- 2.) Experiences While Working in Nigeria, Africa <u>Donald Henderson</u>, a member of a Colorado State University team that assisted the Ministry of Agriculture in East Nigeria.

Technical Series, Human Engineering Factors, John Deere Administrative Center, Moline

- January 25, 1968 Automotive Vehicle Air Pollutant Emission Abatement <u>Donald A. Jensen</u>, Executive Engineer, Emissions Engineering and Research Staff, Ford Motor Company and An Explanation of the Environmental Influence of Programmed Music on the Individual <u>F. N. Boom</u>, F. N. Boom, Inc., Muzak Franchisee, Davenport, Iowa
- February 1, 1968 The Measurement and Control of Noise and Vibration <u>Don Walker</u>, Applied Mechanics Department, Product Engineering Center, John Deere Waterloo Tractor Works and The Health Hazard Effects of Noise and Vibration and Why They Should be Controlled <u>Aram Glorig</u>, M. D., Director of Callier Hearing and Speech Center, Dallas, Texas
- February 8, 1968 Pests, Pesticides and People Dr. <u>H. B. Petty</u>, Department of Natural Resources, University of Illinois, Urbana and Human Factors

Engineering for Product Safety – Page Bellinger, Product Safety Department, Deere & Company, Moline

March 14, 1968 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 220

- 1.) High School Student Night (A program of interest to area high school students. 70 students and counselors attended.)
- 2.) What Ag Engineering is to Me a collection of illustrated short talks by various members of our Quad City Section.
- 3.) An Approach to Laboratory Testing of Harvesting Equipment Geoffrey F. Cooper, Massey-Ferguson Industries Ltd., Toronto, Canada.

April 19, 1968 - LeClaire Hotel, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 185

- 1.) Annual Section Meeting; Plant Tour of Caterpillar Tractor Company, Mt. Joy,
- 2.) Pulpwood Harvesting Past, Present and Future William J. Gabriel, Forestry Engineer, Packaging Corporation of America, Filer City, Michigan.
- 3.) The World Food Problem L. L. Morgan, Executive Vice President, Caterpillar Tractor Company, Peoria, Illinois.

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> Walter Roll Past Chair: Vice Chairs: William Terrill Perry Bolhous

Larry Gay

Secretary:

Treasurer: Larry Delfs/Ed Spiess

Jim Doering Nominating:

LeRoy Gordon

Verne Thede

Education: Ken Thomas High School: Neil West Arrangements: **Bob Francis** Membership: **Bob Todd** Publicity: Al Swanson Steering: C. K. Beeman

October 24, 1968 - Indian Creek Country Club, Marian, Iowa.

- 1.) Joint Meeting of the Quad City and Iowa Sections of ASAE.
- 2.) Tour of Collins Radio, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
- 3.) History of Collins Radio Ben Stearns, Director of Public Relations, Collins Radio.

- 4.) Research of Solid State Devices Dr. <u>Codwell</u>, Director of Solid State Research, Collins Radio.
 - Engineering Field Days Outreach to High School Students Attendance: ~130. 500 hamburgers (20 cents each) were consumed!
- November 2, 1968 Deere Engineering Research Center and IH East Moline Works

November 9, 1968 – J. I. Case Bettendorf Works

November 14, 1968 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 165

- 1.) World Protein Need and Supply <u>Ralph D. Grotelueschen</u>, Biochemist, Engineering Research Division, Deere & Company.
- 2.) Vita's Role in the Developing Countries Dr. <u>Albert L. Elder</u>, Member of the Board of Directors of Vita.

January 9, 1969 - LeClaire Hotel, Moline, Illinois, Attendance: 168

- 1.) Seed Corn Production <u>Harold Wright</u>, Manager of Inspection and Quality Control, DeKalb Agriculture Association, Inc.
- 2.) The New John Deere Plateless Planter <u>Richard Morrow</u>, Manager of Product Information, John Deere Planter Works.
- 3.) Organizing a New Product Engineering Department <u>Kenneth Kessler</u>, Manager of Product Engineering, Forestry Products Research, Deere & Company.
- 4.) Reflections on the Closing of a Facility <u>Leonard Buchholz</u>, Advanced Facilities Planning, International Harvester Farmall Works.
- 5.) Hybrid Wheat and Inherent Seeding Problem Dr. <u>J. A. Wilson</u>, Wheat Research Director, DeKalb AgResearch Inc.
- Technical Series, John Deere Administrative Center, Moline, Total Attendance 371
- January 30, 1969 Industrial Design The Consumer's Advocate <u>James M. Connor</u>, Associate, Henry Dreyfuss & Associates and The International Look in Contemporary Design <u>C. J. Kermes</u>, Industrial Design Coordinator, New Holland Machine Company
- February 6, 1969 Improving Design Quality with Computers Harvesting Equipment <u>Harry A. Fink, Jr.</u>, Senior Engineer, John Deere Harvester Works and Simulation of Vehicle Motion <u>Roscoe L. Pershing</u>, Senior Research Scientist, Engineering Research Division, Deere & Company and Frontiers in Engineering Graphics <u>Robert E. Stileson</u>, Manufacturing Industry Marketing Representative, IBM Corporation
- February 13, 1969 Fundamentals of Closed Loop Controls <u>George Lance</u>, Associate Professor, Mechanical Engineering Department, University of Iowa

and Controlling and Powering Machinery – <u>Hoyle B. Puckett</u>, Agricultural Engineer, Agricultural Experiment Station, University of Illinois

March 13, 1969 - American Legion, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 203

- 1.) Ladies Night;
- 2.) Here Comes Tomorrow Miss <u>Helen Joyce McLane</u>, Public Relations Department, International Harvester Company.

April 18, 1969 - LeClaire Hotel, Moline, Illinois. Meals Served: 204

- 1.) Annual Section Meeting; Tour of Rock Island Arsenal.
- 2.) Technology Forecasting -Russell R. Poynor, Product Planning Research, International Harvester Company and ASAE Past President.
- 3.) Defining the Market in Product Planning <u>W. B. Whitsel</u>, Product Planning Department, J. I. Case Company, Racine, Wisconsin.
- 4.) Farm Feedlot Mechanization <u>William Stetson</u>, President of Stetson Feedlot Engineering, Reynolds, Illinois.
- 5.) Aerobic Manure Disposal for Swine <u>Ronald Blough</u>, President, Fairfield Engineering and Manufacturing Company, Fairfield, Iowa.
- 6.) How About a Transplant? <u>A. B. Lundahl</u>, Senior Vice President, Manufacturing and Engineering of Deere & Company, Moline, Illinois.