

SOCIETY FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF CRIMINOLOGY

ANNUAL MEETING

Time: Friday, 28 December 1956

Place: Fresno, California; Hotel Californian, Van Ness and Kern
Oak Room

AGENDA

Morning Session

1. 9:00-9:15 Welcome by President Hankey; get acquainted period.
2. 9:15-9:30 Welcome by Fresno City Official
3. 9:30-11:30 Panel discussion by standardization committee
of standardization of criminology courses.
(Chairman to be announced)
4. Noon-1:30 p.m. Luncheon, Hotel Californian, Redwood Room

Afternoon Session

Mr. John P. Kenney, Chairman

5. 1:30-2:30 Dr. James M. Reinhardt, Professor of Criminology,
University of Nebraska
"The Uses of Psychographology in Handwriting
Identification"
6. 2:30-3:30 Mr. Ray Galvin, Graduate Student, Police Adminis-
tration, University of Southern California
"Applied Research in the Field of Police Manage-
ment"
7. 3:30-4:30 Report of the Committee on Revision of the Con-
stitution. John Kenney, Coordinator, Police
Administration Program, USC.
8. 4:30-4:45 Adjournment of General Meeting and convening of
business meeting.
9. 4:45- Nominating committee report and election of officers
for 1957.

Evening Session

10. 7:00 Dinner. Mr. Hankey, chairman. Installation of
Officers.

Accommodations for members will be available at the Hotel
Californian

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ITEMS for discussion during the morning session:

1. Junior Colleges as training centers for in-service training in communities where located. This presumes availability of competent instructors.
2. Junior College as pre-employment training center such as COS program.
3. Role of Supervisor of Peace Officer Training as that of coordination and assistance to Junior Colleges and to local police departments including operation of short-term programs for departments which cannot avail themselves of J.C. training.
4. State Colleges to assume role of advanced professional training over and beyond that which J.C.'s. are doing.
5. Universities to emphasize research, advanced training in broad field of law enforcement and preparation of teachers. Also must assume some responsibility for back-stopping teachers at the J.C. level by supplying teaching materials, putting on institutes and the like.
6. Specialized training could continue as at present through special institutes, conferences, seminars, meetings, and such programs as offered at Delinquency Control Institute (USC), Southern Police Institute (Louisville), Northwestern, and F.B.I. Academy.

These items were presented as ideas for the group to discuss in addition to such others as may be brought up.

A word of explanation: The above 6 items are centered around the California system wherein numerous junior colleges have two-year criminology programs and several state colleges have four-year programs. Fresno has just been authorized to grant the MS in criminology. USC and California (Berkeley) have graduate programs. The State Department of Education, Bureau of Vocational Education, has a Supervisor of Peace Officers' Training who arranges for programs of training in local areas for police departments.

WITH VERY BEST WISHES FOR A HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON,


William Dienst
Secretary-treasurer