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Twentieth Annual Convention

In the December 1922 issue of THE P. T. REVIEW there is an editorial which reads as follows: "The First National Convention of the American Physiotherapy Association was held in Boston, September 13th to 16th, inclusive, and proved to be even more of a success than anyone dared hope.

"There were representatives and delegates from nearly every section of the country and local chapters. . . . The California Association seems to have been particularly active and progressive."

The plans for the Twentieth Annual Convention show that the members from California have continued to be active and progressive. A new type of convention or conference is to be inaugurated this year with the Northern California Chapter as hostess. We feel certain that in our editorial following the 1941 convention we will be able to say, as they did in 1922, that it "proved to be even more of a success than anyone dared hope." The American Physiotherapy Association and the hostess chapter are offering us a great opportunity for further study and discussions. If the enthusiasm of the members of the Illinois Chapter for their short muscle study course which was held earlier this year is any indication of the response to this type of meeting, the Twentieth Annual Convention should bring even greater stimulus.

Plan now to go to the 1941 convention in California—show your support of the Association by attending! Referring again to the editorial of December 1922: "From this 'get together' should arise a better, clearer understanding of our aims. Although the structure of our Association is still more or less incomplete, it is built on a rock foundation and will stand the test of time and endurance." The rock foundation has held and withstood the tests of time, but the structure of the American Physiotherapy Association still is being built today and needs the aid and support of every member.

The tentative schedule of the 1941 convention is as follows:

Sunday—3:00 p.m. Registration
5:00 to 7:00—Supper
7:30 to 9:30—Business Meeting

Monday through Thursday
a.m. 8:30-10:00—Muscle Testing
10:10-11:40—Therapeutic Gymnastics
Muscle in Relation to
Physical Therapy
12:00 to 1:00—Lunch
p.m. 1:00-1:50—Psychology for Invalid and
Handicapped
2:00-3:30—Electrotherapy
3:40 to 5:15—Problems of Physical
Therapy Schools
Problems of Crippled Children's
Schools (on alternate days)

Friday a.m.—Business meeting
Speakers

Georgia Chapter

The January meeting of the Georgia Chapter was held at Warm Springs Foundation. After dinner Miss Alice Lou Plastridge gave an interesting account of her recent trip to observe work in physical therapy in Chicago, Milwaukee and Minneapolis. Visitors from Atlanta and Columbus were present.

At the February meeting in Atlanta, Georgia, following a dinner at the Georgian Terrace Hotel, Dr. Lawson Thornton extended an invitation to us to visit his office where he discussed and illustrated with pictures and X-rays his treatment of the repair of fractured hips.

Illinois Chapter

Miss Anne Prochazka has been granted a scholarship by the National Organization for Public Health Nursing and will spend the com-