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**OFFICIAL PROGRAM — SEVENTH ANNUAL CONVENTION**  
**of the**  
**NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF STATE AVIATION OFFICIALS**

MIAMI, FLORIDA

December 1, 2, 3, 1937

Chairman, Local Arrangements: Colonel R. V. Waters, Miami, Florida.

Chairman, Host Committee: Herbert Whitney, State Director of Aviation, Tallahassee, Florida.

Chairman, Resolutions Committee: Fred Sheriff, Commissioner of Aeronautics, Helena, Montana.

Chairman, Credentials Committee: Dexter Martin, Director of Aeronautics, Columbia, South Carolina.

Chairman, Nominations Committee: Dr. Raymond R. Staub, Chairman, Board of Aeronautics, Portland, Oregon.

**WEDNESDAY (December 1st)**

9:00 A.M. Registration.

10:00 A.M. Greetings to the Convention.

**Aviation Insurance and the State Responsibility.**

Charles L. Morris, Presiding.

- a. "The Forces Which Can Lower Aviation Insurance Rates." JEROME LEDERER, Engineering Division, Aero Insurance Underwriters.
- b. "Insurance and State Responsibility." MAJOR WILLIAM B. SMITH, Chief Flight Surgeon, Connecticut Aeronautics Commission.
- c. The Airport Operator and Workmen's Compensation. (Round Table)
- d. Private Owner and Insurance. (Round Table)

12:30 P.M. Luncheon.

"Aviation and the Chambers of Commerce." ARTHUR S. DUDLEY, Sacramento, California.

2:15 P.M. **Promotion of Aviation by State Bodies.**

Dexter Martin, Presiding.

- a. "Aviation Promotion and Education." COLONEL FLOYD EVANS, State Director of Aviation, Michigan.
- b. "The Protection of Aviation from Inequitable Taxation." HAINER HINSHAW, United Air Lines.
- c. "The N.A.S.A.O. and Aviation Development." FRED D. FAGG, JR., Director of Air Commerce.

**THURSDAY (December 2nd)**

9:30 A.M. Election of Officers.

10:00 A.M. **The State Commission and Airport Development.**

Colonel D. O. Langstaff, Presiding.

- a. "Economic and Administrative Angles of Airport Development." CORRINGTON GILL, Assistant Administrator, WPA.
- b. "Engineering of Airports." COLONEL SUMPTER SMITH, Airport Engineer, WPA.
- c. "What Can the Bureau of Air Commerce Tell You About Airports?" A. B. McMULLEN, Chief, Airport Section, Bureau of Air Commerce.
- d. "National Airport Problems." MAJOR FRED L. SMITH, National Aeronautics Association.
- e. "I Run a Private Airport." CHESTER A. CHARLES, Manager, Dupont Field, Wilmington, Delaware.

12:30 P.M. Luncheon.

"The Story of Soaring." LEWIN B. BARRINGER, General Manager, American Soaring Society.

2:15 P.M. a. President's Report. GILL ROBB WILSON.

b. "Aeronautical Law Review—1937." GEORGE B. LOGAN, Legal Counsel, National Association of State Aviation Officials.

6:30 P.M. Stag.

**FRIDAY (December 3rd)**

9:30 A.M. **The Story and Status of Regulation.**

Asa Rountree, Jr., Presiding.

- a. "Airport Traffic Control." DAVID LITTLE, Radio Corporation of America.
- b. "Aviation Promotion in New York." MAX POLLET, President, New York State Aviation Association.
- c. "Rationalization of Air Transport." COLONEL EDGAR S. GORRELL, President, Air Transport Association.

12:30 P.M. Luncheon.

Afternoon: All American Air Races.

8:00 P.M. Dinner (Informal Dress).

Toastmaster: "Casey" Jones.

- a. "The First 1000 Hours." BERNARR MCFADDEN.
- b. "Commerce on Wings." JUAN TERRY TRIPPE, President, Pan American Airways.
- c. "Allies in Air Advancement." COLONEL J. MONROE JOHNSON, Assistant Secretary of Commerce.
- d. "It's Never Far Home." HON. HAROLD G. HOFFMAN, Governor of the State of New Jersey.