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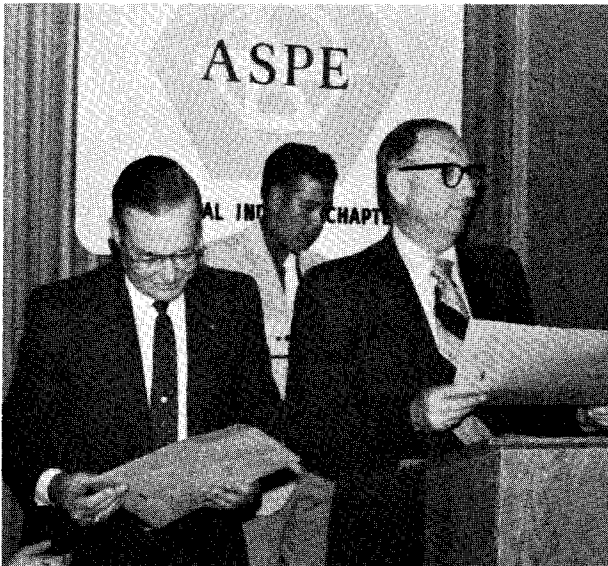
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CHARTER DINNER: Members and guests of the newly formed Central Indiana Chapter, American Society of Plumbing Engineers (ASPE), gathered at the North Side K of C, Indianapolis, for the Chapter's official charter presentation dinner-dance. Identified above (clockwise from upper left): Chapter President Pietro F. Maijer, McGuire & Shook, accepts charter from ASPE President George W. Runkle Jr., P.E. Ed Meier, representing State Stove & Mfg. Co., and his wife pose with Geo. Runkle, Ivonne and Pete Maijer. State Stove sponsored the orchestra for after-

dinner dancing. State Building Commissioner Charles J. Betts, FAIA, and his wife, Virginia, were among the dignitaries present. Ron Brown, P.E., Geupel Architects, and Charles Tracey of A. O. Smith Corp., accept awards for their efforts in helping establish the new chapter. Ron is the chapter vice-president, and Tracey was chairman of the dinner committee. ASPE was formed in 1964 as a professional technical society. Its aim is to elevate the profession of plumbing engineering. Story on page 16.

ASPE Chapter Formed; Holds Charter Dinner October 12

Members of the construction community turned out in impressive numbers for the Oct. 12 Charter Presentation Dinner of the newly formed Central Indiana Chapter, American Society of Plumbing Engineers (ASPE).

The dinner was held at the North Side K of C, Indianapolis.

George W. Runkle Jr., P.E., president of the national Society, presented the charter to Chapter President Pietro Maijer during ceremonies which followed the dinner.

The new chapter officers include, in addition to Pete Maijer, Ronald L. Brown, 1st vice-president; Morse M. Green, 2nd vice-president; H. Richard Hume, 3rd vice-president; Lester P. Koelling Jr., treasurer; Blasco Andino, administrative secretary; and Robert G. Dunham, corresponding secretary.

Members of the Charter Dinner Committee included: Charles L. Tracey, chairman; John G. DeNardin, co-chairman; Pietro Maijer, Ronald L. Brown, Jerry L. Gunderman, Robert G. Dunham, Lester P. Koelling Jr., H. Richard Hume, Kenneth Eppert, and Richard Hunter.

The list of invited dignitaries in attendance included: State Building Commissioner Charles J. Betts, FAIA, and his wife, Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Wilson, representing U. S. Local 440; and Mr. and Mrs. W. Channing Smith, representing the Indiana and Indianapolis Associations of PHC Contractors.

Included on the list of individuals and firms who sponsored the dinner were: Aspinall & Assoc., Eastman Central-D/Valley Faucet, Geupel DeMars, Inc., Indiana Association of Plumbing-Heating-Cooling Contractors, Central Indiana Chapter of ASRAE, Jackson Engineering Co., Johnson & Davisson, Inc., Lee Supply Corp., McGuire & Shook Corp., Nora Wholesale Plumbing & Heating Supply Co., P-M & Associates, Rheem Manufacturing Co., J. M. Rotz Engineering Co., A. O. Smith Corp., State Stove & Mfg. Co., Target Corp., Tyler Pipe/Wade, and Ward & Assoc., and the Plumbing-Heating-Cooling Contractors Assn. of Greater Indianapolis.

ASPE was incorporated in 1964 as a non-profit professional technical society. Its purpose is to elevate the profession of plumbing engineering. It is the only international organization devoted exclusively to the interests and concerns of plumbing engineering, and its membership includes plumbing engineers, designers, draftsmen, specifiers of plumbing systems and products, governmental authorities, and others interested in the plumbing engineering profession.

The Society's goals are to serve as a medium in the solution of professional problems pertaining to Plumbing Engineering as it affects the profession, community and general public. It also seeks to advance the general scientific interests and education, to propagate the plumbing engineering profession, to encourage scientific achievement among its members, to generate better understanding between members, plumbing officials, contractors and the general public, and to serve the best interests of the country, state, community, client and the general public.

After-dinner dancing was to the music of the Ray Churchman Group, courtesy of State Stove & Mfg. Co.

Pete had called the bank to inquire about some of his savings bonds. He was connected with a clerk who asked, "Are you interested in redemption or conversion?" Pete's quick answer was, "Wait a minute . . . did I make a mistake in dialing? Is this the church or the bank?"

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