

# AMERICAN FOLKLORE SOCIETY

Philadelphia, Pa. December 27-29, 1960

Tecumseh Room, Bellevue-Stratford

**Tuesday, December 27: 1:30-4:40**

Moderator: Samuel P. Bayard, Pennsylvania State University

"Fact and Legend: The Naval Shelling of Quallah-Battoo in 1832" by Robert Seager, Denison University

"Misconceptions Associated with the Ballad 'Sir Patrick Spens'" by G. Ellis Burcaw, Curator of the Philadelphia Commercial Museum

"Croce's Aesthetics of Balladry" by William Simone, Southern Illinois University

## TEN MINUTE INTERMISSION

"The Classical Myths in Oral Tradition" by Marie Campbell, Bowling Green University

"Folklore in the Gospel According to St. Matthew" by Calvin Claudel, Chalmette, Louisiana

"Did Abraham Lincoln Exist?" by Francis Lee Utley, Ohio State University

**Wednesday, December 28: 9:30-12:00**

Moderator: Stuart Gallacher, Michigan State University

"The Saint Nicholas Custom in German Settlements in Central Missouri" by W. A. Willibrand, University of Oklahoma

"Amish Life as Revealed in the *Sugarcreek Budget*" by William I. Schreiber, College of Wooster

"Quaker Folklore and the Quaker in Folklore" by Maurice Mook, Pennsylvania State University

"Tall Tales from 'Roaring Giddap'" by Lionel D. Wyld, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

"Toasts of the South Philadelphia Negroes" by Roger Abrahams, University of Texas

**Wednesday, December 28: 1:30-4:30**

*PANEL on "Folk Literature and the Obscene"*

Moderator: Frank Hoffman, Indiana University

Panelists: Herbert Halpert, Blackburn University (definition)

Horace Beck, Middlebury College (collecting)

Gershon Legman, Valbonne, France (misconceptions)

(paper read by Jan Kindler, New York City)  
Discussion from floor

**Wednesday, December 28: 7:30**

*Annual Dinner in the Red Room of the Bellevue-Stratford*

Presidential Address by William Fenton, New York State Museum

"Ukrainian Folk Art in America" by Stephania Pushkar, Ukrainian National Women's League of America

**Thursday, December 29: 9:30-11:00**

## BUSINESS MEETING

**Thursday, December 29: 1:00-3:00**

Moderator: Ray Browne, Purdue University

"Willie Robbie, Folk Artist of Buchan, Scotland" by Kenneth Goldstein, University of Pennsylvania

"Greek Festival Breads for the Twelve Days of Christmas" by Margaret Arnott, University of Pennsylvania

"Isolation and Some of Its Effects on the Informants" by Anne G. Street, Media, Pa.

"The Decreasing Power of Myth on Ulithi Atoll" by William A. Lessa, University of California at Los Angeles

To reserve places for the Annual Dinner, Wednesday, December 28, at 7:30, please return the attached form at once to AFS, Box 5, Bennett Hall, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia 4, Pa. We must report all reservations to the Bellevue-Stratford before the Annual Meeting begins on December 27.

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ place(s) for the Annual Dinner at \$5.25 each (includes tax and gratuity).

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