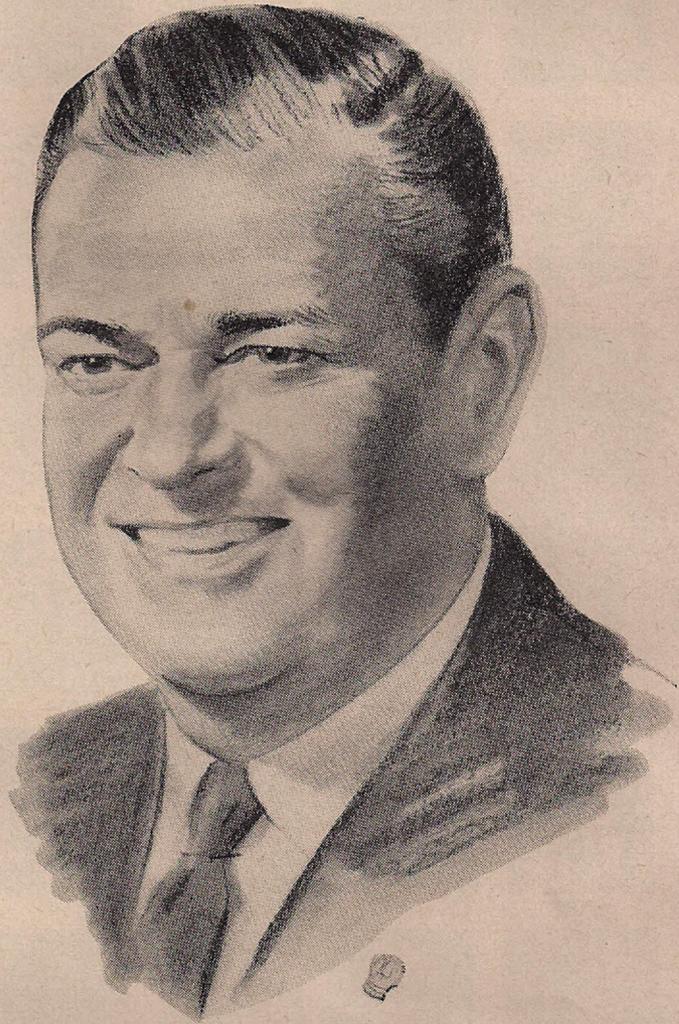


# OFFICERS DIRECTORS DISTRICT GOVERNORS

*Lions International*



**Dudley L. Simms**, Charleston, W. Va., was elected President of Lions International in July, 1958, after serving through the three International Vice-Presidencies and as an International Director. He became a Lion in 1937 and is a Master Key member. He operates a chain of Piece Goods Shops in West Virginia and is active in many community and fraternal organizations. A Baptist, he and his wife, Opal, are the parents of four children—Mrs. Patricia Marie Harrison, Mrs. Betty Lee Sears, twin sons John Lee and Dudley Lee III, and seven grandchildren.



**Edward G. Barry**

**Edward G. Barry**, Little Rock, Ark., is Immediate Past President of the Association. He is Commercial Sales Manager of the Arkansas Power and Light Company. He served through practically every club and district office, became an International Director in 1950 and Int. Third Vice-President in 1954. He is an original organizer of the Southwest Rehabilitation Center for the Blind and is an active leader in civic groups. A Presbyterian, Lion Barry and his wife, Ada, are the parents of Mrs. Howard G. Keller (Molly Ann) and Edward G. Barry, Jr.

## OFFICERS and DIRECTORS

**Clarence L. Sturm**, Manawa, Wis. First Vice-President. A charter member and president of the Manawa club, he has also served as Zone Chairman, Deputy and District Governor, and International Director. Holds Extension and Ambassador of Good Will awards. A graduate of Northwestern University and in the wholesale food business, he is a Lutheran and has one daughter.

Clarence L. Sturm



**Finis E. Davis**, Louisville, Ky. Second Vice-President. A Key member and past president of the Louisville club, Lion Davis has served on the district level and as International Director. Presently Superintendent of American Printing House for the Blind. A member of the Presbyterian Church, he and his wife, Ethlyn, have three daughters.

Finis E. Davis



**Per Stahl**, Eskilstuna, Sweden. Third Vice-President. A Lion since 1949, he has held various club and district offices, and, in 1953, was elected International Director. He holds the International President's and Ambassador of Good Will awards. Managing Director of a firm which manufactures tools and cutlery. A Lutheran, he and his wife, Inger, have three children.



Per Stahl



Dr. Carlos Aguirre R.

**Dr. Carlos Aguirre R.**, La Paz, Bolivia. Director. A charter member of the La Paz club, he served two terms as District Governor and two on the Board of International Relations. A practicing attorney, Dr. Aguirre earned his law degree at St. Andrews Major University where he later taught. A member of the Catholic Church, he and his wife, Yolanda, have three children.

**Jorge Bird**, San Juan, Puerto Rico. Director. Served his club in various capacities and as Deputy and District Governor and Cabinet Secretary-Treasurer. Educated in the field of commerce, he now operates a restaurant and travel agency at the San Juan International Airport. Lion Bird is a Catholic, and he and Mrs. Bird have five children, three daughters and two sons.

Jorge Bird



**Herbert L. Birum, Jr.**, Trenton, N. J. Director. A charter member of two New Jersey clubs, he has been Zone Chairman, Deputy and District Governor and Chairman of the State Council of Governors. President of a company that manufactures many of his own inventions, Lion Birum is a Presbyterian, and he and his wife, Amelia, have one daughter.

Herbert L. Birum, Jr.



W. R. Bryan

**W. R. Bryan**, Doylestown, Ohio. Director. A Key member and twice president of his club, he has also served in various district offices and boasts a 10-year perfect attendance record. Manager of the Training Division of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, Lion Bryan is a Methodist and he and his wife, Celia, have one daughter and one son.

**Frank T. Buckley**, Derry, N. H. Director. Has served as club president, Zone Chairman, Deputy and District Governor, wears a 10-year charter chevron and holds two extension awards. Lion Buckley is engaged in the long-haul transportation business and is a member of the Methodist Church. He and his wife have nine children and 11 grandchildren.

Frank T. Buckley



**Charles G. Carter**, Winnipeg, Manitoba. Director. A Master Key member and past president of the Winnipeg club, he also served twice as District Governor. He is president of an automobile finance company and heads one of Canada's largest auto dealerships. A Moderator of the Red River Valley Association of the Baptist Church, he is the father of one son.

Charles G. Carter



## DIRECTORS

**Claude M. DeVorss**, Wichita, Kan. Director. A Master Key member and past president of his club, he has served on the district level and for the past 11 years has maintained perfect attendance. Formerly Mayor of Wichita, he is presently the owner of the DeVorss Music Company. A Deacon of the First Baptist Church, he and his wife, Bernice, have one daughter.

Claude M. DeVorss



**Eugenio Eusebio**, Manila, Philippines. Director. He holds a Key, 100% Attendance and International President's awards, and served two terms as District Governor after holding several club offices. Educated in the U. S., Lion Eusebio is an attorney as well as a college professor and director of several corporations. A Catholic, he is married and has two daughters.

Eugenio Eusebio



**Aubrey D. Green**, York, Ala. Director. A Key member and past president of his club, he has held the offices of Zone Chairman, Deputy and District Governor and earned the 100% District Governor's award. He is presently a member of the Board of Directors of the Alabama Automobile Dealers Association. Director Green, a bachelor, is a member of the Presbyterian Church.



Aubrey D. Green



**Federico Hands**, Maracaibo, Venezuela. Director. Lion Hands has previously served the Association as International Director and Chairman of the Board of International Relations. He is a charter member and past president of his club and was Governor of District E. Known for his work in organizing blood banks, he is married and a member of the Catholic Church.

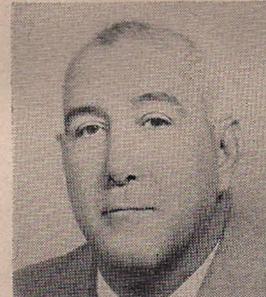
Federico Hands

**A. G. Kirstine**, Edmonton, Alberta. Director. Charter president of the St. Marys, Ontario club, he has also served the Edmonton club in various capacities and on the district level. Has a 12-year perfect attendance record. An animal nutritionist, Director Kirstine is a member of the United Church of Canada and he and his wife, Kathleen, have one daughter and one son.



A. G. Kirstine

**Dr. Lincoln S. Mendez**, Havana, Cuba. Director. A past president of the Havana club, he has also served as District Governor and as a member of the Board of International Relations. He is a practicing attorney and was instrumental in the construction of Cuba's National Home for the Blind. Lion Mendez, who is a Catholic, and his wife, Norma, have two daughters.



Dr. Lincoln S. Mendez



James D. Richardson

**James D. Richardson**, Brunswick Heads, Australia. Director. Three times president of his club, he has served on the district level and on the Executive Committee of the Board of Governors. Holds Merit, Achievement, Extension and International President's awards, and has maintained six years perfect attendance. A hotel manager, he and Mrs. Richardson have one child.

**Ted G. Peterson**, Seattle, Wash. Director. A Key member and past president of the Ballard District club with 12 years perfect attendance, he served as Zone Chairman and District Governor. President of the Peterson Beauty Supply company and director of a masonry firm, he is a Baptist and he and his wife, Ruth, have one daughter and one son.

Ted G. Peterson



**Marius Smith**, Porto Alegre, Brazil. Director. Has held several club offices and as District Governor visited not only all the clubs in his district, but 95% of all those in Brazil. Although he holds a law degree, his principal endeavors are as Director of the South American branch of the Quaker Oats Company. He is a Catholic and the father of three children.

Marius Smith



## DIRECTORS

**Hektor von Salis**, Zurich, Switzerland. Director. Charter president of the Zurich club, he was instrumental in introducing Lionism in Germany, Italy and Austria. Lion von Salis received his law degree from the University of Berne and is a member of the Swiss and International Law Associations. A Protestant, he and his wife, Emmy, have one child.

Hektor von Salis



**Miguel E. Abed**, Mexico City, Mexico. Director. He served as club president, District Governor and International Director and is one of the few Lions in the Association who holds the International Membership Key. His business interests are principally textiles and real estate. He is married and has a family of 11 children.

Miguel E. Abed



**Thomas G. Basil**, Annapolis, Md. Director. A past president and director of the Annapolis club, he has also served as Deputy and District Governor and Chairman of the District Council of Governors. After attending St. Johns College and the University of Maryland, he entered the insurance and real estate business. A Methodist, he and Mrs. Basil have one child.



Thomas G. Basil



Dr. Harry E. Goddard

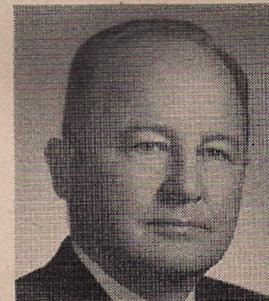
**Dr. Harry E. Goddard**, Kennett, Mo. Director. A Senior Master Key member, he has held every office in his club as well as that of Zone Chairman, Deputy and District Governor. Holds the Extension and 100% District Governor's awards. Educated at the Washington University School of Dentistry, he and his wife, Jeanette, have one child.

**Ivan H. Jackson**, Cartersville, Ga. Director. Before becoming Cabinet Secretary-Treasurer, Deputy and District Governor, he served his club as secretary and president. A Master Key member, he has also earned Extension and 100% District Governor's awards. Presently Commercial Sales Engineer for the Georgia Power Company, Lion Jackson is married and a Methodist.



Ivan H. Jackson

**A. C. Kidd**, Wewoka, Okla. Director. A 30-year member and Senior Master Key holder, he has held almost every club and district office and for two terms served on the Council of Governors. Lion Kidd received his A. B. and LL.B. degrees at the University of Mississippi. A member of the Baptist Church, he and his wife, Neona, have one child.



A. C. Kidd



R. A. Lipscomb

**R. A. Lipscomb**, Burns City, Texas. Director. A Senior Master Key and Extension Award holder, he has served his club as president for two terms and as Cabinet Secretary-Treasurer, Deputy and District Governor. A graduate of North Texas State College, he is the former Mayor of Wink, Texas and currently an insurance executive. He is married, a Baptist, and has one son.

**Paul W. Mahady**, Latrobe, Pa. Director. Has served as Zone Chairman, Deputy and District Governor. Lion Mahady received an A. B. from Harvard and an LL.B. from the Harvard Law School and is now a partner in the firm of Mahady & Mahady. A Lt. Colonel during World War II, he compiled an outstanding war record. A Catholic, he and his wife, Janet, have two sons.

Paul W. Mahady



**Maurice Perstein**, San Francisco, Cal. Director. Having served in various club and district offices, he was the originator and general chairman of "Operation Philippines." A Key and Life member, he has compiled an 11-year perfect attendance record. Lion Perstein is a partner in the Pioneer Flag and Pioneer Electric Construction companies. He is a member of the Jewish faith and has two sons.

Maurice Perstein



## DIRECTORS and ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS

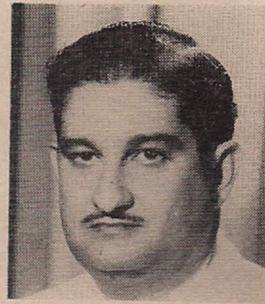
**Al A. Schock**, Sioux Falls, S. D. Director. A Key member and past president of his club, he has also served as Deputy and District Governor and holds the Extension, 100% District Governor's and District Service awards. Lion Schock, who is the co-owner of a dairy processing plant, is a Lutheran and he and his wife, Phyllis, have two daughters and one son.

Al A. Schock



**Dr. Teodoro Alberto Arias I.**, Canal Zone, Panama. Director. Has been a member of the Board of International Relations and held many club and district offices. Educated in the U. S., he is a practicing physician and active in the real estate and land development business. Director Arias, a Catholic, and his wife, Una, have three children.

Dr. Teodoro Alberto Arias I.



**Randell D. Watkins**, Laramie, Wyo. Chairman, Board of Governors. Served as president and director of the Laramie club, Deputy and District Governor, and has earned the Extension award. He is the chairman of the Department of Physical Education and Recreation at the University of Wyoming. A member of the Church of Christ, Lion Watkins is married.



Randell D. Watkins



Hugh E. Monteith

**Hugh E. Monteith**, Asheville, N. C. Chairman, Board of International Relations. A charter member and Key member of the Sylva, N. C. club, he has held several district offices and received a 15-Year Charter Chevron. A graduate of Wake Forest College, Lion Monteith is a practicing attorney. He and his wife, Pauline, have two children. They are Baptists.



John H. Vogt

**John H. Vogt**, Chicago, Ill. Executive Administrator. Appointed to his present position in November, 1957, he is the chief administrative officer of the Association and reports directly to the President. A graduate of the University of Iowa, his background includes experience in mercantile and industrial management. He is married and has two children.

**R. Roy Keaton**, Chicago, Ill. Director-General. Lion Keaton became a member in 1929 and came to work for the Association in 1934. Between that time and 1950, when he took over his present duties, he served as Special Representative, State Secretary of Texas and Assistant Secretary-General. He and his wife, Elizabeth, have two children.



R. Roy Keaton



Melvin Jones

**Melvin Jones**, Chicago, Ill. Secretary-General and Founder. At the organizational convention in Dallas, Texas in 1917, Lion Jones was elected Secretary of the Association. In 1950 the Board of Directors conferred on him the lifetime title of Secretary-General and at this year's Convention gave him his present title. He and his wife, Lillian, reside in Flossmoor, Ill.



Wilburn L. Wilson

**Wilburn L. Wilson**, Chicago, Ill. Treasurer. A graduate of Chillicothe Business College, he is a Master Key member of the Chicago (Central) club, has been in the employ of Lions International since 1932 and Treasurer since 1945. He is a Lutheran, and he and his wife, Anne, and their two children live in Glen Ellyn, Ill.



William R. Bird

**William R. Bird**, Chicago, Ill. Secretary. A Key member and Director of the Chicago (Englewood) club, he received his LL.B. degree from John Marshall Law School in 1947. He is a member of the American Bar Association and the Delta Theta Phi legal fraternity. A member of the Presbyterian Church, he and his wife, Ann, reside in Maywood, Ill., a Chicago suburb.