



THE PHILADELPHIA SOCIETY

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PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA 19106

Announcing . . . the first national meeting

Friday and Saturday, February 26—27, 1965

Boulevard Room, Sheraton-Chicago Hotel
505 North Michigan Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois

THE FUTURE OF FREEDOM: THE PROBLEMS AND THE PROSPECTS

Friday, February 26

3:00 - 3:30 Registration - Coffee

3:30 - 5:00 Discussion - The Philadelphia Society

5:00 - 6:00 Cocktail hour

6:00 - 7:30 Dinner

8:00 - 10:00 *The Problem of Philosophy*

Milton Friedman, Professor of Economics, University of Chicago

Frank S. Meyer, Senior Editor, National Review

Stanley Parry, C.S.C., Department of Political Science, University of Notre Dame

Saturday, February 27

9:30 — 11:30 *The Foreign Policy of a Free Society*

L. Brent Bozell, Author, Lecturer, former Senior Editor, National Review

Stefan T. Possony, Director, International Studies Program, Hoover Institution on War,
Revolution and Peace, Stanford University

Robert Strausz-Hupe', Director, Foreign Policy Research Institute, University of Pennsylvania

12:00 — 1:15 Luncheon — Report, Organization Committee

1:30- 3:30 *The Problem of Persuasion*

Richard Cornuelle, Director, The Foundation for Voluntary Welfare LeBaron R. Foster,
Vice President, Opinion Research Corporation G. Warren Nutter, Chairman,
Department of Economics, University of Virginia

3:30 - 4:00 Coffee

4:00 - 6:00 *The Intellectual Task Ahead*

Russell Kirk, Research Professor of Political Science, C. W. Post College George J.

Stigler, Professor of American Institutions, University of Chicago Eliseo Vivas, Professor
of Philosophy, Northwestern University

6:00 Adjournment

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- **The registration fee for the meeting, including Friday dinner and Saturday luncheon, is \$17 per person. Registration must be accompanied by a \$5 deposit.**
- **Advance registration, postmarked before February 18 and accompanied by payment, may be made at \$15. (Registration fee will be refunded in full if you find it necessary to cancel and if cancellation is received prior to February 26.)**
- **Send reservations to: 509 Hopkinson House, Washington Square, Philadelphia, Pa. 19106.**
- **Room reservations should be made direct with the Sheraton-Chicago Hotel.**

ABOUT THE PHILADELPHIA SOCIETY: Meetings were held last April 18 in Indianapolis and April 25 in Philadelphia and San Francisco for the purpose of forming a society of scholars patterned after the Mont Pelerin Society. The name Philadelphia Society was selected because of this city's association with the Founding Fathers, whose labors in Philadelphia produced the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution, and the American Republic.

ALTHOUGH NO CONSENSUS on organizational matters was sought at the meetings, there seemed general agreement on the following:

- 1) The Society should be multidisciplinary. There seemed little interest in the Society sponsoring conferences within specific disciplines, although the possibility should not be excluded.
- 2) A fundamental purpose of the Society should be a continuing dialogue between the "traditionalist" and "libertarian" emphases. A slight majority seemed to favor discussions at a philosophical rather than topical level.
- 3) Membership should be oriented to the academy, but not limited to it; others who have a serious interest in the cause of individual liberty should be welcomed.
- 4) The Society should sponsor no resolutions, political statements or corporate programs of action.

THE MEMBERS who are serving as the organizational committee:

William H. Book, Consultant, Indianapolis
Wax. F. Buckley, Jr., Editor, National Review
 W. Glenn Campbell, Director, Hoover Institution on War, Revolution and Peace
 Peter L. DeLuca III, Western Director, Intercollegiate Society of Individualists
 M. Stanton Evans, Editor, Indianapolis News
 Edwin J. Feulner, Jr., London School of Economics
 Milton Friedman, Professor of Economics, University of Chicago
 Arthur Kemp, Professor of Economics, Claremont Men's College
 Don Lipsett, National Field Director, Intercollegiate Society of Individualists
 Frank S. Meyer, Senior Editor, National Review
 Henry Regnery, President, Henry Regnery Co.
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