

MONTGOMERY-PRINCE GEORGES CHAPTER

HISTORY AT A GLANCE

TENTH YEAR-July 1, 1977 to June 30, 1978

OFFICERS, DIRECTORS AND COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS:

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Coop. with Govt. Agencies	Floyd S. Bowman, Retired
10th Anniversary	Benedict T. Maltagliati, SI
Nominations	Liberto Lecea, HEW
Audit	Edward Chait, PW & Co.

MEMBERSHIP:

May 1, 1977-461 Members
April 30, 1978-493 Members

CHAPTER AWARDS:

Ralph Flaherty Chapter Service:
Benedict T. Maltagliati
Dist. Leadership:
Donald L. Scantlebury, GAO
Achievement of the Year:
Harold J. Lamb, DCAA
Professional Activities:
Lane K. Anderson, CASB
Directors of the Year:
Edward J. Ballotta
John F. Schultheis
Author of the Year: Edward P. Chait
Unsung Hero(ine):
Brenda J. Morsell, HUD

MEETING LOCATION:

Silver Spring Holiday Inn

GENERAL:

The tenth year was launched with the theme "Service

to Members." This year saw the continuation of many of the successful efforts of the past and the initiation of new activities to enhance the benefit of membership in M-PG Chapter. During the year, the Chapter was incorporated in the state of Maryland. The "Communique" first began using pictures and began printing monthly columns of the activities of the various committees. Posters of the meetings were placed in several Government buildings. Advertising was also accomplished through local newspapers and on the radio. Three mini-symposiums were held: "Comprehensive Financial Management Systems"; "Advanced Audit Techniques", and; "Speaking and Listening--Opposite Sides of the Same Coin." The November meeting was a joint meeting with the M-PG Chapter of the National Association of Accountants and drew over 170 persons. The Education Committee made many presentations to local high schools and colleges. Two research projects were completed: "Zero-Based Budgeting" and "Accounting Control Systems." The first (and only) Chapter Directory was published. We were saddened during the year by the passing of Ralph Flaherty, one of the founders of the Chapter. In memoriam, the Chapter Service Award was re-named the "Ralph Flaherty Chapter Service Award." Ben Maltagliati represented the Chapter on the National Executive Committee and Mort Dittenhofer was hired to replace the retiring Nat Cutler as National Executive Vice President. A December social event was held at the Burn Brae Dinner Theater for "Carousel." The year came to an end with a gala Tenth Anniversary celebration.

PROGRAMS:

Representative Newton Steers, Jr., (R) MD-8th

Neil Tierney, Partner, Arthur Young & Co.

Comer Coppie, Budget Director, DC

Theodore Lutz, Manager, METRO

Elsa Porter, Asst. Sec. for Admin., COM

Panel on Continuing Education
Mort Dittenhofer, Moderator

Fred Wacker, Asst. Sec. of Defense

Gerald Murphy, National President, AGA

SCENES FROM THE 10TH YEAR



Pres. Nelson Shapiro flanked by Art and Mrs. Schoenhaut and Ernie and Lucille Davenport



Chris Peratino presents Past Pres. Ben Maltagliati with first Ralph Flaherty Chapter Service award



Andy Platt (back to camera), Matt Groff and Sid Baurmash



Jerry Persh, Dick Pelletier, Al Gibson, Sandy Gerson and Curt Christensen enjoying (?) the "happy hour"