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MORNING SESSION

National Center, Bldg. 3, Room 3 S 11, 2531 Jefferson Davis  
Highway, Arlington, Va.

CHAIRMAN -- Walter Carlson, Director, Group 210

- 8:00 a.m. - Registration (No Fees)
- 8:45 a.m. - The Patent and Trademark Office - Patent System  
C. Marshall Dann, Commissioner of Patents and  
Trademarks
- 9:00 a.m. - Patent Office Practice - Processing Applications  
for Patents -- William Feldman, Deputy Assistant  
Commissioner for Patent Examining
- 9:45 a.m. - The Professional in the Patent Office --  
Robert Kilgore, President, Patent Office Society
- 9:55 a.m. - Patents in Industry -- Frank Neuhauser, Manager  
Washington Patent Operations - General Electric
- 10:15 a.m. - Question Period
- 10:30 a.m. - Coffee Break
- 10:45 a.m. - The Inventor and the Patent System --  
Jacob Rabinow, Chief, Office of Invention  
and Innovation, National Bureau of Standards
- 11:30 a.m. - Question Period
- 12:00 Noon - Slide Presentation: Inventors and Inventions in  
the Framework of the Patent System - Irving  
Rotkin, Patent Classifier
- 12:30 p.m. - Buffet Luncheon - Crystal House, 2000 South Eads St.,  
12th Floor, (Guests of the Patent Office Society)  
Commissioner & Staff, President & Executive Board,  
Registrants and Guests
- 2:00 p.m. - Tour of Patent and Trademark Office facilities  
including the Public Search Room
- 4:15 p.m. - Return to Academy Lecture Hall - Concluding Remarks  
William Feldman, Deputy Assistant Commissioner