

SSA NEWS

CHAPTER REBATES MADE

Checks totalling \$955.00 were mailed in October to 23 SSA Chapters as their annual partial SSA dues rebate. The 10 other SSA Chapters that qualify for such rebates were mailed their checks in May.

Chapters that meet the special qualification of maintaining 100% voting members and Student Members of SSA receive this rebate of \$2.00 per Member and \$3.00 per Family Membership.

Approximately 1/3 of all SSA full Members are members of one of the 40 SSA Chapters. Many others belong to clubs that are not Chapters which would make it easy for them to obtain such status. Other Chapter benefits include contest sanction fee savings and insurance privileges. Has your club considered becoming a Chapter?

VOTE!

In November, SSA voting members in regions 2, 4, 7, 8, 9 and 10 will receive nomination ballots for this fall's election of one Regional Director in each region. Be thinking of the man you would like to represent you for the next three years on the SSA Board of Directors and try to obtain his permission to place his name in nomination. Members are referred to the President's editorial in the October issue on "Director's Qualifications." It takes only three nomination votes to put a man's name on the election ballot. Exercise one of the most important privileges of your membership by nominating and voting in this election.

LAMBIE TO HANDLE SSA LIBRARY

Jack Lambie has been appointed custodian of the SSA Lending Library of out of print soaring publications. He will provide a list of the publications available to SSA members under this service. A small rental charge will be made for use of the publications.

In the future, address all requests for lists of publications and publications themselves to: Jack H. Lambie, 11239 Cedar Tree Rd., Santa Fe Springs, Calif.

SSA WIS. GOVERNOR ABSENT

SSA's State Governor for Wisconsin, Guenter W. Voltz, will be absent until early 1961. While vacationing in Europe this summer he suffered

some sort of accident which has him laid up in a cast. His substitute as SSA Governor until his return is Frederick F. Flood, 8640-F West Melvina St., Milwaukee, 22, Wis. Fred is President of the recently formed Greater Milwaukee Soaring Club, Inc.

IOWA GOVERNOR RESIGNS

Leighton Misbach, SSA's Governor for Iowa, has felt it necessary to resign his position with the Society. Any SSA member in that State who would like to take over the duties of SSA Governor should write to the President.

SSA MEMBERSHIP CONTEST PRIZES SOLICITED

SSA is now making plans for a big membership contest, opening date to be announced in the near future. Prizes are hereby solicited from the members or any possible donors that members may know, bearing in mind that gifts to the Society are tax deductible. Make all donations to SSA, Box 66071, Los Angeles 66, Calif.



An illustrated, 18 page booklet designed to answer the questions of the uninitiated.

Price: 25 cents, postpaid

10 or more, 15 cents each

from

**SSA Box 66071
Los Angeles 66, Calif.**

MATERIAL AVAILABLE

The SSA has a variety of items available on a free distribution basis, unless otherwise specified. Request by item number or name from SSA, Box 66071, Los Angeles 66, Calif.

Item 3. FAI soaring awards application blanks.

Item 4. SSA membership application blanks. These are in the form of business reply envelopes, making it easy for new applicants to mail in their dues.

Item 6. SOARING . . . The S.S.A. . . . and YOU pamphlets, telling about the sport of soaring, glider pilot certificates, how soaring is organized, what the SSA is and what it does, and how to get started in soaring. Ideal for answering the questions of prospective soaring enthusiasts.

Item 7. Region lists of soaring clubs and SSA Governors, by SSA region number, as excerpted from the SSA Directory. The list for each region lists all soaring clubs in that region, their addresses, meeting times and places, flying sites and contact persons and the SSA Governors' names and addresses for each state in the region. Add the region number in parentheses after Item 7 when ordering or just the state desired.

Item 8. List giving Availability of Plans, Kits, Partially Completed and Ready-to-fly Gliders and Sailplanes. At present, the list includes only U. S. designs for which details have been obtained, including a brief description, price, manufacturer's name and address. New equipment only.

Item 9. List of Glider Schools and Commercial Glider Operators in the U.S., giving location, equipment, services and prices, where known.

Item 10. List of Books on Soaring, where they may be obtained, prices and a brief description of each.

Item 24. Incorporation Procedures—California. Intended to show non-profit soaring clubs the way to incorporate, with specific details for the state of California.

Item 28. Used Sailplanes For Sale List. All known used sailplanes for sale for which the owner has given permission to include on this list. Latest revision is dated Sept. 2, 1960.

Item 30. Film Library List, with rules governing use of the films. Request from Walter B. Hausler, 67 Fisher Rd., Rochester 11, N.Y.

Item 38. How to Start a Soaring Club. Six pages of suggestions.