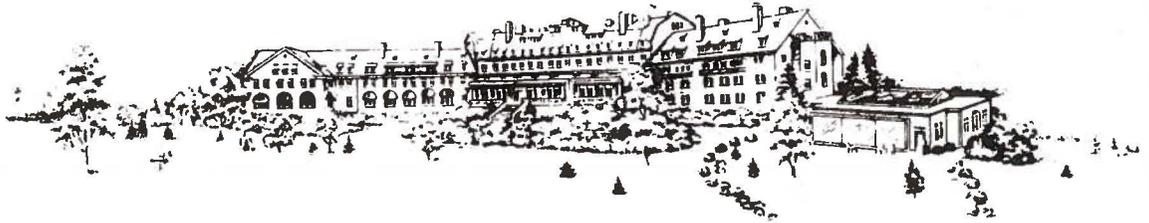


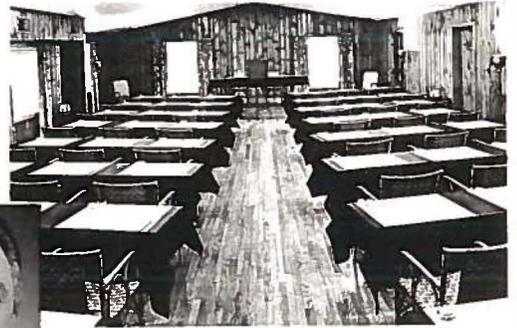


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UNICHAL 1975 CONGRESS

The Union Internationale des Distributeurs de Chaleur (UNICHAL) will meet in September 1975 in Paris, France. Exact dates in September will be announced later.

This will be the first "open" meeting held by this organization—for the first time, non-members will be able to attend, and also participate as authors of papers.

UNICHAL was organized in 1954, and now has 77 Active Members (heat suppliers), and eight Associate Members (national organizations). England, France, Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, Holland, Italy, Sweden, Switzerland, and Federal Germany are represented in the membership.

The purpose of UNICHAL is the "research and study of problems concerning the development of heat distribution for all purposes by means of piping systems which follow public communication lines, one being that of the combined production of electrical power and heat."

Six committees conduct studies on the following subjects: general questions, piping systems, connecting stations, economic and tariff questions, nuclear energy, and nomenclature and statistics. Committee reports are discussed at the Congresses which are held every two years (at one time, they were held annually).

All previous Congresses have been restricted to members only, but because district heating and interest in it is now increasing, UNICHAL members decided that it was desirable to permit non-members to participate—to broaden the scope of potential knowledge and exchange of industry information.

The 1975 Congress will be divided into two sections: one for members only; the other, open to all. The program for the "open" section follows:

First Afternoon: Registration

Morning and Afternoon, Second Day: Discussions on proposed technical theme.

Third Morning: Discussions continued.

Third Afternoon: Tour of district heating-cooling installations in Paris and vicinity.

Third Evening: Banquet

Fourth Day: Combined technical and sightseeing tour.

There will be a special program planned for the Second and Third Days, for persons accompanying Congress participants; they may also attend the banquet, and the tour on the Fourth Day.

Theme for the Congress will be "District Heating Technical Development Possibilities: Effects on Heat Production, Distribution and Utilization Installations."

Persons interested in presenting a paper should contact the UNICHAL Secretariat as soon as possible:

Secretariat de l'UNICHAL, 185 rue de Bercy 75012, Paris, France. Instructions for the preparation and presentation of papers will be sent to authors by the Secretariat. Papers must be written in one of the three languages used by UNICHAL: French, German or English.

THIRD INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT HEATING CONVENTION

The Third International District Heating Convention will convene in Warsaw, Poland in April 1976. Due to a discrepancy in the information received about the exact dates in April, we cannot publish them at this time. They will be noted in a future issue, along with program information when that has been received.

Persons interested in presenting a paper should contact as soon as possible, the IDHA Technical Director, John M. Cousley, Philadelphia Electric Company, 2301 Market Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 19101, telephone 215/841-5621.

(Editor's Note: Some of our readers are under the impression that because of the similarity in the names of these international conventions and the International District Heating Association, the IDHA sponsors them. This is not true, and we wish to correct this impression by stating here that it is the District Heating Association Limited, United Kingdom, which should be credited with initiating the first International District Heating Convention which was held in London, England in 1970.)

SIXTH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF CLIMATISTICS

The Sixth International Congress of Climatistics will take place in Milan, Italy March 2-6, 1975. These congresses are held every four years under the sponsorship of the Representatives of European Heating and Ventilating Associations (REHVA). The Sixth, in Milan, is being organized by the Italian Association for Air Conditioning, Heating and Refrigeration, which is a member of REHVA.

The theme of the 1975 Congress is "Energy Conservation" and there are three sub-themes (1) Energy Conservation and Architecture (2) Energy Conservation and System Design (3) Conservation of Energy Resources and its Influence on the Environment. Authors of papers will come from: United States, Japan, United Kingdom, Roumania, Denmark, Belgium, Poland, Israel, Holland, Hungary, Italy and Russia. Simultaneous translation into Italian, French, English, German and Russian will be provided at all sessions; and paper preprints will be available.

UNITED KINGDOM NATIONAL CONFERENCE

A three-day national conference on district heating, the first of its kind, is to be held in Brighton, England April 22-24, 1975. The event, sponsored by the District Heating Association Limited, U.K., will have as its theme "Design for Living."