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Lecture and Tour Information

The lectures on Wednesday mornings will be held in **The Chicago Public Library Cultural Center Theatre**, Michigan Avenue and Randolph Street (Randolph Street Entrance).

THE TIME of the lectures is 10:30 A.M.

Unless otherwise noted, the point of departure and return for Field Trip tour buses is the Clinton Street (west) entrance to the Chicago & North Western Station. Several public parking facilities are located near the station.

Single tickets often become available at the last minute and can be obtained by calling the KYC office.

TELEPHONE: 753-3137

Note Time and Place
for Lectures
Wednesdays 10:30 AM — 12 N
The Chicago Public Library
Cultural Center Theatre
Michigan and Randolph

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An annual lecture and field trip series
designed to educate for civic leadership

1982 Program of Lectures

(Free and open to the public)

My Kind Of Town

- September 8 **Cruising down the River**
Speakers **Joanne H. Alter**, Commissioner, The Metropolitan Sanitary District of Greater Chicago.
Judith M. Stockdale, Executive Director, Open Lands Project.
- September 22 **There's a Small Hotel**
Speakers **Miles Berger**, Chairman, Chicago Plan Commission.
J. Patrick Foley, President, Hyatt Hotels Corp.
- October 6 **Take Good Care of Yourself**
Speakers Moderator: **John F. Hartray, Jr.**, Architect, Nagle Hartray & Assoc., Ltd. Panel:
Joseph F. Fitzgerald, Architect, President, Joseph F. Fitzgerald & Assoc., Inc.;
John Gnaedinger, President, STS Consultants, Consulting Geotechnical and
Materials Engineers; **Rolf Jensen**, President, Rolf Jensen & Assoc., Inc.; and
Eugene Holland, Consultant, President, Eugene Holland & Assoc. Ltd.
- October 20 **The Bells Are Ringing**
Speakers **William L. Weiss**, President, Illinois Bell.
Robert S. Ingersoll, former U.S. Ambassador to Japan, former Chairman of the
Board, Borg Warner Corp.
- November 3 **A Little Night Music**
Speakers **William Ferris**, Director, William Ferris Chorale.
Alfred Glasser, Director of Education, Lyric Opera.
Dr. Clayton Hannah, Gospel Historian.

1982 Program of Field Trips

The Field Trips are conducted on a Tuesday or a Wednesday the week following each lecture. The color-coded tour tickets are valid only on the dates for which they are issued and must be presented for admission. **There are no refunds on field trip tickets, and no replacement of lost tickets can be made.** The price of each tour is \$20.00*. Luncheon (gratuity included) is provided on all tours. **Tours depart from and return to the Clinton Street (west) entrance to the Chicago & North Western Station, unless otherwise noted.** Tours operate on closely coordinated schedules, and the departure of buses cannot be delayed for late-comers. **Comfortable shoes are recommended.** Since program arrangements must be made many months in advance, scheduled events may sometimes be subject to change. **Please read carefully the instructions on How to Order Tickets. No smoking on buses.**

*Except for Tour 5, which is \$25.00.

Tour One Tuesday, Sept. 14 • Wednesday, Sept. 15
No buses. Daylong trip on Chicago's waterways. **Assemble at 8:45 A.M. at dockside level of the Wrigley Building, 400 N. Michigan,** for a 9 A.M. departure on board the sight-seeing yacht WENDELLA. Expected routes: Chicago River through locks into Lake Michigan, south along lakefront to Calumet River, into Lake Calumet (Port of the City of Chicago), west on the Calumet-Sag Channel, returning to the city via the Chicago Sanitary and Ship Canal and the Chicago River. Commentary will be given by Professor Harold M. Mayer (co-author of *Chicago: Growth of a Metropolis*) on one tour and by Professor Irving Cutler (author of *Chicago: Metropolis of the Mid-Continent*) on the other. Lunch included. Bring clothing for cool/rainy weather. If lake is choppy entire trip will be on inland waterways. Return to Wrigley Building dock at approximately 3:40 P.M.

Tour Two Tuesday, Sept. 28 • Wednesday, Sept. 29
 No buses. Walking tour of hotels on the Near North Side. **Meet at the Walton Street entrance of the Drake Hotel at 9 A.M.** Tour members will be divided into groups of ten, each of which will visit several hotels under the direction of a guide. Managers and chefs will take us behind the scenes to visit beautifully appointed suites, elaborate kitchens, and elegant dining rooms — just the kinds of places we Chicagoans are least likely to see because we live here. Some of these hostleries have recently been remodeled and refurbished. The tour routes encompass just a few blocks. We will all meet for lunch at the Casino, 195 East Delaware, before continuing on the afternoon portion of the program.

Tour Three Tuesday, Oct. 12 • Wednesday, Oct. 13
 Depart from North Western Station at 8:45 A.M. for 9:15 A.M. arrival at Underwriters Laboratories, Northbrook. Here we will be shown the comprehensive testing procedures that lie behind the UL label on such products as burglar alarms, kitchen appliances, fire walls and doors, kerosene heaters, hospital equipment, and explosive gas and vapor detectors. Lunch will be at Mission Hills Country Club. We will learn more about safety testing procedures in the afternoon at the nationally known firm of Wiss Janney, Elstner and Associates, which specializes in investigative work in connection with failures of large building structures. Return to North Western Station by 3:30 P.M. This will be a strenuous walking tour. If you plan to drive to UL check coupon form for driving instructions.

Tour Four Tuesday, Oct. 26 • Wednesday, Oct. 27
 Depart from North Western Station at 8:30 A.M. This visit takes you behind the scenes at Illinois

Bell Headquarters. We will visit the Telephony Museum; observe operators processing computerized calls; and learn how Illinois Bell personnel and equipment expedite billing procedures. We will also see how the company's Center for the Disabled adapts telephones for use by people with various handicaps. Western Electric will be our hosts for lunch at the Hawthorne Works. In the afternoon we will tour this plant which has made every generation of telephone central office equipment in the Bell System. We will see the continuous cast rod mill, the most advanced technology for producing copper rod, and will see how the latter is made into telephone cable. Return to North Western Station by 3:30 P.M.

Tour Five Tuesday, Nov. 9 • Wednesday, Nov. 10
 Tuesday no bus at the station. **Tuesday tour begins at the Como Inn, 546 N. Milwaukee promptly at 5 P.M.** Parking is available. During cocktails and dinner we will be entertained by singers from the Old Town School of Folk Music and by the Schizophonic Barbershop Quartet. After dinner a bus will take us to the Church of Our Savior for a rehearsal by the William Ferris Chorale; to the First Unitarian Church for a rehearsal by the Chicago Children's Choir; and last, the Checkerboard Lounge, a Blues spot. The bus will return us to the Como Inn.

Wednesday. **Bus leaves North Western Station for the Como Inn at 4:45 P.M.** We will be entertained by members of the Lyric Opera Center for American Artists and by folk singers. After dinner we will go to the Pilgrim Baptist Church to hear the choirs of Dr. Thomas A. Dorsey, "Father of Gospel Music," and of Sidney Ordower, producer of Jubilee Showcase. Last, we will go to the Checkerboard Lounge to hear Blues. Bus departs in time for the 9:30 P.M. train to the North Shore.

How to Order Tickets

(Only orders received by mail will be honored)

A Series Subscription consists of four tours. Preference will be given to Series Subscriptions which will be issued in order of their receipt. It is important to show your series preference (on **Coupon A**) with *alternative choices*: (1) Subscribers who list first, second, and third choices will have their orders filled strictly in accordance with their preferences to the extent that tickets remain available. (2) Subscribers who give only one choice will have their orders

returned if the series of their choice has been sold out. (3) It is also important to show whether the alternate day of the week is acceptable if the week-day you prefer is sold out.

Subscribers to Single Tours, please use Coupon B printed on the reverse side. Single ticket orders will be filled after series ticket orders and will be mailed after August 25.

Coupon A — Series Subscriptions

Please use this coupon to order **Field Trip Series**.

I wish to subscribe to four tours in the Field Trip Series for which my preference is as follows:
 (All series of four tickets are \$80.00 except for those which contain the evening show entitled "A Little Night Music," which will be \$85.00.)

(Indicate preference by number)	No. of Tickets
..... Series A (omits Tour 1)
..... Series B (omits Tour 2)
..... Series C (omits Tour 3)
..... Series D (omits Tour 4)
..... Series E (omits Tour 5)

Enclose your check for \$80.00 or \$85.00 payable to The University of Chicago.

I prefer: Tuesday Wednesday. If the day I prefer is sold out, the other day is acceptable not acceptable.

Mail your order to:
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 1307 East 60th Street
 Chicago, Illinois 60637

Name Phone
 Street City
 State Zip

— see reverse side for Single Ticket Orders —

Subscribers to Tour 3 should check box for driving instructions to be included with their ticket.

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Coupon B — Single Tours

Please use this coupon to order **Single Tour Tickets**.

Please send me ticket(s) at \$20.00 each for the following tours and ticket(s) at \$25.00 each for Tour 5.

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