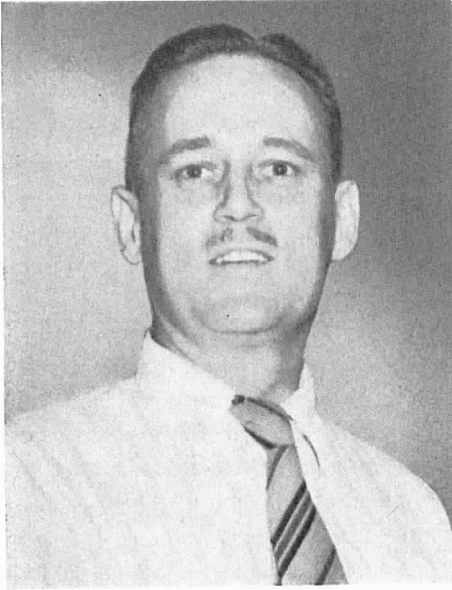


Our New Publications Chairman



H. WALTER SHAW

H. Walter "Walt" Shaw, Chairman of the Publications Committee and for two and a half years editor of *The Journal*, is one of the founding fathers of ASTD.

"I showed up at the Hotel Morrison in Chicago that first day in the fall of 1945," he recalls, "and asked, 'Where does one register?'" Tom Keaty who was to be elected the first president said, "Would you mind going around and getting the names of everyone here?" "Walt" has been going around for ASTD ever since. He was elected to the Board of Directors for a three year term in 1945 and then re-elected at the last annual meeting in French Lick, Indiana. He also served on several early constitutional committees.

"Walt" was born in the Northwest Territories of Canada in 1904. He went

through high and normal schools in Victoria, British Columbia, and entered the University of Washington, Seattle, to study chemical engineering. He soon switched to English and Journalism. Later he took a degree in Education at New York University and has done graduate work at Columbia and the New School for Social Research in New York City.

During World War I "Walt" did a hitch in the Merchant Marine and then worked in Northwest logging camps and spent a summer at a salmon cannery in Alaska. In the following years he was in turn an actor, a school teacher, a newspaper reporter and a social service worker.

Eleven years ago he joined the McGraw-Hill Book Company and represented them on the Pacific Coast. In 1943 he was put in charge of Training and Methods in the New York office and carried on extensive JIT, JRT and JMT programs as well as editing the company paper. Today he is manager of the McGraw-Hill Book Company Technical Education Department.

With his wife and two children, "Walt" lives in Upper Montclair, New Jersey, and commutes to New York every day. He is a member of the Montclair Society of Engineers and belongs to the Pi Kappa Phi college fraternity.

"Walt" considers NATD, the New York City ASTD affiliate, as his home chapter and is currently on its Board of Directors. He is always glad to have visiting ASTD members look him up when they are in New York City.