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Top row, left to right - newly elected President Erwin Young; Man of the Year, "Stu" Green; Past President Stillman Rice. Bottom row - Richmond Mosque; Convention Chairman Woody Wise. Convention coverage begins on page 23. (Cover Photos by Bill Lamb)

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SWAN SONG:

As defined in Websters Dictionary "THE LAST ACT."

As President of the ATOS, I wish to take this opportunity to thank the National Officers, Board of Directors, Editorial Staff, Publishers of the THEATRE ORGAN, Art Director, Advertising, Circulation Managers, Membership Secretary, Executive Secretary and Chapter Chairmen for their cooperation during my two year term of office and I am deeply greatful for having had the honor and privilege to have served as President of ATOS.

My congratulations to Woody Wise, Chairman, Marvin Lautzenheiser, co-Chairman, Jean Lautzen-

heiser, Chairman of Potomac Valley Chapter and the Chapter Membership for another outstanding National Convention, "In Tune for You In 72."

During my term, three new chapters have been added, and at this writing, our membership is over 4500.

Many thanks to the retiring Board Members, Lee Erwin and Ron Willfong, for their assistance during my term.

Congratulations to the newly elected officers and Board members, also to Honorary Member W. "Stu" Green. - 1972 - 1973.

A passing word in regards to National ATOS - I.R.S. Exemption; A member of Conn. Valley Chapter has made arrangements for a donation to Conn. Valley Chapter and National ATOS - this I hope will be the start of a Fund which will help in furthuring the purpose for which our Society was formed.

This is the last time I will have use of this page of THEATRE ORGAN. Mildred and I wish to say thanks to all who have helped to make this an interesting and enjoyable two years. Let's keep the good work going and let's support our new officers.

See you in Portland, Oregon 1973.

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Stillman H. Rice, Past Pres.