AWCI Finishing Regional Conference Meeting Schedule . . .

There have been three of them. And the fourth—and final—is scheduled for Bermuda this month.

They’re the 1979 schedule of Regional Conference Meetings.

The first of the 1979 season was held at the Royal Sonesta Hotel, in New Orleans, from August 9-12, and took in wall and ceiling contractors seminar on building codes as they effect the wall and ceiling contractor.

Each of the meetings was concluded with annual business meetings at which time Conference contractors selected their leadership and, where appropriate, representatives to the AWCI Board of Directors.

The new slate of officers elected at the various conferences include:

Southeast Conference—Chairman, Nelson King, of Birmingham, Alabama; Vice Chairman, Leonard Little, Nashville, Tennessee; Secretary, Ben Hogancamp, Murray, Kentucky;

Southwest Conference—Chairman, Floyd Hartshorn, El Paso, Texas; Vice Chairman, Dennis Hopper, Phoenix, Arizona; Secretary, James Wies, St. Louis, Missouri;

Mid-Central Conference—Robert Hede, Hopkins, Minnesota; First Vice Chairman, Lewis Lesperance, Ypsilanti, Michigan; Second Vice President, Roger Zack, Minneapolis, Minnesota, and Secretary, F. Thomas Forsey, South Bend, Ind.

Some of the most qualified and outstanding construction experts in North America were on hand for the various educational sessions.

The speakers and the subjects that they covered included:

Exterior Insulation Systems—Dick Hopkins, Atlanta; Jim White, San Antonio; Steve Haase, Chicago; Ray Lynch, Warwick, all of Dryvit Systems, Inc.;

Exterior Insulation Properties—Bob Budrich, Century Insulation, Jackson, Mississippi; Frank Kiesecker, Advance Foam, Denver; Mike Cook, EPS Industries, Wichita; George Bonhack, Foam Industries, Conyers, Georgia;

Performance Criteria—Ben Hogancamp, Murray, Kentucky; John Burke, Denver; Ned Wood, Chicago; Fred Fink, Miami;

Product Liability—Bob Delahoussaye, Lafayette, Louisiana; Dennis Hopper, Phoenix; Dave Anderson, Aurora, Illinois; Bill Reimer, North Little Rock;

Caulking, Sealants and Water Vapor Transmission—Gus Coppola, John Horvath, Carl Demis, Phil Tuttolo, all of Tremco Corporation;

Panel Design—Jim Kohler, Randy Frame, Don Schroeder, Richard Boyles, all of Inryco;

Pre-Fabrication, Shipping & Erection—Bob Watkins, Fort Lauderdale.
dale; Bill Carroll, Albuquerque; Dennis Hopper, Phoenix; Tom Forsey, South Bend; Bill Duguid, Jr., Chicago; Jim Brunemann, Cincinnati.

Case Study—Pat Kerr, AIA, Paducah; Jason Moore, AIA, Albuquerque; Richard Merhar, AIA, Chicago; Joseph Bond, AIA, Atlanta.

Those contractors who took part in the various marketing panel discussions on exterior insulation systems included Bob Watkins, Dennis Hopper, Bill C. Carroll, Tom Forsey, Jim Brunemann, and Bill Duguid, Jr.

Robert D. Vrancken, Manager, Image and Facility Design, for

Sperry-Univac Company, Blue Bell, Pennsylvania, helped put together the seminar on open space planning and acted as chief moderator and instructor at all four seminars.

Other well-known open space specialists assisting Mr. Vrancken included David A. Harris, Market Development Group, Owens-Corning Fiberglas, of Toledo, Ohio, and Thomas A. Koenig, Product Manager, Ceiling Components, Conwed Corporation, Minneapolis, Minnesota.