## THE ANTARCTICAN SOCIETY

## Notice to Members

The Second Memorial Lecture of the Antarctica^ Society will be held at the National Academy of Sciences, 2101 Constitution Avenue, N, W., on 10 March 1965 at 8 p. m. The speaker of the evening will be Rear Admiral David M. Tyree, USN (Ret.), who will address the Society on the topic of "Technological Advances in Antarctica."

On 1 February 1955, the Navy Department activated the United States Naval Support Force, Antarctica. For a decade, that Force has supported our Antarctic scientific program and learned many lessons from hard experience, lessons which have greatly expanded man's ability to live and work in a harsh environment. No individual is better qualified to discuss these developments and to predict their future than Admiral Tyree, who commanded the Naval Support Force during the crucial years of transition from 1959 to 1962.

It is fitting that the Antarctican Society should honor this remarkable logistics organization and pay tribute to those of its members who have given their lives that science may flourish in Antarctica.

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Enclosed is an abstract of the talk delivered by Dr. Kenneth J. Bertrand at the 30 September 1964 meeting of the Society. The officers of the Society hope to be able from time to time to forward similar accounts of the organization's activities especially for the information of members unable to attend the meetings.

HENRY M. DATER Secretary-Historian

The Treasurer reminds those members who have not paid their dues that, according to the By-laws, they may be dropped from the rolls of the Society.