BOARDS TO STUDY SCHOOL SPENDING

State Convention to Open at Roosevelt Today

The relation between school expenditures and social and economic development of the community will be studied at the annual convention of the Louisiana School Boards Association Sunday through Tuesday at the Roosevelt hotel.

The association is a federation of parish and city school boards in the state.

Following a meeting of the board of directors Sunday at 7 p.m., the general convention will get under way Monday at 8:30 a.m. with addresses of welcome by Mayor deLesseps S. Morrison and Dr. James F. Redmond, superintendent of Orleans parish schools.

An address by state superintendent of education Shelby M. Jackson at 9:45 a.m. will be followed by a panel on "How Has Public Education Contributed to the Social and Economic Development of Louisiana?" with J. B. Robertson of the state department of education as moderator.

Gov. Robert F. Kennon is scheduled to address the convention at 11 a.m., followed at 11:20 a.m. by George B. Buck, New York city consulting actuary, who will discuss the Louisiana teachers retirement system.

All delegates will participate in a "buzz session" Monday at 2:10 p.m., at which various aspects of school financing will be brought up for consideration. General chairman will be Dr. John A. Hunter, Louisiana State university registrar, and general consultant will be George Byron Benton, supervisor of finance of the state education department.

For the session, the convention will be divided into eight groups, each studying one phase of financing. At 3 p.m. the chairman and consultants of each group will constitute a round table which will answer questions from the floor.

Principal speaker at a banquet Monday at 7 p.m. will be A. Boyd Campbell, Jackson, Miss., chairman of the education committee of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

Speakers at Tuesday's morning session, which gets under way at 8:45 a.m., include Francis A. Woollsey, state director of the Louisiana civil defense agency, and Edward M. Tuttle, Chicago, executive secretary of the National School Boards Association.

A business session at 10:30 a.m., at which officers will be elected and installed and resolutions considered, will conclude the convention.

Walter W. Teekell, Shreveport, is president of the association.