

## **Control Officials Elect Officers** At Washington Meeting

E. L. Griffin of USDA was elected president of the Association of Official Agricultural Chemists at the recent annual meeting in Washington. He succeeds H. J. Fisher of the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station. W. F. Reindollar of Baltimore, Md., was elected vice president of the group. The new member elected to AOAC's executive committee is Frank A. Vorhes, Jr., chief of the division of food of the Food and Drug Administration.

The Association of American Feed Control Officials elected S. B. Randle of New Brunswick, N. J., as its president. New vice president is J. L. Monaghan of Kansas.

The new officers of the Association of American Fertilizer Control Officials are Henry A. Davis of Durham, N. H., president, and R. W. Ludwig of New Mexico, vice president.

New president of the Association of Economic Poision Control Officials is Flovd Roberts of North Dakota. E. A. Epps, Jr., of Louisiana was chosen vice president.

The secretary-treasurers of the association were all reelected: William L. Horowitz, AOAC; L. E. Bopst, for the feed control officials; Bruce D. Cloaninger for the fertilizer control officials: and A. B. Heagy for the AEPCO.

## Symposium on Protein Metabolism in Toronto

A symposium on protein metabolism will be held Oct. 30 at the University of Toronto under the auspicies of the school of graduate studies and department of public health nutrition. Among those to deliver papers are

## CALENDAR

American Oil Chemists Society. Fall Meeting. Sherman Hotel, Chicago, Ill. Nov. 2-4.

- Pacific Northwest Plant Food Association. Annual Convention. Harrison Hot Springs, British Columbia. Nov. 4-5.
- California Fertilizer Association, Carmel, Calif. Nov. 9-10.
- National Fertilizer Association. Fall Meeting. Atlanta Biltmore Hotel. Atlanta, Ga. Nov. 16-18.
- American Society of Agronomy. Annual Meeting. Hotel Baker, Dallas, Tex. Nov. 16-20.
- Soil Science Society of America. Annual Meeting. Hotel Baker, Dallas, Tex. Nov. 16-20.
- World Congress for Milk Utilization. Statler Hotel, Washington, D. C. Nov. 20-21.
- Ohio Pesticide Institute. Seneca Hotel, Columbus, Ohio. Dec. 3 and 4.
- **Chemical Specialties Manufacturers** Association. 40th Annual Meeting. Mayflower Hotel, Washington, D.C. Dec. 7-8.
- Entomological Society of America. Annual Meeting. Hotel Biltmore, Los Angeles, Calif. Dec. 7-10.
- American Association for the Advancement of Science. Annual Meeting. Boston, Mass. Dec. 27-30.
- Northeastern Weed Control Conference. New Yorker Hotel, New York, N. Y. Jan. 5-7, 1954.

J. R. Beaton, University of Toronto; Bacon F. Chow, Johns Hopkins University; A. E. Axelrod, Western Reserve University; O. E. Gaebler, Henry Ford Hospital; Ruth Leverton, University of Nebraska; Paul R. Cannon, University of Chicago; J. S. L. Browne, McGill University; and Herbert Pollack, Mt. Sinai Hospital.

E. W. McHenry, professor of nutrition at the University of Toronto's school of hygiene, will act as chairman of the morning session while W. H. Sebrell, Jr., director of the National Institutes of Health and the U.S. Public Health Service.

The National Vitamin Foundation has provided a grant to pay expenses for the meeting.

## Soil Conservation Meeting In Colorado Next Month

The Soil Conservation Society of America will hold its eighth annual meeting Nov. 5 to 7 at the Broadmoor Hotel in Colorado Springs, Colo.

Sherman Adams, assistant to the President of the United States, will deliver the keynote address on the first morning. His topic will be "Natural Resource Conservation in a Capatalistic Economy."

There will be panel discussions at the meeting on such subjects as native perennial vegetation and good land use; and management of native perennial vegetation for livestock production and multiple use.

There will also be a symposium on the international aspects of native perennial vegetation in soil and water conservation.

E. L. Griffin, new president of AOAC, with the retiring president, H. J. Fisher, of Connecticut. Right: S. B. Randle (left) of New Jersey, new president of the feed control officials;

Floyd Roberts of North Dakota, new president of the economic poisons control officials; and Henry A. Davis of New Hampshire, new president of the fertilizer control officials

