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## *The Chicago Convention*

The Local Committee on Arrangements for the A. O. C. S. Fall Convention, October 11 and 12, has already received a large number of communications from A. O. C. S. members and friends who intend to be present. Reservations are now being taken care of by the Medinah Club, our headquarters for the meeting. Several of our friends have indicated that they are reserving their vacations for the purpose of attending this meeting.

Since our last issue the Local Committee has done a great deal of work on the program. A well rounded list of subjects has been decided upon and it is expected that when completed the program will consist of papers on all phases of the oil, fat and soap technology.

The following committees will report at the fall meeting:

Committee for the Study of Papers and Inks.

Used in Soap Wrappers.

Sulphonated Oil Analysis Committee.

Glycerin Analysis Committee.

Soap Committee.

Stability Committee.

Fat Analysis Committee.

Uniform Methods Committee.

These reports will necessarily be brief, as a large number of timely and interesting papers are to be presented. Among those who will probably present papers at the meeting are the following:

Chaplin Tyler, E. I. Du Pont de Nemours, Wilmington, Del.

O. M. Morgan, National

Aniline Chemical Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Professor Grimshaw, North Carolina State College.

Dr. Manning, Clemson College.

Paul Howe, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Mr. Lobdell, Edison Industries, Chicago.

H. L. Roschen, Swift and Company,

and speakers from Armour and Co., Wilson and Co., and Armour Soap Works. The committee is working actively on the preliminary program and it will probably be printed, at least, in our next issue.

The Eighth Annual Fall Meeting, however, is not to be all work. Our meeting place, in the Tropical Ballroom of the Medinah Club, 505 North Michigan Avenue, has been selected with a regard to the pleasure of those attending the convention. The Medinah Club was

built to be a recreation spot for the people of Chicago. Under its roof can be found swimming pools, bowling alleys, handball courts, a gymnasium, pool and billiard rooms, dance floors, card room, and anything in the way of amusements of an athletic or purely social nature.

Our Society will present several social events for the entertainment of the members, their wives and friends. Thursday evening, October 11, the second annual dinner of the Society will be held in the Grill Room at the Medinah Club. This dinner is a rare opportunity for the members of the Society to get together in an informal way. Music and dancing will entertain the guests during and after dinner. For those not caring to dance, a card party will be held following the dinner. The Fifth Annual Bowling Tournament will also be held on Thursday, the time being arranged so that our members may bowl either before dinner or after, as they prefer.

On Friday afternoon, October 12, the Second Annual Chicago Golf Tournament will be held.

This year Chicago is a more interesting place than ever to visit, due to the greater Century of Progress Exposition. The Fair this year presents many new features and prac-



The Medinah Club



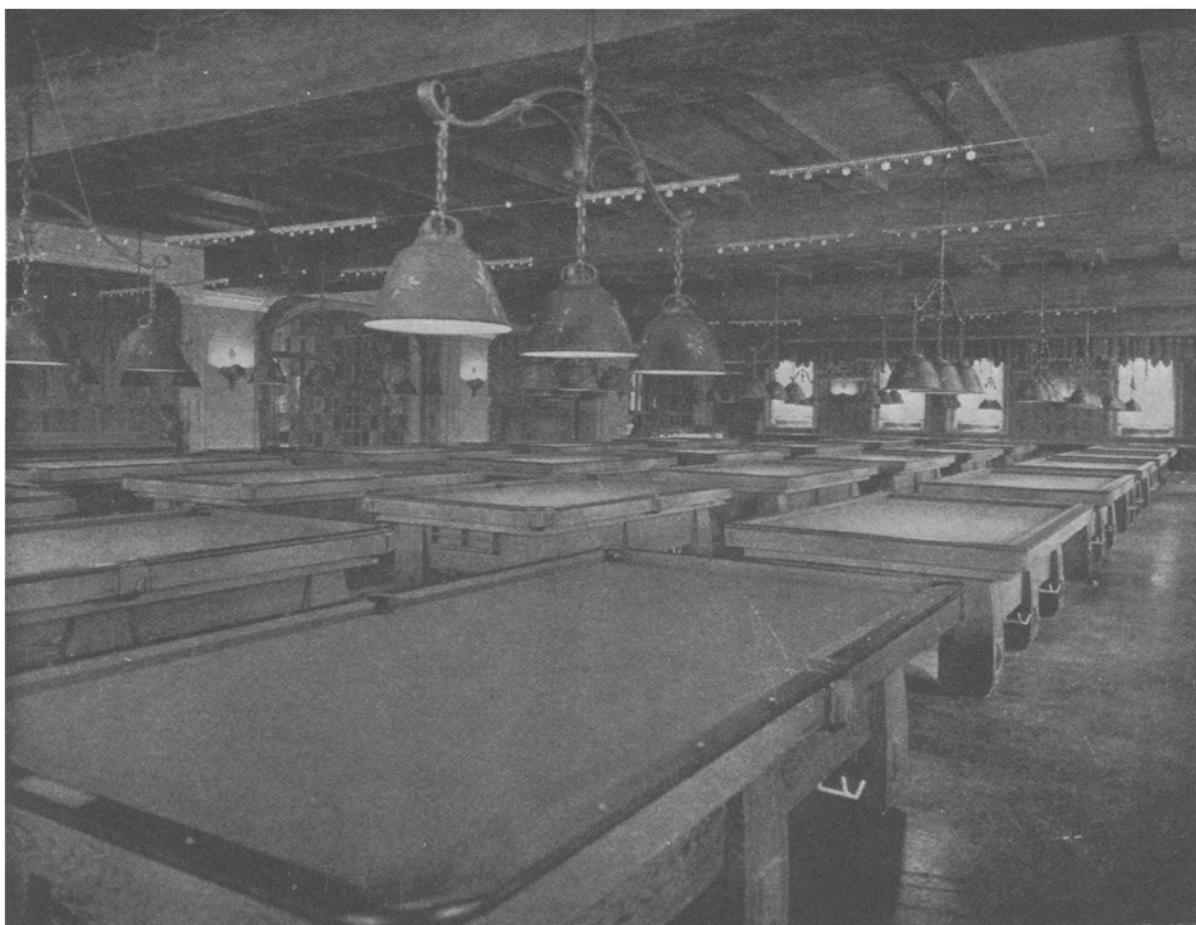
### **BOWLING ALLEYS AT THE MEDINAH CLUB**

tically all of the old ones are still present and elaborated upon. A new color scheme has brightened up the old Fair. New illumination accentuates the beauty of its unique architecture. A Century of Progress is well worth visiting even for those who spent considerable time here last year. Every member should take advantage of this opportunity to visit the Fair and attend the fall meeting at the same time.

Mr. Harris reports that the exhibition space available at the A. O. C. S. Convention is being bought up rapidly. A few choice spaces are still available, but he expects these, too, will be subscribed for within the next few weeks. These exhibits of apparatus, chemical glassware, packaging containers and equipment of all kinds have always created a great deal of interest at

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### **AND THE BILLIARD ROOM WHERE THE GAME IS AT ITS BEST**



teen exhibition spaces are available, as listed and numbered, in the accompanying illustration. Each space will be sold at the nominal price of ten dollars, but any exhibitor may purchase more than one space, if desired.

Spaces will be reserved in the order received, so in making reservations please indicate two or more choices, and send in your reservations today, to

John P. Harris, Treasurer,  
The Chicago Convention Committee,  
205 W. Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois,

and make all checks payable to The American Oil Chemists' Society.

Every exhibitor is welcome to participate in the meeting and to attend all of the entertainment features, which will include the now justly famous bowling tournament under the able direction of Al King, and the annual golf tournament, which Dr. L. M. Tolman will direct, and there will be a dinner dance followed by a bridge party in the city's most beautiful ballroom.

Two hundred chemists and executives are expected at this meeting, so positively don't fail to send in your reservations for space early, as only a very limited space is available and it is certain to be taken quickly at this very reasonable price.

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our meetings, and this year will be no exception.

The Local Committee, consisting of W. H. Irwin, chairman, J. J. Vollertsen, L. M. Tolman, A. W. Putland, A. A. Robinson, M. L. Sheely, R. C. Newton, A. E. MacGee and A. E. King are putting a great deal of work into the plans for this meeting and will welcome correspondence regarding it or any questions which our members or friends have to ask regarding the details. Such correspondence can be addressed in care of OIL AND SOAP.

Among other bits of information is the statement that Chicago's sunshine record in 1933 exceeded that of Los Angeles and that its normal maximum temperature for three Summer months is 78 degrees.

While the 1934 edition of A Century of Progress is described as the greatest show of its kind ever staged, prospective visitors are reminded that outside its gates are to be found the means of a glorious vacation. Among the items listed are 250 golf courses, 30 miles of lake front and bathing beaches, 8,000 acres of parks and playgrounds, 500 miles of boulevards and wide streets, the many cultural institutions and public places of entertainment.

The invitation is alluring and all the stronger for not being overdrawn. That visitors always find more pleasure and profit than they expected to find in Chicago is its best advertisement.