

ANNUAL MEETING

W. D. HUTCHINS, PRESIDENT

Every member of the Society should at once begin laying plans to attend the Twenty-sixth Annual Meeting of our Society and take part in the program. We are sure that without an exception everyone will be delightfully entertained. Those who remember the last meeting held in Memphis will recall the true southern hospitality shown us and the enjoyable

entertainment offered by the Local Committee.

The Local Committee this year, the personnel of which was printed in the March issue of this Journal, has already practically completed all arrangements for one of the largest and most interesting conventions known to the members of the A.O.C.S. Just leave it to Worthen Agee

and his committee of loyal assistants, and you will be taken care of in a manner fit for a king, and enjoy one of the best times of your life.

This committee, together with the Ladies Committee, of which Mrs. G. Owen Daniels is chairman, and the Golf Committee composed of Messrs. Ed. Barrow, chairman, L. B. Forbes, J. N. Pless, J. J.

Preliminary Program

THURSDAY,

May 23, 1935

Meeting called to order 9:30 A. M. by G. Worthen Agee, Chairman, Local Arrangements Committee.

Invocation.
 Reading of Minutes of 25th Annual Meeting.....J. C. P. Helm
 Address of President.....W. D. Hutchins
 Report of Secretary-Treasurer.....J. C. P. Helm
 Report of Governing Committee.....J. C. P. Helm
 Appointment of Special Committees.
 Report of Membership Committee.....A. A. Robinson, Chairman
 Report of Journal Committee.....W. H. Irwin, Chairman
 Report of Cottonseed Analysis Committee.....J. L. Mayfield, Chairman
 "Causes of Variation in Grades of Cotton Seed from the Same Locality".....
Frank P. Woodson
 Report of Free Fatty Acids Committee.....C. H. Cox, Chairman
 "A Study of the Physical Factors Involved in the Swift Stability Test".....E. B. Freyer
 Paper.....Henry Odeen
 Report of Color Committee.....G. G. Grant, Chairman
 Report of Color Glass Development Committee.....L. M. Gill, Chairman
 Paper.....G. S. Jamieson
 Report of Moisture Committee.....A. E. King, Chairman
 Announcement of Annual Golf Tournament.. ..E. R. Barrow, Chairman

FRIDAY

May 24, 1935

Report of Fat Analysis Committee and Revision of Methods Committee.....
W. H. Irwin, Chairman
 Report of Referee Board.....A. S. Richardson, Chairman
 Report of Crude Mill Operations Committee.....E. B. Freyer, Chairman
 Paper by Crude Mill Operations Committee.....Member
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 Report on Progress in the Science of Oils, Fats and Soaps....R. C. Newton, Chairman
 Report of Refining Committee..C. B. Cluff, Chairman; A. W. Putland, Vice-Chairman
 "The Color and Spectral Transmittance of Vegetable Oils".....H. J. McNicholas
 Report of Smalley Foundation Committee.....A. W. Putland, Chairman
 "History of Smalley Foundation and What Has Been Accomplished by It".....
 Report of Olive Oil Committee.....M. F. Lauro, Chairman
 "Various Methods of Recovering Oils from Seeds-Extraction by Means of
 Solvents".....Theodore J. Richert
 Report of Stability Committee.....F. C. Vibrans, Chairman
 "Inner Coatings for Shortening Containers".....H. P. Evans
 Report of Sampling Committee.....R. A. Duncan, Chairman
 Paper.....F. C. Vibrans and J. T. R. Andrews
 Report of Joint Meeting with Chemists' Committee of N. C. P. A..T. C. Law, Chairman
 Paper.....W. G. McLeod
 Report of Uniform Methods and Planning Committee.....J. J. Vollertsen, Chairman
 "Determination of Small Amounts of Soap in Refined Vegetable Oils"....Richard Durst
 Special Committee Reports.
 Miscellaneous Business.
 Report of Nominating Committee.
 Election of Officers.
 Announcements.
 Adjournment of Technical Meeting.
 Special entertainment to be announced by Local Arrangements Committee, G. Worthen Agee, Chairman.



THE MEMPHIS COUNTRY CLUB GOLF COURSE AT MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE. G. WORTHEN AGEE OFFERS \$5 IN GOLD FOR FIRST CORRECT GUESS OF NAME OF GOLFER IN THE CENTER FOREGROUND

Vollertsen, N. C. Hammer and A. F. Sanchez, is ample evidence that the entertainment program will be perfect. It's up to you, golfers, to find out whether Ed. Barrow and Worthen Agee can play golf at home as well as they can on the banks of Lake Pontchartrain.

The primary purpose of our convention, of course, is the technical or scientific work of our Society. This program promises to be exceptionally interesting due to the scientific papers which will be presented by some of the best known and most able men of our profession. A tentative program is shown in this issue, but we expect to add several other interesting papers.

In addition to these valuable contributions, the reports to be presented by the various committees promise to be as interesting and important as ever. They have always been one of the outstanding features of the program of our conventions, and no doubt, they are the most valuable work of the Society. The spirit of co-operation existing among the members in this phase of the work of the Society and the accomplishment of its committees have always been pointed to with pride.

Every chemist interested in the progress of the science of oils, fats and soaps or those connected with the industries manufacturing these materials and their by-products, should attend the convention, see Memphis and enjoy a real vacation.

Nominating Committee

At a meeting in New Orleans last May, the Governing Board suggested that the Nominating Committee be appointed sometime in advance of the Annual Meeting. In accordance with this suggestion, the following members have been asked to serve as a committee to nominate officers for the society for the ensuing year:

J. P. Harris, Chairman.
T. C. Law.
C. V. Serbell.

This will give the committee plenty of time for canvassing the field and for consideration before presenting the proposed slate of officers for the Society.

Entertainment

The Memphis members of the American Oil Chemists Society are anticipating with much pleasure the opportunity—the first in a number of years—of entertaining the visiting members who will attend the Annual Convention to be held at the Peabody Hotel, May 23 and 24. The Local Committee on Arrangements especially desires to have present a large number of ladies and hopes that many of the members who will attend will bring their wives. Some special entertainment features are being planned for the ladies which, it is hoped, will be an inducement for their coming.

On Thursday, May 23, the Ladies' Entertainment Committee, of which Mrs. G. O. Daniel is Chairman, will entertain all visiting and local ladies of the Convention with a luncheon at the Memphis Country Club. The Club is situated in the eastern residential section of Memphis and is a most attractive setting for such an affair. Following the luncheon, visitors will be taken on an automobile ride through the residential section and over the park system of the city, of which Memphis is justly proud.

The Golf Tournament for the men will be held at the Memphis Country Club on the same afternoon and details in regard to it will be given out by the Golf Committee.

Friday evening at seven o'clock the Annual Dinner of the Society will be given on the roof garden of the Peabody Hotel, followed by dancing. The Peabody roof is delightfully cool and affords a splendid view of the city by night. With music and entertainment during the dinner and a good dance orchestra thereafter, it is hoped to make this a delightful feature of the Convention.

Business meetings of the Convention will be held in the Louis XVI Room on the mezzanine floor of the Peabody Hotel. The first day's meeting will be called to order by President Hutchins at nine-thirty A. M. and adjournment will be taken in time for the Golf Tournament. The Convention will be called to order on Friday, at the same hour, for a full morning session. If the program is too extensive to complete during the morning, an afternoon session will be held.

The registration desk will open on Thursday morning on the mezzanine floor, conveniently near the Convention Hall. All members, both visitors and local, should register as early as possible, both for themselves and for ladies who may accompany them. This last is especially important, in order that Mrs. Daniel and the ladies of her Reception Committee may greet the visitors and make arrangements for transportation to the luncheon.

Members and visitors who plan to participate in the Golf Tournament should also notify the Committee at the time of registering, so that provision may be made for getting all players to the Memphis Country Club.

The Committee hopes that this will be the best attended Convention that the Society has ever had and wishes to emphasize its wish that an unusually large number of ladies will attend. It realizes, of course, that many do not know their plans definitely in advance, but it will be appreciated if those who can do so will advise the Chairman of their intention to attend the Convention and whether or not they will be accompanied by a lady.

Memphis in May is usually at its best. Those who have not previously visited the city will find much of interest and beauty and those who have will no doubt be glad to renew their acquaintance with it.

Committee for the Preparation of Review on the Progress in Science of Oils, Fats and Soaps

Quite a few of the members of the Society thought it would be a very valuable and also interesting to have a committee appointed to prepare and submit to the Society at least once a year a report giving a review of the progress in science of oils, fats and soaps.

This Society being primarily interested in the advancement of the science of oils, fats and soaps, it should attempt to keep before its members and the Industry a resume of the progress that has been made in this important field.

Dr. R. C. Newton, chief chemist of Swift & Company, has kindly consented to act as chairman of this Committee. He

will have the very able assistance of Prof. H. A. Mattill, of the State University of Iowa; Dr. Geo. S. Jamieson, Bureau of Chemistry, U. S. Department of Agriculture; and Dr. Geo. R. Greenbank, of the Bureau of Dairy Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture. The Society is, indeed, very fortunate in having the committee composed of these gentlemen who have the library facilities, experience and judgment so necessary in collecting and assembling the necessary material for the review.

We are glad to announce that the committee plans to present its first review at the Annual Meeting in Memphis.