

# Spring Convention--American Oil Chemists' Society, New Orleans-- May 5 and 6, 1939

**M**AY 5th and 6th at the Jung Hotel in New Orleans — Members of the Society should keep these dates uppermost in their minds and plan to attend what promises to be an excellent spring convention. President Cox has given assurance of an excellent program, and Mr. Ganucheau guarantees that the entertainment will be up to the New Orleans standard.

## PAPERS

- "Fatty Acid Derivatives in Synthetic Resins" by Dr. A. Wheeler Ralston, Armour & Co., Chicago, Ill.
- "Continuous Distillation of Fatty Acids" or "Winterizing" by Mr. Alan Porter Lee, Alan Porter Lee Company, New York, N. Y.
- "Fat Extracted from Locust" by Mr. H. P. Trevithick, New York Produce Exchange, N. Y., N. Y.
- "Resume of the Work of Previous Rancidity Committees" by Dr. Egbert Freyer, Spencer Kellogg & Sons, Inc., Buffalo, N. Y.
- "Simplification of Continuous Extraction Method for Determination of Unsaponifiable Matter" by Russell H. Rogers, Swift & Co., Chicago, Ill.
- Title not yet announced — by Dr. G. S. Jamieson, in charge, Oil, Fat and Wax Investigations, Carbohydrate Division, Washington, D. C.
- Title not yet announced — by Dr. D. F. J. Lynch, Director Southern Regional Research Laboratory, Washington, D. C.
- "The Chemical Composition of Some High Iodine Number Soybean Oils" by Dr. K. S. Markley, U. S. Regional Soybean Industrial Products Laboratory, Urbana, Ill.
- "Relation between the Iodine Number and Refractive Index of Crude Soybean Oil" by R. T. Milner, U. S. Regional Soybean Industrial Laboratory, Urbana, Ill.
- "Poco Nuts" by Allen Smith, Perkins Oil Company, Memphis, Tenn.
- Title not yet announced — by Mr. G. S. Meloy, Senior Marketing Specialist, Bureau of Agricultural Economics, Washington, D. C.
- "Changes in the Composition of Cottonseed Hulls Resulting from Chemical Treatment" by W. H. Baldwin, Research Fellow, Bureau of Chemistry and Soils, Washington, D. C.
- "Methods of Analysis of Mixtures of Oleic, Linoleic, and Saturated Esters, and Their Application to Highly Purified Methyl Oleate" by R. W. Riemschneider, Research Fellow, Bureau of Chemistry and Soils, Washington, D. C.
- "The Preparation and Properties of Highly Purified Methyl Oleate" by D. H. Wheeler, Bureau of Chemistry and Soils, Washington, D. C.
- "Determination of Air Content in Dry Shortenings" by C. A. Coffey and H. T. Spannuth, Wilson & Company, Chicago, Ill.
- "Chemical Uses of Cotton Linters" by L. N. Rodgers, Pulp Department, Buckeye Cotton Oil Company, Memphis, Tenn.
- "A Review of the Function of Activated Carbon in the Treatment of Vegetable Oils and Fats" by J. W. Hassler and Ralph Hagberg, Industrial Chemical Sales Company, Chicago, Ill.
- "Binary Freezing Point Curves of Saturated Fatty Acids. I. Capric, Lauric, Myristic, Palmitic" by H. A. Schuette and H. A. Vogel, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.
- "Photochemical Studies of Rancidity. Method for the Determination of the Stability of an Oil" by Mayne R. Coe, Food Research Division, Bureau of Chemistry and Soils, Washington, D. C.

## ENTERTAINMENT

Our meetings will be held in the Mirror Room of the Jung Hotel.

The banquet will be held in the historic Patio Royal, which is in the Vieux Carre. This building has considerable history attached to it and was the home of Paul Morphy, the world-famous chess player. Leslie George's band has been retained for our entertainment.

A day trip to Baton Rouge for Sunday, May 7th, is proposed. This will take in Louisiana State University, the Capitol, and, if sufficient time is available, the Spillway.

Special arrangements will be made for ladies entertainment. Efforts are being made to include the usual boat ride.

The Patio Royal, where the banquet will be held, is a handsome structure which was erected in 1801 toward the close of the Spanish domination in Louisiana as a combination residence and place of business by Don Jose Faurie, a wealthy merchant of the period. In subsequent years it housed the Banque de la Louisiane, created by Governor W. C. C. Claiborne, then was purchased by the socially prominent Martin Gordon family as a residence. When General Andrew Jackson visited New Orleans in 1928 he was a guest of the Gordons in this home.

Baton Rouge, the capital of Louisiana, is the third city in Louisiana and is located on the first highlands above the mouth of the Mississippi river at the head of deep water navigation. Visiting members should take the trip to this interesting city.