

Containing Two or More Heteroatoms, Stereoisomerism, and Some Physicochemical Properties of Medicinal Products.

In this edition the bibliography has been expanded to nine pages, containing the following divisions: General Chemical Literature, Organic Medicinal Products, Chemotherapy, Pharmacology and Therapeutics, Phytochemistry, Alkaloids, Vitamins, Enzymes, and Special Subjects. The book also has a special list of references at the end of each chapter.

Coast Chemists to Meet

THE second meeting of Northern California Oil Chemists is scheduled for Friday, November 2, 1951. Like the previous meeting it will be held at Fable's restaurant, 340 Stockton street, San Francisco. Cocktails will be served at 6, and the dinner will start at 6:30. The cost of \$4.00 per person will include "everything."

The steering committee for this group has received so many favorable comments regarding the post-convention gatherings for oil chemists that we expect a considerably larger attendance at the second meeting. In addition to first-hand reports on the Chicago convention of the American Oil Chemists' Society, round table discussions are planned on several topics of wide interest to oil scientists and technologists.

Announcements will be sent to a mailing list of about 150, which will include personnel in the soap, edible oils, processing, coatings, and other industries as well as a number in the various research and consulting laboratories and universities.

A new steering committee will be elected to serve for the ensuing calendar year.

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News from SRRL

A conference to review the progress made in current feeding experiments with cottonseed meal and to discuss technical problems involved in further tests will be held at the Southern Regional Research Laboratory in New Orleans, La., Nov. 5-7, 1951, according to a joint announcement by C. H. Fisher, director of the Laboratory, and A. L. Ward, director of the Educational Service, National Cottonseed Products Association. Since accommodations are limited, persons desiring to attend this conference should contact Dr. Fisher at 2100 Robert E. Lee Blvd, New Orleans 19, La., well in advance, stating whether or not hotel reservations are desired.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture has entered into a contract with the Okmulgee Branch of Oklahoma A. and M. College, Okmulgee, Okla., to investigate the use of cottonseed flour in baked products. This contract will be supervised by the Southern Regional Research Laboratory in New Orleans, La. These investigations, financed by funds from the Research and Marketing Act, will be part of the Agriculture Departments' overall program to improve the utilization of cottonseed.

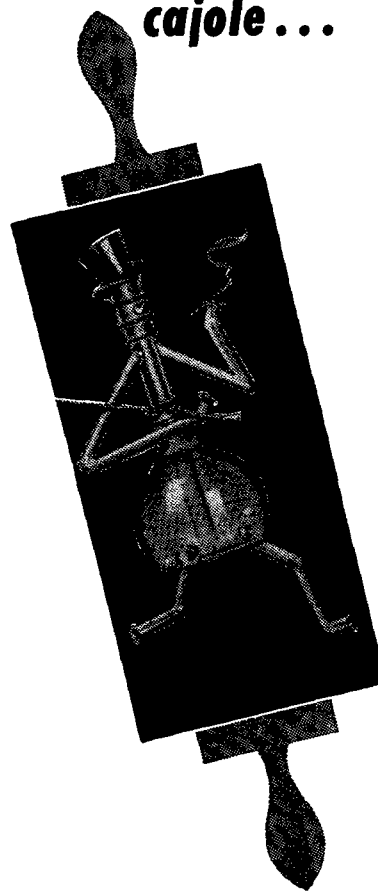
Henryk Schoenfeld

Oil chemists throughout the world mourn the passing of Henryk Schoenfeld, one of the outstanding authorities in his field and the author of much of the authoritative literature on fat and oil technology. Born in Poland in 1885, Dr. Schoenfeld was educated in Switzerland and received his Ph.D. from Zurich University in 1911. After his formal education he was engaged in the fat and oil industry and published books on refining and hydrogenation. In 1934 he commenced the monumental task of editing the works entitled "Chemie und Technologie der Fette und Fettprodukte," which all specialists in this field have looked upon as the most complete and comprehensive publication of its type in existence. Its completion was interrupted however by World War II, and Dr. Schoenfeld then engaged in research work in the Department of Industrial Chemistry at the University of Liverpool.

In 1949 Dr. Schoenfeld commenced the preparation of another series of four to five volumes entitled "Fats—Their Chemistry, Technology, and Utilization," which was to be published by Butterworth and Springer of London. He was thus engaged until his sudden death on May 8, 1951, at the age of 66.

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