

Ronzone Names Chairmen for Philadelphia Meeting

THE FIRST MEETING of the local committee in charge of the 29th Fall Meeting of the American Oil Chemists' Society in Philadelphia, October 10-12, 1955, took place on January 6 at the home of the general chairman of the convention, P. E. Ronzone, at Glenside, Pa. Chairman Ronzone, vice president



P. E. Ronzone

of C. F. Simonin's Sons Inc., announced the appointment of the following subcommittee chairmen: technical program, Waldo C. Ault, of the Eastern Regional Research Laboratory, assisted by R. W. Riemenschneider, also of the Eastern Regional Laboratory; registrations and reservations, Fred H. Smith, of the Sharples Corporation; ladies' program, Mrs. Smith; committee treasurer, Charles Ambler, of the Sharples Corporation; and committee secretary, Frank G. Shea, of C. F. Simonin's Sons Inc.

Chairman Ronzone also announced that the facilities at the Bellevue-Stratford hotel would afford exhibitors the finest arrangement in the history of Fall meetings. All meetings and other activities will be centered on one floor of the hotel, which will also accommodate the booths of the exhibitors.

Inquiries regarding space for booths or information on other convention matters should be addressed to Chairman P. E. Ronzone, c/o C. F. Simonin's Sons Inc., Philadelphia 34, Pa.

L. F. Hoyt Dies

WORD WAS RECEIVED from Lawrence Flett in January 1955 about the death of Lester F. Hoyt, chemist for the National Aniline Division of the Allied Chemical and Dye Corporation during the past 17 years, in Buffalo, N. Y. He had been a member of the American Oil Chemists' Society since 1925.

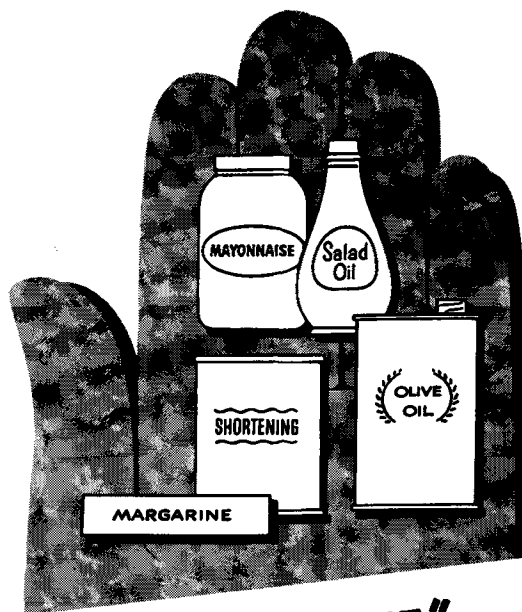
Mr. Hoyt was born in Springfield, Mass., and was graduated from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1913. He went to Buffalo in 1914 and worked for the Larkin Company as research director and chemist until 1937, when he went to National Aniline. He was in the detergent application research division.

His hobby was botany, and he cultivated 150 varieties of iris. Survivors are Mrs. Hoyt and three married daughters.

Clifford E. Smith has been appointed to the newly created rank of research associate at the A. E. STALEY MANUFACTURING COMPANY, Decatur, Ill. Edward H. Grosse is a new research group leader in the textile section of the company's technical service department.

THE GEORGE W. GOOCH LABORATORIES LTD., Los Angeles, Calif., have named Richard P. Beedle as assistant general manager.

Maurice G. Kramer has been promoted to director of application research for WYANDOTTE CHEMICALS CORPORATION, Wyandotte, Mich.



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