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New Orleans Report to Come

The June issue of the Journal will carry a complete report, with pictures, of the 46th annual meeting of the American Oil Chemists' Society, which was held at the Roosevelt hotel, New Orleans, April 18-20, with R. M. Persell as chairman.

CHEMIST

B.S. degree, recent graduate with organic and colloidal academic background or experience with edible oils and emulsions. New plant laboratory to be located in South Carolina. Send full résumé of qualifications and salary expected. Write to Box 248, American Oil Chemists' Society, 35 E. Wacker drive, Chicago 1, Ill.

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Wanted: Young chemical engineer, one to two years' experience in fat and oil laboratory. Plant experience desirable, but not essential. Position will cover laboratory work with some development assignments. Write to Box 249, American Oil Chemists' Society, 35 E. Wacker drive, Chicago 1, Ill.

CONSULTANT

Newly established oil refinery in east wishes services of consultant re edible vegetable oil sales from crude to finished product, including transportation costs and methods, refining losses, costs, values, futures, operation, etc. Write to Box 250, American Oil Chemists' Society, 35 E. Wacker drive, Chicago 1, Ill.

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Problem Corner

The reader writes from Mexico: March 12, 1955

In the book "Cellulose and Cellulose Derivatives" by Ott and Spurlin, Part II, we find the following statement and reference: "A test for cotton linters contaminants is under consideration"—T. L. Rettger, Oil and Soap, 22, 7 (1945).

Has this work resulted in an official standard? If not, is a bibliography on contaminants in cotton linters available? We are referring these questions to you since there is no technical library to which we have reasonably convenient access. We would appreciate your help.

A MEMBER.

The technical correspondent for the Society writes:

March 25, 1955

We take great pleasure in handing you herewith a reprint from Oil and Soap, January 1945 issue, entitled "The Gravimetric Determination of Foreign Material in Cellulose Fibres" by T. L. Rettger of Buckeye Cotton Oil Company of Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. Rettger very kindly informs us that this is being used to some extent by linter dealers in this area. The Writing Paper Association's Rag Content Group has adopted it as a standard method. Instead of the brushing machine, they brush by hand with a 2-in. paint brush and an 8-in. sieve mounted on a phonograph turntable.

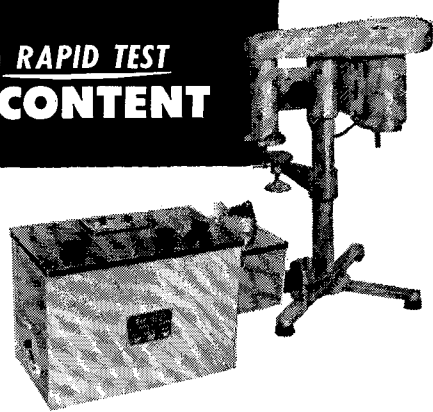
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