

## Purdue to Be Scene of 1956 Short Course

PURDUE UNIVERSITY, through its division of adult education, will accommodate the 1956 short course of the American Oil Chemists' Society on July 16-20, according to K. F. Mattil, chairman of the Education Committee. Subject will be unit processes in the fatty oil, soap, and detergent industries, for which the program committee will be R. J. Sims, Swift and Company, chairman; H. C. Dormitzer, Wilson and Company; D. V. Stingley, Armour and Company; R. H. Rogers Jr., Swift and Company; and S. S. Fein, Kraft Foods Company, all of Chicago.



R. J. Sims

Subdivisions of the topic will tentatively include handling, shipping, and storage of oilseeds, solvent extraction including seed pretreatment, mechanical extraction, rendering of meat fats, refining, fat splitting, distillation of fatty acids, glycerine recovery and purification, handling and storage of raw materials for soaps and detergents, saponification, production of fatty alcohols, sulfonation and sulfation of oils, production of alkylene oxide derivatives, bleaching and filtration, hydrogenation catalyst production, hydrogen production and purification, hydrogenation, deodorization and steam-stripping, winterizing, margarine production, finishing and packaging of edible fat products, esterification, inter-esterification alcoholysis, drying of soaps and detergents, finishing soaps, packaging soaps and detergents, heat exchange, pumps and pumping, mixing, automatic control.

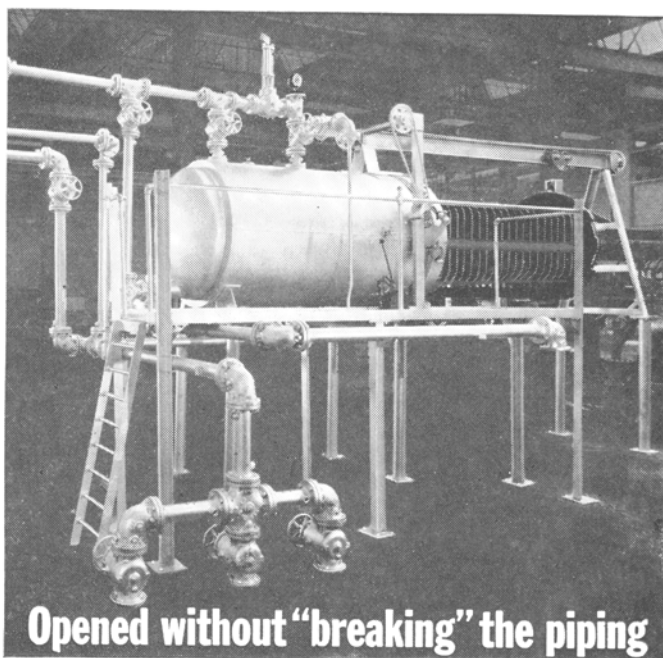
This will be the eighth short course sponsored by the Society, beginning in 1948 and continuing except for the year 1951. Previous themes have been edible oils, drying oils, soaps and synthetic detergents, engineering aspects of processing oilseeds, inedible fats and fatty acids, and analytical techniques. All of these, save 1948, are available in bound reprint form or in a Journal issue for \$3 a copy.

### Meetings

Control of corrosion in the chemical industry is the theme of a meeting of the Northeast Region, National Association of Corrosion Engineers, to be held May 9-10, 1956, at the University of Buffalo, New York.

A panel session, 48 technical papers, and a concurrent lubrication engineering course will comprise the 22 technical sessions at the 11th annual meeting and exhibit of the Society of Lubrication Engineers, scheduled for April 4-6, 1956, at the William Penn hotel, Pittsburgh, Pa.

May 31-June 8, 1958, are the dates fixed by the board of management of DECHEMA, Deutsche Gesellschaft für chemisches Apparatewesen, for ACHEMA 1958, 12th chemical apparatus and equipment congress and exhibition, to be held at Frankfurt am Main, Germany. The European Federation for Chemical Engineering will hold its second European chemical engineering congress in connection with ACHEMA.



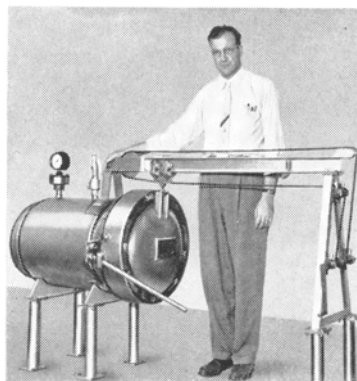
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