

Los Angeles Exhibit Space Is Selling Well

At press-time (mid-June) the Los Angeles plans for the fall meeting of the American Oil Chemists' Society at the Statler-Hilton September 28-30, 1959, have progressed to the point where more than 20 technical papers have been promised and nearly all of the exhibit spaces have been sold, according to H. C. Bennett, general chairman, and L. O. Leenerts, assistant chairman.



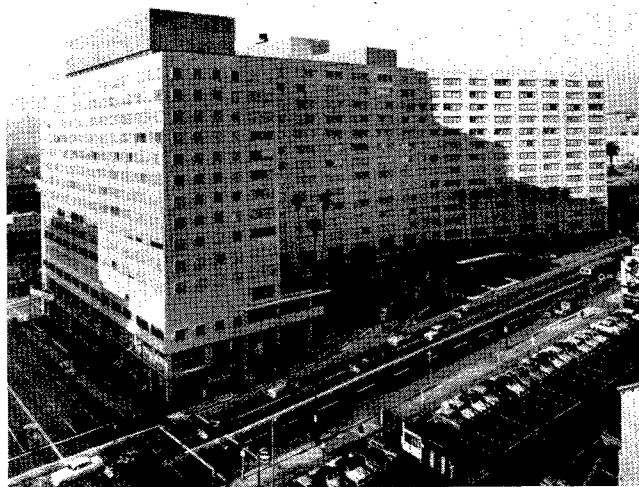
William Skarda

More papers are still being sought by the program chairman, Roslyn B. Alfin-Slater, who is with the Department of Biochemistry, University of Southern California, University Park. Abstracts should be submitted at once. Topics will be soaps, detergents, fish oils, polyunsaturated fatty acids, polymerized oils, edible and inedible oils, shortening, and so on. Field trips are being arranged.

The list of exhibitors reported by Joseph Michaelson and Harold Gilmore, co-chairmen of the exhibits committee, is as follows: Harshaw Chemical Company, Hoffmann-La-Roche, Process Chemical Company, Blaw-Knox, Mettler Instruments, Niagara Filters, L. A. Salomon, Wilkins Instrument Company, Adolph Frese, Fractionating Distillation Equipment Company, Textilana, Great Books of the Western World, Hercules Filter, Pilot California Company, Beckman Instruments, American Cyanamid Company, Sparkler Filters, Perkin-Elmer, Distillation Products, Eastman Chemical Products, De Laval Separator Company, Encyclopedia Britannica, Mefford Chemical Company, Enjay Inc., Industrial Engineers Inc., and Research Specialties Company.

For the ladies' entertainment Mrs. L. O. Leenerts and her committee have arranged such events as a coffee hour on Monday, tour of Hollywood and Beverly Hills, fashion show luncheon at the Beverly Hilton hotel, and stop-and-shop tour at the Farmers Market in Hollywood; tour to Balboa on Tuesday, luncheon at the famous Knott's Berry Farm Steak House, and Disneyland tour; TV show, studio tour, and luncheon Wednesday at the Hollywood restaurant.

Those interested in post-convention tour to Hawaii are asked to communicate with Mr. Bennett at the Los Angeles



STATLER-HILTON HOTEL—This will be the three-day home of those attending the September meeting of the American Oil Chemists' Society in Los Angeles, September 28-30, 1959.

Soap Company, 617 E. First street, Los Angeles 54, Calif.

The Governing Board, with N. D. Embree, president, in the chair, will meet Sunday afternoon, September 27. Various committees will meet during the three-day convention, and there will be a special business session for the active members of the Society.

William Skarda is treasurer for the fall meeting; D. C. Porter and G. W. Busby are in charge of arrangements and hotel committees, respectively.

• Industry Items

Samples of new isophthalic-based alkyd and polyester resins and data sheets providing complete technical information on the resins are now available to resin and paint manufacturers for their evaluation and testing from the Oronite Chemical Company, 200 Bush street, San Francisco 20, Calif.

The opening of the first new Federal Food and Drug Administration District Headquarters in 24 years was celebrated at the Sheraton-Cadillac hotel in Detroit, Mich., May 14, 1959.

The Mine Safety Appliance Company, Pittsburgh, Pa., has introduced the Dustfoe Space Filter for air filtration in chemical plants.



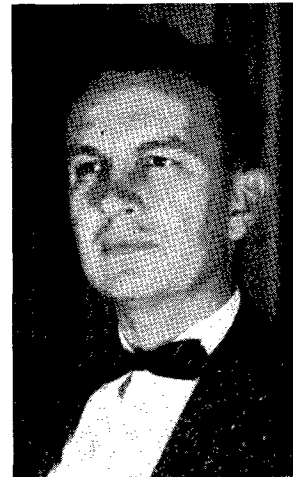
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