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North Central Section

Dr. Stamler Presents Review

Jeremiah Stamler, Associate Professor of Medicine, Northwestern Medical School, and member of the Chicago Board of Health presented an excellent review of data on relationship between dietary fat, dietary cholesterol and cardiovascular pathology. His talents as a skilled lecturer and scientist impressed the Section.



Jeremiah Stamler

G. R. Wagner, Research Statistician at Swift & Co. presented a discussion of the use of regression analysis to determine important variables and to design model systems capable of forecasting the effect of variables.



G. R. Wagner

The November 17th meeting will feature A. E. Thomas of Durkee Famous Foods as pre-dinner speaker, discussing thin-layer chromatographic analysis of monoglycerides. The after-dinner speaker will be Norman Sonntag of National Dairy Products.

The North Central Section is exploring the feasibility of running a charter jet flight to the Spring Meeting. Plans are to fly to Los Angeles, Saturday April 13th, with return scheduled from San Francisco Sunday May 1st. Couples should be able to fly round trip for about \$60 more than the ordinary jet coach fare for one person. Interested persons should contact Bob Evans, % DPI, 3557 Peterson Ave., Chicago 60645.

Northeast Section

Conneran of IBM to Speak on Computer Control

Returning to its regular meeting place, Whytes Restaurant, Fulton Street, New York, the December 7th meeting of the Northeast Section will feature a speech by James Conneran on the subject "Computer Control in the Chemical Industry." Mr. Conneran is extremely well qualified in his subject as he is presently industry representative to the petroleum and chemical industry, control systems marketing, of International Business Machines Corporation. After graduating from Rutgers University in 1944 wth a degree in Chemical Engineering, he worked on instrumentation and control systems for American Cyanamid and Du Pont.

A feature of the December meeting will be the presentation to all past presidents of the Northeast Section of certificates in honor of their contribution to the section. Because of the wide interest in the subject of the meeting and because of the special event, an unusually large attendance is expected. Anyone not on the regular mailing list should contact Frank Naughton, Secretary of the Northeast Section, % Baker Castor Oil Co., 40 Avenue A of Bayonne, New Jersey, if he wishes to attend this meeting.

Northern California Section

The Northern California Section will meet Nov. 19, 1965, at the Grecian Room of the Claremont Hotel, Ashby and Domingo Avenue, Berkeley, California.

This will be a 7:00 buffet dinner, with a social hour preceding at 6:00 PM. Guests are welcome.

Speaker for the meeting will be W. L. Stanley, Chief of Fruit Research, Western Regional Research Laboratory, Albany, California. His topic will be "Chemical Aspects of Flavor."

Dr. Stanley was educated in the North China American School near Peking and received his A.B. degree from Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio, in 1939. He worked in the process control laboratories of Union Carbide Company in South Charleston, West Virginia until 1945 when he entered the University of California, Berkeley, for graduate study in organic chemistry with James Cason. He obtained his Ph.D. degree in 1948 and joined the staff of the Western Regional Research Laboratory in Albany, California, where he was engaged in studies on the composition of vegetable flavors until 1951. After a three-year hiatus in petrochemicals research at the Union Oil Company Research Center in Brea, California, he returned to the Western Regional Research Laboratory field station (Fruit and Vegetable Chemistry Laboratory) in Pasadena, California, where, from 1954 to 1960, he studied the composition of the citrus essential oils. In 1960 he returned to the Western Regional Research Laboratory in Albany, California, and currently is Chief of Fruit Research.

Southwest Section

The Southwest Section of the American Oil Chemists' Society will meet Thursday, Nov. 11, 1965, at 6:30 PM at the Roger Young Auditorium, 936 West Washington Boulevard, Los Angeles, California.

Featured speaker at this meeting will be Mr. Kenneth H. Walker, Chief Perfumer, Purex Corporation. His topic will be: "A Perfumer Looks at Soaps and Detergents."

Mr. Walker is a graduate of Harvard University. He has had extensive experience in the soap and detergent field with Lever Brothers, Manhattan Soap Company, in addition to his present association with Purex Corporation.