

Now Is the Time to Plan for Philadelphia

Fall Meeting Progress Reported

Even though October might appear to be far away, summer is upon us already and before long our Fall Meeting will be here. That is why Art Wrigley and his various committees are working hard now. All committee chairmen have reported progress in all their efforts.

Waldo Ault, Technical Program Chairman is working hard and has developed a comprehensive balance of symposia and individual technical papers. Although the Fat Congress will be meeting at approximately the same time in Budapest, several outstanding overseas experts already have agreed to participate in our technical program; and because of Philadelphia's favorable location on the East Coast, a large number of papers having European origin are anticipated.

Several additional symposia have been announced by the program chairman besides the excellent ones that were previously announced. These include "Lipoproteins" being organized by R. J. Vander Wal of Armour and Company, Oak Brook, Illinois. Dr. Vander Wal reports that his preliminary results from individual contacts have been excellent and possibly a full day will be required. Therefore, any biochemists or chemists having research data concerning lipoproteins and wishing to report in the new "Lipoproteins" Symposium, please send your abstract to Dr. Ault at the Eastern Regional Research Laboratory.

Another new symposium included in the Fall Meeting is "TBA, Thiobarbituric Acid Method of Analysis," being organized by B. G. Tarladgis of the Unilever Research Laboratory in Vlaardigen, the Netherlands. Although it has

just been formed, Dr. Tarladgis reports that four papers are already scheduled for his symposium. The first abstract received came from Professor Naudet of the University of Marseille. Professor Naudet will describe some of his work on the hydroxylation of unsaturated fatty materials.

The latest new Symposium to be formed is "Detergent Analysis," organized by T. H. Liddicoet. Although no indication has been given as to the number of papers included in this symposium, detergents are the concern of a large segment of our membership and thus this symposium will be received well by all.

Definite progress is being reported on all the symposia previously announced. For example, Ralph Potts has already received four abstracts for his symposium, "Process Engineering." Steve Chang reports that more than a day may be necessary for his symposium, "Flavors and Odor in Foods." Already he has received abstracts for 14 papers. Thus, far, two will be given by European researchers. G. Jacini of the Experimental Station for Fats and Oils in Italy is planning to report a paper on subject material which as yet has not been announced. J. G. Keppler of the Unilever Research Laboratory in Vlaardingen, The Netherlands, plans to report his recent work on Hydrogenation Flavor of Shortenings.

Other previously reported symposia include "Ore Flotation," R. S. Smith, Chairman; "Germicidal Activity in Surface Active Materials," E. Jungermann; and "Metabolism of Medium Chain Length Glycerides," D. Kritechsky.

Many abstracts have been received describing original work in all phases of oil, fat, and detergent research and technology.

Exhibition Progress

Frank Shea, our Exhibits Chairman, has been doing an excellent job in obtaining a record number of exhibitors. We made plans to have 48 exhibitors and then put Frank to work! His last report was that 41 have been sold and several other exhibitors have given positive intentions of obtaining booths. Therefore, companies interested in this outstanding gathering should immediately contact F. G. Shea of C. F. Simmonin's Sons, Inc., Philadelphia, Pa. 19134.

Information will appear in the September issue concerning each exhibitor, the material being exhibited, and the representatives to be present at the booths. This information will also appear in the Technical Program.

Social Highlights

Our entertainment plans have been previously announced in the May and June issues. Therefore, they will not be reiterated. However, at our gala banquet being held Tuesday evening, plans have been made to present H. E. Carter with the \$2500 Lipid Chemistry Award sponsored by Applied Science Laboratories.

Finalized Plans for the Ladies

The Ladies' Committee report that they are putting forth a great effort to make this convention surpass all others and make it a well-remembered affair for many years to come. Final arrangements for the interesting program are being made, such as the tour of the famous Longwood Gardens on the DuPont Estate followed by lunch in the colonial atmosphere of the Red Rose Inn which has been serving travelers on the Baltimore Pike since 1740. Another day lunch at the Old Bookbinders Restaurant will follow a tour of the historic sites of Old Philadelphia. The committee also reports that plans are in the making for the possibility of a choice on Wednesday morning between a tour of City Hall or a visit to The Philadelphia Museum of Art. These activities are, of course, in addition to the usual breakfasts, luncheons, and entertainment. The prize committee is reported to be working diligently to procure many lovely prizes. The entire committee suggests that you come as early in the weekend as you can in order to see and enjoy the many wonderful sights of the area.

And After Philadelphia . . .

Group Travel Plans Include Bermuda Vacation

Monarch Travel, Inc. of Chicago has again been authorized to coordinate AOCS members' travel to Philadelphia and to the post-meeting vacation in Bermuda.

- Air service, in a group, from Chicago to Philadelphia and return . . . after Bermuda.
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All details . . . rates . . . applications . . . hotel information will come to you by mail. Make your plans now! Return your application as soon as it arrives! Join the group!



AOCS members and wives met at Chicago's O'Hare Airport to travel to the Spring Meeting in Los Angeles.