

# New York

## Symposia plans completed

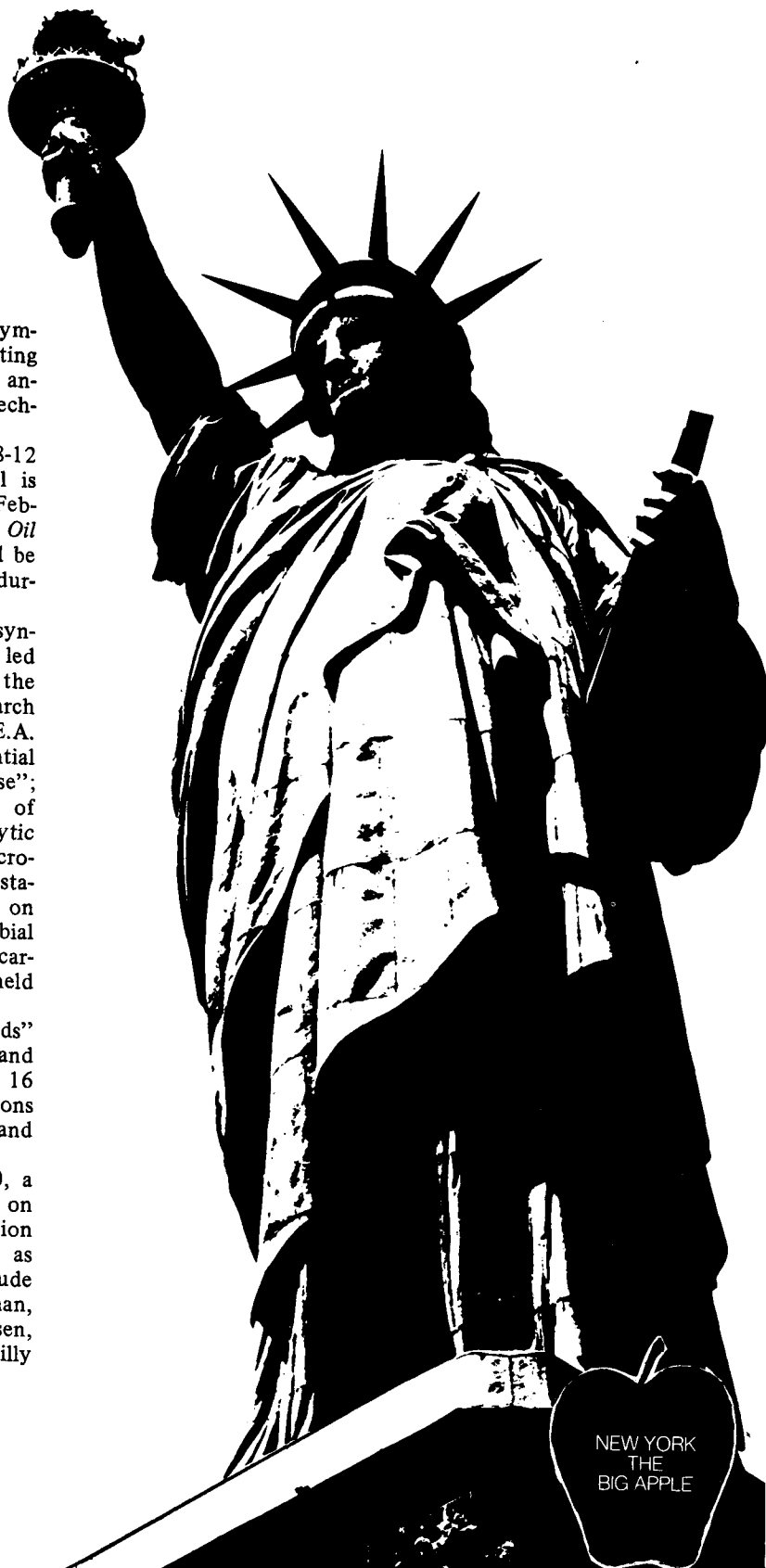
Information on three more symposia during the AOCS 1977 meeting in New York City have been announced by Dr. David Berner, technical program chairman.

A full program for the May 8-12 meeting in the Americana Hotel is scheduled to be published in the February *Journal of the American Oil Chemists' Society*. The session will be the only national AOCS meeting during the year.

A symposium on "Novel Biosynthesis of Fatty Chemicals" will be led by Dr. Lowell L. Wallen of the USDA's Northern Regional Research Center. Speakers will include E.A. Emken on "Commercial and Potential Utilization of Soybean Lipoxigenase"; Robert Jensen on "Preparation of Fatty Chemicals with Lipolytic Enzymes"; Charles J. Sih on "Microbiological Transformation of Prostaglandins"; and A.J. Markovetz on "Intermediates from the Microbial Oxidation of Aliphatic Hydrocarbons." The symposium will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. Monday, May 9.

A symposium on "Marine Lipids" to be led by Drs. Carter Litchfield and Robert Ackman will feature 16 papers to be presented during sessions Tuesday morning and afternoon and Wednesday morning.

On Tuesday morning, May 10, a roundtable discussion will be held on "Workshop Safety—Solvent Extraction Plants" with C.L. Kingsbaker as moderator. Speakers are to include Leland J. Hall, John E. Heilman, Glenn Martin, Harvey Marxhausen, R.L. Moeller, H. Hunt Moore, Billy Shaw, and Norman Witte.



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