American Oil Chemists Society Announces Program for Annual Meeting

Meeting of the American Oil Chemists' Society will be held on May 9th and 10th, for the ninth time, in New Orleans, La., at the Roosevelt Hotel. The thirty-first convention of the Interstate Cotton Seed Crushers' Association for the Twelfth time will also meet in New Orleans immediately following, on May 11th and 12th, and 13th.

One and one-half rate fare have been secured on Special Certificate plan. Certificates must be obtained when buying ticket, and validated at New Orleans before the reduction in the return ticket will be allowed

Associate Members of the Society are earnestly invited to attend the meeting. They will have a cordial reception from the entire membership. A special part of the program is reserved for them in which to present any new process, apparatus, materials or machinery.

Visitors and guest are also cordially invited. Wives of members and their friends will have a special welcome, and a Local ladies' committee will look after their convenience. Many historic places and buildings are especially interesting, and the beauty of New Orleans is proverbial at this time of the year. Chemists and others interested in the work of the Society will also be cordially welcomed.

The Roosevelt Hotel will be headquarters. Reservations should be made early. Other hotels near by are the St. Charles, Bienville, De Soto, and Monteleone.

The Governing Committee has been called to meet at 2 p. m. Sunday, May 8th, at the Roosevelt Hotel. Matters for the attention of the Committee should be in the hands of the Secretary before that time.

Members and visitors are requested to register early, and secure badges and make banquet reservations. This is necessary for the information of the local committee.

The Annual Banquet will be, as usual, a special feature of the Convention, and is a fitting finale to the meeting. The banquet will be held Tuesday evening, May 10, the hour and place to be announced later. Tickets must be secured on arrival, at time of registration.

The Program in Detail

MONDAY, MAY 9th.

Paper, "Winterizing" FRANCIS M. TURNER Report of Neutral Oil Committee CLAUDE E. MCLEAN Paper, "Solvent Extraction Experiences in Foreign Lands". BRUNO HASSEL Report of Committee on Awards DAVID WESSON Report of Moisture Committee W. H. IRWIN Paper, "A Few Facts Concerning Deordorization". John L. Hutton Report of Analysis of Commercial Oil and Fats Committee W. D. RICHARDSON Report of Referee Board DAVID WESSON Report of Referee Board DAVID WESSON Report of Planning Committee H. J. MORRISON Our Associate Members—Introductions and Remarks Appointment of Special Committees and Miscellaneous (Afternoon Sessions, if necessary, at 2:30 p. m.)
TUESDAY, MAY 10th
Meeting called to order 9:30 a.m. Report of Cake Color Committee
REFINING SYMPOSIUM
Paper, "The Fundamental Principles of Colorimetry" IRWIN G. PRIEST Report of Color Committee H. P. TREVITHICK Paper, "What Is a Refined Oil?" HERMAN ASPEGREN Paper, "Nature of the Various Constituents to Be Removed in Refining"
Paper, "Fundamental Principles of Refining". C. B. CLUFF Paper, "Requirements of a Refining Method From the Standpoint of a Commercial Chemist". T. C. LAW Paper, "Standardizing the Lovibond Glasses" IRWIN G. PRIEST Report on Cooperative Free Fatty Acid Tests. C. B. CLUFF Report of Refining Committee . C. B. CLUFF Paper, "A Rapid Method for Determining Neutral Fat in Soap". L. F. Hoyt Report of Seed Committee . R. K. BRODIE Report of Uniform Methods Committee . FELIX PAQUIN Report of Smalley Foundation Committee . H. C. Moore Report of Special Committees Miscellaneous Business General Resolutions Announcements Election of Officers Installation Ceremonies Adjournment

Valuable Oil, Fat and Wax Bulletin Just Off the Press

HE United States Department of Agriculture has just published Department Bulletin No. 1475, entitled "Production and Utilization of Fats, Fatty Oils, and Waxes in the United States." This is the work of Dr. George S. Jamieson, Chemist in charge of the Oil, Fat and Wax Laboratory of the Department. Dr. Jamieson is a member of the American Oil Chemists' Society, an

Associate Editor of Oil & Fat Industries, and one of the leading scientists in this branch of his profession.

Bulletin 1475 is a revision of and supersedes Bulletin 769. First it takes up the Vegetable Oils, after which come the animal Fats and Oils, the Fish Oils, Fish Liver Oils, and the Waxes. The concluding pages are devoted to statistics of production and consumption of fats and oils from 1921 to 1925 inclusive.