

# TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING

## HELD AT ROOSEVELT HOTEL, NEW ORLEANS, MAY 28-29, 1936

THE twenty-seventh annual convention of the American Oil Chemists' Society was held at the Roosevelt Hotel in New Orleans on May 28 and 29.

The opening number of the annual meeting usually is the address of the president, with his recommendations for the future of the society. This feature, however, had to be omitted this year due to the illness of President Robinson, who was unable to attend. In his absence the new president, E. C. Ainslie, took charge of the meeting.

### PROGRAM

The meeting was called to order by J. J. Ganucheau, chairman of the Local Arrangements Committee. A program of interesting papers and valuable committee reports was presented. Among those presenting papers and their subjects were: Dr. G. S. Jamieson and R. S. McKinney on "Expressed Kapok Seed Oil"; E. B. Freyer, who presented two papers, one on "Simplification of the Air Blowing Stability Test," and another on "Frames for Lovibond Color Glasses"; M. R. Coe, who discussed "Some Photochemical Studies of Rancidity"; P. E. Ronzone on "Refining of Chinese Cottonseed Oil"; H. A. Levey on "Oil Proof Protective Coating Compositions"; T. H. Simpson and D. C. Ingraham on "Determination of Oil in Oil Cake with the Refractometer"; P. McG. Shuey, "Physiological and Other Factors Influencing Color Readings"; A. W. Ralston, "Some Interesting Products from Fatty Acids"; O. E. May, "The Proposed Research Program of the Regional Soybean Industrial Products Laboratory"; F. R. Robertson and J. G. Campbell, "Study of Possible Catalytic Effect of Some Metal Alloys on the Changes Occurring in Refined Cottonseed Oil During Storage"; C. H. Cox, "Soy Bean Analysis."

Committee reports were read on behalf of the following committees. Some of these reports are published elsewhere in this issue:

W. H. Irwin, Journal Committee.

J. L. Mayfield, Cottonseed Analysis Committee.

F. C. Vibrans, Stability Committee.

H. L. Roschen, Moisture Committee.

G. G. Grant, Color Committee.

L. M. Gill, Color Glass Development Committee.

W. H. Irwin, Fat Analysis Committee.

W. H. Irwin, Revision of Methods Committee.

A. S. Richardson, Referee Board Report.

V. Conquest, Sampling Committee.

C. B. Cluff, Refining Committee.

L. A. Spielman, Soap in Refined Oils Committee.

T. C. Law, Chemists' Committee.

J. J. Vollertsen, Smalley Foundation.

M. F. Lauro, Olive Oil Committee.

J. J. Vollertsen, Uniform Methods Committee.

### OUR NEW PRESIDENT

E. C. Ainslie was born in Richmond, Virginia, and received his early education in the private



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schools of that city. He attended Virginia Polytechnic Institute and graduated there in 1909.

After a year spent in the fertilizer business, he joined his present employers—The Buckeye Cotton

Oil Company—in 1910, and has been associated with them since that time. His position with the organization is that of chemist.

The new President's hobbies are gardening, reading and bridge. He is married and has no children.

He is a member of the American Chemical Society. His association with the American Oil Chemists' Society dates back to about 1914, covering a period of long and useful activity in our Society.

### ELECTION OF OFFICERS

At the close of the formal program, the Nominating Committee, headed by J. P. Harris of Chicago brought in their recommendations for officers of the society for the ensuing year. The slate of nominees was unanimously elected by the convention. The new officers of the society are as follows:

President—E. C. Ainslie, Buckeye Cotton Oil Co., Atlanta, Ga.

1st Vice President—M. L. Sheely, Armour & Company, 31st and Benson streets, Chicago.

2nd Vice President—T. C. Law, Law & Company, Atlanta, Ga.

3rd Vice President—J. J. Ganucheau, Southern Cotton Oil Company, Gretna, La.

4th Vice President and Chairman of the Soap Section—C. P. Long, The Procter & Gamble Company, Ivorydale, Ohio.

G. G. Grant, who had been asked to accept the nomination for one of the vice-presidencies, felt it necessary to decline.

### ENTERTAINMENT

On Thursday afternoon, May 28, the Golf Tournament, arranged by A. F. Sanchez and his committee, was held. Further details of this will be found elsewhere in this issue.

As the final event of the meeting, the banquet and dinner dance held at the Southern Yacht Club on Friday evening, might well be called the high-light of the program. The uniquely decorated ballroom, the orchestra, the floor show, the food—all added up to make that old Southern hospitality.

**ACKNOWLEDGMENTS**

To J. J. Ganuchau and his Local Committee the society owes its thanks for a mighty good time at New Orleans.

Especial thanks are also due Mrs. W. R. Stryker and her Ladies' Committee, whose efforts adequately cared for the entertainment of the lady visitors to the convention.

**NEXT MEETING**

The fall meeting of the society will be held in Chicago again with W. H. Irwin in charge of arrangements. The meeting will probably take place some time during the first two weeks of October, the exact dates and place to be announced later by the Chicago committee.

**Ladies Who Were Guests at Banquet**

- Mrs. Albert Epstein, Chicago, Ill.
- Mrs. F. R. Robertson, Houston, Texas.
- Mrs. Wrench, New York, N. Y.
- Mrs. M. Claverie, New Orleans, La.
- Miss Borne, New Orleans, La.
- Mrs. A. J. Anderson, New Orleans, La.
- Miss Wrench, New York, N. Y.
- Mrs. H. H. Lament, Philadelphia, Pa.
- Mrs. James Ganuchau, New Orleans, La.
- Mrs. N. C. Hamner, Dallas, Texas.
- Mrs. Joe Pless, Memphis, Tenn.
- Mrs. E. H. Tenant, Memphis, Tenn.

- Mrs. M. L. Sheely, Chicago, Ill.
- Mrs. W. R. Stryker, New Orleans, La.
- Mrs. F. B. Lachle, Sherman, Texas.
- Mrs. P. P. Lawrence, Sherman, Texas.
- Mrs. W. P. Prosch, Chicago, Ill.
- Mrs. E. R. Barrow, Memphis, Tenn.
- Mrs. A. F. Sanchez, New Orleans, La.
- Mrs. E. S. Williamson, Jr., New Orleans, La.
- Mrs. H. M. Shilstone, New Orleans, La.
- Mrs. E. G. Williams, New Orleans, La.
- Mrs. J. C. P. Helm, New Orleans, La.

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- Ainslie, E. C., Atlanta, Georgia.
- Anderson, A. J., New Orleans, La.
- Andry, A. L., Dallas, Texas.
- Bailey, A. E., Memphis Tenn.
- Barrow, E. R., Memphis, Tenn.
- Bedew, A. G., Pine Bluff, Ark.
- Bennett, E. J., South Bend, Ind.
- Boulevara, M. G., Memphis, Tenn.
- Bourner, J., Columbus, Ohio.
- Burmester, J. M., Gretna, La.
- Claverie, M., New Orleans, La.
- Cluff, C. B., Cincinnati, Ohio.
- Coe, M. R., Washington, D. C.
- Cox, C. H., Memphis, Tenn.
- Craig, J. D., Buffalo, N. Y.
- Daniel, G. O., Memphis, Tenn.
- Doughtie, R. T., Jr., Helena, Ark.
- Durkee, M. M., Decatur, Ill.
- Dvoracek, J., Tulsa, Okla.
- Epstein, A., Chicago, Ill.
- Fash, R. H., Fort Worth, Texas.
- Fenderson, H. C., Chicago, Ill.
- Forbes, L. B., Little Rock, Ark.
- Frank, F. A., Houston, Texas.
- Freyer, E. B., Houston, Texas.
- Ganuchau, J. J., New Orleans, La.
- Geiger, J. B., Gretna, La.
- Gill, L. M., New York City.
- Grant, G. G., Edgewater, N. J.

- Haas, F. C., Wyandotte, Mich.
- Haire, R. R., Clarksdale, Miss.
- Hamner, N. C., Dallas, Texas.
- Harris, J. P., Chicago, Ill.
- Haurand, C. H., Plainfield, N. J.
- Helm, J. C. P., New Orleans, La.
- Herrick, H. T., Washington, D. C.
- Hodgson, E., Athens, Ga.
- Hutchins, W. D., Savannah, Ga.
- Ingraham, D. C., Berkeley, Calif.
- James, E. M., Philadelphia, Pa.
- Jamieson, G. S., Washington, D. C.
- Kirby, H. J., Memphis, Tenn.
- Lachle, F. B., Sherman, Texas.
- Lament, H. H., Philadelphia, Pa.
- Law, T. C., Atlanta, Ga.
- Lawrence, P. A., Sherman, Texas.
- Lindsey, B. S., Houston, Texas.
- Mac Gee, A. E., Chicago, Ill.
- Maloy, G. S., Washington, D. C.
- McSweeney, F. D., Savannah, Ga.
- Marshall, T. A., Westfield, N. J.
- May, O. E., Washington D. C.
- Mayfield, J. L., Chickasha, Okla.
- Mitchell, H. S., Chicago, Ill.
- Moore, H. E., Columbus, Ohio.
- Morris, C. E., Chicago, Ill.
- Mueller, H. H., Boonton, N. J.
- Pless, J., Memphis, Tenn.

- Prosch, W. R., Chicago, Ill.
- Ralston, A. W., Chicago, Ill.
- Raney, M., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Richardson, A. S., Cincinnati, Ohio.
- Robertson, F. R., Houston, Texas.
- Ronzone, P. E., Philadelphia, Pa.
- Roschen, H. L., Chicago, Ill.
- Sanchez, A. F., New Orleans, La.
- Schwarcman, A., Dr., Buffalo, N. Y.
- Sheely, M. L., Chicago, Ill.
- Shipner, J. R., Omaha, Nebr.
- Shilston, H. M., Dr., New Orleans, La.
- Smith, A., Memphis, Tenn.
- Spielman, L. A., Chicago, Ill.
- Stern, P. L., Clinton, Iowa.
- Stevens, H., Washington, D. C.
- Stryker, W. R., New Orleans, La.
- Tenant, E. H., Memphis, Tenn.
- Thomas, H. L., Forest City, Ark.
- Tolman, L. M., Chicago, Ill.
- Trevithick, H. P., New York City.
- True, N. F., Evansville, Ind.
- Vollertsen, J. J., Chicago, Ill.
- Watkins, W. T., Chattanooga, Tenn.
- Williams, E. G., New Orleans, La.
- Williamson, C. S., Dr., New Orleans, La.
- Wrench, J., New York City.