



A View Along Michigan Avenue, Chicago

A.O.C.S. FALL CONVENTION

Chicago, October 6th-7th

PLANS for the Society's fall convention are progressing rapidly and the indications are that this meeting will be one of the most important the Society has ever

experienced. The meeting is to be held at the Hotel Sherman's Louis XVI room.

While final arrangements for the program have not been completed,

Dr. R. C. Newton, Chairman of the Program Committee, reports the following tentative schedule of papers. Titles, in some cases, are not final but only indicate the nature of the subject matter to be discussed.

General Sessions on Fats and Oils

1. Action of Bacteria on Fats and Oils. E. W. Hopkins (Armour & Company).
2. Absorption Spectra of the F.A.C. Color Standards. W. M. Urbain and H. L. Roschen (Swift & Company).
3. A New Method of Determination of Unsaponifiable in Fats. I. H. Wood and H. L. Roschen (Swift & Company).
4. Lecithin—Its Manufacture and Use in the Fat and Oil Industry. Joseph Eichberg (American Lecithin Co.).
5. What the Breadmaker Wants in a Shortening. W. H. Cathcart (American Institute of Baking).
6. Shortening for Cakes. R. W. Mitchell (Purity Bakeries).
7. Determination of Rosin Acids in Tall Oil. Hastings and Polak (Industrial Chemical Sales Co.).
8. Does Margaric Acid Occur in Alfalfa Seed Oil? by H. A. Schuette and H. A. Vogel.

Hydrogenation Symposium

1. Some Theoretical Considerations on Hydrogenation. Louis Kassell (Universal Oil Products Company).
2. European Hydrogenation Practices. Albert Bruecke (tentative).
3. American Methods and Control. Thomas G. Whitner (Ellis Laboratories).
4. Production of Electrolytic Hydrogen. A. H. Steinbrecker.
5. Production of Hydrogen by the Steam Iron Method. Sam Hurst (Lever Bros. Company).
6. Catalysts for Hydrogenation. M. H. Gwynn.
7. A Continuous Catalyst Reduction Furnace. Herbert Sieck.

M. L. Sheely and C. P. Long, who are arranging the soap program, report that a number of papers for the Soap Section have been definitely scheduled but that no titles are available at the present writing. The prospects for an interesting soap program are good.

A. E. MacGee reports that an unusually large number of exhibitors have reserved space this year, and it appears that an attractive group of industrial and laboratory exhibits will be offered. This feature will be worth seeing.

A Committee under Victor Conquest is arranging for industrial trips. A large number of Companies have indicated their willingness to have the Society visit their plants, and the Committee is considering several schedules. A more definite announcement will appear later.

The Hotel Sherman is offering special room rates for convention delegates as follows:

Single Room with bath . . . \$2.50 up
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are asked to indicate that you are attending the convention of The American Oil Chemists' Society in order to make these rates available. Special luncheons are available at the Old Town Room at 35c and up.

The program is still open and papers can be registered with Dr. R. C. Newton, Program Chairman, Swift & Company Laboratories, Chicago. Inquiries with reference to the convention can be addressed to Mr. J. P. Harris, Industrial Chemical Sales Co., 205 W. Wacker Drive, Chicago.

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