

NEWS

San Francisco Members Welcome Fall Meeting This Month

THREE days of technical papers, social events such as Tuesday dinner at Di Maggio's on Fisherman's Wharf, banquet on Wednesday, opera on Thursday, plus sight-seeing, Hawaiian tea, and Chinatown for the ladies, and a plant trip on Friday are among the outstanding attractions of the 24th annual fall meeting of the American Oil Chemists' Society to be held in San Francisco on September 25-29, 1950 at the Sir Francis Drake hotel. E. B. Kester of the Western Regional Research Laboratory is chairman, and H. S. Olcott, also of WRRRL, is program chairman. On Monday there will be pre-registration, 5 o'clock tea and reception for the early birds, and a meeting of the Governing Board, over which President J. R. Mays Jr. will preside.

Detail about the technical program, exhibit space, registration, and entertainment was given in the August issue of the Journal. Additional titles for the program are as follows:

Possibilities in Photosynthetic Methods for Production of Oils and Proteins, by H. W. Milner, Carnegie Institute of Washington, Division of Plant Biology, Stanford, Calif.

Fatty Acid Esters of Polyvinyl Alcohol, by A. E. Rheineck, Hercules Powder Company, Wilmington, Del.

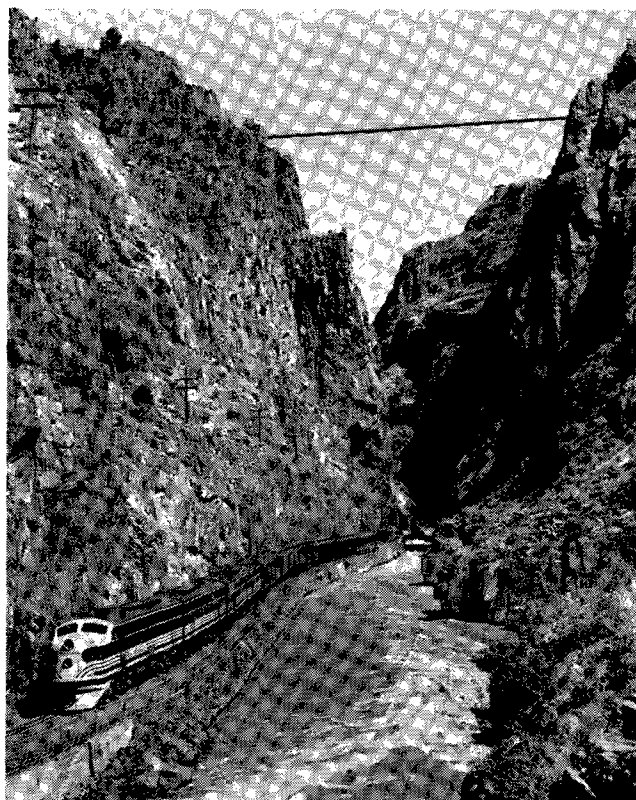
Alkyl Hydroxyanisoles as Antioxidants, by R. H. Rosenwald and J. A. Chenicek, Universal Oil Products Company, Chicago

Preliminary Observations on the Chemical Modification of Safflower Oil, by C. D. Thurmond, Monsanto Chemical Company, San Francisco



Mrs. A. C. Richardson

From Dr. Kester comes the following message as to coast hospitality: "Although the main drawing card of the San Francisco meeting is its excellent technical program, the convention committee is making every effort to entertain its guests royally. Visiting ladies will be especially favored. To speak quite frankly, it is the aim of the committee to make the meeting so attractive to wives of the oil chemists that their enthusiasm will overcome any lingering reluctance on the part of their spouses to make the trip. Mrs. A. C. Richardson is the charming hostess of the week and has planned a series of delightfully festive events. Some inkling of what is in store may have been gained from past issues of the Journal, but to get the picture in its entirety a page from the printed program is reproduced below:



The Royal Gorge is one of the scenic attractions of the West which will be enjoyed by A.O.C.S. members who sign up for the convention tour arranged by the United States Travel Agency, New York City.

Monday, Sept. 25

5:00 p.m. *Informal tea and reception, Sir Francis Drake hotel

Tuesday, Sept. 26

2:00 p.m. Hawaiian tea on the Starlite roof, Drake hotel
6:00 p.m. *Shore dinner at Di Maggio's, Fisherman's Wharf
8:30 p.m. *Moonlight ride on San Francisco bay, dancing

Wednesday, Sept. 27

10:00 a.m. Conducted tour of Chinatown, optional luncheon at Kuo Wah cafe
7:30 p.m. *Banquet at Drake hotel

Thursday, Sept. 28

10:15 a.m. Bus trip for tour through Golden Gate park with luncheon at the Cliff House
1:30 p.m. Bus departure from Cliff House for trip across Golden Gate bridge to Muir Woods, across San Rafael ferry, through Richmond, and back by the Bay bridge
8:30 p.m. *Opera, "Lucia," with Lily Pons, San Francisco War Memorial Opera House

Friday, Sept. 29

All-day excursion to the copra mill and winery, or United Air Lines sight-seeing trip

"Cost of all events, except Wednesday luncheon and opera is covered by the registration fee."

Registration fees are as follows: \$15 for members and \$18 for non-members (including banquet, shore dinner, boat ride, and Friday trip); \$10 for ladies (ladies' program, banquet, shore dinner, boat ride, and Friday trip); and \$5 for sponsored non-members (technical sessions only).

Co-hostesses with Mrs. Richardson are Mrs. Kester, Tuesday; Mrs. T. D. Sanford, Wednesday; and Mrs. C. J. Gaiser, Thursday.

* Open to all convention guests.