



T. H. Hopper, head of the analytical, physical-chemical, and physics division of USDA's Southern Regional Research laboratory, New Orleans, La., will be general chairman of the Regional Conclave of the American Chemical Society, at the Jung hotel, New Orleans, December 10-12, 1953. The Conclave is a combination of the Southwest and Southeastern ACS regional meetings and is planned particularly for the chemists and the chemical industry in the area extending from the Carolinas to Texas.

American Oil Chemists' Society Smalley Check Samples

ANNOUNCEMENT is hereby made of the check work for the 1953-54 season. Any member of the Society can be enrolled in the work by sending a request for the samples desired, with remittance (see schedule of charges below) to:

The American Oil Chemists' Society
Attn. Mrs. Lucy R. Hawkins
35 East Wacker Drive
Chicago 1, Illinois

Mrs. Hawkins will in turn notify the subcommittee chairmen, who are as follows:

Subcommittee on Crude Vegetable Oils:

J. P. Hewlett, chairman, The HumKo Company, Memphis, Tenn.

Subcommittee on Oil Seeds:

R. T. Doughtie, chairman, Box 8013, Memphis, Tenn.

Subcommittee on Oil Seed Meal:

R. W. Bates, chairman, Armour and Company, Research Division, Chicago 9, Ill.

Subcommittee on Glycerin:

W. D. Pohle, chairman, Swift and Company, Research Laboratory, Chicago 9, Ill.

Subcommittee on Tallow and Grease:

C. P. Long, chairman, Procter and Gamble Company, Ivorydale, Cincinnati 17, Ohio.

Those collaborators who have taken part in the past will again be individually notified. The charges for participation in this check work will be as follows:

Crude Vegetable Oil.....	6 samples	\$14.00
Soybeans.....	10 samples	9.00
Peanuts.....	7 samples	10.00
Cottonseed.....	10 samples	12.00
Oilseed Meal.....	15 samples	14.00
Glycerin.....	2 samples	2.00
Tallow and Grease.....	5 samples	6.00

This charge applies to all collaborators regardless of affiliation with industrial, state, or federal agencies.

Details relative to the mailing schedules of the samples will be mailed to the collaborators later by the various subcommittee chairmen. The Oil Seed Meal check work will begin August 24, 1953, and the other work will also begin at about that time.

R. W. BATES, chairman.

A.O.C.S. CALENDAR

- 1953—Chicago, Sherman hotel, Nov. 2-4
- 1954—San Antonio, Plaza hotel, April 12-14
Minneapolis, Radisson hotel, Oct. 11-13
- 1955—New Orleans in spring
Philadelphia in fall

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