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## • Hobby Department

DESCRIBED AS "DeBary's Busiest Citizen," General H. P. Newton (1940) was the subject of a recent feature in Florida Magazine, a Sunday supplement of the Orlando (Fla.) Sentinel. In his retirement General Newton is president of the Chamber of Commerce, a member of the West Volusia hospital district, and a member of the DeBary planning board. His hobbies are gardening, bridge, golf, stamp collecting, woodworking, and bowling. He, a Baptist, and Mrs. Newton, a Methodist, are active in the Presbyterian church.



H. P. Newton

Professionally his career has been equally varied. He was assistant director of the Southern Regional Research Laboratory in New Orleans until 1951, when he was transferred to the east as chemical consultant to the director, Washington Utilization Research Branch, A.R.S., U.S.-D.A., and liaison officer with the Department of Defense, at Fort Detrick, Frederick, Md. While in New Orleans he served as chairman of the spring meeting twice, in 1946 during the presidency of R. R. King of Sherman, Tex., and again the next year under S. O. Sorensen.

He retired in 1956 and moved to DeBary, where he reflects on a busy life not only as a biochemist but as a military man who has served in two wars. In World War I he was a coast artillery officer; in World War II he was recalled as a colonel in the reserve to command an anti-artillery group in Europe, the 11th AAA, which hit Utah Beach at H plus one hour on D-Day. He was commander of all the air force, navy, and army anti-artillery weapons protecting the beach during the landings. Other commands include AA defense at Cherbourg, St. Lo, Paris, Meuse river, and Remagen.

He has been given such honors as the Purple Heart, the Bronze Star, Legion of Merit, and the Croix de Guerre with palm.

A native of Iredell, Tex., General Newton is a graduate of Baylor University, where he later taught. He also headed research for the College Inn food products.

## • Industry Items

To study the latest United States advancements in precision chemical-analysis instruments for progress in food processing, industry, and medicine 11 experts from Europe, Asia, and South and Central America attended a 10-day seminar in Chicago last month at the invitation of Coleman Instruments Inc., Maywood, Ill.

Eugene C. Swift, president of the Sharples Corporation, Philadelphia, centrifugal and process engineers, announces the acquisition of the Centrifugal Division of The Fletcher Works Inc. Sales and service will be continued by the Fletcher Division of the Sharples Corporation.

A \$6,000,000 plant expansion project has been announced by Emery Industries Inc., Cincinnati, to increase several-fold the existing capacity for production of azelaic and pelargonic acids from oleic acid by ozone oxidation. It is planned to increase esterification capacity for Emery's line of Plastolein Plasticizers.

Exclusive U. S. and Canadian distribution of montmorillonite catalysts developed by Sud-Chemie A. G., Munich, Germany, will be handled by Girdler Catalysts, Louisville, Ky., a unit of Chemetron Corporation's Chemical Products Division, according to an agreement between the two companies.

## Fatty Acids

Production of fatty acids in July 1959 declined seasonally but not to the same degree as last year. Total July output was 31.9 million lbs. as compared to 22.6 million in July 1958.

July disposition was 36.2 million lbs. as against 43.1 million in June and 27.7 million lbs. last July. Inventories of finished goods were down two million lbs. to 30.8 million. This compares to 39.1 million lbs. a year ago.

Production of fatty acids from tall oil (less than 2% rosin) rose in July to almost 8 million lbs. as compared to 6.4 million in June.

### • Received in the Journal Office

A 300-page book entitled "Brimstone," by Williams Haynes has been published by the D. Van Nostrand Company to tell the story of the Frasch sulphur industry.

"Fuels and Lubricants," by Milosh Popovich and Carl Hering (Wiley) surveys the field of fuels and lubricants, summarizing material from many sources.

The January-June 1958 issue of *Lipidos*, issued by Agell Hermanos S.A., Barcelona, Spain, features an extensive bibliography.

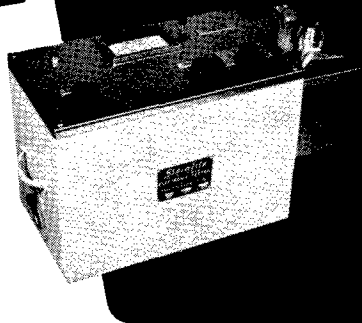
The European Productivity Agency of Paris has published a 111-page booklet entitled "European Technical Digests" to spread from one country to another, irrespective of language barriers, technical information and knowledge.

Two numbers *Arquivos de Bromatologia* for January-June, 1958, No. 1, and July-December, 1957, No. 2, have been put out by the Laboratorio Bromatologico, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

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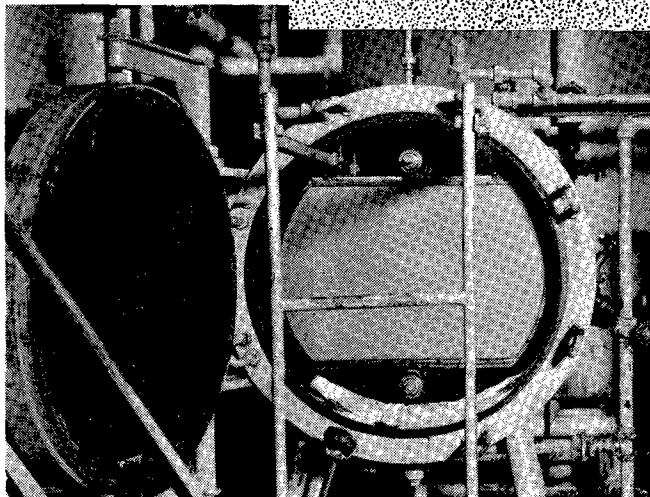
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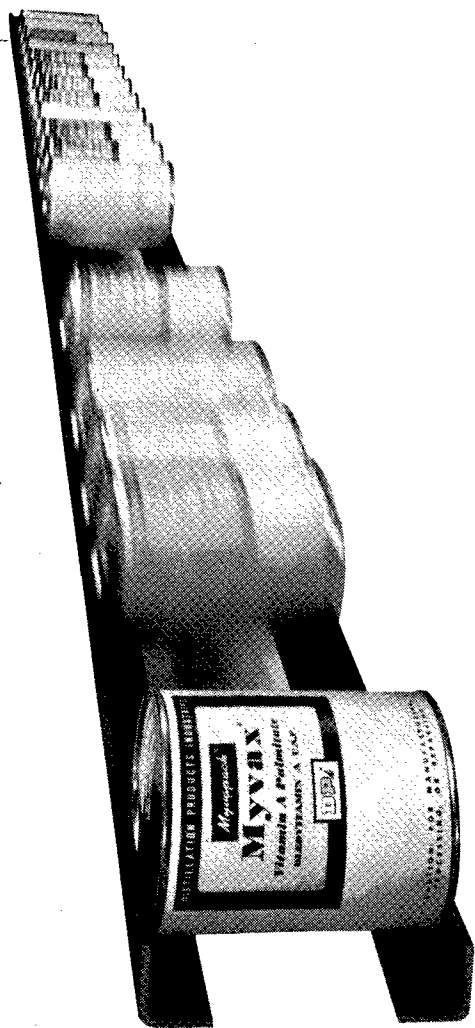
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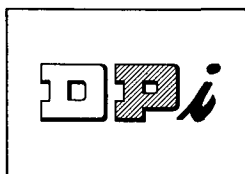


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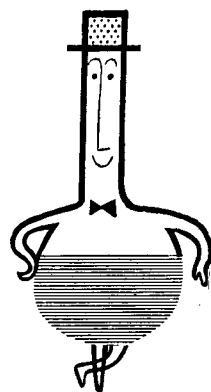
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## Meetings

### A.O.C.S. National Meetings

- 1960—Dallas, Baker hotel, April 4-6  
New York, The New Yorker, October 17-19
- 1961—St. Louis, Sheraton-Jefferson hotel, May 1-3  
Chicago, Pick-Congress hotel, October 30-31,  
November 1
- 1962—New Orleans, Roosevelt hotel, May 7-9  
Toronto, Royal York hotel, October 2-4
- 1963—Atlanta  
Minneapolis, Radisson hotel

### A.O.C.S. Section Meetings

- North Central—bi-monthly at the Builders' club, Chicago, 6:30 p.m. (October 28, December 16, January 27, March 23, May 25)
- Northeast—first Tuesday of February, April, and June, at Whyte's Restaurant, New York, 6 p.m.
- Northern California—May, September, and November at selected places. (November 6, Spenger's restaurant, Berkeley)
- Southwest—second Thursday of every other month, beginning January, at Rodger Young Auditorium, Los Angeles, 6:30 p.m.

### Other Organizations

- October 11-16—Third Pacific Area National Meeting and Apparatus Exhibit, American Society for Testing Materials, Sheraton-Palace hotel, San Francisco, Calif.
- October 17 and 24—First educational technical clinic, Aerosol Division, Chemical Specialties Manufacturers Association: 17th, Hotel McAlpin, New York; 24th, LaSalle hotel, Chicago
- October 20-24—Paint Industries' Show, Convention Hall, Atlantic City, N.J.
- October 25-27—Symposium on recent advances in oils and fats, jointly sponsored by Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, Indian Central Oilseeds Committee, and Oil Technologists' Association of India, at Harcourt Butler Technological Institute, Kanpur
- October 25-28—27th annual meeting, National Lubricating Grease Institute, Roosevelt hotel, New Orleans
- October 26-28—The 9th Canadian High Polymer Forum of the National Research Council and Chemical Institute of Canada, Guild Inn, Toronto
- November 4-6—Eastern Analytical Symposium and Instrument Exhibit, sponsored by New York and North Jersey Sections (ACS), four sections of the Society for Applied Spectroscopy, and the Metropolitan Microchemical Society, Hotel New Yorker, New York York
- November 4-6—30th anniversary convention, Society of Rheology, Lehigh University, Lehigh, Pa.
- November 9-11—Conference, Chemical Engineering Division, Chemical Institute of Canada, Royal Connaught hotel, Hamilton, Ont.