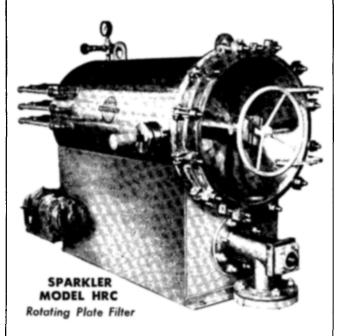
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PROGRAM PLANNING and exhibit arrangements are uppermost topics at present among the committee members looking forward to the 34th fall meeting in New York October 17–19, 1960, at the New Yorker. Also busily thinking is the ladies' committee.

The program committee is headed by W. C. Ault, Eastern Regional Research Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa. Assisting him are F. D. Snell, Foster D. Snell Inc., New York; B. F. Daubert, General Foods Corporation, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; J. Fred Gerecht, Colgate-Palmolive Company, Jersey City, N. J.; C. M. B. Gooding, Best Foods Inc., Bayonne, N. J.; L. F. McKenney, Lever Brothers, Edgewater, N. J.; Richard Sasin, Drexel Institute of Technology, Philadelphia, Pa.; and J. T. Scanlan, Eastern Regional Research Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa.

Dr. Ault requests that titles, names of authors, and an indication of the speaker's name be submitted to him at ERRL as early as possible. In any event this information and two copies of a 100- to 300-word, informative abstract must be submitted to him by July 25. As an innovation the program committee requires the submission of two copies of a definitive manuscript for each paper prior to the printing deadline for the convention program. The exact date

of this deadline will be announced later.

"Particular attention is directed to this new requirement that acceptance of a paper for inclusion in the program is contingent upon receipt of two copies of the complete manuscript by the deadline," Dr. Ault emphasizes. "It is the hope of the committee that a program can be arranged which will include coverage of all topics of timely interest to the membership. Further, it is hoped that informative papers describing applications of instrumental methods in the field of oil and fat chemistry will be received."

Henry G. Salomon, of L. A. Salomon and Bro., New York, exhibits chairman, anticipates that there will be more than 60 exhibits at the New York fall meeting, a larger number than ever sold for any previous Society meeting. He says "it has been 12 years since the convention was held in New York, and manufacturers of process equipment are cager to display their new developments. Besides the larger display spaces, we shall have a substantial number of small booths ideally suited to a smaller manufacturer who wants a small exhibit and discussion center. These will cost only \$140 each, with a 10% discount for Journal advertisers."

The first big mailing will soon be sent out to prospective exhibitors, providing information about floor plan, charges, facilities, and so on. Space will be assigned in order of receipt of request as in previous years, and the first assignment will be made on May 16. All requests in by that date will get preferential assignment.

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"We look forward," Mr. Salomon predicts, "not only to one of the best conventions the A.O.C.S. has ever had but also to one of the finest and most interesting displays of control and process equipment and materials of interest to

our members."

In Regard to entertainment for the ladies, the chairman, Mrs. E. A. Lawrence of Port Washington, N. Y., is already collecting information about diversions popular with A.O.C.S. wives so that New York will do its best by them.

Various committees will meet during the convention, and the Governing Board will convene on Sunday, October 16, at 2 p.m. with R. W. Bates in the chair for its semi-annual consideration of Society affairs.

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