

Polish Scientist to Attend Toronto Convention

IIE Plans Trip for Niewiadomski

The Institute of International Education, through the Ford Foundation, has recently issued a six-month grant to Henryk Niewiadomski, Head of the Department of Fat Technology at the Technical University in Gdansk, Poland. Dr. Niewiadomski is Poland's leading specialist in fat technology and is a past president of the International Society for Fat Research.

It is expected that his program will consist of many visits to research laboratories and factories producing machinery and edible and non-edible fats, for observation and discussions with scientists working in the field. He will visit institutes, universities, industrial laboratories, and business firms that represent all facets of oil and fat technology. Since Poland's main oilseed, the rapeseed, is cultivated more in Canada than in the United States, Prof. Niewiadomski wants to visit some institutions in Canada that are working with rape oil. He also wishes to participate in the meetings of the AOCS.

AOCS Convention on Itinerary

At the time of his visit to Canada, Dr. Niewiadomski plans to attend the AOCS Convention to be held in the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, Oct. 1-4. It is expected that he will present a paper with regard to rape oil. For the first time in the Society's history, the semi-annual Convention will be held outside the United States. A program with appropriate emphasis upon the international setting is being developed for the enjoyment, and to the advantage, of all who will attend. A very active effort to gain the presentation of papers by authors from Great Britain, Germany, Japan, Sweden, New Zealand, South Africa, and other countries, is in process.

While in Chicago, Prof. Niewiadomski will visit the National Headquarters of the American Oil Chemists' Society, where he will be acquainted with all phases of AOCS activities, in hopes that he might return to his native land bearing a renewed interest and deep pride in these contributive efforts.



One of the dominating buildings of the Toronto skyline is the famous Royal York Hotel, (center left), the site of the AOCS Fall Convention.

★ Crossing the Border . . . Helpful Hints for Convention Trip

Border Crossing Quick, Convenient

Crossing the United States-Canadian border either way is made without difficulty or delay by citizens or permanent residents of the United States. They do not require passports. To assist officers of both nations to speed the crossing, native-born U.S. citizens should carry identifying papers such as birth, baptismal, voter's certificate, or other documents establishing their citizenship. Naturalized citizens would be well advised to carry documentary evidence of citizenship such as a naturalization certificate for presentation, if requested. Alien permanent residents in the United States are advised to have their Alien Registration Receipt Card.

It is to be noted that your driver's license, whether from any state of the USA or from other countries, is valid while vacationing in Canada. United States motorists are reminded that the Imperial gallon measure sold in Canada is one-fifth larger than the United States gallon. When in Canada, fewer gallons are needed to fill fuel tanks.

Visitors From Other Countries and Those Who Travel on

It is the responsibility of the traveller to insure that his passport or travel document is in order, especially when he intends to proceed to another country from Canada before returning to his home land. He would be advised to consult his own authorities and the authorities of the countries he intends to visit before commencing his journey.

The Canadian Money System

The money system in Canada is based on dollars and cents, the same as that of the United States. It should be kept in mind, however, that the Canadian dollar and the American dollar are two separate currencies and the rate of exchange on the International Market varies from time to time depending on the forces of supply and demand. U.S. currency is, of course, readily accepted by merchants in Canada but the best advice for United States visitors is to exchange their currency for Canadian funds at a bank in Canada. The visitor is then assured of receiving the rate of exchange prevailing on that day. By using Canadian money during the course of their travels in Canada, American visitors eliminate any exchange.

Clothes, Personal Effects Duty Free, But

The necessary wearing apparel, and personal effects in use by the visitor are admitted free of duty. This does not apply to merchandise or articles intended for other persons, or for sale. All goods must be declared.

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