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UNION CARBIDE CORP., New York, N.Y., now has in production a plant at Texas City, Texas, for producing raw materials for new, soft, biodegradable detergents. Operating under the corporation's Olefins Div., the new plant has the capacity to satisfy their own needs and also enable them to supply these materials to industry.

BORDERS ELECTRONICS Co., INC., Pennsauken, N. J., has been appointed distributor for Evans Electro Selenium, Ltd., London, through an arrangement with International Sales Co. Evans produces a quality line of colorimeters, photometers, absorptiometers, electrophoresis equipment and other photo-electric, scientific measuring instruments.

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## New Orleans Highlights . . .

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### TECHNICAL SESSIONS



### COMMITTEE MEETINGS



The three-day series of Technical Sessions and Committee Meetings began as the Opening Session ended. Among the outstanding Sessions of the day were the two which made up the Symposium entitled "Analysis of Unusual and Minor Constituents." Morning Session participants (left photo, left to right) were: B. N. Stuckey; I. A. Wolff; R. T. O'Connor, Chairman; and George Rouser. Afternoon papers were delivered by (right photo, left to right) T. H.

Applewhite; R. A. Stein; G. Maerker; L. S. Silbert; and L. A. Goldblatt, Chairman. The Education Committee (center photo) met Monday afternoon to discuss the 1964 Symposium (which supplants the annual Short Course) "Quantitative Methodology in Lipid Research," additional plans for the AOCS-ASQC Short Courses and to discuss tentative scheduling for 1965 as well. Committee Chairman N. H. Kuhrt is shown at the head table, leading discussions.



### PAST PRESIDENTS' DINNER



The Past Presidents of the AOCS met for their Annual Dinner on Monday evening in the Petit Salon of the Royal Orleans Hotel. Before dinner, they gathered for an enjoyable hour of reminiscing about "the old days" and discussion of days to come as well. Upper left photo (left to right): N. D. Embree (1959-60) and R. R. King (1945-46) find obvious enjoyment in looking about them at their colleagues who represent decades of AOCS administration. Upper right photo: Mrs. R. H. Fash, widow of the late 1926-27 AOCS President, was the uncontested "Belle of the Ball" at the Past Presidents' Dinner. All expressed the

hope that she will consent to brighten many more of these annual affairs in the future. Lower left photo (left to right): R. W. Bates (1960-61), J. R. Mays, Jr. (1950-51) discuss the difference a decade has made in the AOCS, as W. O. Lundberg, retiring President, listens in. Lower right photo: When asked to pose for the photographer, H. C. Dormitzer (1939-40) gathered A. E. MacGee (1962-63) and A. R. Baldwin (1961-62) in to flank him. Drs. MacGee and Baldwin were obviously proud to be a part of this photo.

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