

1971 is Houston -- in the Spring May 2-6, 1971 -- Shamrock Hilton Hotel

Those of you who have not visited the Bayou City since the 1965 Spring Meeting of the AOCS or who are visiting Houston for the first time will be astonished at the newly formed skyline, at the \$300 plus million of current downtown building construction, at the 453 square mile community, at the 390 mile maze of modern expressways, and above all, with the City's "just unwrapped appearance."

In addition to the above and all the many reasons why the Planning Committee thinks every member of the AOCS should be making plans to attend the 1971 Houston Spring Meeting, the efforts of Raymond Reiser, Past President, and the Technical Program Planning Committee have resulted in a program that in itself will provide reason enough.

As announced in the November issue of the Journal of the AOCS, an excellent protein symposium has been arranged by R. A. Phelps, and J. E. Heilman is organizing a two part symposium emphasizing environmental control of process waste streams from crude oil mills, vegetable oil refineries and food plants.

Subsequent issues of the Journal will provide you with further details of what promises to be a most outstanding Spring Meeting. Make your plans now to share in the Texas size hospitality that only Houston can offer.

Dr. Reiser reports that the following symposia and series of papers have already been organized:

Organizer

Frank Lindgren and Fred Hatch K. K. Carroll A. J. Vergroesen James Mead

I. A. Wolff

G. C. Cavanagh

Carter Litchfield

Edwin Frankel

J. C. Nevenzel W. T. Coleman J. W. Hendrix John Coniglio Rodolfo Paoletti

M. E. Whitten

Symposium

Enzymes Associated With Lipoprotein Analysis

Cholesterol Esters Prostaglandins

Lipid Metabolism in Cells in Cultures

Marketing and Economics

The Plant Geneticists Contribution Toward Changing the Lipid and Amino Acid Composition of

Oilseeds

Analysis and Biosynthesis of

Glycerides

Hydroformylation and Carbox-

ylation of Fatty Acids
Wax Ester Metabolism
Seed and Meal Analysis
Steroids in Fungi

Lipids of Reproductive Tissue Clinical Pharmacology of Lipid

Metabolism Mycotoxins

Call for Nominations for Eighth AOCS \$2,500 Award in Lipid Chemistry

Sponsored by Applied Science Laboratories

In April 1964 the Governing Board of the American Oil Chemists' Society established an Award in Lipid Chemistry under the sponsorship of the Applied Science Laboratories Inc., State College, Pennsylvania. Previous awards were presented as follows: Erich Baer, August 1964; Ernest Klenk, October 1965; H.E. Carter, October 1966; Sune Bergstrom, October 1967; Daniel Swern, October 1968; H.J. Dutton, October 1969 and E.P. Kennedy, September 1970.

The award consists of \$2,500 accompanied by an appropriate certificate. It is now planned that the eighth award will be presented at the AOCS Fall Meeting in Atlantic City, Oct. 2-6, 1971.

Canvassing Committee Appointees

Policies and procedures governing the selection of award winners have been set forth by the AOCS Governing Board. An Award Nomination Canvassing Committee has been appointed. Its membership is R.J. Sims, Chairman; W.P. Gibble, L.H. Widermann, D.L. Berner and T.J. Weiss. The function of this committee is to solicit nominations for the eighth award. Selection of the award winner will be made by the Award Committee whose membership will remain anonymous.

Rules

The rules prescribe that nominees shall have been responsible for the accomplishment of original research

in lipid chemistry and must have presented the results thereof through publication of technical papers of high quality. Preference will be given to individuals who are actively associated with research in lipid chemistry and who have made fundamental discoveries that affect a large segment of the lipid field. For award purposes, the term "lipid chemistry" is considered to embrace all aspects of the chemistry and biochemistry of fatty acids, of naturally occurring and synthetic compounds and derivatives of fatty acids, and of compounds that are related to fatty acids metabolically, or occur naturally in close association with fatty acids or derivatives thereof. The award will be made without regard for national origin, race, color, creed or sex.

Letters of nomination together with supporting documents must be submitted in octuplicate to R.J. Sims, General Foods Corp., Technical Center, White Plains, N.Y., before the deadline date of April 15, 1971. The supporting documents shall consist of professional biographical data, including a summary of the nominee's research accomplishments, a list of his publications, the degrees he holds, together with the names of the granting institutions, and the positions held during his professional career. There is no requirement that either the nominator or the nominee be a member of the American Oil Chemists' Society.

Remember the DEADLINE, April 15, 1971

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