



To watch the world go by or read in a shady spot, people in Ottawa, Canada's capital, choose one of the main streets, the Sparks Street Mall! The trees, flowers, fountains and piped-in music on the mall provide a relaxing atmosphere for window shopping at leisure, and there are live concerts and outdoor art exhibitions for lovers of the arts. Nearby in the Gatineau Hills, a beautiful park and game sanctuary, there is skiing in winter and fishing, swimming, and boating during the summer.

## *Ottawa to Host AOCS Fall Meeting*

This year, for just the second time in its history, the American Oil Chemists' Society will meet in Canada. The 1972 Fall Meeting will be held in Canada's capital, Ottawa, at the Chateau Laurier Hotel, September 25-28.

The meeting will offer an outstanding technical program, with 14 symposia covering such topics as rapeseed breeding, membrane lipids and structure, food lipids, processing of edible oils, pollution via effluent, and new advances in laboratory techniques.

On the lighter side, the convention will open Sunday, September 24, with the traditional AOCS mixer.

On Monday, September 25, members are invited to a reception followed by a pay-as-you-go buffet supper.

On Tuesday, September 26, Dr. B.B. Migicovsky, Director-General of the Canada Department of Agriculture Research Branch—the largest research organization in Canada—will be guest speaker at a luncheon.

The traditional AOCS banquet, with entertainment and dancing, will be held the evening of the 26th.

A program has also been drawn up for the ladies, beginning with an afternoon tea on the 24th to welcome early arrivals. The ladies are invited to attend the evening

mixer with their husbands.

Monday, September 25, will begin for the ladies with a complimentary continental breakfast followed by a sight-seeing tour of the city. Afternoon tea will be taken in the fall beauty of the nearby Gatineau Hills with entertainment provided by a Canadian folksinger. On their return to the city, ladies will join their husbands for the reception and buffet.

On Tuesday, September 26, the ladies will be treated to a luncheon as they watch a Canadian fur fashion show presented by the Hudson's Bay Co., Canada's oldest merchant company, dating back to 1670. Wives will attend the official banquet and dance with their husbands in the evening.

Walking tours of Canada's capital have been planned for Wednesday, September 27—to such sites as Canada's national art gallery, national center for the performing arts, the Bytown museum and Canada's parliament buildings.

The local committee is working hard to make the 1972 Fall Meeting a memorable event, and hopes to see many members in Canada's capital in September.