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Feb. 9-10, 1974-29th Annual Convention of the Oil Technologists' Assn. of India and Symposium on Problems and Prospects in Oils and Fats, Surface Coatings and Bleaching Earths and Active Carbons, Regional Research Lab., Hyderabad, India. Contact: Dr. A.J. Pantulu, Convener, OTAI Symposium, Regional Research Lab., Hyderabad-500009, India.

Mar. 1-2, 1974-22nd Annual Food Technology Conference of the St. Louis and Kansas City, Mo., sections of the Institute of Food Technologists, University of Missouri, Columbia.

Mar. 4-8, 1974-25th Pittsburgh Conference on Analytical Chemistry and Applied Spectroscopy, Cleveland Convention Center, Cleveland, Ohio. Contact: Richard S. Danchik, program chairman, 1974 Pittsburgh Conference, Alcoa Labs., Alcoa Center, Pa. 15069.

Apr. 1-5, 1974-International Conference on Animal Feeds of Tropical and Subtropical Origin, London. Contact: Public Relations C, Tropical Products Institute, 56-62 Gray's Inn Rd., London WC1X 8LU, U.K.

April 23-26, 1974-26th Annual Technical Exhibition of the Oil and Colour Chemists' Assn., Empire Hall, Olympia, London, U.K. Contact: Oil and Colour Chemists' Assn, Priory House, 967 Harrow Rd., Wembley, Middlesex, U.K. HA0 2SF.

May 1-2, 1974-International Symposium on Flammability and Fire Retardants, Parkway Hotel, Cornwall, Ont., Can. Contact: Vijay Mohan Bhatnagar, editor, Advances in Fire Retardants, 209 Dover Rd., Cornwall, Ont., Can.

May 5-8, 1974-Sixth Annual Offshore Conference, Astrohall, Houston, Tex. Contact: Stan R. Houston, 6200 N. Central Expressway, Dallas, Tex. 75206.

May 12-16, 1974-34th Annual Meeting of the Institute of Food Technologists, New Orleans, La. Contact: Edward H. Hoffman, Institute of Food Technologists, Suite 2120, 221 N. La Salle St., Chicago, Ill. 60601.

May 29-31, 1974-Canadian Sulphur Symposium, University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta, Can. Contact: Dr. T.W. Swaddle, Dept. of Chemistry, University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta, T2N 1N4.

Jul. 22-24, 1974-Sixth International Sunflower Conference, Bucharest, Romania. Contact: Ion Trifu, Academy of Agricultural and Forestry Sciences, Blvd. Marasti 61, Bucharest 1, Romania.

Sept. 8-12, 1974-Sixth International Congress of Essential Oils, San Francisco, Calif. Contact: Sixth International Congress of Essential Oils, 60 E. 42nd., New York, N.Y.

Oct. 7-9, 1974-21st Canadian Spectroscopy Symposium, Ottawa, Can. Contact: J.L. Dalton, secretary, 21st Canadian Spectroscopy Symposium, Department of Energy, Mines and Resources, Mines Branch, 555 Booth St., Ottawa, Ont., K1A 0G1, Can.

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Francis E. Horan, AOCS member since 1968, has been named president-elect of the American Assn. of Cereal Chemists in mail balloting by the organization's 2,000 members. He is director of research, Archer Daniels Midland Co., Decatur, Ill.

He has served the AACC in numerous capacities in his 18 years as a member, holding such positions as national program chairman, 1959 annual meeting, and national director (1966-68) for the Association. Horan is also a member of the American Chemical Society; American Institute of Chemists; Agricultural Research Institute; American Assn.for the Advancement of Science; Institute of Food Technologists; Soybean Research Council; National Soybean Research Coordinating Committee; and Industry Liaison Panel, Food and Nutrition Board, National Academy of Sciences.

Re-elected to the office of National Secretary is Edith A. Christensen, an AOCS member since 1952. She is head of the Testing Section, Commodity Inspection Branch of the Grain Division of the Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA, Beltsville, Md.

The newly-elected officers will be installed at the Association's 58th Annual Meeting in St. Louis, Nov. 4-8. Dr. John H. Nelson, Peavey Company, Minneapolis, current president-elect, will assume the presidency at that time.

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