CALL FOR NOMINATIONS:

Award of Merit

The Society's Award of Merit is to be presented to qualified Society members at the 68th Annual Spring Meeting, New Orleans, LA, April 21-24, 1976.

The Award is given to recognize current and past achievements in serving the Society, including:

- (a) active productive service to AOCS committee work:
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- (d) any distinguished service to the Society not herein otherwise specifically provided for.

Past winners of the Award of Merit include W.T. Coleman and D.L. Henry, 1969; R.T. Doughtie and R.A. Burns, 1970; E. Jungermann, 1971; D.S. Bolley and T.J. Potts, 1972; A. Rose and E.R. Hahn, 1973; R.A. Reiners and R.G. Krishnamurthy, 1974; and L.S. Crauer and H.G. Salomon, 1975.

Nominations should cite the record of the nominee which qualifies him/her for the Award. Two copies of the nomination should be submitted to Arthur E. Waltking, Technical Coordinator, Best Foods Research Center, Box 1534, 1120 Commerce Ave., Union, NJ 07083 before February 15, 1976.

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The second session studied the topic "Rationalization of the Olive Pickling Industry," by J.M. Borbolla and J. Marquez, followed by A. Garrido's paper, "Treatment of Waste Water from Pickling Olives: Method for Their Elimination and Working Out for Re-use."

The following free communications were also presented: "Study of Volatile Components of Olive Oil Flavor," R. Gutierrez and coworkers; "The Pimento for Stuffing Olives," by J. Castillo and coworkers; and "Report of an Experimental Mill (1974-75)," by J.M. Martinez Suarez and coworkers,

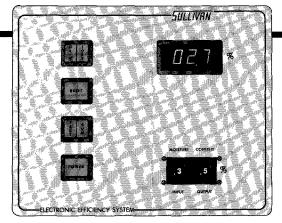
The assembly was informed that Prof. Martinez Moreno was awarded the Juan Antonio Suances Prize in acknowledgment of his continuous efforts in scientific investigation which are of vast benefit to Spanish industry.

The assembly awarded the Marque's de Acapulco Medal to Prof. C. Jacini, director of the Stazione Sperimentale Degli Oli E Dei Grassi," Milan, Italy, in recognition of his work on olive oil.

The following topics were suggested for the 1976 plenary meeting: "Problems of Vegetable Oil Technology in Spain," "Depuration of Waste Waters in the Olive and Seed Oil Industries," and "Preparation of Black Table Olives."

Niewiadomski Named New Chairman

H. Niewiadomski, a former Four Corners corresponding secretary, has been named chairman of the newly organized Technology and Chemistry of Fats section in the Committee of Food Chemistry and Technology of the Polish Academy of Science.



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