

## Sunflower association formed

A new organization, the Sunflower Association of America, recently was formed. The primary goals and objectives of the organization are: to promote sunflower culture and development in America; to provide a uniform forum for dissemination of sunflower reports, progress, and other information; and to provide a means of correlating meetings, research efforts and money, cultural developments, and news.

In addition, the new association will work for the advancement of the sunflower industry, particularly: to explore potential markets and to conduct promotional and servicing activities of any kind conducive to the expansion of markets; to improve, through education, research, studies, and promotional programs the production of the sunflower; to collect information to make studies and to disseminate information with respect to producing, handling, marketing, processing, utilizing, and promoting sunflower products; and to achieve and maintain good public relations and to assist and cooperate with state and federal agencies.

Membership in the association is divided into two segments. Voting members can include elevators and elevator associations who have major interests in handling sunflowers, primary processors of sunflowers, and farm and farmer organizations. The other type of membership is associate and can include anyone who has an active interest in sunflowers, including secondary sunflower processors, brokers, dealers, and chemical companies. ■

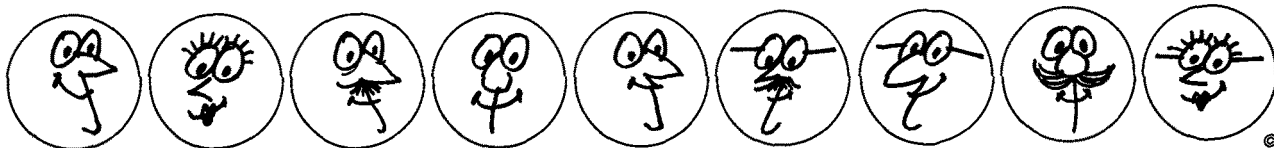
## Call for Papers

### AOCS

### 49th Annual Fall Meeting

### Deadline: May 15, 1975

The Technical Program Committee has issued a call for papers to be presented at the AOCS Fall Meeting, September 28-October 1, 1975, in the Netherland Hilton, Cincinnati, Ohio. Papers on lipids, fats and oils, and all related areas are welcome. Submit 3 copies of a 100-300 word abstract with title, authors, and speaker to: E.R. Lowrey, The Proctor & Gamble Company, 6071 Centerhill Rd., Cincinnati, Ohio 45224.



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