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## Local Sections

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### Northeast Section hears talk on bleaching

New concepts in bleaching of fats and oils were discussed at the December meeting of the AOCs Northeast Section by Dr. Ernst Goebel of Mexico.

Dr. Goebel outlined several processes tried as ways to improve color quality of fats and oils or to reduce bleaching costs. Some firms have used natural clay in combination with bleaching clay to reduce costs, Dr. Goebel said, while other firms look for ways to further process or use spent clays.

Approximately 55 persons attended the dinner meeting in Mountainside, NJ. Among those attending were AOCs President N.O.V. Sonntag, former president Frank B. White and vice-president Frank Naughton, who will become president during the April 1980 meeting in New York City. Dr. Goebel will be cochairman for the World Conference on Soya Processing and Utilization later this year in Mexico.

### Fatty acids topics for Northeast Section

"Synthetic Fatty Acids — Current and Future, Technology