

to \$60 from \$50. Subscription rates for *Lipids* will not change.

First billings for 1984 dues will be mailed from AOCS Headquarters during July.

Price increase

The price of single back issues of *Lipids* and of the *Journal*

of the American Oil Chemists' Society has been raised to \$12 a copy for members and \$16 a copy for non-members. The price reflects increased handling and postage costs. Persons who previously have ordered single back issues will receive them at the earlier price, \$10 for members and \$14 for non-members. This price applies only to regular issues and not to special issues such as major conference proceedings.

1983 - 1984 Smalley series announced

The 1983-84 Smalley Check Sample Program will offer the same 22 series as in the preceding year. The program is provided by the AOCS as a means for laboratories to check the proficiency of their analytical procedures.

A subscriber to a specific series receives a sample of uniform quality to that distributed to other subscribers. Each participant analyzes the sample using AOCS methods and notifies AOCS of the results. A final compilation of results of all participants indicates to a participant whether his/her analysis was accurate.

Information as to prices and schedules are available from the Smalley Committee, AOCS, 508 S. Sixth St., Champaign, IL 61820, USA.

The following check sample series are scheduled to be offered during 1983-84 (the number of samples in each series is shown in parentheses):

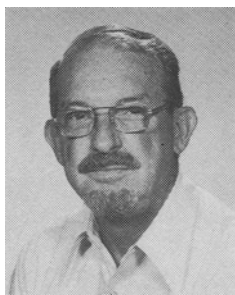
Cottonseed (10)
Peanuts (7)
Fish meal (8)

Edible fats (5)
Tallow and grease (5)
Sunflower (8)
Soybean oil (4)
NIOP fats and oils (5)
Gas chromatography (fatty acid composition) (6)
Cellulose yield (cotton linters) (10)
Aflatoxin in cottonseed meal (7)
Soybeans (10)
Vegetable oil for color (6)
Oilseed meals (10)
Drying oils (6)
Condensed fish solubles (8)
Cottonseed oil (4)
Safflower and rape (8)
Fish oil (8)
Aflatoxin in peanut meal (7)
Aflatoxin in corn meal (7)
Aflatoxin in milk (7)

Deadline for enrollment is June 30, 1983.

Local Sections

Allen receives Bailey Award



Dr. Robert R. Allen, recently retired as principal scientist for Anderson Clayton Foods, was chosen to receive the 1983 Alton V. Bailey Award presented by the AOCS North Central section during its February meeting.

The citation accompanying the award notes that "Dr.

Allen is recognized as the world's foremost authority on the hydrogenation of vegetable oils."

At Anderson Clayton, Allen developed a continuous process for manufacturing propylene glycol monoesters, flavors for margarines and for cheese substitutes and did extensive work on hydrogenation and analytical methods. He has published nearly three dozen technical papers on hydrogenation and analytical methods as well as contributing chapters to three books, including the chapter on hydrogenation in Bailey's *Industrial Fat and Oil Products*.

He served as AOCS president in 1971 and has served on numerous AOCS committees. He is also a member of the ACS, Phi Lambda Upsilon, Sigma Xi and Phi Kappa Phi. His undergraduate and graduate work was done at Kansas State University, where he received his doctorate in organic chemistry in 1950. He worked for Armour and Co. from 1950 until joining Anderson Clayton in 1956. He is retained by Anderson Clayton as a consultant at the W.L. Clayton Research Center.