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Dear Fellow Member:

Here is your petroleum directory for the Southeast. It is a first and more or less preliminary compilation. From now on it is up to you to keep it up-to-date and complete. Please send in all corrections and additions that occur to you.

The next meeting of the Society will be held Wednesday night, May 10, 1944, at Tuscaloosa, Alabama. Dr. Lyman D. Toulmin, Jr., of the Alabama Geological Survey will give a review of the stratigraphy of the Cretaceous and Tertiary of Alabama. This section is to be covered in the field trip we are to take on Thursday and Friday, May 11 and 12. Leaving from Tuscaloosa at 8:00 A. M., May 11, we shall cover the Upper Cretaceous and Eocene in outcrops throughout the southern part of the State, and on the afternoon of the second day we will visit the famous Little Stave Creek (four miles north of Jackson, Clarke County, Alabama) section where all beds are continuously exposed from lowermost Claiborne through the Oligocene. These beds dip at approximately 20 degrees, and all exposures are continuous for approximately one and one-half miles.

So that hotel and eating accommodations may be completed, it is imperative that we know well in advance how many will attend. Will you, therefore, let us know as soon as possible?

The trip ends Friday afternoon on completion of the section through Little Stave Creek. Should one desire to remain the following day for additional collectings, accommodations could perhaps be secured at Jackson, Demopolis, or Mobile.

Please give wide publicity to this, for we shall be glad to have all who so desire make this trip with us.

Very sincerely yours,



R. M. Swesnik,  
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P. S. Word has just been received that favorable action was taken on our application for affiliation with the American Association of Petroleum Geologists.