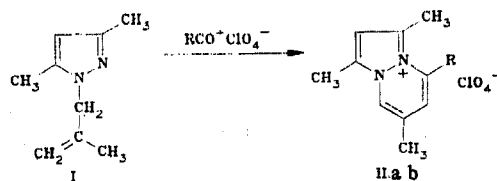


# NEW SYNTHESIS OF PYRAZOLO[1,2-a]PYRIDAZINIUM SALTS

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In the acylation of 1-methylallyl-3,5-dimethylpyrazole (I) with acyl perchlorates we isolated crystalline perchlorates, to which we assigned the pyrazolo[1,2-a]pyridazinium structure II on the basis of the PMR spectra.



II a R=CH<sub>3</sub>, b R=C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>5</sub>

The reaction proceeds at room temperature in the course of 8-12 h.

We obtained 1,3,5,7-tetramethylpyrazolo[1,2-a]pyridazinium perchlorate (IIa) [32.4\* yield, mp 175-176°C (from methanol), PMR spectrum (CF<sub>3</sub>COOH): 2.3 (3H, s, 7-CH<sub>3</sub>), 2.68 (3H, s, 1-CH<sub>3</sub>), 2.9 (3H, s, 3-CH<sub>3</sub>), 3.0 (3H, s, 5-CH<sub>3</sub>), and 6.53, 6.9, and 7.76 ppm (3H, Ar)] and 1,3,7-trimethyl-5-ethylpyrazolo[1,2-a]pyridazinium perchlorate (IIb) [22.5% yield, mp 171-172°C (from methanol), PMR spectrum (CF<sub>3</sub>COOH): 1.3 (3H, t, 5-CH<sub>3</sub>), 2.3 (3H, s, 7-CH<sub>3</sub>), 2.68 (3H, s, 1-CH<sub>3</sub>), 2.9 (3H, s, 3-CH<sub>3</sub>), 3.3 (2H, q, 5-CH<sub>2</sub>), and 6.53, 6.9, and 7.76 ppm (3H, Ar)].

The results of elementary analysis were in agreement with the calculated values.

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