PERSONAL NEWS

Glycoconjugate researchers are frequently on the move, and some have even been known to obtain promotions or receive honours and prizes. This is also of interest to colleagues throughout the world, so news items will be published regularly in this Journal. **Please inform us!**

J Finne has moved from the Department of Medical Chemistry, University of Helsinki, to the Department of Biochemistry, Biozentrum, University of Basel, where he is heading a research group concerned with the role of carbohydrates in cellular interactions. The problems studied include neuronal cell adhesion, bacterial adherence, and metastasis.

A Kobata has left Kobe and is now Professor and Chairman of the Department of Biochemistry, The Institute of Medical Science, University of Tokyo.

Y-T Li, New Orleans, is spending six months in **G Tettamanti**'s laboratory in Milan until September, 1984.

S Roseman, Baltimore, was awarded an honorary M.D. degree by the University of Lund in May 1984.

T Ogawa, Saitama, was awarded the International Carbohydrate Award in honour of Prof. R L Whistler at the XIIth International Carbohydrate Symposium in Utrecht, July 1984.