

and Constitution Ave., will include official announcement of the commemorative stamp by Postmaster General Arthur Summerfield. The commemorative stamp depicts Harvey Wiley, one of the early proponents of food and drug laws who became first head of the agency and served two terms as President of the AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY. Charles Wesley Dunn, president of the Food Law Institute, will chair the afternoon session, which is to be devoted to short addresses by representatives of industry concern with pure food and drug laws.

Further information can be obtained through the 50th Anniversary Information Center, Suite 505, 1145 19th St., N.W., Washington 6, D. C.

#### 4th Congress on Plant Protection in Hamburg in September 1957

Dates for the fourth International Plant Protection Congress are Sept. 8 to 15, 1957, it is announced. The congress will meet in Hamburg, Germany. Further information on the congress can be obtained by writing to: Biologische Bundesanstalt für Land- und Forstwirtschaft, Braunschweig, Germany, Messeweg 11-12.

### PEOPLE

**Joseph E. Marmon** of Eli Lilly has been named vice president and member of the board of Corn States Laboratories in Omaha. Lilly purchased Corn States last month. Marmon has been director of Lilly's production methods and packaging division.

**George K. Davis**, head of the nutrition laboratory in the department of animal husbandry and nutrition at the University of Florida agricultural experiment station, has won the 1956 award of the Florida Section of the AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY.

**P. A. Wells**, chief of the Eastern Utilization Research Branch of USDA, has received a merit citation from the National Civil Service League "in recognition of his outstanding career in the public service."

**Joseph Wechsler** has joined the organic chemical research staff of Emulsol Chemical Corp. He has been with Kadimah Chemical Corp. in Haifa, Israel, for the past three years.

**T. H. Hopper** of Southern Regional Research Laboratory has been elected

president of the American Oil Chemists Society. Other officers are: vice president, **H. C. Black** of Swift & Co.; secretary, **R. W. Bates** of Armour & Co.; treasurer, **A. F. Kapecki** of Wurstler & Sanger, Inc.

**Albert F. Sherry** has been elected vice president of Chemical Insecticide Corp. He has been manager of the company's plant at Metuchen, N. J., for the past four years.

**Melvin Calvin**, University of California researcher on photosynthesis, was awarded the Theodore William Richards Medal of the Northeastern Section of the AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY on May 10.

**Max H. Forster** has been appointed management development supervisor, a newly created position, of International Minerals & Chemical Corp. He has been training director for S. C. Johnson & Son, Inc.

**Samuel Cohen** has been appointed sales manager of Glyco Products. He has been with the company for 12 years in research and sales capacities.

**Robert S. Ray** has been appointed vice president and manager of manu-

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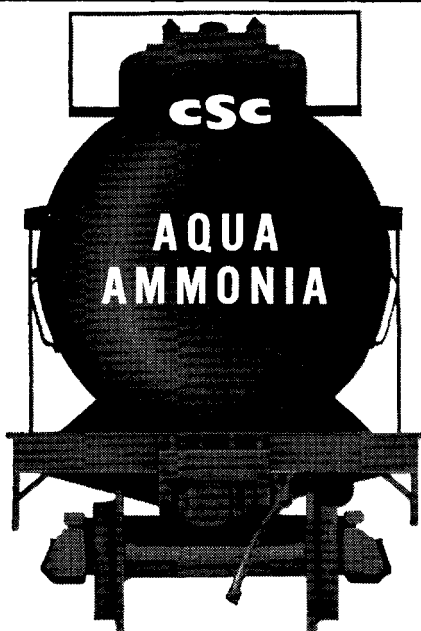
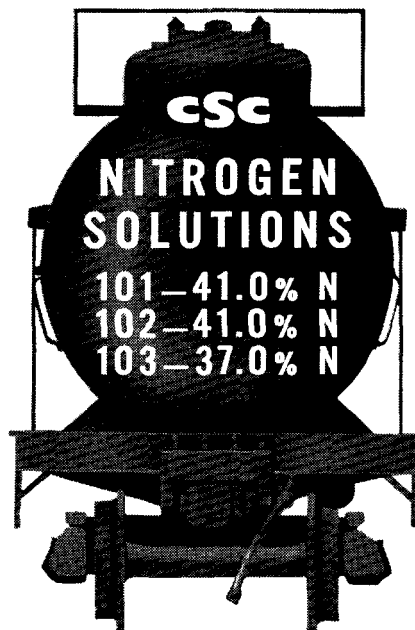
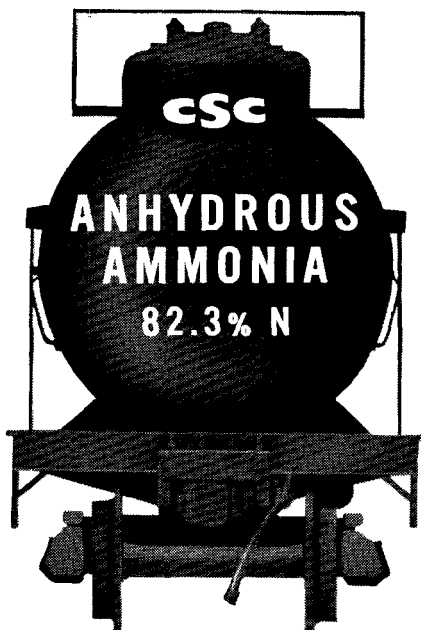
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facturing and **Jack Tielrooy**, vice president and manager of development, for Brea Chemicals.

**Robert J. Orlik** has been appointed sales promotion representative for agricultural chemicals for Diamond Alkali's chlorinated products division.



**Stephen S. Easter**

**Stephen S. Easter** has been appointed director of technical service for the recently formed Velsicol International Corp. He has been with the parent company's entomologic al staff for the past

three years. Director of sales for the new company is **James A. Winter**, who has been with Velsicol for the past seven years.

**J. W. Britton** has relinquished his duties as a departmental production manager in Dow's Midland Division to devote full time to company-wide responsibilities as manager of agricultural chemicals. He has held the pro-

duction post since 1944 and, in addition, has been manager of agricultural chemicals for the past seven years.

**W. Robert Woods** has been named president of the Girdler Co., succeeding **George O. Boomer**, who will continue as chairman of the executive committee.

**John J. Birdsall** has joined the laboratory staff of Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation to specilize in flavor evaluation.

**W. B. Ennis, Jr.**, has been transferred to the Plant Industry Station at Beltsville, Md., to assume the duties of project leader for weed control in horticultural and field crops. He has been southern regional coordinator for the Weed Investigations Section of USDA and stationed at State College, Miss. Other changes in the weed investigations section include: **Everett Hollingsworth**, from Mississippi State College to Purdue, where he will be concerned with weed control practices in pastures of the North Central states; **M. M. Schreiber**, formerly with Cornell's agronomy department, is to conduct research on weed control in pastures in the northeastern states and


will continue to be stationed at Cornell; **Leonard L. Jansen** leaves Utah State College, where he was doing research on halogeton control, to conduct research on the mechanisms of herbicidal action at Beltsville.

**Robert W. Harper** has been named chief of California's Bureau of Entomology. He has been assistant chief of the bureau since 1953 and acting chief since 1955.

**Gotthold Steiner**, head of USDA's research on nematodes for the past 24 years, has retired at the age of 70. Dr. Steiner has specialized in this field at USDA for 34 years. He will continue nematode research for the Puerto Rico Experiment Station at Rio Piedras. Succeeding him at USDA is **Albert L. Taylor**, who has worked in nematology at USDA since 1935, except for three years industrial research on soil fumigation.

## DEATH

**James G. Miller**, manager of sales development for the Westvaco Mineral Products Division of Food Machinery, died May 6.



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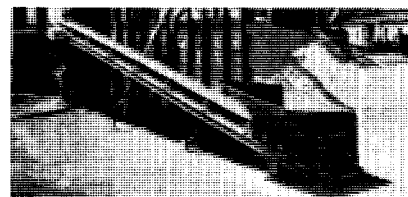
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