

## EDITORIAL

Compared to Volume One of the Journal of Chromatography the number of papers received during the last year has about doubled. Since it is part of the editorial policy to publish short communications and original papers as quickly as possible, it has been arranged to enlarge the current volume slightly, in order to keep the delay in publication reasonably short.

This temporary measure however will be insufficient in the future. It has thus become necessary to plan two volumes of the Journal of Chromatography for the year 1960, of about 550 pages each, appearing in monthly issues.

The number of review articles per year will remain the same as in the past, hence per volume about half the present. The data section will be continued and will contain a novel feature: original  $R_F$  values have been offered from several laboratories and where no further description of technique is necessary these will appear in the data section.

As, due to administrative problems, the new arrangement can not be started till 1960, for one or two issues the delay of publication may be slightly more than the maximum of six months generally allowed, but will then decrease to about three or four months early next year and it is hoped to keep it there permanently.

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