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B. R. LABORATORY, Miami, Fla., has been opened recently to specialize in new formulations for industrial and consumer products. It will also produce new chemicals and compositions for private label use. H. Bennett (1943–58; 62) will direct operations and act as consultant to other chemists in the field of formulation. Mr. Bennett is Editor-in-Chief of The Chemical Formulary.

ALLIED CHEMICAL CORP., New York, N. Y., is entering the biodegradable sofe detergent market with construction of a multi-million dollar plant at Elizabeth, N. J. to make basic ingredient—linear alkylate (LA). It is designed to supply at least 20% of the U.S. demand, and is expected to be in operation late this year. The Corporation also has placed on stream at El Segundo, Calif., a new plant for the production of Sulfan (liquid sulfur trioxide), a sulfonating agent used by petroleum, detergent and other industries. This increases their production of this item by more than 10%.

HEWLETT-PACKARD Co., Palo Alto, Calif., has announced it will purchase Mechrolab, Inc., manufacturer of medical and scientific instruments in Mountain View, Calif. Mechrolab will become a subsidiary of the parent company, manufacturers of electronic measuring instruments.

## Gas and TLC Course Sponsored by Analabs Scheduled for June 15-19

A comprehensive course in Gas and Thin-Layer Chromatography will be conducted in Pasadena, Calif., June 15-19, 1964, sponsored by Analabs, Inc., Hamden, Conn.

Faculty will include some of the most outstanding authorities in the field: S. D. Nogare, E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co.; E. Heftmann, California Institute of Technology; R. Juvet, University of Illinois; J. J. Kirkland, E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co.; H. K. Mangold (1960), The Hormel Institute; K. Randerath, Institute of Organic Chemistry of the Technische Hochshule, Darmstadt, Germany; W. L. Stanley, USDA, W. Reg. Lab.; C. C. Sweeley, University of Pittsburgh.

The course has been designed to be of interest and value to both experts and relative beginners in the practice of Gas and TLC. It will include lectures and round-table discussions. Among topics to be covered are: TLC in general; New developments in TLC; Quantitative TLC; Preparative TLC; Isotope Techniques; TLC of ionic lipids, polar lipids, steroids, bile acids, terpenes, nucleic acid derivatives, carbohydrates; Application of TLC in combination with other methods; Elements of GC; Phases and Supports; Trace Analysis; and several others.

A complete program is available upon request from Analabs, Inc., P. O. Box 5215, Hamden, Conn., 06518.

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