# Surfactants & Detergents News

Jergens stock from American Brands Inc., the parent company. Kao previously had marketed cosmetics, but not toiletries, in the U.S.

**Procter & Gamble Co.** has elected **Frank P. Smith** as vice president of its industrial chemicals division.

J. Michael Reed has been promoted to marketing manager for "STA-MEG" specialty applications in the intermediates business unit for Staley Continental Inc.'s Horizon Chemical Division. Shareholders of Stepan Co. of Northville, Illinois, have elected Thomas F. Grojean, James A. Hartlage and Paul H. Stepan as directors of the company, to serve until 1991.

Union Carbide Corp. and General Electric Co. have agreed to combine their silicone businesses into a joint venture company, GE-Carbide Silicones Inc.

Dow Consumer Products Inc. has named Dennis L. Barsten to its newly created position of manager of licencing to aid in expansion in consumer product areas.

BASF Corp.'s Chemicals Division has appointed Catherine Haggard Midwest sales representative for its personal care products business.

Robert V. Savoy has joined Akzo Chemicals Inc. as business manager of monomers and additives for the polymer production chemicals group.

# Surfactants & Detergents Calendar 📰

### 1988

### September

- "From Prototype to Profit" seminar, sponsored by the Midwest Chapter of the Society of Cosmetic Chemists, Sept. 7, 1988, Woodfield Hilton and Towers, Arlington Heights, Illinois. Details: Marsha Hardin, telephone 312-534-0456.
- Cosmetic Science '88-Achievements and Aims, 15th International Congress of the International Federation of Societies of Cosmetic Chemists, Sept. 26-29, 1988, Grosvenor House, Park Lane, London, England. Contact: Lorna K. Weston, General Secretary, Society of Cosmetic Scientists, Delaport House, 57

Guildford St., Luton, Beds LU1 2NL, England.

### October

- Canadian Manufacturers of Chemical Specialties (CMCS) annual meeting, Oct. 23-25, 1988, Park Plaza Hotel, Toronto, Ontario, Canada. For information, telephone 613-232-6616.
- Cosmetic, Toiletry and Fragrance Association scientific conference, Oct. 23-26, 1988, Showboat Hotel, Atlantic City, New Jersey. For information, telephone 202-331-1770.

## December

Society of Cosmetic Chemists an-

nual meeting, Dec. 1–2, 1988, Waldorf-Astoria, New York, New York. For information, telephone 212-874-0600.

Chemical Specialties Manufacturers Association 75th annual meeting, Dec. 4-8, 1988, Marriott Harbor Beach Resort, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. For information, telephone 202-872-8110.

## 1989

#### January

62nd Annual Meeting and Industry Convention, The Soap and Detergent Association (SDA), Jan. 26–29, 1989, Boca Raton Hotel, Boca Raton, Florida. Contact: SDA, 475 Park Ave. S., New York, NY 10016.

# Next Month in JAOCS

- Heavily Brominated and Highly Unsaturated Derivatives of Jojoba Oil
- Epoxides of Unsaturated Fatty Acids as Anti-rust Additives in Water-Based Cutting Fluids
- High-Temperature Stabilities of Low-Linolenate, High-Stearate and Common Soybean Oils
- Quantification of Carbonyl Compounds in Oxidized Low-Linolenate, High-Stearate and Common Soybean Oils.
- Thermal Oxidation of Lipids in Monolayers II. Unsaturated Fatty Acid Esters
- Characterization of Corn Oil, Soybean Oil and Sunflowerseed Oil Nonpolar Material

Microbial Production, Structure Elucidation and Bioconversion of Sophorose Lipids

#### **SURFACTANTS & DETERGENTS**

- Detergency Study of the Synergism Between Oily and Particulate Soil on Polyester/Cotton Fabric
- Effect of Electrolytes on Foaming of Nonionic Surfactant Solutions
- Effect of Water Hardness Ions on the Solution Properties of an Anionic Surfactant