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## Day of Study Held by French Association

Madame Juillet, secretary general of the French Association for the Study of Fatty Matter, reported that J. Baltes, president, Deutsche Gesellschaft fur Fettwissenschaft, and M. Toy-Riont, president, Chambre Syndicale de la Margarinerie, received Chevreul Medals in December. On that occasion, the French Association for the Study of Fatty Matter had organized a Day of Study.

The theme of the program was "Physicochemistry in Margarines." Baltes spoke to the group on hydrogenation, F. Mordret discussed obtaining and interpretation of aromagrams, and M. Naudet spoke on the study of crystallization of margarine by RMN.

After these speeches, the ceremony to present the Chevreul Medals was held.

Following the presentation, Toy-Riont gave an introductory speech. The technology of spreadable margarines was the topic of discussion by C. Bouffard. J.P. Steiner discussed the spectrum of habitation of a margarine in a continuous drum installation, and J.W.E. Coenen spoke on the chemical and physical modification of fatty matter. The Syndicat de la Margarinerie closed the Day of Study with a discussion of economic data.

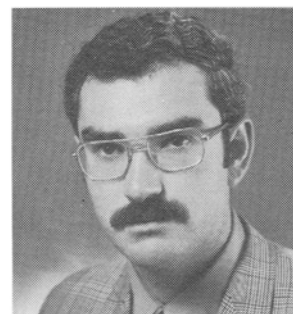
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## International Symposium on Recent Advances in the Chemistry and Biochemistry of Plant Lipids

This meeting, jointly organized by the Phytochemical Society and the Lipid Group of the Biochemical Society, will be held in Norwich on April 8-10. Invited speakers include L.A. Appelqvist (Stockholm), H. Beevers (Santa Cruz, Calif.), T. Galliard (Norwich), F.D. Gunstone (St. Andrews), J.L. Harwood (Cardiff), C. Hitchcock (Unilever, U.K.), M. Kates (Ottawa), P.E. Kolattukudy (Pullman,

Wash.), P.J.C. Kuiper (Wageningen), P. Mazliak (Paris), J.B. Mudd (Riverside, Calif.), and P.K. Stumpf (Davis, Calif.).

The registration fee for members for either the Phytochemical or Biochemical Societies will be £2.50 (nonmembers, £5). Accommodation will be available for registered participants at the residences of the University of East Anglia. For further information and registration forms, please write to Dr. T. Galliard, Agricultural Research Council Food Research Institute, Colney Lane, Norwich, England NOR 70F. ■



## Teipel promoted to senior scientist

John W. Teipel, 33 Sturwood Dr., Hillsborough, N.J., has been promoted to senior scientist in the Division of Clinical Biochemistry at Ortho Diagnostics, Inc. He is responsible for the Protein Chemistry Laboratory.

A native of Covington, Ky., Teipel earned his B.A. degree cum laude from Rockhurst College, Kansas City, Mo., and his Ph.D. degree in biochemistry from Duke University. He spent 2 years as a postdoctoral fellow at the University of California. He then joined the faculty of the University of Illinois where he was an assistant professor of chemistry and biochemistry. He joined Ortho Diagnostics, Inc., in 1972.

In addition to AOCs, Teipel is a member of Sigma Xi, the American Chemical Society, and the American Association for the Advancement of Science. ■

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## Call for Papers

**AOCs 48TH ANNUAL FALL MEETING**

**DEADLINE: MAY 3, 1974**

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The Technical Program Committee has issued a call for papers to be presented at the AOCs Fall Meeting, September 29-October 2, 1974, in the Sheraton Hotel, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Papers on lipids, fats, and oils and all related areas are welcome. Submit three copies of a 100-300 word abstract with title, authors, and speaker to: Gerhard Maerker, Eastern Regional Research Center, U.S. Department of Agriculture, 600 East Mermaid Lane, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19118. ■

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