



Hunter Named Executive VP at Nutrilite Products

Robert T. Hunter, Jr., an AOCs member since 1958, has been appointed executive vice president and chief executive officer of Amway Corporation's Nutrilite Products, Inc., in Buena Park, CA.

Hunter joined Amway Corporation in 1970 as manager of R&D. He was named general manager in 1972 and director of that division later that year. His responsibilities included all of the technical aspects of product development, packaging, quality control, the Poison Control Center, and technical support for registration of products with governmental agencies.

Hunter earned his B.S. degree in chemistry from Westminster College, New Wilmington, PA, and an M.S. in physical chemistry from Pennsylvania State University. Before joining Amway, he was employed with Colgate-Palmolive as a research chemist.

Advisory Board Member Rossiter Dies in Finland

Roger J. Rossiter, a member of the *Lipids* Editorial Advisory Board since its first publication date in 1966, died suddenly on February 21, 1976, while in Helsinki, Finland.

Rossiter was born in Glenelg, South Australia, in 1913 and educated at the University of West Australia, at Merton College as a Rhodes Scholar, and at Oxford University. In 1947, he joined the University of Western Ontario as professor and head of the Department of Biochemistry. At this university, according to a published tribute, "a vigorous program in neurochemistry was developed which produced not only significant advances in the understanding of Wallerian degeneration and neural metabolism but, more importantly, a corps of highly-trained capable investigators who continue these studies at Western, elsewhere in Canada, and across the world."

Rossiter was chairman of the Canadian National Committee on Biochemistry, served on the Medical Research Council, was a member of the Research Advisory Group of the National Cancer Institute of Canada, was active on the Neurological Science Research Training Committee of the National Institute of Health in Washington, and was on the Advisory Board to the Commission on Neurochemistry of the World Federation of Neurology.

In 1965, he became dean of graduate studies at Western Ontario and three years later became the first vice-president (academic) and provost of the university, returning to his home discipline as vice-president of health sciences in October of 1974.

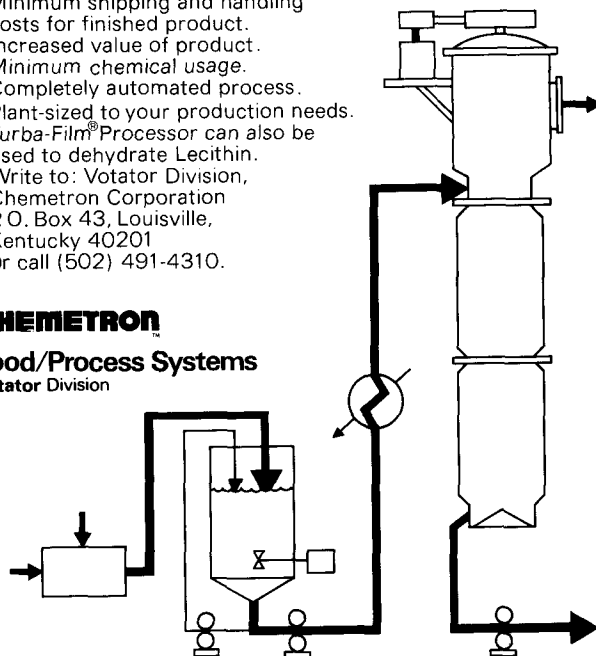
In his career, Rossiter received many honors, including the Radcliffe Prize from Oxford University, the Flavelle Medal from the Royal Society of Canada, of which he was a fellow, an honorary doctorate from York University, and the recognition of foreign scientists, among whom were the Academy of Sciences of the Soviet Union and the Chinese Academy of Sciences.

Contributions to the Roger J. Rossiter Memorial Fund may be made to the Comptroller of The University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, Canada.

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