

Wilks Scientific Corp. has developed a portable, self-contained  $CO_2$  analyzer in ambient air at levels (0 -10%) which are potentially toxic or higher levels (0 - 100%) for other applications. The instrument weighs less than 18 pounds. Information: Wilks, 140 Water St., Box 449, South Norwalk, CT 06856 (tele: 203-853-1616).

Thordarson Inc. is marketing its Petur FL-2000 series float level switch which the firm says may be used to assure reliable control of fluid levels with excellent repeatability over a wide adjustable range. Information: Thordarson Inc., 11300 25th Avenue NE, Seattle, WA 98125.

Perkin-Elmer is offering pyrolytically coated graphite sample tubes designed to provide longer tube life and higher sensitivity with some elements in flameless atomic absorption. The tubes are for use with Heated Graphite Furnaces, Models HGA-2200 and HGA-2100. Information: Perkin-Elmer Corp. Instrument Division, Main Avenue, Mail Station 12, Norwalk, CT 06856 (tele: 203-762-1000).

American Instrument Co. is marketing its new Aminco DW-2a UV-VIS Spectrophotometer which will provide reliable readings at 0.005A full scale sensitivity with noise levels of less than 0.0002A, the firm says. The instrument has five operational modes. Information: American Instrument Co., 8030 Georgia Ave., Silver Spring, MD 20910 (tele: 301-589-1727).

Cyclo Chemicals Corp. is producing its Cyclochem GTL skin care additive which it says leaves a smooth, non-greasy feel to the skin even after the lotion of cream products containing it have been rinsed away. The soft wax-type ingredient is a lauric/myristic triglyceride formulation to provide smooth feel and good resistance to oxidation. Information: Cyclo Chemicals Corp., 7500 NW 66th St., Miami, FL 33166.

Vic Manufacturing Co. has recently developed a new glycol solution heater and pumping system to be used to avoid freeze up. It is designed for use in situations where steam tracing is unlikely to work. Information: Vic Manufacturing Co., Industrial Products Division, 1620 Central Avenue NE, Minneapolis, MN 55413.

Abbeon Cal, Inc., is now producing a new non-slip Plastick Sheet which has an extremely high co-efficient of friction that stops slipping, sliding and vibration in various situations. The material may be used in laboratory or hospitals to hold instruments and tools in place on inclines and permit one-hand manipulation of bottles and bowls. Information: Abbeon Cal, Inc., 123-16T Gray Ave., Santa Barbara, CA 93101.

Nalco Chemical Co. has introduced its second generation of Towerpac, an integrated system for automatically controlling the chemical properties of cooling water. First in the new series is Towerpac IV which includes recorder, alarms, control logic, and continuous metering. Information: Nalco Chemical Co., 2901 Butterfield Road, Oak Brook, IL 60521.

New bulletins and brochures: Remanufactured sterilizers, Scientific Industries, Inc., 70 Orville Drive, Airport International Plaza, Bohemia, NY 11716.... High purity water system, Kontes, Spruce Street, Vineland, NJ 08360.... Steam ball valves, Worcester Controls, Distributor Products Division, 125 Hartwell Street, West Boylston,

MA 01583 .... Infrared spectrophotometer systems, Brochure L-53E, Perkin-Elmer Corp., Instrument Division, Main Avenue, Mail Station 12, Norwalk, CT 06856 .... Heat transfer fluid, Monsanto Industrial Chemicals Co., Dept. 133, 800 N. Lindbergh Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63166 .. Corrosion-resistant plastic horizontal pumps, Bulletin 330, Sethco Mfg. Corp., One Bennington Avenue, Freeport, NY 11520 .... Pumps and mixers, General Bulletin 477, Neptune Chemical Pump Co., R.A. Industries, Lansdale, PA 19446 .... Direct writing recorders, Bulletin 458-4, Marketing Services, Gould Inc., Instrument Services Division, 3631 Perkins Ave., Cleveland OH 44114.... Capillary column catalog, Supelco Inc., Supelco Park, Bellefonte, PA 16823 .... Check valves, Check Products, Inc., 40 San Jose Ave., San Jose, CA 95125 .... Vacuum gauging and control, Edwards High Vacuum Inc., 3279 Grand Island Blvd., Grand Island, NY 14072 .... Crucibles, closed end tubes, The Fluorocarbon Company, Process Systems Division, P.O. Box 3640, Anaheim, CA 92803 .... Electromagnetic stirrers, Lab-6 literature, Glas-Col Apparatus Co., 711 Hulman St., Terre Haute, IN 47802 .... Oil/water separator system, Hyde Products Inc., 810 Sharon Drive, Cleveland, OH 44145 . . . . Analog and digital recording instruments and systems, Gould Inc., Instrument Systems Division, 3631 Perkins Ave., Cleveland, OH 44114 .... Flexible metal hose, Brochure 310076, FMH, 777 W. 16th St., Costa Mesa, CA 92627 .. Clamp-type ball valves, Bulletin BV-77, Ladish, Co., Tri-Clover Division, Kenosha, WI 53141 .... Fluoroplastic Pipeline, Bulletin 825, Penntube Plastics Co., Clifton Heights, PA 19018.

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