

SD&C Meetings



AOCS NATIONAL MEETINGS

Annual Meeting, 1978: May 14-18—St. Louis, MO, Chase Park Plaza Hotel.

Annual Meeting, 1979: April 25-May 3—San Francisco, CA, Fairmont Hotel.

NORTHEAST SECTION MEETINGS

June 13, 1978—"Cosmetics," and "Ladies' Night," speaker, Dr. Myra Barker of Hoffmann-LaRoche, Robin Hood Inn, Clifton, NJ. Contact: Bud Gormley, chairman.

1978

May 14-17, 1978—Chemical Specialties Manufacturers Association Incorporated, 64th Mid-Year Meeting, Drake Hotel, Chicago, IL. Contact: Chemical Specialties Manufacturers Association, 1001 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20036.

May 17-18, 1978—SCC Seminar, hosted by Mid-West Chapter of the SCC, Chicago, IL. Contact: SCC, 50 East 41st St., New York, NY 10017.

June 28-30, 1978—Twelfth World Aerosol Congress, Buenos Aires, Argentina, sponsored by the World Aerosol Congress and the Camara Argentina del Aerosol. Contact: CADEA, Avenida Leandro N. Alem 36.5° PISO-1003-Buenos Aires.

July 10-13, 1978—World Conference on Future Sources of Organic Raw Materials, sponsored by International

Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry, The Chemical Institute of Canada, and The American Chemical Society. Contact: The Chemical Institute of Canada, 906-151 Slater St., Ottawa, Ontario, Canada K1P 5H3 (tele: 613-233-5623).

Aug. 28-Sept. 2, 1978—International Union on Pure and Applied Chemistry Commission on Fats and Oils; Louvain la Neuve, Belgium.

Oct. 24-28, 1978—10th International Congress of Cosmetic Chemists, Sydney, Australia. Contact: 10th International Congress of Cosmetic Chemists, Office of the Secretariat, G.P.O. Box 2609; Sydney, NSW, Australia 2001.

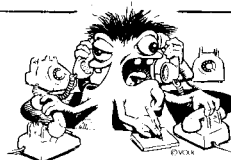
Dec. 7, 1978—Synthetic Organic Chemical Manufacturers Association Annual Meeting; Hotel Roosevelt, New York, New York.

1979

May 13-16, 1979—Chemical Specialties Manufacturers Association Incorporated, 65th Mid-Year Meeting, The Drake Hotel, Chicago, IL. Contact: Chemical Specialties Manufacturers Association, 1001 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20036.

Dec., 1979—Chemical Specialties Manufacturers Association Incorporated, 66th Annual Meeting, Washington, DC. Contact: Chemical Specialties Manufacturers Association, 1001 Connecticut Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20036.

SD&C Industry News



Cyclo marketing "M1"

Cyclo Chemicals Corp. is marketing "Cycloryl M1" described as a biodegradable concentrate providing a "rich, pourable, pearlizing effect in liquid, cream, or lotion shampoos, hand soaps, and special detergent preparations." Evaluation samples and technical bulletins are available from Cyclo Chemicals Corp., 7500 NW 66th St., Miami, FL 33166.

Dow boosts preservative

Dow Chemical U.S.A. has produced a technical data sheet on the use of Dowicil 200 Preservative in eye area cosmetics. Dow's report says the ingredient will protect those products throughout their life "from contamination by a broad spectrum of microorganisms, including *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*." Dowicil 200 has been used in cosmetics as a preservative since 1965 and can be used in eye area cosmetics at concentrations of up to 0.3%, Dow says. Further information is available from Dow Chemical U.S.A., Designed Products Dept., 2040 Dow Center, Midland, MI 48640.

P&G gets new vice presidents

Procter & Gamble has upgraded titles of several executives to vice president. The changes:

John J. Pepper Jr. named vice president—packaged soap and detergent division; formerly division manager—international, Brussels.

Charles A. Ferguson, vice president—toilet goods division; formerly division manager.

Geoffrey Place, vice president—research and development; formerly senior director research and development.

Fred M. Wells, vice president—industrial foods division; formerly division manager.

Gerald V. Dirvin, vice president—coffee division; formerly division manager.

Albert E. Harris, vice president—international; formerly vice-president soap and detergent division.

Ron Tomack has joined Norda Inc. as a perfumer Jerome L. Lindauer has been named director of the creative consumer products marketing group for International Flavors and Fragrances Dale Johnson has joined Helene Curtis Corporate R&D Division as manager of product development; Dr. Johnson previously was section

head of applications research with Alberto Culver, part of Armak Co.

Dow Chemical U.S.A. is commercially marketing Versene Acid NF chelating agent for use in manufacturing pharmaceutical and cosmetic preparations where metal ion control is needed. Information is available from Robert C. Stein, Product Sales Manager, Designed Products Department, Dow Chemical USA, 2040 Dow Center, Midland, MI 48640.

Sale of Armour Pharmaceutical Co. to Revlon Inc. has been completed for a purchase price of approximately \$86 million.

Letsch Corp. says it has developed a new process to produce electropolish, stainless-steel vessels for use in pharmaceutical and cosmetic applications that prolong service life of the vessels. Letsch says its EMF-2000 process removes surface defect and repairs material flaws down to 0.5 in. to 0.001 in., making product contact surfaces as inert as possible to a wide range of products, reducing particulate contamination and allowing repeatable cleaning and sterilization for better performance. Information: Letsch Corp., M.P.O. Box 668, Springfield, MO 65801.

The Quaker Oats Company has available a brochure on the use of Oat-Pro®, a cosmetic grade oat flour, in bath grade products. Copies are available by writing to Quaker Oats Co., Industrial Cereals Dept., Merchandise Mart Plaza, Chicago, IL 60654.

SDA meeting attracts 900



Approximately 900 persons attended The Soap and Detergent Association's annual meeting held Jan. 26-29, 1978, at the Boca Raton Hotel and Club in Boca Raton, FL.

The total would have been higher, but the Blizzard of '78 struck the Midwest on Thursday, Jan. 26, grounding many persons who would have otherwise attended.

Technical session speakers included two persons who also spoke at the World Conference on Soaps and Detergents. Melvin E. Tuvell of Ethyl spoke on "CMOS: Properties and Performance," and George C. Schweiker of Philadelphia Quartz spoke on zeolites. The other two technical session speakers in Boca Raton were Anthony Temple of the Intermountain Regional Poison Control Center on detergent safety and Edward J. Singer of Lever Brothers on environmental evaluation of CMOS.

Carel van Crefeld, president of the Association International de la Savonnerie et de la Detergence, described that organization's first 25 years in a buffet breakfast meeting.

The SDA is a national trade organization whose 128 member firms include the manufacturers of more than 90% of the soap and detergent produced annually in the United States.

Thomas Laco, group vice president and a member of the board of directors for Procter & Gamble Co. has been elected chairman and chief executive officer of The Soap and Detergent Association.

Laco was elected at the SDA meeting in Boca Raton. He has served as vice chairman for the past two years and succeeds Jay VanAndel, chairman of the board of Amway Corp.

New vice chairman is Lee H. Bloom, administrative vice president for Lever Brothers Co. New directors are Philip L. Bernstein, Acme-Hardesty Co.; William K. Hoskins, The Drackett Co.; Philip T. Perkins, Economics Laboratory, Inc.; and Jack H. Allderdice, Humko Sheffield Chemical.

Officers re-elected are Theodore E. Brenner, president, secretary, and chief operating officer; Robert C. Singer, vice president and assistant secretary; Frazier M. Hancock, Duveen Soap Corp., treasurer; and John R. Pfann, Stauffer Chemical, assistant treasurer. ●

Barker, Gershon cited by Cosmetic Chemists

AOCS members Graham Barker and Sol D. Gershon were among persons receiving awards during the Society of Cosmetic Chemists annual technical meeting.

Barker, manager of special products development for Witco Chemical Co. in Oakland, NJ, received the SCC's Merit Award for his work with the society. Dr. Gershon, executive director of the SCC, received a special award for more than 30 years of service to the SCC.

AOCS member Stephen M. Greenberg was installed as a director. AOCS member Anthony Schwartz spoke on "New Developments in Surfactants" during a technical session. Other award recipients at the meeting: Medal Award, Robert L. Goldemberg for significant contribution to the industry over a period of years; Literature Award, Dr. William S. Tolgyesi (posthumously); certificate of appreciation, Dr. Hyman Henkin. ●

Hercules' polymers listed

Hercules has published a revised 35-page technical bulletin (VC-439C) on its water-soluble polymers suitable for use in cosmetics and toiletries. Included are sections on antiperspirants and deodorants, beauty aids, creams and lotions, denture adhesives and cleansers, foamed products, fragrances and colognes, gelled products, shampoos and hair-grooming aids, and toothpaste. Copies may be ordered from Coatings and Specialty Products Dept., Hercules Inc., 910 Market St., Wilmington, DE 19899. ●

Europe detergent market to grow

Synthetic detergent sales in Western Europe will total \$27 million annually by 1987, compared to a present level of \$22 million, according to a new report by Frost & Sullivan Inc. of New York City. The estimate is included in a report entitled "The Textile Chemicals Market in Europe," covering current and anticipated textile chemicals production capabilities and requirements in 16 European nations. Further information is available on Report E231 from Frost & Sullivan Inc., 106 Fulton St., New York, and from Frost & Sullivan Ltd., 104-112 Marylebone Lane, London W1M 5FU, England. ●