

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PHYTOCHEMICAL SOCIETY OF EUROPE

The winner of the Phytochemical Society
Tate and Lyle Award for 1978

is

BENJAMIN J. MIFLIN

head of the Biochemistry Dept., Rothamsted Experimental Station, Harpenden, Herts., who has been honoured for his notable and distinguished contributions to our knowledge of nitrogen assimilation and amino acid biosynthesis in plants.

At the April 1978 Annual General Meeting in Bangor, the following new elections were made:

E. G. BROWN (Swansea):	<i>Chairman</i>
D. THRELFALL (Hull):	<i>Joint Secretary</i>
R. T. BROWN (Manchester):	<i>Committee member</i>
LINDA FELLOWS (Kew):	<i>Committee member</i>
D. ROBB (Strathclyde):	<i>Committee member.</i>

The meetings to be held in 1978/79 are as follows:

MICROSCOPIC CYTOCHEMISTRY: TECHNIQUES AND APPLICATIONS TO PLANTS

University of Reading, 20 December 1978, in collaboration with the Society for Experimental Biology. For further details contact Dr. J. Hall, School of Biological Sciences, University of Sussex, Falmer, Brighton, East Sussex BN1 9QG. Short communications for 15–20 minutes presentation are invited.

RECENT ADVANCES IN THE CHEMISTRY AND BIOLOGY OF ALKALOIDS: INDOLE AND BIOGENETICALLY RELATED ALKALOIDS

The School of Pharmacy, University of London, 18–20 April 1979. In addition to plenary lectures, a poster session is planned and contributions, on current alkaloid research dealing not only with indoles but with all types of alkaloid, are invited. For further details contact Dr. J. D. Phillipson, The School of Pharmacy, University of London, 29–39 Brunswick Square, London, WC1N 1AX.

NITROGEN FIXATION

University of Sussex, 17–19 September 1979. For further details contact Dr. J. R. Gallon, Dept. of Biochemistry, University College of Swansea, Singleton Park, Swansea SA2 8PP.