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Editor's Note—*With this fourth issue of The Journal of Adhesion, we again introduce a member of our editorial staff—Associate Editor Dr. William C. Wake. Dr. Wake's biography is printed below.*



THE JOURNAL OF ADHESION

Dr. William C. Wake

Associate Editor

Dr. William C. Wake was born in London in 1916. He graduated with a B.Sc. (Lond) with Honors in Chemistry in 1940 and worked in the Ballistics Branch, Ministry of Supply for some two and one-half years. He then joined the Research Association of British Rubber Manufacturers, now Rubber and Plastics Research Association (RAPRA, and was associated with that institution for 26 years. His last few years at RAPRA were as Assistant Director (Research).

Our Associate Editor received an M.Sc. (Lond) in 1946 for work in the History and Philosophy of Science and his Ph.D. (Lond) in 1951 for a thesis in applied statistics.

Dr. Wake received a D.Sc. (Lond) in 1968 for original contributions to Physical Chemistry; Science of Adhesion; Analytical Chemistry and work on economics and productivity in the rubber industry. The Colwyn Medal was presented to him in 1965 by the Institution of the Rubber Industry for outstanding services to rubber science.

Dr. Wake is at present a private consultant and holds an appointment as Visiting Professor in Adhesion Science at The City University, London.