

* *History of Synthetic Fibers*. Contact R. B. Seymour, Department of Polymer Science, University of Southern Mississippi, Southern Station, Box 10076, Hattiesburg, MS, 39406, (601) 266-4868.

* *Emil Fischer: One Hundred Years of Carbohydrate Chemistry* (Cosponsored by CARB).

New York 25-30 August 1991

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* *General Papers*. Contact J. L. Sturchio (see address above).

* *History of Steroid Chemistry*. Contact L. Gortler, Department of Chemistry, Brooklyn College, Brooklyn, NY 11210, (718) 780-5746 or J. L. Sturchio.

* *A Century of Chemistry in New York (Commemorating the Local Section Centennial)*. Contact J. Sharkey, Department of Chemistry, Pace University, Pace Plaza, New York, NY 10038, (212) 488-1502.

* *Chemistry and Crime III - Forensic Methods: Past, Present and Future*. Contact S. M. Gerber, Color Consultants, 70 Hillcrest Road, Martinsville, NJ 08836, Phone (201) 356-4721; or R. Saferstein, New Jersey Forensic Laboratory, P.O. Box 7068, West Trenton, NJ 08625, (609) 882-2000.

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* *Chemical Genealogy*. Contact P. R. Jones, Department of Chemistry, University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH 03824, (603) 862-1550.

* *Chemistry in Science Fiction*. Contact J. H. Stocker, Department of Chemistry, University of New Orleans, New Orleans, LA 70148, (504) 286-6852.

Geneva 21-22 April 1992 (Tentative)

* *100th Anniversary of the Geneva Conference*. Organized by J. G. Traynham, Department of Chemistry, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA 70803, (504) 388-3459.

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* *C. K. Ingold, 1893-1970: Master and Mandarin of Physical Organic Chemistry*. Contact M. D. Saltzman, Department of Chemistry, Providence College, Providence, RI 02918, (401) 865-2298 or Derek Davenport, Department of Chemistry, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN 47907, (317) 494-5465.

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FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

The *Bulletin* continues to expand and I thought that the members of the Division might like a brief report on current happenings and future plans. As indicated on the inside of the front cover, we are in the process of adding an international board of Corresponding Editors. Usually associated with the history of chemistry organizations in their respective countries, these editors will assist us in reporting the activities of their societies and in preparing our annual bibliography. They

will also recommend papers from their members for possible publication in the *Bulletin*. To date Dr. Yasu Furukawa, Assistant Editor of *Kagakushi*, the journal of the Japanese Society for the History of Chemistry, and Dr. Peter J. T. Morris, Secretary of the Historical Group of the Royal Society of Chemistry, have agreed to serve.

A careful examination of the inside of the front cover of this issue will also reveal that the *Bulletin* now has an ISSN number which will assist us in attracting library subscriptions. Though we have not conducted an advertising campaign directed at libraries, our subscriptions have shown a steady growth and now include several libraries in England, France, Germany and Italy, as well as those in the United States. Again, we encourage the membership to request that their school libraries subscribe. Our articles are now routinely covered by both the annual *Isis* bibliography and by the occasional bibliographies published in *BCHOC News*. In addition, authors can now purchase reprints with covers at a rate of \$15.00 for 20 copies.

As for the future, encouraged by the success of the special Lavoisier issue last winter, we will devote the entire 1991 Winter Issue to the papers presented at the special Faraday symposium being organized by Derek Davenport for the Spring ACS Meeting in Atlanta. We would also like to expand our book review section and encourage members to submit reviews of recent items which they may have read. To aid authors in preparing reviews and manuscripts we also plan to print an *Author's Guide*, reproduced below, at least once a year in either the Fall or Winter Issue.

William B. Jensen, University of Cincinnati

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Books:

2. T. W. Reid, *Memoirs and Correspondence of Lyon Playfair*, Cassell, London, 1899, pp. 56-57.

Edited Volumes:

3. A. J. Rocke, "Convention Versus Ontology in Nineteenth-Century Organic Chemistry" in J. G. Traynham, ed., *Essays on the History of Organic Chemistry*, Louisiana State University Press, Baton Rouge, LA, 1987, pp. 1-20.

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