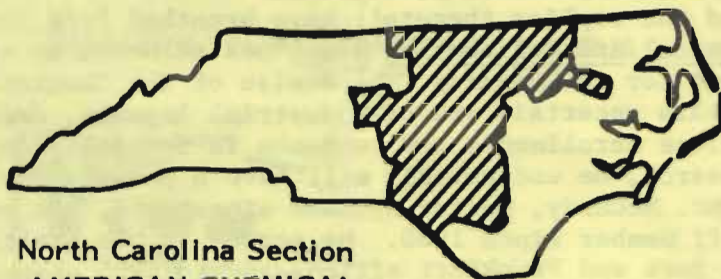


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"THE DEMISE OF THE CHEMIST"

Speaker: PATRICK P. McCURDY
Editor, Chemical and Engineering News

Date: September 18, 1973

Place: Research Triangle Institute
Research Triangle Park, N. C.

Time: 5:30 Happy Hour, Camille Dreyfus
Auditorium

7:00 Dinner, Cafeteria

8:00 Talk, Camille Dreyfus Auditorium

NOTE: THIS IS GUESTS' NIGHT,

SO

BRING A FRIEND!

ARE CHEMISTS ALIVE AND WELL?
IF SO, FOR HOW LONG?

Patrick P. McCurdy, whose controversial editorials (and the replies thereto!) have breathed life into Chemical and Engineering News, has selected as his topic for the evening "The Demise of the Chemist." In this uncertain era of industrial layoffs, decreasing college enrollments and cutbacks in federally supported research, he undoubtedly will have a message for us all.

Mr. McCurdy, editor of C&EN since 1969, had been a staff member since 1960. He served in the Washington, New York and Frankfurt offices and in 1965 opened the Tokyo news bureau. In 1949 he received a B.S. in chemical engineering from Carnegie Institute of Technology (now Carnegie-Mellon University) where he also did graduate work in industrial administration. Prior to joining C&EN, Mr. McCurdy worked with Humble Oil and Refining Company, the Army Corps of Engineers, Callery Chemical Company and the Army Engineer Research and Development Laboratories.

NOTES FROM THE NEW EDITOR

First of all, I'm sure I speak for the entire section membership in thanking Art Diesing, the outgoing editor, for long and faithful service. Well done, Art!

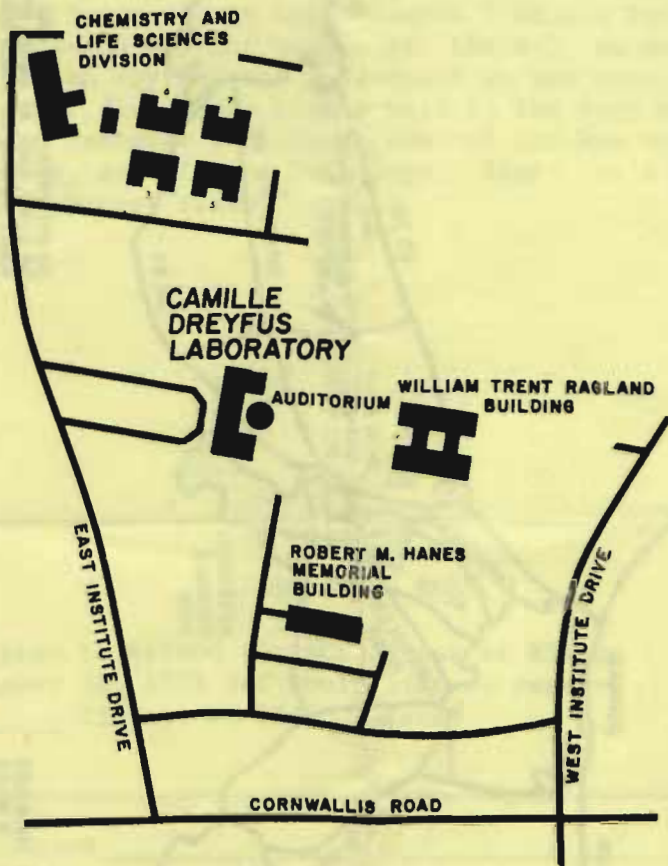
As your newly drafted editor, I'd welcome all suggestions and help on how to stimulate a larger attendance at meetings, and also on any changes in this Newsletter. For starters, how about changing the name from "Activities" to something more catchy? If you don't watch out, something like TARHELIUM, PIEDMONT PROTON or TRIANGLE TITRATOR may be inflicted upon you!

We want to publicize all seminars of interest in the area. Please be sure to include not only the speaker's name, date, time and location, but if at all possible, the title as well.

And most important, remember that we will advertise job openings free of charge. Send in these notices sooner rather than later.

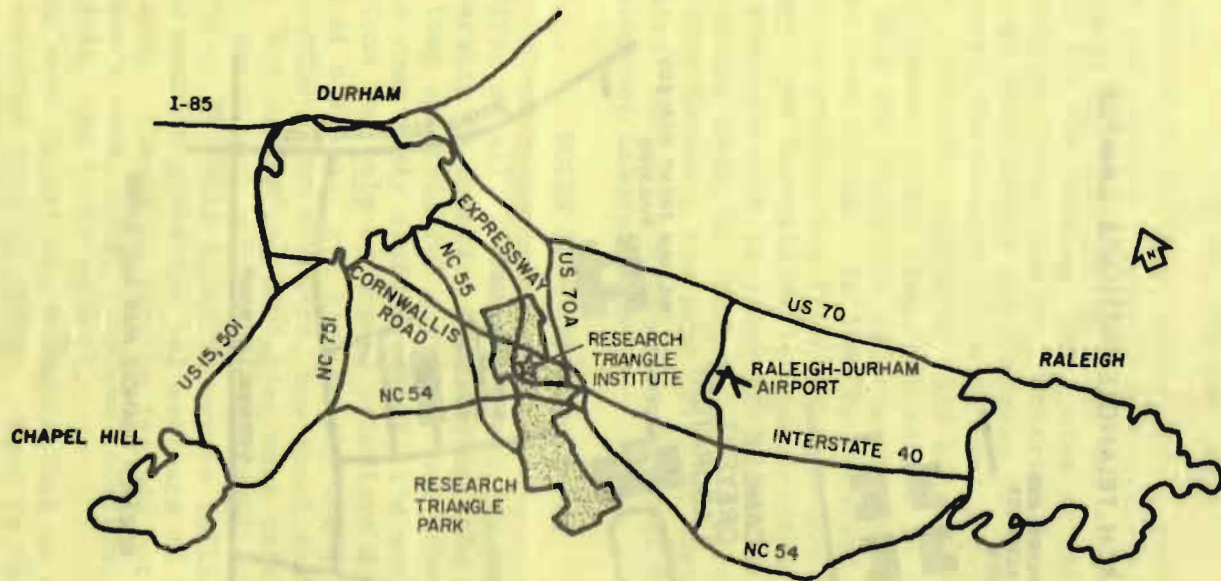
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NEW SEASON, NEW LOCATION

This season we are trying something different: holding some of our meetings at other than university campuses.

Our host for the first meeting is the Research Triangle Institute in the Research Triangle Park. (See enclosed map for how to get there.) We need to give RTI an approximate head-count on how many to expect for dinner, so please mail in the form below. The menu features boneless breast of chicken with wild rice, and all the trimmings. Hint: it's also "Bring a Hungry Friend" night!

RESERVATION FORM

I plan to attend the ACS dinner at RTI on September 18, 1973 and would like to reserve _____ tickets at \$5.50 apiece.

Name _____

Affiliation _____

Phone Number _____

Please return form by September 11 to

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