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Color Centers in Alkali Halides

CONTRIBUTED papers are now being accepted for an international symposium on color centers in alkali halides to be held September 9-11 at Oregon State College in Corvallis. Sponsors of the meeting are Oregon State College, the Office of Naval Research, the National Science Foundation, and the Air Force Office of Scientific Research.

The program will include invited papers by Pohl and Martienssen (Göttingen), Pick (Stuttgart), Halperin (Jerusalem), Lidiard (Reading), Inui (Tokyo), and Fumi (Pavia). Excursions to Mt. Hood and the Oregon Coast are being planned and visitors may also attend the Oregon Centennial Exposition, which will be taking place in Portland at the time of the symposium.

Other details may be obtained from Prof. Allen B. Scott, Department of Chemistry, Oregon State College, Corvallis, Ore.

Spectroscopy

O PTICAL emission, x rays, flame photometry, magnetic resonance, and ultraviolet and infrared absorption will be covered in a Spectroscopy Symposium that will be included in the program of the American Society for Testing Materials Third Pacific Area National Meeting, which will take place October 11–16 in San Francisco. Sponsored jointly by ASTM Committees E-2 and E-13, the symposium is expected to emphasize unsolved problems in spectroscopy.

One day of the symposium will be devoted to a tour of the San Francisco Bay Area and will include visits to the General Electric Atomic Power Research Laboratory and some of the area's instrument and electronics companies. Prospective contributors of papers may obtain forms from R. J. Wirshing, Chemistry Department, General Motors Corp., Box 188, North End Station, Detroit 2, Mich., from whom further information is also available.

High Polymers

THE Ninth Canadian High Polymer Forum will be held October 19–21 at the Guild Inn, Toronto, Ontario. Devoted to all aspects of polymer science, the forum is to be sponsored by the National Research Council of Canada in cooperation with The Chemical Institute of Canada. Persons wishing to contribute papers should contact the program chairman, Dr. L. A. McLeod, Research and Development Division, Polymer Corporation Limited, Sarnia, Ontario, Canada. Detailed arrangements, to be announced at a later date, will be available from the forum's secretary-treasurer, Dr. K. E. Russell, Department of Chemistry, Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario, Canada.