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E&PS LABORATORY GETS NEW EXECUTIVE OFFICER



Announcement has been made of the appointment of Mr. David W. Canham, Jr., as Executive Officer of the Earth and Planetary Sciences Laboratory of SCAS.

Retiring from a cereer in the U. S. Navy on March 31, 1964 with the rank of commander, Mr. Canham brings to the Center a varied background of experience ranging from service in Antarctica to work in naval and budgetary planning.

Born in Weiser, Idaho, Mr.
Canham obtained his high school
education in Highland Park,
Michigan. He attended the University of Michigan; obtained
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PROFS. FEJER AND HANSON PRESENT PAPERS AT SPECIAL SYMPOSIUM



Prof. Jules A. Fejer (above) will present an invited paper on Magnetic Storms at a special symposium on Solar-Terrestrial Relationships, Tuesday afternoon, on April 21, in Washington, D. C.

Prof. William B. Hanson will present a paper co-authored with Prof. T. N. L. Patterson, entitled "The Maintenance of the Nighttime F-Layer," at the special symposium on Monday, April 20.

The special meeting is sponsored jointly by the American Geophysical Union, the U.S. National Committee of the International Scientific Radio Union, and the American Astronomical Society.

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Other DASS scientists in attendance at this special meeting, and at the regular AGU meeting which follows on April 21-24, will be Prof. Francis S. Johnson, DASS head, Prof. Hanson, Prof. Harold B. Liemohn, Dr. H. S. Ahluwalia, Dr. S. S. Degaonkar, Dr. Benjamin Gottlieb, Dr. James Midgley, Dr. Olav Holt, and Dr. Brian A. Tinsley.

Prof. Walter J. Heikkila will also attend the special meeting, after which he will proceed to New York to attend the Plasma Seminar and Course to be held April 23-24 at the Hotel Astor by Prof. D. J. Rose of MIT, Dr. R. G. Mills of Princeton University, and Dr. M. Talaat of Martin Marietta.

Prof. Johnson will serve as chairman of Session IV in the AGU Section on Geomagnetism and Aeronomy on April 24.

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PROF. FAUL TO ADDRESS NUCLEAR SOCIETY

Prof. Henry Faul, Geosciences division mass spectroscopy expert, will address the North Texas Section of the American Nuclear Society at their dinner meeting, 7:00 p.m., April 17, at Western Hills Inn. His talk will be entitled "Nuclear Techniques for Age Determination in Geological Surveys."

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QUOTE: "...Drink deep, or taste not the Pierian spring..."
-- Alexander Pope

GEOSCIENCES DIVISION TO ATTEND AGU MEETING

Geosciences faculty and staff in attendance at the Washington AGU meeting, April 21-24, will be Prof. Anton L. Hales, division head, Prof. Denis Ian Gough, Prof. Mark Landisman, Prof. Henry Faul, Dr. K. W. T. Graham, Prof. C. E. Helsley, Dr. John Cleary, and Dr. Glen H. Riley.

A paper co-authored with Prof. Hales and Prof. Helsley will be given at the meeting by Dr. Graham. Its title: "Determination of the Relative Positions of Continents from Paleomagnetic Data."

Prof. Gough will give a paper co-authored with Profs. Opdyke and McElhinney, entitled "The Significance of Paloemagnetic Results from Africa."

Prof. Helsley is expected to return from North Africa in time to give a paper entitled "Evidence for Postdepositional Magnetization of Certain Red Sediments."

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the B.S. degree in mathematics from Wayne State University, and also attended Northwestern and George Washington Universities; he received the B.A. in English literature at George Washington, and did some work toward the masters in that subject.

At the beginning of World War II Mr. Canham was an instructor in mathematics at Ford Engineering, in Dearborn, Michigan. In October of 1942 he entered the U. S. Navy air arm; he served on aircraft carriers in the Pacific and landbased bombers in the Marianas. Attached to the Naval Air Station at Corpus Christi near the end of the (Continued on page 3)

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War, he served as instructor for a time at the University of Texas.

From 1946 to 1957, he served various tours of overseas duty, including command of a group responsible for the building and operation of naval air facilities at McMurdo and other Antarctic stations in support of U. S. efforts during the IGY.

His Antarctic service, extensive Pentagon duty, and his meeting with Dr. Paul Siple and Dr. Lloyd Berkner, eventually led to his association with the Center.

Mrs. Canham is the former Betty Jane Savoie, a Michigan girl whom Mr. Canham married in Dallas during the War. The Canhams are parents of 17-year old Pamela Lee, Susan Lynn, 11 years, and David III, 9 years of age.

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PROF. KOSSACK TO PRESENT ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

Bishop College, Dallas, will be the setting for presentation of Scholastic Achievement Awards to 40 Dallas Negro high school boys, Saturday, April 25.

Making the presentations and serving as main luncheon speaker for the program will be Prof. Carl F. Kossack, director, SCAS Computer Sciences Laboratory

Prof. Kossack's talk, a 500-word summary of which is being made part of the program brochure, will deal with the challenge to the high school student in the age of science and technology.

Sponsor of these annual awards is the national organization of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity. SCAS AT SWIEEECO

SWIEEECO in Dallas! Memorial Auditorium, April 22-23-24, will feature 18 technical sessions and over 200 exhibit booths.

Prof. Carl F. Kossack, director, Computer Sciences Laboratory, will be the moderator for the Thursday, April 23, Session 11, "Computers," from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Dr. Philip F. Oetking, of the SCAS Geosciences division, will give a paper at the Electromagnetic Lunar Exploration Techniques session for Thursday, 9 a.m. to 12 noon. He will speak on lunar surfaces.

Featured at the SCAS booth -- a 300sq. ft. section donated by organizers of the Conference -- will be a simulated neutron monitor using one large counter tube. Booth numbers are 505, 6, 7.

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PR VP AT DOWNTOWN LIONS

"Panama and the United States," will be the subject of the luncheon address by Mr. James S. Triolo, GRCSW vice president for Development and Public Relations to be given before the Downtown Lions Club, Friday, April 17, at the Adolphus Hotel.

Mr. Triolo's master's thesis at Stanford was entitled "Diplomatic Relations Between Panama and the United States, 1903-1936."

Mr. Triolo has served in the U.S. Canal Zone Government, and was an Exchange Fellow of the U.S. State Department in Panama. He did further study of Panama's diplomatic relations with the U.S., and later served in Naval Intelligence in the Canal Zone.



AZALEAS

"Breathtaking," was the comment of a viewer last Friday, after making the drive along Turtle Creek. Dallas is famous for this particular spring phenomenon and it should not be missed.

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THEATER CENTER TO EUROPE

Invitation by the Teatre des Nations in Paris has been accepted by the Dallas Theater Center.

The repertory group will present an adaptation of William Faulkner's "As I Lay Dying," at the Teatre July 8, 9, and 10.

The Theater Center will be the first American theatrical company outside of New York City to perform at the Teatre des Nations.

First U. S. participation at the Teatre was in 1955 when a company sponsored by ANTA presented Robinson Jeffers' adaptation of "Medea" and Thornton Wilder's "The Skin of our Teeth" with Helen Hayes.

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AMERICA, AMERICA

Deplored is last week's "so-so" review of this film. A GRCSW reviewer gives it a strong "excellent." (CB Ed. -- ****).

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A LITTLE KNOWLEDGE

RUSSIAN LESSON -- Русский Урок

Everyday expressions for conversation:

Когда́ мы уви́димся? When shall we see each other?

Позвоните мне по телефону. Telephone me.

Я буду ждать ва́шего звонка́. I shall await your telephone call.

Простите. Извините. Forgive me. Excuse me.

Heyжeли? Indeed? Really?

He правда ли? Isn't it true? Isn't it so?

Как дела́? How goes it?

Hичего́, а ва́ши? All right, and you?

Благодарю́ вас, хорошо́. Fine, thank you.

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QUOTE

"Our species is the only creative species, and it has only one creative instrument, the individual mind and spirit of man...Once the miracle of creation has taken place, the group can build and extend it, but the group never invents anything. The preciousness lies in the lonely mind of man." -- John Steinbeck.