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forts, the AAAS has recently received a grant from the Polaroid Foundation.

Atlanta is the area which has most recently begun a local network. A preliminary meeting of Atlanta minority women scientists was held 10 July at Spelman College. Arranged by Etta Falconer, chair, Mathematics Department, Spelman College, and member, AAAS Committee on Opportunities in Science, the meeting resulted in a decision to organize a local network of minority women scientists. Toward this end, minority women scientists, engineers, science teachers, and others in science-related activities were invited to an organizational meeting 20 September in Atlanta.

This regional effort follows the establishment of a network in the Washington, D.C., metropolitan area and parallels a similar attempt to organize National Network members in New Jersey.

Women scientists who are American Indian, Asian, Black, Mexican American, or Puerto Rican are urged to join the Network to keep informed about local and national developments, opportunities, and projects. Persons seeking information or wishing to join the Network should contact Paula Quick Hall, OOS, at the AAAS address.

## Obituaries

**John H. Arbegast** of Carlisle, Pennsylvania, member of Section Q (Education) since 1963, 4 August 1980.

**Joseph E. Barmack** of Mamaroneck, New York, member of Section J (Psychology) since 1965, 30 May 1980.

**Virginia Bartow** of Urbana, Illinois, member of Section C (Chemistry) since 1934, 7 July 1980.

**Bryn Beorse** of San Francisco, California, member of Section M (Engineering) since 1976, 29 April 1980.

**Andrew W. Breindenback**, vice president of Western Environmental Consultants-Designers, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, member of Section C (Chemistry) since 1969, 21 May 1980.

**Donald G. Brennan** of Croton-on-Hudson, New York, member of Section X (General) since 1960, 18 April 1980.

**G. Kent Burson** of Tekoa, Washington, member of Section E (Geology and Geography) since 1969, 21 June 1980.

**Kenneth L. Calder** of Raleigh, North Carolina, member of Section W (Atmospheric and Hydrospheric Sciences) since 1961, 11 March 1980.

**James D. Cobine** of Rexford, New York, member of Section B (Physics) since 1958, 17 August 1980.

**Norbert Enzer** of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, member of Section N (Medical Sciences) since 1960, 30 May 1980.

**Gordon G. Evans**, Department of Chemistry, Tufts University, member of Section C (Chemistry) since 1956, 19 May 1980.

**William T. Fitts, Jr.**, Department of Surgery, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, member of Section N (Medical Sciences) since 1951, 17 June 1980.

**Alan I. Fleischman** of Montclair, New Jersey, member of Section G (Biological Sciences) since 1958, 7 January 1980.

**Lee W. Gregg**, Psychology Department, Carnegie Mellon University, member of Section J (Psychology) since 1952, 4 June 1980.

**James D. Hamilton** of Hampstead, Quebec, member of Section C (Chemistry) since 1953, 18 April 1980.

**Donald G. Herzberg**, dean, Graduate School, and vice president, Graduate Studies and Research, Georgetown University, member of Section K (Social and Economic Sciences) since 1969, 11 August 1980.

**John R. Hertzler** of Mansfield Center, Connecticut, member of Section G (Biological Sciences) since 1966, 4 April 1980.

**Louis Jordan** of Lewiston, Maine, member of Section M (Engineering) since 1945, 26 June 1980.

**William T. Keeton**, Department of Biology, Cornell University, member of Section G (Biological Sciences) since 1962, 17 August 1980.

**George A. Lescisin** of Washington, D.C., member of Section C (Chemistry) since 1942, 24 May 1980.

**A. W. Lindquist** of Lindsborg, Kansas, member of Section G (Biological Sciences) since 1947, 11 March 1980.

**Majel M. MacMasters** of Tucson, Arizona, member of Section C (Chemistry) since 1929, 3 May 1980.

**George S. O'Brien** of Lake Forest, Illinois, member of Section N (Medical Sciences) since 1965, 17 July 1980.

**Francis E. Payne**, Department of Epidemiology, University of Michigan School of Public Health, member of Section N (Medical Sciences) since 1966, 7 July 1980.

**Max Petersen** of Winchester, Massachusetts, member of Section B (Physics) since 1970, 25 April 1980.

**David Pressman**, Department of Immunology Research, Roswell Park Memorial Institute, member of Section G

(Biological Sciences) since 1943, 16 June 1980.

**Joseph Samachson** of Chicago, Illinois, member of Section G (Biological Sciences) since 1945, 2 June 1980.

**M. George Scheck** of Elmira, New York, member of Section J (Psychology) since 1928, 27 July 1980.

**P. F. Scholander** of La Jolla, California, member of Section G (Biological Sciences) since 1951, 13 June 1980.

**R. E. Showers** of Green Bay, Wisconsin, member of Section G (Biological Sciences) since 1965, 24 May 1980.

**Walt R. Simmons** of Alexandria, Virginia, member of Section U (Statistics) since 1966, 12 January 1980.

**Arthur W. Sloan** of Washington, D.C., member of Section C (Chemistry) since 1948, 17 June 1980.

**Roger C. Smith** of Arcadia, California, member of Section G (Biological Sciences) since 1917, 20 May 1980.

**Roger C. Smith** of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, member of Section J (Psychology) since 1967, 14 July 1980.

**Walter H. Snell** of Providence, Rhode Island, member of Section G (Biological Sciences) since 1921, 23 July 1980.

**J. F. Socolofsky**, Research Department, Mobil Research and Development Corporation, member of Section P (Industrial Science) since 1970, 1 May 1980.

**William A. Stephen** of Worthington, Ohio, member of Section G (Biological Sciences) since 1948, 2 April 1980.

**William E. Stephens**, Department of Physics, University of Pennsylvania, member of Section B (Physics) since 1946, 16 July 1980.

**Elizabeth Stern** of Los Angeles, California, member of Section N (Medical Sciences) since 1964, 9 August 1980.

**Roger Stretch** of Ottawa, Ontario, member since 1974, 16 June 1980.

**James F. Sullivan** of Omaha, Nebraska, member of Section N (Medical Sciences) since 1965, 16 May 1980.

**Roland Walter Ure, Jr.**, of Salt Lake City, Utah, member of Section M (Engineering) since 1973, 24 January 1980.

**M. M. Welch** of Winnetka, Illinois, member of Section C (Chemistry) since 1932, 8 June 1980.

**Leonidas Zervas**, Laboratory of Organic Chemistry, University of Athens, member since 1972, 10 July 1980.

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