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Transcription of Tape Recording of the Meeting of the Chemical
Society, May 7th, 1968

Dr. Tillet: I think it is 4.30 now. "I have been asked to take the chair today at this meeting of the Student Chemical Society and we are very pleased to welcome Dr. Inch from the Chemical Defence Establishment at Porton Down. Now he is a member of the there and today he is going to talk to us on the Chemical and Biological Properties of Toxic Chemicals. Dr. Inch!"

Dr. Inch: I hope the title of this talk is not too misleading for you. When I was asked by my Director to come along and talk to you some months ago, he suggested this might be a likely title and I agreed, since it gave me all the scope I needed to change my mind (inaudible). Obviously it is a very vast subject and leaves itself open to many possible approaches. Obviously, I will have to make some kind of arbitrary start

(Noise of people entering room).

Voice: Are you in the Chemistry Department? This is a departmental meeting of the Chemistry Department. Would you

Voice: I doubt it actually.

Voice: No, I am sorry that is out of bounds.

Voice: The speaker has just been announced as Dr. Inch of

Voice: It has been cancelled down the valley. This is a Chemistry Department

Voice: Would you like to go along the back quietly please.

Voice: You are guests of the Chemistry Department now.

(Noise of people entering room).

Voice: This is a departmental meeting.

Voice: I am a member of the academic staff.
Would you mind putting that cigarette out?

Voice: I forgot.

Voice: Academic Staff. What is your name?

Voice: Raphael Halberstadt.

Voice: Have you got a recorder in there?

Voice: Yes.

Voice: There are seats down the end.

Voices: Plenty of room, plenty of room.

Voice: Plenty of room, we are members of the University.

(Tape ends abruptly here)