

Lowel's Light News, subheaded "An Occasional, Casual Compendium of Notices, Anecdotes, Important Information, Suggestions, Dilemmas, Facts, Propaganda and Virtually Everything Else (except Advice-to-the-Lovelorn) from the People at Lowel," is available upon request from Lowel, 475 Tenth Ave., New York, NY 10018. The headline on the lead article in the first issue is "Better Light Than Never." The subhead is "The Distinguished Lowel Quartz D has finally been extinguished. And in its place has arisen (like the phoenix) our DP light. But D owners need not despair." The article assures owners of D lights that they can be supplied with retrofit packages which can replace existing parts on the D "quickly and inexpensively."

The **Leader Instruments** updated 1982/83 test and measurement equipment catalog is available upon request from Leader Instruments Corp., 380 Oser Ave., Hauppauge, NY 11788. The 52-page catalog provides descriptions, photos, and specifications of 70 products including oscilloscopes, frequency counters, ac multivolt meters, signal, function, and sweep generators, and video and audio test instruments.

Booklets and Catalogs

Scotch Videotape Products for the 80's, a 12-page, illustrated catalog describing in detail Scotch helical videotape and videotape accessories is available from Magnetic Audio/Video Products Div., 3M Center, St. Paul, MN 55144. Full descriptions of Color Plus Master Broadcast U-matic 3/4-in videocassettes as well as the U-matic High Energy series are given with information about helical open reel products. In addition, the Sight and Sound series of how-to videotapes, available in VHS, Beta, and U-matic formats, is reviewed in the catalog.

Erratum

July, 1982 *Journal*, p. 651.

The biographical information re Arthur P. Willis, a member of the Board of Editors, contains the information that he is responsible for the New York City region with the exception of Manhattan. It should read that he is responsible for New York City with the exception of Manhattan, as well as Westchester County and Long Island.

OBITUARY

Vladimir Kosma Zworykin

Vladimir Kosma Zworykin, born July 30, 1889, in Mouron, Russia, died July 29, 1982, at the Princeton Medical Center. His home was in Princeton, N.J.

An Honorary Member of the SMPTE, Zworykin has frequently been referred to as the "father of television," mainly because of his invention of the iconoscope and the kinescope, which made possible today's electronic television. In 1923 he applied for a patent for a television system, but because of delaying objections by the U.S. Patent Office the patent was not granted until December 1938. Zworykin himself was quick to disclaim the designation of "father of television," pointing out that television had "many fathers" and that no one scientist out of the many whose inventions and developments led to modern television could be the sole progenitor.

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