

Acta parasitologica iugoslavica, a new parasitological journal

Association of Yugoslav Parasitologists (Društvo parazitologa Jugoslavije) has published the first double-number copy of a new journal *Acta parasitologica iugoslavica* which is the official publication of this scientific organization. The Editor is M. Žuković, Assistant Editor T. Wikerhauser. Editorial Board consists of five members. The journal will publish original papers, summarizing articles, reviews, obituaries and news from the life of the Association. The first double-number, which represents the whole Volume I (1970), has 133 pages and comprises the papers from protozoology, helminthology and arachnoentomology presented at the First Scientific Conference of the Association of Yugoslav Parasitologists held from 19 to 21 October 1970 in Beograd. Six contributions were devoted to protozoology (a summarizing paper by Z. Petrović about the development and present state of the study of protozoa and protozoan diseases in Yugoslavia, and a contribution on the coccidiosis of fowl, theileriosis of domestic animals, toxoplasmosis and leishmaniasis). The

first of the papers dealing with helminthology is a survey by I. Babić and B. Richter on the past and present investigations of helminths in Yugoslavia; other papers are devoted to the biochemistry and histochemistry of helminths, to the treatment of fasciolosis and to the questions of cysticercosis. Similarly, a summarizing paper by V. Živković and Z. Petrović introduces the part devoted to arachnoentomology (problems concerning ticks, sandflies and synanthropic flies). The journal is published in Yugoslav with summaries in English. The first copy was carefully arranged both from the editorial and printing view which gives evidence on the large work activity of the Association of Yugoslav Parasitologists which started to publish its own journal as early as a year after its foundation.

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