

# THE ANALYST

## INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON ANALYTICAL CHEMISTRY IN 1952

CONSIDERABLE progress has been made with the arrangements for the International Congress on Analytical Chemistry, which is to be held in Britain in 1952.

It has been decided that the meetings shall be held in Oxford, beginning on 4th September. Accommodation will normally be provided in Colleges, but some hotel accommodation will also be available. The technical sessions will take place in one of the main University buildings.

The period of the Congress will include a week-end, and excursions and visits will be planned to take place during this period.

The arrangements for the Congress are in the hands of a General Committee representing a wide variety of interests and under the Chairmanship of the President of the Royal Society, Sir Robert Robinson, O.M.

The scope of the Congress is under active consideration by an Executive Committee, under the Chairmanship of the President of the Society of Public Analysts and Other Analytical Chemists, Mr. G. Taylor, O.B.E., F.R.I.C., and further details of this and other matters will be published in due course.

It is expected that a meeting of the Board of Section V, Analytical Chemistry, of the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry, will be held in Oxford during the same week. Sir Ian Heilbron, F.R.S., is Honorary President, and Professor C. J. van Nieuwenburg, President, of this Section of the International Union.

Sir Wallace Akers, C.B.E., is Honorary Treasurer of the Congress, and the Honorary Secretary is Mr. R. C. Chirnside, F.R.I.C., Research Laboratories of The General Electric Co., Ltd., Wembley, England.