

PROCEEDINGS AT THE 833RD GENERAL MEETING

The 833rd General Meeting of the Academy was held on Monday, November 13, 1989, at 1:05 p.m., Dr. Yoshitaro WAKIMURA, President, taking the chair. Ninety-two members were present, and the following communications were made:

- The journey of M^{me} de Staël in Germany and Goethe Toshio SUGI, M. J. A.
 Recent development of the criminal justice in the United Kingdom Shigemitsu DANDO, M. J. A.
 Japanese isolates of the non-A, non-B hepatitis viral genome show sequence variations from the original isolate in the U.S.A. Nobuyuki KATO, Showgo OHKOSHI, and Kunitada SHIMOTOHNO
 Communicated by Takashi SUGIMURA, M. J. A.
 Evolution of rhodopsin supergene family. Independent divergence of visual pigments in vertebrates and insects and possibly in mollusks Naoyuki IWABE, Kei-ichi KUMA, Naruya SAITOU, Motoyuki TSUDA, and Takashi MIYATA
 Communicated by Motoo KIMURA, M. J. A.
 Insulin receptor phosphorylates gizzard smooth muscle myosin light chain *in vitro* Hiromi TAKANO-OHMURO, Kazuhiro KOHAMA, Satish KATHURIA, and Yoko FUJITA-YAMAGUCHI
 Myosin I-like protein in gizzard smooth muscle Yuan LIN, Hiromi TAKANO-OHMURO, and Kazuhiro KOHAMA
 Potentiometric studies on calcium and magnesium binding by bullfrog skeletal muscle troponin C. Potentiometric titration curves Masamoto IMAIZUMI, Masaru TANOKURA, and Kazuhiro YAMADA
 Potentiometric studies on calcium and magnesium binding by bullfrog skeletal muscle troponin C. Effect of proton on binding of calcium and magnesium Masamoto IMAIZUMI, Masaru TANOKURA, and Kazuhiro YAMADA
 Isolation of dystrophin in denatured form from rabbit skeletal muscle myofibrils Takashi MURAYAMA, Sumiko KIMURA, Teruo SHIMIZU, and Koscak MARUYAMA
 Above five, communicated by Setsuro EBASHI, M. J. A.
 A characterization for paracompactness . . R. H. PRICE and J. C. SMITH
 Weyl's type criterion for general distribution mod 1 Masumi NAKAJIMA and Yukio OHKUBO
 A remark on the class-number of the maximal real subfield of a cyclotomic field Hiroyuki OSADA
 Above three, communicated by Shokichi IYANAGA, M. J. A.
 On a certain invariant of a finite unitary reflection group Hiroaki TERAOKA
 Communicated by Kunihiko KODAIRA, M. J. A.

After a recess during which the members present met in their respective Sections, the General Meeting was resumed for business transactions.

First, the President announced that Dr. Shizuo BAN, M. J. A., had passed away on October 13, 1989; Dr. Shiro KIYOMIYA, M. J. A., on

October 22, 1989; Dr. Tomohei TANIGUCHI, M. J. A., on November 8, 1989. The members rose from their seats in silence, expressing profound sense of grief.

Next, Dr. Motoo KIMURA, M. J. A., paid a tribute of admiration to the late Dr. Sajiyo MAKINO's meritorious services to academic circles.

Then, the Chairmen of both Sections made reports of the matters dealt with at the respective Sectional Meetings.

Finally, the President reported that the eleventh meeting of the Japan Academy Public Lectures was opened to the public in the Academy Auditorium at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 21, with Dr. Atsushi KOBATA, M. J. A., and Dr. Ryuichi HIRANO, M. J. A., as speakers, whose respective subjects were:

“On the History of Money in Japan—Before the Establishment of the Monetary System in the Edo Period—”

“Characteristics of Japanese Criminal Procedure”

The Meeting adjourned at 5:05 p.m.

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