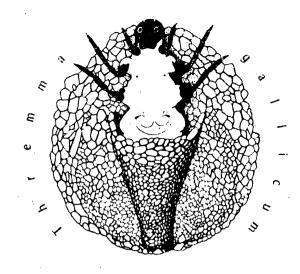
5th International Symposium on Trichoptera Lyon, 21 _ 26 July 1986

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Dear Colleague,

You are cordially invited to participate in the 5th International Symposium on Trichoptera which will convene at Claude Bernard University from Monday morning, 21st July, through Saturday noon, 26th July 1986.

Lyon is located in the south-east of France about 460 km south-east of Paris and 150 km to the west of Geneva. The city is situated at the confluence of the Rhône and the Saône rivers and has a population of 500,000. The population of the greater Lyon area is about 1,000,000 inhabitants.

Temperature usually ranges between 16°C and 32°C (average about 24°C for the month). Relative humidity is about 50%. Precipitation is generally in the form of thunderstorms (average 66 mm for the month).

Access from overseas to Lyon can be made through Paris. From there the TGV (high speed passenger train) will carry participants to Lyon in 2 hours. Once in Lyon the University campus is easily reached by bus and subway (metro). For those arriving from European cities it is possible, in some cases, to fly directly to Lyon. A short trip by bus and metro will take these participants to the University.

The possibilities for accommodation are various : in student halls of residence located near the campus or in hotels which are a short distance from the University.

The Symposium will be held at the Scientific University of LYON I which is located at Villeurbanne, a city close to Lyon. As in previous Symposia, there will be both oral communications and a poster display. The latter will remain exposed throughout the Symposium. The official language will be English, but, of course, French may be used. Oral presentation will be limited to 15 minutes. Publication of the proceedings of the Symposium is anticipated.

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Field trips are planned, first to the Pilat massif (at the eastern edge of the Massif Central: an old crystalline massif) and secondly to the Alps ("young" calcareous mountains). A practical workshop in the field on the sampling of Trichontera in the Rhône river is also planned.

An auxiliary program for guests will include visits to roman ruins, medieval and renaissance quarters in Lyon and also to the Gallo-Roman, textile and silk spinning museums. Short trips to the medieval village of Perouges, the gothic church of Brou and the ornithological park at Villars-les-Dombes will also take place.

Other additional information will be given in the second circular together with registration forms for the Symposium and details of presentation, demonstration and accommodation.

After Sericostoma italicum, Macrostemum carolina, the symbol of this Symposium will be Thremma gallicum Mc Lachlan (probably, in this case, the sub-species T. gallicum arvernense Giudicelli 1971).

Sincerely yours

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PHOTOGRAPHY OF LARVAL TRICHOPTERA

For the past two years or so I have been involved with photographing the larvae of the North American genera and species. Many North American colleagues like Dr. G.B. Wiggins have been kindly providing their help and efforts to supply me with unique larval forms. Without this help, this work would not be possible. While this work continues, I would like to obtain larval and case material from the European area. There are four families that I would like to concentrate on at the present time. European larvae from these families would also complement my current work on the North American species of these families.

Phryganeidae (<u>Trichostegia</u>, <u>Oligotricha</u>, <u>Hagenella</u>, <u>Agrypnetes</u>, <u>Holostomis</u>, <u>Agrypnia</u>, <u>Phryganea</u>)

Goeridae (<u>Larcasia</u>, <u>Lithax</u>, <u>Silonella</u>, <u>Silo</u>, <u>Goera</u>)

Beraeidae (<u>Beraeamyia</u>, <u>Beraeodina</u>, <u>Beraeodes</u>, <u>Beraea</u>, <u>Ernodes</u>)

Odontoceridae (Odontocerum)

I would be most grateful for as many or as few last instar larvae and cases as colleagues are willing to provide. When work is completed on each family perhaps slides could be made available for purchase. Efforts will be made to continue on to additional families in the future. I greatly appreciate any help that our European colleagues are willing to give.

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