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Having already made his name in the field of corrosion in England before moving to Israel some 40 years ago, John White, over the years has left his mark in industry and university, in the development of standards and the management of conferences, in the defense establishment and in research, as a speaker, writer, teacher and advisor.

He received his B.Sc. at the Royal College of Science, University of London and was a Fellow of the Royal Society of Chemistry. His work in corrosion in the Royal Navy Scientific Service during World War II and his leadership in developing the basis for materials protection in laboratories throughout Israel bore witness to his dedication.

Internationally recognized as a significant contributor to the science and technology of paints, it is doubtful that there is a senior scientist or worker in the field of corrosion anywhere in the country who doesn't owe him a debt of appreciation. His knowledge was wide and deep, his humour was infectious, his friendship was dear, his loss is deeply felt and his memory will last a very long time.

He was, in the midst of preparing and collating material for the paper on paints which appears in this issue, when he passed away on February 11, 1987.

