Thank you Max. I wonder if we could have Zane Palmer and Dale Huffman up here? All of us realize, I think, the great power that is vested in us as teachers in the field of Meat Science. In teaching we mold the mind of the future. Many new things are in the wind for teaching in general. Many of these things that we see coming are new tools for teaching, such as books, visual aids, the use of television, and many other gadgets, if you'd like to call them that. In addition, we also must look forward to new kinds of students. Students that many of us are going to be facing in the future are not the same kind of students that we were, nor are they the same kind of students that we know today. And so the Resident Teaching Committee, who prepared this part of the program, have given some thought to the student in the future, and what we will use to teach him. One of the most important factors in any teaching is the use of a good reference or textbook. And we thought that we might direct some of our attention to textbooks for Meat Science. You will notice in the program that there is a question mark back of that, because in our minds there are a great number of questions as to the kind of book, the content of it and so on. We thought that we would get one of the most outstanding speakers in this area, since he has demonstrated his ability in education. Our first speaker is very well known to this group, since he received his Ph.D. from Wisconsin under Dr. Elvehjem, has been very influential in the research work that was done at the American Meat Institute, and was the first editor of the Science of Meat and Meat Products that many of us have used. I understand that he has been presently engaged in revising this book, and so we thought that he would be quite up-to-date and quite well-qualified to discuss the title that we have given him -- "Textbooks for Meat Science?" It is with a great deal of pleasure for me to introduce to you Dr. B. S. Schweigert, Head of the Department of Food Science at Michigan State University.