A communiqué from the Eastern Central Region tells us that Paul Leasure, who has recently taken a new position in Cincinnati, is working towards his Master’s Degree in Biology at the University of Cincinnati.

A group of twenty-five dialysis technicians from the Seattle area have shown a great deal of concern and interest in the Society. There has been much correspondence with our officers.

Chris Frye writes that she is expecting great activity in the Canadian Chapter, particularly in the area of education. She plans on working closely with Pierre Morin, our present vice-president in charge of certification and education, in this program.

Mrs. Elaine Streetar tells us that her dialysis unit was featured on local television during a recent celebration and open house. She is head nurse at Methodist Hospital in Saint Louis Park, Minnesota.
San Francisco, what a town! In what was one of the most successful, best attended national meetings this past July, members from as far away as Boston and New York traveled to the Golden Gate City.

Names Make News

Each issue this section will be here to tell of your doings, both professional and personal. As the headline says, "names make news". However, we need your help! If you have done something—or know of someone in AmSECT who has—let us know. Send your Names and Faces items to your Journal of Extra-Corporeal Technology, 287 E. Sixth St., St. Paul, Minnesota 55101.

Gene Bilden, out in Seattle, is recuperating from a case of hepatitis. John Jeffers, also a dialysis technologist from Minneapolis, was similarly afflicted earlier in the summer. Is this an occupational hazard among dialysis personnel?

Our national secretary, Rose Litturi from Cleveland, is still on the mend from an ankle injury received shortly after the San Francisco meeting.

Regional meetings were the order of season during September and October. Calvin Scott hosted a session in Los Angeles while Kathryn Hargesheimer and Pierre Morin worked very hard with their preparations in New Orleans and Halifax, respectively. The annual dinner meeting of the Northern Midwest Chapter was held in Saint Paul in early November. There was a fine turn-out, thanks to the efforts of Mrs. Elaine Streeter.