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Synthesis from newspaper yields tenfold return

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Zbigniew J. Witczak of Wilkes University, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., revealed a synthesis of economic interest during the recent ACS national meeting in Washington, D.C. At the Division of Carbohydrate Chemistry's Wolfson-Isbell Symposium on Aug. 20, Witczak mentioned preparing the compound levoglucosenone from the Sunday edition of the *New York Times*.

You can buy the compound for \$25.75 per g, Witczak reported, and he can make perhaps 10 g from the Sunday *Times*, a return of about 10 times the cost of the paper. With this, an audience member remarked that the yield from the *Wall Street Journal* is greater.

Provider Communications Piece."

• Miscellaneous/other: Merit award. "Pre-Sale Enrollment Wrap."

• Radio advertising: Merit award. "Interviews."

Team members include Connie Jewett, Paula Polachek, Alyson Kolojechick, Bill Conway, Cristan Strus, Lily Shahley, Jeanine Luby, Ann Poepperling, Jennifer Timchak and Karen Mercincavage. Assistance was provided by Lavelle Murray Advertising and Bertoldi Design.

Seminars

MERCY WILKES-BARE: The hospital recently presented a seminar on new developments in a multidisciplinary team approach to congestive heart failure. Participating in the program were Karen Papi, presenter; Joyce Chmil, education coordinator; Dr. Gerald Maloney, presenter, Kathleen Hirthler, education coordinator; and Maura Osborne, presenter.

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WILKES UNIVERSITY: Dr. Zbigniew J. Witczak, associate professor of Phar-

maceutical Sciences (medicinal chemistry) at the Nesbitt School of Pharmacy recently presented the lecture, "Thiodisaccharides: Biological Relevance as New Potential Therapeutics," at the 19th National Meeting of the American Chemical Society in San Francisco.

He also served as chairman and organizer of the 21st Century ACS Symposium, "Carbohydrate Synthons in Natural Products Synthesis" and presented a second lecture on "New Functionalized Synthons from Levoglucosenone, Isolevoglucosenone and L-Arabinose."

Noteworthy

STATE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION AT DALLAS: Four correctional officers have been recognized for completing 20 years service with the department. They are Ed Meikrantz, Ed Piekara, Ed Vandermark and Allan Hobbs.

ENCON: Joseph Gregorowicz has been named Employee of the Month for May.