

From the Editor's Desk



This issue of Indian Welding Journal is the fourth and the last in the year 1990.

During the year, we have tried to publish a wide range of topics covering the needs of both the individual and industrial members. The selection included technical papers in welding research, education, applications, standards and also abstracts of documents from International Institute of Welding. In addition, the publications covered current topics, up-to-date reviews and survey reports re-printed from several journals of repute from abroad. I sincerely hope that readers have found these useful.

Following this trend, I think there is a need to provide more emphasis in selecting technical papers of Indian origin which will describe the Indian scenario in greater depth. The output of Indian Commissions working under the Technical Committee in this respect could be better utilised. Certain actions have been proposed to be taken during the next Technical Committee meeting at Bombay and I hope, more publications would be forthcoming from the Indian Technical Commissions. This would be in addition to the on going work on the abstracts of the documents from International Institute of Welding which we are receiving from the Chairman of the individual Technical commission and are being published regularly.

Wishing you a Happy New Year.



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