

Welcome to Our Conference

70 Years of Food Safety
Through Education



The History of our Organization

Founded in 1951



Our Roots are in Milk



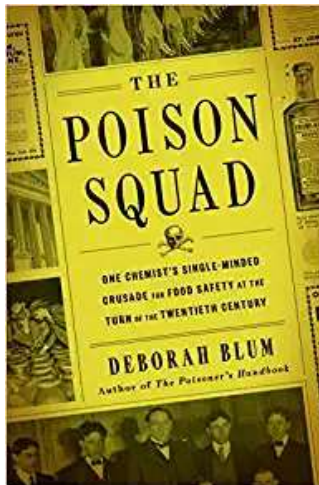
January 1, 1910

New York Requires Pasteurization of Milk

As cities began to industrialize, milk production and distribution became more unsanitary. This was the cause of many milkborne diseases, which were commonly fatal. Unsanitary milk caused illnesses such as typhoid fever, scarlet fever, and diphtheria. In 1910, the New York City Board of Health issued an order requiring the pasteurization of milk in hopes of reducing pathogens and diseases in milk. Other states followed throughout the next decade.



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Harvey Washington Wiley,
M.D. Image courtesy of [U.S.
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1911 – Milwaukee, WI

- In 1911 a group of men, that had a mutual interest in the improvement of the sanitary production and distribution of milk and its products the US gathered in Milwaukee, Wisconsin to review the sanitary problems in the dairy industry and devise a procedure to correct the distribution of unsanitary dairy products world wide.
- Many cities and states had passed regulations requiring that sanitary procedures and conditions be followed in order to prevent the spread of disease, but not standardized
- The goal of the group was to standardize, and the International Association of Dairy and Milk Inspectors was organized.
- The first United States "Pure Food and Drug Law" had just been passed and the need for such an organization as this was needed to assist the industry in the teaching and training of the methods necessary to comply with these new laws.
- The first Annual Convention to begin this process was held in 1912



1930's – Affiliates were Established

- Original Name of IAFP – "The International Association of Dairy and Milk Inspectors"
- The Journal of Milk Technology was the official publication in 1937
- In 1938 – the associations name was changed to the International Association of Milk Sanitarians



Continued Change and Growth of the Organization

- In 1941 The International Association of Dairy and Milk Inspectors grew to 1146 members from 43 states & a few foreign counties
- In 1947 - to further include Food and Restaurant sanitarians, name changed to International Association of Milk & Food Sanitarians (IAMFS), with additional of "Environmental" (IAMFES) in 1963
- In 1996 - Changed to International Association for Food Protection



**Now -
more
about
WAFP**

Washington Association for Food Protection

EST. 1951





Les Jenne - Our 1st President (1951)

Now More About WAFP (or is it WAFFP?)

- The Dairy Institute - 1951 Meeting in Pullman
- Our Affiliate was established - originally known as the Washington Milk Sanitarians Association





WAFP - 1951 - 1990

Joint Venture between Regulatory,
Educators and Industry



The 1st Annual Meeting was held in Pullman in conjunction with the WA Dairy Institute in 1951



The state was divided into 4 sections

Traveling Speakers would travel to each section to educate



Numerous Committees (Laboratory Methods, 3-A, Standards)



Quarterly Newsletters were initiated



WAFP - Today

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WAFP has grown to include other industries besides just Dairy



We continue to grow the WAFP Luedcke Scholarship
Fund to WSU-UI Food Science undergrad students



We have one annual meeting (Yakima, Wenatchee, Chelan)

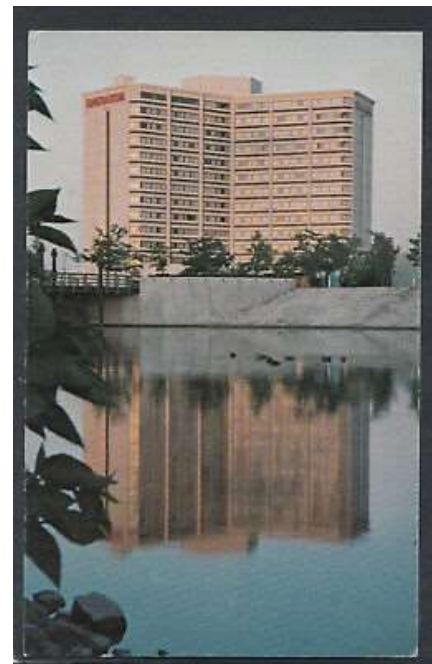


Website and Social Media

WAFP to Host International Meetings!



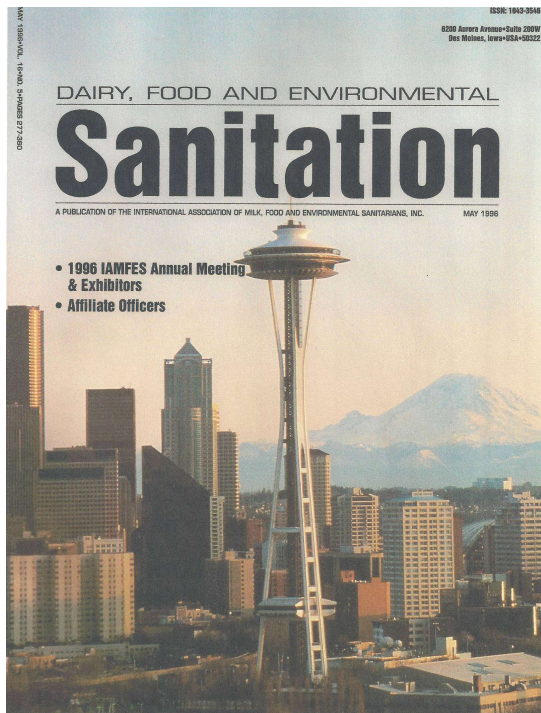
43rd Annual Convention September 1956
Olympic Hotel Seattle, WA



Annual Convention August 9 - 13th 1981
Sheraton - Spokane



1996 Annual Meeting – Seattle, WA



June 30 – July 3rd, 1996 – Sheraton Hotel and Towers Seattle, WA

Lots of HARD work by many WMFSA affiliate members. Over \$10,000 proceeds most of which was transferred into the Scholarship fund



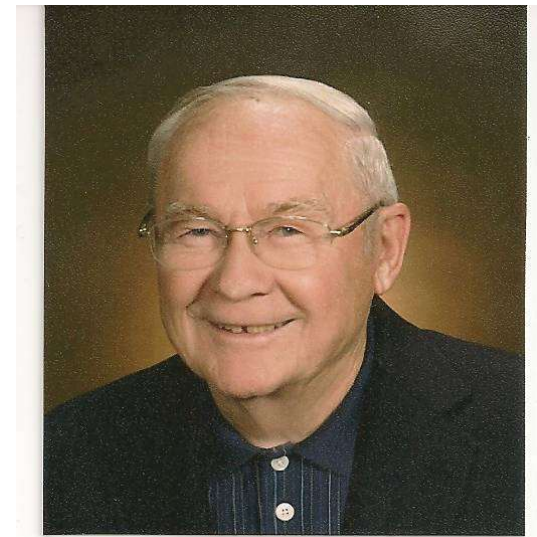
Some of my Mentors

- Dr. Luedecke joined the organization in 1962, when he became a faculty member at WSU
- Served as President 1971-72
- Secretary-Treasurer 1973 - 1998 25 Years!
- After his passing in 2014 - WAFP, the Luedecke Family and others created the Endowed Scholarship



Some of my Mentors

- Bill Brewer joined in 1953 and stayed active with our organization
- Started working for Mayflower Farms (now known as Darigold) in 1950 as a lab technician
- 68 Years of membership with IAFP
- Served as President of WAFP twice 1976 and 2008
- Secretary-Treasurer 1998 - 2005
- IAFP Honorary Life Membership Award - 2006
- Served as Co-chair for the 1996 International Meeting



Bill Brewer Today



Thanks for your
time, and Have
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