

BOOK REVIEW

Woelm-Mitteilungen AL 9: Aluminiumoxide WOELM zur Chromatographie, Ausgewählte Literatur, M. Woelm, Eschwege, 1961, 32 pages.

M. Woelm (Eschwege) have been for some time the manufacturers of a special brand of alumina for chromatography. The present pamphlet is a selection of abstracts of papers concerning the use of this brand in chromatography.

In each case the names of the authors, their addresses, the complete reference and an abstract of about 10 lines describing specifically the application for the alumina are given. The booklet comprises forty-seven papers and an author and a subject index.

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Announcements

FOUNDING OF THE "SOCIETÀ ITALIANA PER LO
STUDIO DELLE SOSTANZE GRASSE
(THE ITALIAN SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF FATTY MATERIALS)

The "Italian Society for the Study of Fatty Materials" was founded and registered on December 10th, 1960, but the news of its existence had, in fact, already been made known; the Society is established in Milan, Via Lauro, 3. It is directed by the following Officers:

<i>President</i>	Prof. R. RIGAMONTI
<i>Vice President</i>	Dr. Prof. A. PALENI
<i>Members of the Board</i>	Prof. A. FABRIS
	Dr. Prof. A. MONTEFREDINE
	T. N. PLEBANI, Ing.
<i>Secretary</i>	Dr. Prof. G. JACINI

The aims of the Society are purely scientific and cultural, with no thought of pecuniary benefit. The essential purpose is to advance and disclose scientific and technical knowledge regarding fatty materials, as well as to promote meetings and contacts between scientists and technologists interested in all aspects of fatty materials (chemical, biochemical, medical, engineering, bromatologic, cosmetic, etc.).

The Society's deeds and programmes will be published in the monthly magazine edited by the "Stazione Sperimentale Olii e Grassi" (Experimental Station for Fats and Oils), which, in agreement with the Society's objectives, will have a new title starting with the January 1961 issue, namely: "*La rivista italiana delle sostanze grasse*".

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