

Hopper Becomes President, Black Vice President

ELECTION RESULTS, as announced at the Shamrock on April 23, 1956, at the annual meeting of the American Oil Chemists' Society in Houston on the basis of the mail balloting, are as follows: T. H. Hopper, president without opposition, in accordance with the by-laws; H. C. Black, vice president; R. W.



T. H. Hopper

Bates, reelected secretary; A. F. Kapecki, reelected treasurer; and members-at-large: A. R. Baldwin, N. D. Embree, and J. J. Ganucheau. Serving with these seven officers will be four past presidents, to comprise the Governing Board: W. A. Peterson, C. E. Morris, Procter Thomson, and E. M. James.

Mr. Hopper is head of the analytical, physical-chemical, and physics section of the Southern Regional Research Laboratory, New Orleans, La. Dr. Black is associate director of research, Swift and Company, Chicago. Mr. Bates

is assistant refinery superintendent, Armour and Company, Chicago, and Mr. Kapecki is secretary, Wurster and Sanger Inc., Chicago, and secretary-treasurer, Wurster and Sanger International Inc., Chicago.

Dr. Baldwin, who is also chairman of the Journal Committee and editor of the Journal of the American Oil Chemists' Society, is with Cargill Inc., Minneapolis. Dr. Embree is research director for Distillation Products Industries Inc., Rochester, N. Y., and Mr. Ganucheau is district chemist for the Southern Cotton Oil Company, Gretna, La.

Retiring past president from the Governing Board is J. R. Mays Jr., Barrow-Agee Laboratories Inc., Memphis, Tenn.

Members of the Nominating and Election Committee this year have all been from Chicago—C. E. Morris, chairman, Armour and Company; S. S. Fein, Kraft Foods Company; A. A. Rodeghier, Durkee Famous Foods; J. L. Schille, Best Foods; and H. T. Spannuth, Wilson and Company.

N.C.S. to Hold Spring Meeting

THE TENTATIVE DATE for the spring meeting of the Northern California Section is Friday, May 25.

Due to an unforeseen and conflicting engagement of our speaker it is impossible to set the time more definitely, but members will receive individual announcements through the mail within a short time. It is planned to hold the meeting in the East bay.

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H. C. Black



R. W. Bates



A. F. Kapecki



A. R. Baldwin



J. J. Ganucheau



N. D. Embree

H. P. Newton Retires

Col. Harry P. Newton (1940) has retired as chemical consultant to director, Washington Utilization Research Branch, A.R.S., U.S.D.A., and liaison officer with department of defense, Camp Detrick, Frederick, Md., as of March 31, 1956. His new address is Box 526, De Bory, Fla. He has been chairman of the New Orleans spring meeting several times, before going to Maryland.