

## Board Pays Tribute To H. L. Roschen, Who Resigns As Editor

The resignation of Harry L. Roschen as editor of the Journal of the American Oil Chemists' Society and as chairman of the Journal Committee was regretfully accepted by the Governing Board of the American Oil Chemists' Society at its meeting in New Orleans on May 3, 1948.

Mr. Roschen's resignation brings to a close 11 years of untiring, unselfish, and unremunerated service, first as assistant editor and later as editor of the Journal of the American Oil Chemists' Society and its predecessor, Oil & Soap, and as chairman of the Journal Committee. Mr. Roschen became associated with the Journal as assistant editor under W. H. Irwin and in 1937 assumed the editorship following Mr. Irwin's death.

Since Mr. Roschen assumed the editorship of the Journal, it has grown from a publication containing 287 pages of editorial material and 47 pages of



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advertising to one containing 426 pages of editorial material and 304 pages of advertising per annum, and a subscription list of more than 3,000. During this period the Journal has undergone several changes in format and has consistently increased in circulation and prestige until it is now the foremost publication in the world devoted exclusively to the interests of the oil, fat, and allied industries.

This improvement and growth in the size and prestige of the Journal has, to a very great degree, been due to the tireless energy and unflinching devotion of Mr. Roschen to the many details devolving upon the editor. It was therefore resolved by the Governing Board:

THAT, the Governing Board of the American Oil Chemists' Society, acting on behalf of the entire membership of the Society, accepts with much regret the resignation of Harry L. Roschen as editor of the Journal of the American Oil Chemists' Society and at the same time extends to him its sincerest thanks and appreciation for the constructive leadership, untiring devotion, and personal sacrifice with which he has for the past 11 years discharged the duties and obligations as editor of this Society's Journal; and further, THAT this resolution shall be spread upon the minutes of this meeting and published in the Journal at the earliest possible date.

Moved by K. S. Markley, seconded by R. R. King, and passed unanimously.

Mr. Roschen was graduated from Carleton College with an A.B. degree in chemistry in 1926. He joined the research laboratories of Swift and Company also in 1926, where he is a research chemist. Mr. Roschen joined the American Oil Chemists' Society in 1933 and, in addition to his service with the Journal, has been a member of the Moisture Committee, 1935-1937; vice president, 1937-1938; and secretary of the Society since 1945.



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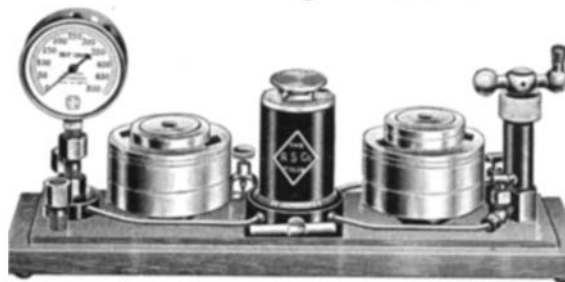
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