

THE COBLENTZ SOCIETY, INC.

February 10, 1967

Mailing #33

I. Dues Notice

Membership dues for 1967 are requested. A form is enclosed for your use. Please detach the membership card, fill in the remaining portion and return it with your check for \$2.00. Please make your check payable to the Coblentz Society, Inc., and send it to Dr. H. B. Kessler, P. O. Box 730, Norwalk, Connecticut.

II. Election of New Members to the Board of Management

This year Dr. Robert S. McDonald and Professor John Overend have completed their terms of office on the Board of Management. A. Lee Smith will continue to serve on the Board as Past President.

The candidates for this year's election to the Board of Management, selected by the Nominating Committee, are as follows:

Dr. C. L. Angell, Union Carbide
Dr. R. E. Kagarise, National Science Foundation
Dr. S. Krimm, University of Michigan.

Please vote for two on the enclosed ballot and mail promptly to Dr. H. B. Kessler. All ballots received before March 3 will be counted.

III. Board Meeting

The Board of Governors will meet at 1:30 p. m., Wednesday, March 8, 1967, in the Oliver Room of the Penn-Sheraton Hotel, Pittsburgh. Items for consideration by the Board should be submitted to the President or members of the Board prior to this meeting.

IV. 1967 Coblentz Award

The winner of the 1967 Coblentz Award is Professor Peter Krueger, Head of the Chemistry Department, University of Calgary, who is now serving as visiting scientist to the National Research Council, Ottawa.

At Calgary, Professor Krueger has been very actively building a major center for chemical spectroscopy and devoting considerable activity towards improving chemical education. In spectroscopy, some of his outstanding work has been the study of hydrogen bonding in alcohols and the conformational effects in hydrogen bonding of such molecules as ethylene glycol. This followed the earlier work with Thompson on the correlation of infrared intensities with chemical reactivity.

V. Coblentz Society Meetings at Pittsburgh

Thursday, March 9, 1967

The Urban Room, Penn-Sheraton Hotel

1:30 p. m. - Van Zandt Williams Memorial Symposium,
A. Lee Smith, Presiding.

8:00 p. m. - Open Discussion Meeting.

VI. Infrared Subcommittee

Dr. A. Lee Smith has requested we announce the availability of the minutes of the Infrared Subcommittee to the Joint Committee. These may be obtained by writing to Dr. Smith or Dr. W. J. Potts, Chairman of the Infrared Subcommittee, at the Dow Corning Corporation, Midland, Michigan, or to Dr. L. E. Kuentzel, Wyandotte Chemical Corporation, Wyandotte, Mich.