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DECEMBER MEETING

Subject: CONTROL OF THE ENDOCRINE GLANDS IN MAN BY FEEDING CERTAIN PURE CHEMICALS

Speaker: Dr. Arthur W. Martin, University of Washington

Place: Bagley Hall, Room 140; University of Washington Campus

Time: Dinner at 6:30 P.M.; Address at 8:00 P.M.

Date: 8 P.M. Tuesday, December 18, 1945.

Dinner Reservations: Dinner at 6:30 P.M. at the Chalet, corner 15th Ave. NE and 42nd. Price about \$1.50. Phone your reservations to MEIrose 0630, Local 439, not later than 5:00 P.M., Monday December 17, 1945.

Dr. Martin was born and brought up in the Puget Sound country and took his under graduate training at the College of the Puget Sound. For his graduate work, he was at Stanford University from 1931 to 1936 from which institution he received the degree of Ph. D. His research at Stanford was in the field of physiology and he came to the University of Washington in 1937. He has continued research in this field and has published a number of papers describing his findings. He is now associate professor of physiology at the University and will have some interesting comments upon the above subject which recalls to your uninformed editor the enigmatic monkey gland discussions of old. Come on and hear the answers.

ACS NOMINATIONS:

At the November meeting, the Nominating Committee submitted its recommended slate of officers of the Section for the 1946 as follows: Chairman, Mr. T. S. Hodgins; Vice-Chairman, Mr. Herbert Erickson; Secretary-Treasurer, Joseph L. McCarthy; Councilors; Victoriano Severts, Walter R. Gailley, and George Cady. The Chairman called for nominations from the floor. There were none. It was moved, seconded, and passed that nominations be closed. Thus the above members of the Section will serve as officers for the coming year beginning January 1, 1946.

THE MAGNUSON BILL:

Further urgent letters have been received from the ACS national office requesting that ACS members interested in this legislation write to each of the following, addressing letters to the Congressional Office Buildings, Washington D.C.: Senators Warren G. Magnuson, Senator Harley S. Kolgore, and the other representatives in Congress of the State of Washington. Members writing, if such is their sympathy, should state that they (1) favor passage of the original Magnuson Bill and oppose replacing the common and well-understood terminology "mathematical, physical and biological sciences" in the Magnuson Bill with the vague and nebulous term "natural sciences, as appears in the Committee Print S. 2385. (3) favor dealing with "social sciences" and patent policy in entirely separate legislation, (4) favor administration of the proposed Foundation by a responsible and authoritative board of very competent individuals, at least the majority of whom are mature scientists and engineers, (5) favor reinstatement in the Magnuson Bill of the administrative Division II for "mathematical, physical, and biological sciences". Information re the Bills will be found in recent issues of News, Chem. and Met.; Science etc.

YOU WILL BE AFFECTED: STUDY THIS MATTER AND TELL YOUR CONGRESSMAN WHAT YOU THINK-NOW.

PSCTS BULLETIN:

About ten members, only, have signified their desire to receive this Bulletin, another sample of which is enclosed herewith. Present arrangement is to forward this Bulletin to those members of the Section from whom the sum of thirty cents is received to cover cost of printing and mailing twelve issues. So please send your thirty cents to your secretary at University of Washington, if you wish to receive the bulletin hereafter.