

Green Coffee Trade of New York

☞ Telling of the Green Coffee Association and other interests of the importers, jobbers, brokers, and commission houses.

GREEN COFFEE ASSN. ANNUAL

Philip R. Nelson Is Re-elected President—Other Selections Include Members of Board of Directors, Adjudication and Nominating Committees

At the annual meeting of the Green Coffee Association of New York City held on September 11th, Philip R. Nelson of Ruffner, McDowell &



Mr. Philip R. Nelson

Burch, Inc., was re-elected President; Richard Hole, Jr., Vice-president; Fred H. Koeppel, Treasurer. The nominating committee included C. A. Mackey, chairman; W. L. Korbin, F. C. Russell, F. W. Ehrhard, and W. B. Carswell. The following members to serve on the Board of Directors for two years were elected: Berent Friele, Walter W. Voebel, Theodore Pfeil, H. H. Snider, E. J. Burke, Jr., B. K. Schaefer, and A. L. Ransohoff. Members of the Adjudication Committee chosen are F. H. Silence, A. H. Barklie, Leon Taffae, H. A. Ahrens, E. J. Finnegan, C. A. Hart, F. N. Van Horn, and W. B. Carswell. Members of Nominating Committee for next year: L. A. Wetzelsberger, W. H. Lee, M. M. Mangual, C. H. Stoffregen, and S. A. Schonbrunn.

JOIN GREEN COFFEE ASSOCIATION

Jacobus F. Frank, agent for shippers, 132 Front St., Roesling Monroe & Co., brokers at 99 Wall St., and Sino Java Handelsvereening, Inc., agents for shippers, 106 Wall St., have been received into membership of the Green Coffee Association of New York City.

COFFEE EXCHANGE NOTES

At a meeting of the Board of Managers held on September 5th Charles K. Dickson and Daniel E. Wade were elected to membership in the New York Coffee & Sugar Exchange. Mr. Dickson

is a member of Tucker, Anthony & Co. and Mr. Wade is a partner of Wade-Freeman & Co., New York.

Mr. A. H. Barklie has been appointed on the Coffee Spot Quotation Committee to replace A. L. Owen who recently sold his membership on the Exchange.

F. E. NORTZ VISITS BRAZIL

Made Extended Trip in Europe and Brazil—His Son, Paul, Member of U. S. Coffee Delegation, To Be Back in October

F. EUGEN NORTZ, of Nortz & Co., coffee brokers, New York, returned from a visit to Europe and Brazil, on the "Southern Cross,"



Mr. F. Eugen Nortz

September 13th. He made the trip from Europe to Brazil by Zepelin, reaching Brazil on August 9th. Subsequently he spent some time there investigating coffee conditions in company with his son, Paul, who was a member of the U. S. coffee delegation, which left New York on July 21st. The son will not return to New York until October. Mr. Nortz, Sr., is a recognized authority on coffee market conditions and his letters on this subject are closely followed and widely quoted.

F. Eugen Nortz was born in Palatinate Province, Germany, in 1867. His father and ancestors were famous wine growers, but young Nortz decided to follow a commercial career. In 1883, at the age of 16, he went to Mannheim, Germany, to serve his apprenticeship in the coffee importing firm of Franz Loës. In 1886, Mr. Nortz went to Le Havre, joining the firm of Ferd. Kronheimer, coffee importers. At that time coffee was going through a period of depression, as it is at present.

In 1901, Mr. Nortz established his own company in Le Havre, under the name of Nortz & Co. When the war broke out in 1914, Mr. Nortz, having retained his German citizenship, left France, com-