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TECHNICAL ABSTRACTS

By M. EDWIN O'NEILL

Bibliography on Spectrochemical Analysis—Laboratory technicians who utilize spectrographic analyses in their investigations will be interested in a comprehensive bibliography of books and papers on this subject which has just appeared. This publication, entitled "Index to the Literature on Spectrochemical Analysis," was compiled by W. F. Meggers and B. F. Scribner, of the National Bureau of Standards, and published by the American Society for Testing Materials. The index covers the period 1920-1937, inclusive, and contains 932 entries on various phases of analysis. The literature citations are arranged in chronological order, and in alphabetical order of authors for each calendar year. A detailed index to the citations is also included. The volume consists of 65 pages, in a heavy paper cover, 6 by 9 inches. Copies may be obtained at \$1.00, each, from the American Society for Testing Materials, 260 S. Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

LEGAL DECISIONS

By FRED E. INBAU

Blood Grouping Tests—In the recent case of *State v. Wright*, 59 Ohio App. 191, 17 N. E. (2d) 428 (1938), involving a bastardy proceeding, the court held that there was no error in admitting evidence as to the result of blood grouping tests, nor in permitting an expert to render an opinion as to the result of the tests, nor in permitting an expert to render an opinion as to the impossibility of the defendant being the father of the complainant's child.