



CHARLES G. WEBER

CHARLES G. WEBER, assistant chief of the Paper Section, National Bureau of Standards, died on January 18, 1949.

He was graduated from the New York State College of Forestry of Syracuse University in 1916, and was a veteran of World War I.

A member of the Bureau's staff for 20 years, Mr. Weber directed researches in papermaking materials and processes, printing, packaging materials, low-cost housing materials, the standardization of testing methods for paper and related products, and the use of motion picture films for records.

During World War II, he assisted the Army Map Service in the development of wet-strength map paper for field use; he was successful in the development of improved methods in multicolor offset printing that greatly reduces losses caused by misregister of the prints. He supervised research on low-cost housing materials in co-operation with the Federal Housing Administration, and at the time of his death, he was directing research on the melamine-resin bonding of offset papers.

Mr. Weber served on standardizing committees of the Technical Association of the Pulp and Paper Industry, the American Society for Testing Materials, and the Society of Motion Picture Engineers. He was a member of the Technical Committee of the Lithographic Technical Foundation, and an Active Member of the SMPE.