

Manufacturing Chemists' Association OF THE UNITED STATES

(FOUNDED 1872)

608 WOODWARD BUILDING

WARREN N. WATSON
SECRETARY

WASHINGTON, D. C.

December 13, 1939

TO MEMBER FIRMS:

In accordance with Article III of the Constitution
and By-Laws, the following application for membership is sub-
mitted to you:

Wishnick-Tumpeer, Inc.,
295 Madison Avenue
New York, N.Y.

manufacturers of asphalt and asphalt specialties, mineral rubber,
lead oleate, zinc stearate and carbon black, with plants located
in Lawrenceville, Illinois, and Borger and Sunray, Texas.

If no objection to this candidate for membership has
been received within thirty days, the Executive Committee is
authorized under the Constitution to elect this candidate as a
member of the Manufacturing Chemists' Association.

WARREN N. WATSON

Secretary

*Write letter and enclosed
Add to printed list of members*

CMA 175247

WISHNICK-TUMPEER, INC.
Manufacturers and Importers



Chemicals · Oils · Pigments
295 MADISON AVE. AT 41ST., NEW YORK
NEW YORK · CHICAGO · CLEVELAND · BOSTON

CABLE ADDRESS: WISHTUM
WORKS: LAWRENCEVILLE, ILL.
BORGER, TEXAS ✓
FOREIGN OFFICE:
6 PORTMAN MANSIONS,
BAKER STREET, LONDON, W.1

PLEASE REFER TO: RIW:L
December 7, 1939.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Mr. Warren N. Watson, Secretary,
Manufacturing Chemists' Association,
608 Woodward Bldg.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Watson:

Referring to your letter of November 21, you suggested we contact Mr. G. W. Merck, Chairman of the Membership Committee. The writer had a very pleasant interview with Mr. Merck and as a result of this meeting we have written to him as per attached copy.

I made inquiry of Mr. Merck as to the dues we would have to pay if we were elected to membership. He referred this inquiry to you and would appreciate your advising just what the amount would be so that if the Membership Committee acts favorably on our application, we will know what our commitment will be.

Thanking you for your cooperation and with kindest regards,

Yours very truly,

R. L. Wishnick

cc Mr. G. W. Merck

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RIN:L
December 7, 1939.

Mr. G. W. Merck, President,
Merck & Co.
161 Sixth Ave.
New York City.

Dear Mr. Merck:

Thank you for the opportunity given me to discuss with you our qualifications for membership in the Manufacturing Chemists' Association.

In line with your suggestion, we are writing this letter submitting the information regarding our company's structure so that you will be in better position to pass on our qualifications.

Our company was originally established as Sobbers in 1920. In the year 1927 we purchased the Pioneer Asphalt Company at Lawrenceville, Illinois and kept it as a separate operating unit but about two or three years ago this plant was absorbed in our own company's operations and is now definitely a Wisniewski-Tumpeier plant, producing asphalt specialties and some few chemical products.

Our company has recently completed a plant located at 6200 W. 51 St. Chicago. This plant is now in operation producing asphalt specialties. We are also erecting a complete Development Laboratory on this plant site and contemplate utilizing these facilities to increase our chemical manufacturing operations at this Chicago plant.

In addition to the above, Wisniewski-Tumpeier, Inc. together with the undersigned and the Messrs. Tumpeier individually, own a half interest in the following companies -

Continental Carbon Company, plant located at Sunray, Texas. (The other half is owned jointly by Continental Oil Company and The Shamrock Oil and Gas Corporation.)

Panhandle Carbon Co. Inc. plant located at Borger, Texas. (The other half is owned by the Phillips Petroleum Company.)

If there is any further information you care to have about our operations, we shall be pleased to furnish it to you.

With kindest regards,

Yours very truly,

CMA 175249

cc Mr. W. H. Watson