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NEW YORK, OCTOBER 22, 1963 - Thomas F. Owens has been elected
 a director and member of the executive committee of National Lead Com-
 pany, succeeding Joseph H. Reid, who has retired. Mr. Owens is treasurer
 of National Lead Company, a director of The Baker Castor Oil Company and
 Titanium Metals Corporation of America and a member of Lower Manhattan
 Advisory Board of Chemical Bank New York Trust Company.

Mr. Owens joined National Lead's accounting department in 1934
 and became assistant secretary of the company in 1948 and assistant comp-
 troller in 1951. He was elected treasurer in 1961.

Mr. Owens is a graduate of New York University and Fordham
 Law School. He is a member of the New York City Advisory Board of Public
 Welfare, New York Bar Association, New York County Lawyers Association
 and Bankers Club of America.

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