

self-respect more than any other kind of propaganda, and on this platform, your crusade for better things in pharmacy must stand or fall!

If you succeed, as I sincerely hope and trust, you will be a new "Saveur de Societe" as they termed it in the time of Napoleon III; if you fail, you will have sacrificed your ease and comfort for the sake of a noble cause and will be crucified on the cross of quackery, dishonor and charlatantry.

The A. Ph. A., for over half a century the valiant standard bearer for clean, decent, honest pharmacy, should be the rallying ground for American Pharmacists, and if, like in the days of 1861, we could sing: "We are coming, father Beal, 50,000 strong," you would have an army that would sway everything before it!

There never was a breath of suspicion of quackery raised against this noble association, for which you wage warfare, and whether there is immediate return for the \$5.00 dues in sight or not, it should be the duty of every self-respecting pharmacist loving his cause to join this army and contribute his mite, no matter how small and humble, to the victory of the future. If the cause of the A. Ph. A. does not conquer, pharmacy will be one of the lost arts! With the warriors of our militant N. A. R. D. fighting for a decent living, decent hours, decent rest, and the A. Ph. A. for decent pharmacy, I behold the dawn of a new morn.

W. BODEMANN.

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## U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH AND MARINE HOSPITAL SERVICE.

### RECENT CHANGES IN PHARMACISTS' ASSIGNMENTS.

Brown, F. I., Pharmacist. Relieved from duty at the Marine Hospital, Chelsea, Mass., and directed to report to the medical officer in command at the Marine Hospital, Vineyard Haven, Mass., for duty and assignment to quarters. April 29, 1912.

Thurston, E. J., Pharmacist. Upon the arrival of Pharmacist O. C. Cannon, relieved from duty at the Marine Hospital, Chicago, Ill., and directed to report to the medical officer in command of the Marine Hospital, Evansville, Ind., for duty and assignment to quarters. April 29, 1912.

Troxler, R. F., Pharmacist. Upon the arrival of Pharmacist E. J. Thurston, relieved from duty at the Marine Hospital, Evansville, Ind., and directed to report to the medi-

cal officer in command of the Marine Hospital, San Francisco, Cal., for duty and assignment to quarters. April 29, 1912.

Cannon, C. C., Pharmacist. Upon the arrival of Pharmacist F. L. Brown, relieved from duty at the Marine Hospital, Vineyard Haven, Mass., and directed to report to the medical officer in command of the Marine Hospital, Chicago, Ill., for duty and assignment to quarters. April 29, 1912.

Granted 20 days' leave of absence from May 10, 1912.

Bierman, C. H., Pharmacist. Upon arrival of Pharmacist J. L. Osborn, relieved from duty at Baltimore, Md., and directed to report to the medical officer in command, Marine Hospital, Portland, Me., for duty and assignment to quarters. May 17, 1912.

Osborn, J. L., Pharmacist. Relieved from duty at Fort Stanton, N. M., and directed to report to the medical officer in command, Marine Hospital, Baltimore, Md., for duty and assignment to quarters. May 17, 1912.

Granted five days' leave of absence enroute to station. May 17, 1912.

Pharmacist M. B. Eldridge resigned, effective May 27, 1912. May 21, 1912.

Irwin, C. H., Pharmacist. Upon arrival of Pharmacist Troxler, relieved from duty at San Francisco quarantine station and directed to report to the medical officer in command, Fort Stanton Sanatorium for duty and assignment to quarters. May 22, 1912.

Troxler, R. F., Pharmacist. Orders dated April 29, 1912, directing him to report to Marine Hospital, San Francisco, Cal., amended so as to direct him to report to the medical officer in command of the San Francisco Quarantine Station for duty and assignment to quarters. May 22, 1912.

Weitgenant, W. W., Pharmacist. Granted three months' leave of absence from June 1, 1912. May 27, 1912.

Pharmacist Julius E. Beck resigned, effective June 7, 1912.

## State Associations

### THE MISSOURI PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

The Mo. Ph. A. held its thirty-fourth annual meeting at Pertle Springs (Warrensburg), June 11-14. It was the eleventh meet-

ing place and the convention voted to meet again at the same place, the second Tuesday in June, 1913.

The register shows 70 members, 62 salesmen, 53 ladies and 3 children, a total of 188. Of those who attended the meeting twenty-five years ago, the following were present this year: J. M. Love, F. R. Dimmitt, Charles L. Wright, William Mittelbach, H. M. Whelpley and George L. Parsons. Of those who took part in the organization meeting in 1879, C. L. Clifford and F. R. Dimmitt were present in 1912. H. M. Whelpley completed his twentieth successive year as Secretary.

Ralph L. Wardin, Nevada, was unanimously nominated for reappointment as a member of the Board of Pharmacy. His term expires July 1.

Treasurer Mittelbach reported a cash balance of \$283.53. Forty-four new members were elected. Seven deaths occurred during the past year.

The A. Ph. A. and the N. A. R. D. were represented by delegates and communications.

A resolution was adopted condemning the action of the Missouri Insurance Commissioner in placing a ban on Druggists' Liability Insurance.

Secretary Charles E. Zinn and President William Mittelbach reported for the Board of Pharmacy which has adopted practical examinations and now requires one year high-school work or its equivalent before taking an examination.

Ed. C. Fritsche, of Leavenworth, represented the Kansas Ph. A. in an interesting address.

Several of the papers were accompanied by demonstrations and illustrations and much time was devoted to practical discussions.

A committee was appointed on the Procter Monument Fund.

A report was made on the Beal Fund, the interest of which is used in paying the dues of the candidate for registration making the highest general average.

It was decided to discontinue giving medals for papers. Prizes were discarded several years ago.

Although Missouri was the first state to urge the attendance of women and children, it does not have an auxiliary. Mrs. H. M. Whelpley directed this feature of the entertainment.

#### MO. PH. A. OFFICERS FOR 1911-12.

President, H. O. A. Huegel, St. Louis.

Honorary President, F. R. Dimmitt, Kansas City.

First Vice President, Jesse E. Koppenbrink, Higginsville.

Second Vice President, Ed. G. Schroers, St. Joseph.

Third Vice President, Dr. E. L. Rhodes, Lincoln.

Treasurer, William Mittelbach, Boonville.

Permanent Secretary, Dr. H. M. Whelpley, St. Louis.

Local Secretary, F. W. Robinson, Warrensburg.

#### COUNCIL.

I. Ben Miller, Cape Girardeau, Chairman.

Leo Suppan, St. Louis, Vice Chairman.

D. V. Whitney, Kansas City, Secretary.

Paul L. Hess, Kansas City, and J. A. Trimble, Butler.

#### THE PAPERS.

1. Castor Oil and Castor Bottle. By J. F. Llewellyn, Mexico, Mo.

2. Crushed Fruits. The Process of Manufacture and Sterilization Against Bacteria. Yeast and Molds. By O. J. Cloughly, St. Louis.

3. Is an Itinerant Association Successful? By Francis Hemm, St. Louis.

4. A Formula for Deodorized Tincture from Deodorized Opium. By Wm. K. Ilhardt, St. Louis.

5. A Poisoning Expert of the Seventeenth Century. By Leo Suppan, St. Louis.

6. The Missouri Pharmacy Law Compared with the Beal Model Law. By William Mittelbach, Boonville, Mo.

7. The Missouri Pharmaceutical Association 1887 Meeting. By Dr. H. M. Whelpley, St. Louis.

8. American Medicine. By J. F. Llewellyn, Mexico, Mo.

9. Analysis of the Missouri Pharmacy Law. By William Mittelbach, Boonville, Mo.

10. The Issues of the Day. By H. O. A. Huegel, St. Louis.

11. The Sale of Poisons. By William Mittelbach, Boonville, Mo.

12. Practical Suggestions. By O. J. Cloughly, St. Louis.

13. The Indian Doctor. By Dr. H. M. Whelpley, St. Louis.

The Missouri Pharmaceutical Travelers' Association held its twenty-first annual meet-

ing and elected the following officers: Bob Grigor, President; Ed. Himburg, First Vice President; O. H. Oestereich, Second Vice President; V. H. Tisdale, Third Vice President; W. R. Adelsperger, Secretary; D. R. Dunavan, Assistant Secretary; Dan Liddy, Treasurer; Andrew E. Holmes, Publicity Representative; C. L. Chittenden, Sergeant-at-Arms.

Council: C. M. Coon (Chairman), Kansas City; Rex Hood, Kansas City; Charles Wagner, St. Louis; Otto P. Meyer, St. Louis. C. L. Chittenden, St. Louis, Charles Wagner, St. Louis, and Ed. Hunter, Kansas City, were appointed as a welcome committee, to cooperate with a similar committee from the Mo. Ph. A. The travelers raise the money for the entertainment, secure the prizes and have charge of the social features at the annual meeting. Wm. H. Lamont is Chairman of the committee.

H. M. WHELPLEY, Secretary.



### ILLINOIS PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

The most striking feature of the recent meeting of the Illinois Pharmaceutical Association at Springfield was the report of the Legislative Committee on the overwhelming vote in favor of the graduation prerequisite. The committee had sent a circular letter to all of the registered pharmacists of the state inviting them to vote upon this subject. Twelve hundred and twelve votes were received—965 in favor of the graduation requirement and 247 opposed, thus putting a quietus on the statement which has been made frequently, that the druggists of Illinois are opposed to the graduation prerequisite.

The Association also adopted resolutions on the death of Mr. Henry Biroth, who was President of the I. Ph. A. during 1881-82, local Secretary at the World's Fair meeting in 1893, and Honorary President of the A. Ph. A., 1912-1913.

The Convention was one of the most successful ever held by the Association. The attendance was large, the sessions harmonious and the entertainments delightful. Much credit for the success of the entertainments and the comfort of the visitors is due the Sangaman County Retail Druggist's Association, who with the Illinois Pharmaceutical Traveler's Association had charge of these features.

The reports of the financial officers showed that the Association is in prosperous condition. Fifty new members were elected at the meeting.

The officers elected are: President, J. H. Wells, Chicago; First Vice President, Ralph E. Dorland, Springfield; Second Vice President, J. A. Reiss, Rock Island; Third Vice President, Paul Grace, West Salem; Secretary, W. B. Day, Chicago; Treasurer, Chris Garver, Bloomington.

The next meeting will be held at Quincy.

W. B. DAY, Secretary.



### Matters of General Interest

#### RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE FEDERATION INTERNATIONALE PHARMACEUTIQUE.

##### NAME AND WHERE ESTABLISHED.

Article 1. On the 5th September, 1910, the Tenth International Pharmaceutical Congress, held at Brussels, resolved at the proposal of "de Nederlandsche Maatschappij ter bevordering der Pharmacie" to the establishment of an International Union, formed out of the National Pharmaceutical Societies, Associations and Companies, and to be known as the "Federation Internationale Pharmaceutique."

The Federation will have its registered Office at the Hague.

##### OBJECT.

Article 2. The object of the Federation is the promotion of Pharmacy, either as profession or as applied science, along international channels.

Article 3. The Federation will endeavor to attain this object by:

1. Collecting data with regard to the pharmaceutical profession in all countries and by supplying information on scientific and practical pharmacy.

2. By promoting uniformity in the qualifications required for education and tuition.

3. By studying the laws regulating the pharmaceutical profession.

4. By giving advice and supplying data with regard to the laws relating to pharmacy.