been brought before the legislatures of 44 States. As usual most of them were drafted by persons ignorant of the meaning and bearing of their contents. Practically all of them have been amended or killed so that but little disastrous or objectionable legislation has passed into law. We are over-legislated in this country. If the existing laws would be studied and codified so that duplications and overlapping statutes would be eliminated and a simple much reduced code of laws produced in its place, then legislation would become more rational and less strenuous in amount. Your committee recommends:

- 1—Adoption of a resolution approving the Model State Narcotic Bill.
- 2—Adoption of a resolution commending appointment of Advisory Alcohol Committee.
- 3--Adoption of a resolution recommending appointment of Industrial Alcohol Commissioner.
 - 4--Adoption of a resolution recommending appointment of Federal Narcotic Commissioner.
- 5-Adoption of a resolution opposing removing Prohibition Commissioner from the supervision and control of Commissioner of Internal Revenue and Secretary of Treasury.
- 6-Adoption of a resolution opposing any movement to eliminate exemption clauses of the Harrison Act.
- 7—Adoption of a resolution opposing any movement to prohibit manufacture and sale of heroin.

Very respectfully submitted, A. R. L. DOHME, Chairman.

ASSOCIATION BUSINESS

AD INTERIM BUSINESS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS. Office of the Secretary, 192 Roseville Ave., Newark, N. J. LETTER NO. 10.

January 8, 1924.

To the Members of the Board of Directors:

47. Publicity for Board Transactions: Motion No. 8 (see item 33, page 20, Letter No. 6) has been carried. The Secretary of the Board will be guided accordingly. A summary of actions taken by the Board at its recent meeting in Washington has been sent to the pharmaceutical journals.

48. Selection of Headquarters Hotel: Motion No. 11 (see item 44, page 34, Letter No. 8) has been carried. The Statler Hotel, Buffalo, will therefore be headquarters for the next meeting. The Secretary of the Board has notified Local Secretary Gregory of the A. Ph. A., Secretary Cooper of the A. C. P. F. and Secretary Christensen of the N. A. B. P. of this action.

- 49. Election of New Members: Motion No. 12 (see item 45, page 34, Letter No. 12) has been carried. The Secretary of the Board has notified the new members of their election.
- 50. Changes in Membership Committee: Secretary Day writes as follows:

"Since I wrote you last in regard to the membership committee, I have discovered that several others of those listed for appointment are no longer members of the Association.

They are as follows:

District No. 4-La.-William August Worner, New Orleans. Texas-J. M. Duggan, San Antonio. District No. 6-Utah-W. H. Dayton, Salt Lake City. District No. 7—Idaho—H. H. Whittlesey,

Pocatello. Washington-G.

Elmer Brown, Spokanc.

"I suggest no action regarding these other than that they be cut off the committee before its publication in the JOURNAL with the exception that a successor should be appointed in place of Mr. Whittlesey as chairman of the Idaho membership committee. I suggest that Roy M. Spargur of Twin Falls be appointed chairman.

"I am sending a copy of this letter to Editor Eberle assuming that my recommendation will be accepted by the Board of Directors and thinking that he may already have set up the list of committees for publication in the next number of the Journal."

If there is no objection within ten days, the suggested changes will be considered as approved and the necessary changes will be made.

51. Proposed Budget for Appropriations for the Year 1924: The Finance Committee through Chairman LaWall submits the following proposed budget for appropriations for the year 1924.

Appropriations for general expenses: No.

No.		
1	Salaries	\$6400.00
2	Printing, postage and station-	
	ery	1000.00
3	Clerical expenses, Secretary's	
•	office	416.00
4	Miscellaneous expenses	200.00
5	-	350.00
	Stenographers	500.00
6	Traveling expenses	
7	Committee on Membership	500.00
S	Committee on Unofficial	100.00
_	Standards	100.00
9	Year Book	6000.00
10	Premium on Treasurer's Bond	62.50
11	Auditing Treasurer's Books	80.00
12	National Drug Trade Con-	
	ference	200.00
13	Scientific Section	25.00
14	Commercial Interests Section.	25.00
15	Practical Pharmacy and Dis-	
_	pensing Section	25.00
16	Education and Legislation	
10	Section	25.00
17	Historical Pharmacy Section.	25.00
	· ·	25.00
18	National Syllabus Committee.	
19	Recipe Book Committee	50.00
20	Local Branch Committee	25.00
21	Drug Trade Board Public In-	202.22
	formation	200.00
22	House of Delegates	100.00
24	Headquarters Building Com-	
	ınittee	100.00
	Total	\$16,433.50
No.		
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25	Association Journal	11,000.00
	(a) Publication \$9500.00	
	(b) Clerical 1000.00	
	(c) Postage &	
	stationery 300.00	
	(d) Freight,	
	Hauling, etc. 200.00	
	\$11,000.00	
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	NT-4:1 The constitute	1000.00
26	National Formulary	
27	Badges and bars	50.00
2 8	Certificates	50.00
	Total	\$12,100.00
	Appropriations for general ex-	
	penses	16,433.50
	Grand total for the year	\$28,533.50
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Motion No. 13. It is moved by LaWall,		

seconded by Fischelis, that the proposed budget for appropriations for 1024 be approved.

52. Progress on A. Ph. A. Recipe Book: Dr. Arny, who had been requested to see Chairman Lascoff of the Committee on Recipe Book and inquire into the progress that has been made by the committee, writes that he has conferred with Mr. Lascoff and ascertained that a total of 706 recipes have been collected by the committee-642 of them prior to 1921 and 64 since 1921. All of these have been printed in the JOURNAL of the Association. The work is now being held up to await U. S. P. and N. F. deletions and Mr. Lascoff plans to present a paper covering the work of the committee at the March meeting of the New York Branch of the A. Ph. A. The matter of an appropriation for editing the "copy" for the Recipe Book (see item 35, Letter No. 6, Page 21) will not be urged at this time.

53. Comments on Changes in Constitution and By-Laws: The thirty days within which members of the Board of Directors were to send to Dr. Beal, comments on proposed changes in constitution and by-laws, based on Dr. Walton's suggestions, have expired and those who have not already done so are urged to send their comments in as soon as possible. Dr. Beal is Chairman of the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

54. Applicants for Membership: The following applications for active membership, accompanied by the first year's dues and proper endorsements, have been received.

No. 226, Lucian Scott Berry, Ashley, Illinois; No. 227, Walter A. Pierho, 4228 N. Winchester Ave., Chicago, Illinois; No. 228, Vahan A. Swajian, 67 Parkhurst Pl. E., Detroit, Michigan; No. 229, Luther M. Mardigian, 13631 Lincoln Ave., Highland Park, Mich.; No. 230, Abe. M. Kulwinsky, 8915 Commercial Ave., So. Chicago, Ill.; No. 231, Howard Harlan Jones, 3405 Fairview Ave., Baltimore, Maryland; No. 232, James A. Dines, 501 Mill Avenue, Tempe, Arizona; No. 233, David P. Kunnboll, 752 E. Welletta St., Phoenix, Arizona; No. 234, Arthur G. Hulett, 318 W. Roosevelt, Phoenix, Arizona; No. 235, E. M. F. Ivey, Warren, Arizona; No. 236, J. B. Weber, Boston & Arizona Ave., Chandler, Arizona; No. 237, Will Marlar, Flagstaff, Arizona; No. 238, Fred W. Ritter, Sun Drug Co., Phoenix, Arizona; No. 239, William L. Toms, 116 Bryant St., Rahway, N. J.; No. 240, Percy O. V. March, 28 Farley Ave., Newark, N. J.; No. 241, Samuel A. Brody, 920 S. Hermitage

Ave., Chicago, Ill.; No. 242, J. R. Bullington, 1515 Wolfe St., Little Rock, Ark.; No. 243, Victor Boggs, Rison, Ark.; No. 244, Mrs. Olive C. Jones, Grannis, Ark.; No. 245, F. M. McDonald, Thornton, Ark.; No. 246, Jesse Roy McWhorter, Hope, Ark.; No. 247, W. B. Smith, Jasper, Ark.; No. 248, Miss Grace M. Parker, De Valls Bluff, Ark.; No. 249, Joe E. Eaton, Shirley, Ark.; No. 250, James N. Wesson, Stephens, Ark.; No. 251, J. M. Simpson, Rector, Ark.; No. 252, John French Crooks, 1217 Lawrence Ave., Chicago, Ill.; No. 253, Joseph Lester Hayman, 55 Carson St., Morgantown, W. Va.; No. 254, Channing W. Harrison, U. S. Food & Drug Station, Park Ave. Bldg., Baltimore, Md.; No. 255, Eugen Albert Pemberton, Jr., 1269 So. 1st St., Louisville, Ky.; No. 256, Isreal Goldman, 130-32nd St., Flatbush, Brooklyn, N. Y.; No. 257, Gustave Berger Swanson, Edmonds, Washington; No. 258, Raymond Nicholson MacLeod, 2449-10th Ave., North Seattle, Wash.; No. 259, William John Blair, 340-18th Ave., Scattle, Wash.; No. 260, Louis Fischer, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 478, Seattle, Wash.; No. 261, Norman Edward Gable, 6059 Cooper Ave., Detroit, Mich.; No. 262, Katie Moy, 1305 Newport Ave., Detroit, Mich.; No. 263, Paul R. Rollins, 627-4th St., Bremerton, Wash.; No. 264, Alvin Axel Peterson, 4514-8th Ave., N. E., Seattle, Wash.; No. 265, Lucille Turnacliff, 4714-18th Ave., N. E., Seattle, Wash.; No. 266, Stanley J. Hermanson, 7358 Woodlawn Ave., Seattle, Wash.; No. 267, Paul A. Monroe, 7208 Woodlawn Ave., Seattle, Wash.; No. 268, Newton E. Warner, 42201/2-12th., N. E., Seattle, Wash.; No. 269, Emmett Cheek, 323 E. Washington Ave., No. Little Rock, Ark.; No. 270, Duvigier Bollinger, Salem, Ark.; No. 271, O. G. Nichols, 520 E. 15th St., Little Rock, Ark.; No. 272, Otis R. Goodman, 3832 W. 13th St., Little Rock, Ark.; No. 273, Frank Eiden Jr., 1317 W. 9th St., Little Rock, Ark.; No. 274, Frank Tate, Atoka, Okla.; No. 275, Ralph Eugene Case, 3428 Galloway Ave., Memphis, Tenn.; No. 276, Milton B. Otto, 3007 A Indiana Ave., St. Louis, Mo.; No. 277, Lawrence L. Bergevin, Osage County, Apperson, Okla.; No. 278, Leonizio S. Garza, P. O. Box 367, Mercedes, Texas; No. 279, Walter Wichterman, 505 N. Division St., Ann Arbor, Mich.; No. 280, Charles H. Gauger, 294 Highland Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.; No. 281, Hyman B. Lachov, 2111 Augusta St., Chicago, Ill.; No. 282, John Krasnick, 317 S. State St., Ann Arbor, Mich.

(Motion No. 14.) Vote on applications for

active membership in the American Pharmaceutical Association.

ROBERT P. FISCHELIS, Secretary, Board of Directors, A. Ph. A.

LETTER NO. 11.

To the Members of the Board of Directors:

55: Invitation to Join Federation of American Professional Societies in Supporting Mellon Tax Program: Chairman Beal requests that the following communication, forwarded to the Association by Mr. B. Tappen Fairchild, be placed before the Board of Directors for action:

TELEGRAM.

"At meeting to-day moved to form an organization to be known as the Federation of American Professional Societies we invite your association as we are inviting other national professional societies to join with us in public support of Mellon Tax Program as a nonpartisan measure of immediate economic necessity and justice. We invite you to appoint one or more representatives as part of a general committee to appear before the proper congressional bodies and then to actively urge passage of the proposals regarding earned incomes and particularly the 25% reduction on surtaxes on earned incomes. The . failure to pass these would bear heavily on the professional workers, men and women of America. We feel these measures for the first time promise a hope of relief for the professional workers who have hitherto been the special victims of an economic discrimination perhaps unintentional. Their failure or material modification now because of the lack of an efficient body representing the economic interests of professional workers would be a disaster. Individual action may be useful and is being taken by a number of organizations but the need of the moment is for concerted solidarity by national organization. Hoping for favorable action on the part of your association.

Owen Johnson,

c/o The Authors' League of America, 222 East 17th Street,

New York, N. Y."

In order to bring the matter before the Board immediately, as quick action is desired, the following motion is made:

(Motion No. 15.) It is moved by Fischelis that the Chairman of the Board be authorized to name a representative of the American Pharmaceutical Association to appear before the proper Congressional Committees in zoöperation with representatives from other professional associa-

tions, for the purpose of supporting the Mellon Tax Program as a non-partisan measure of immediate economic necessity and justice. (The Secretary wishes to call attention to the fact that according to the new By-Laws of the Board motions made by mail in the interim between meetings require no second.) Please use the enclosed card for voting.

- 56. A Correction: On page 46 of Letter No. 9, in the fifteenth line from the top of the page, the word "three" should be changed to four. Will you kindly make this correction in your file copy of this letter.
- 57. Budget for 1924: Motion No. 13 (see Item 51, page 48, Letter No. 10) has been approved. The budget for appropriations for the year 1924 as submitted by the Finance Committee therefore stands approved. The Secretary and the Treasurer of the Association and the Chairman of the Finance Committee will please take note.
- 58. Election of New Members: Motion No. 14 (see Item 54, page 50. Letter No. 10) has been carried. The Secretary of the Board has notified the members of their election.
- 59. Committee Appointments and Appointment of Delegates: President Arny has appointed the following Committees and Delegates. Approval of these appointments by the Board of Directors is required by the By-Laws. Please indicate your approval or disapproval of the appointments on the enclosed card.

COMMITTEES.

International Pharmaceutical Nomenclature: Chairman, A. G. DuMez, Washington, D. C.; Otto Raubenheimer, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Henry Kraemer, Mt. Clemens, Mich.; Arno Viehoever, Philadelphia, Pa.; Horatio C. Wood, Philadelphia, Pa.

Physiological Testing: Chairman, P. S. Pittenger, Philadelphia, Pa.; W. A. Pearson, Philadelphia, Pa.; L. W. Rowe, Detroit, Mich.; Henry C. Colson, Baltimore, Md.; C. R. Eckler, Danville, Ind.; E. L. Newcomb, Minneapolis, Minn.; E. L. Harvey, Philadelphia, Pa.

Weights and Measures: Chairman, Jeannot Hostmann, New York, N. Y.; R. P. Fischelis, Newark, N. J.; H. M. Faser, University, Miss.; C. M. Snow, Chicago, Ill.; T. J. Bradley, Boston, Mass.

DELEGATES.

To National Wholesale Druggists' Association: Chairman, W. T. Hankey, Cleveland, Ohio;

W. J. Schieffelin, New York, N. Y.; C. M. Kline, Philadelphia, Pa.; L. E. Lyons, New Orleans, La.; L. C. Hopp, Cleveland, Ohio.

To National Drug Trade Conference: Chairman, S. L. Hilton, Washington, D. C.; J. H. Beal, Urbana, Ill.; A. R. L. Dohme, Baltimore, Md.

To National Association of Retail Druggists: Chairman, C. H. Packard, Boston, Mass.; R. S. Lehman, New York, N. Y.; J. L. Lascoff, New York, N. Y.

To American Medical Association: Chairman, J. H. Beal, Urbana, Ill.; H. A. B. Dunning, Baltimore, Md.; R. A. Hatcher, New York, N. Y.; Bernard Fantus, Chicago, Ill.

To National Association of Boards of Pharmacy: Chairman, L. L. Walton, Williamsport, Pa.; John Culley, Ogden, Utah; W. B. Day, Chicago, Ill.; J. W. Gayle, Frankfort, Ky.

To American Conference of Pharmaceutical Faculties: Chairman, Geo. M. Beringer, Camden, N. J.; C. A. Mayo, Cincinnati, Ohio; J. G. Godding, Boston, Mass.

To Conference on Narcotic Drugs: Chairman, Jeannot Hostmann, New York, N. Y.; E. G. Eberle, Philadelphia, Pa.

To United Medicine Manufacturers of America: S. L. Hilton, Washington, D. C.

To National Conference on Pharmaceutical Research: Delegate, H. V. Arny, Chairman, New York, N. Y. Associates: Geo. D. Beal, Urbana, Ill.; Henry Kraemer, Mt. Clemens, Mich.; Wilbur L. Scoville, Detroit, Mich.; George M. Beringer, Camden, N. J.

To Proprietary Association: W. C. Anderson, Brooklyn, N. Y.

To Iowa (Meeting Feb. 5, 1924): D. F. Jones, Watertown, S. D.

To Minnesota (Meeting Feb. 12, 1924): George Judisch, Ames, Iowa.

60. Applicants for Membership. The following applications for active membership, accompanied by the first year's dues and proper endorsements have been received:

No. 283, Hugh Tennant, Lander Hall, University of Washington, Seattle, Wash.; No. 284, Harry Warner Ayers, 1808 North 40th St., Apt. A., Seattle, Wash.; No. 285, A. Lewellyn Lawwill, 4528—20th Ave., N. E., Seattle, Wash.; No. 286, T. R. Cuthbert Carr, 4011 North 22nd St., Tacoma, Wash.; No. 286, Thomas Joseph Donahue, 1869 Gains St., Little Rock, Ark.; No. 288, Milton Jungling, 69 Lembeck Ave., Jersey City, N. J.; No. 289, Zdenek F. Klan, Praha VIII-255, Czechoslovaki; No. 290, Henry Pfeiffer, 400 S. 4th Street,

St. Louis, Missouri; No. 291, Henry J. Nie, 1228 East 12th St., Kansas City, Mo.; No. 292, William Donald Wardlaw, 631 Garfield Ave., Scottdale, Pa.; No. 293, William Silberman, 6330 Throop St., Chicago, Ill.; No. 294, Myron Shapiro, 29 Virginia Ave., Jersey City, N. J.; No. 295, Walter Johnson, Des Arc, Arkansas; No. 296, Roger W. Perkins, 6231 Kenwood Ave., Chicago, Ill.; No. 297, Arvil Summerill Kimbro, 6345 University Ave., Chicago, Ill.; No. 298, Albert Edward Nordstrom, 604 Center St., Waukegan, Ill.; No. 299, Thomas George Crawford, 822 Forest Ave., Oak Park, Ill.; No. 300, Walter Williamson Seibert, Ashley, Ill.; No. 301, Aaron Pritikin, 4448 N. Bernard St., Chicago, Ill.; No. 302, Sam Levy, 1419 S. St., Louis Ave., Chicago, Ill.; No. 303, Harold Lizer, 2418 W. 34th Pl., Chicago, Ill.; No 304, Isaac M. Glass, 1917 South 7th St., Springfield,

Ill.; No. 305, Harry Cooperman, 3327 W. Flournoy St., Chicago, Ill.; No. 306, Fern Ward Buooa, 3800 Third St., Des Moines, Iowa; No. 307, Margaret E. Pellett, 1839 Barth Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.; No. 308, Charles E. Willets, 4 East North Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.; No. 309, Marvin Jackson Andrews, 601 Cathedral St., Baltimore, Md.; No. 310, J. A. Goetz, Osceola, Ark.; No. 311, Stanley Armistead, Waldron, Ark.; No. 312, H. S. Gentry, Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Dept. of Pharmacy, Auburn, Alabama; No. 313, Henry Stanley Grady, 2149 St. James Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.

(Motion No. 16.) Vote on applications for membership in the American Pharmaccutical Association.

ROBERT P. FISCHELIS, Secretary, Board of Directors, A. Ph. A.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE LOCAL BRANCHES

"All papers presented to the Association and Branches shall become the property of the Association with the understanding that they are not to be published in any other publication prior to their publication in those of the Association, except with the consent of the Board of Directors."—Part of Chapter VI, Article VI of the By-Laws.

Article IV of Chapter VII reads: "Each local branch having not less than 50 dues-paid members of the Association, holding not less than six meetings annually with an attendance of not less than 9 members at each meeting, and the proceedings of which shall have been submitted to the JOURNAL for publication, may elect one representative to the House of Delegates."

Reports of the meetings of the Local Branches should be mailed to the Editor on the day following the meeting, if possible. Minutes should be typewritten, with wide spaces between the lines. Care should be taken to give proper names correctly, and manuscript should be signed by the reporter.

CHICAGO.

The 139th regular meeting of the Chicago Branch of the American Pharmaceutical Association was held at the University of Illinois School of Pharmacy Building, January 11, 1924, with President Warren in the chair. The meeting was preceded by a dinner at the Hotel LaSalle in honor of the guests of the Branch, Doctors E. Fullerton Cook, E. L. Newcomb, A. G. DuMez, E. A. Ruddiman. A. John Schwarz. At the first session, reports were heard from the Secretary-Treasurer, and the Committee on Nominations. The Secretary-Treasurer's report is as follows:

During the year 1923 the Branch has held 8 regular meetings, the 131st to 138th, inclusive.

At the meetings during the year, Dr. H. H. Rusby of New York, Dr. David Klein of the Wilson Laboratories, Dr. Robert W. Keeton, of the Research Laboratories of Rush Medical

College, Dr. Egil T. Olsen, Superintendent, Englewood Hospital, J. A. Hynes, of the U. S. Customs Service, L. E. Warren, Chemist, American Medical Association Laboratories, Secretary H. C. Christensen of the N. A. B. P., Secretary S. C. Henry of the N. A. R. D., Dr. Bernard Fantus, Dean W. B. Day, Professors C. M. Snow, A. H. Clark, E. N. Gathercoal, and others have presented addresses.

The meeting at which Dr. Rusby presented an illustrated lecture on the Mulford Expedition to South America was one of our best meetings in point of interest and of attendance. However, the "Insulin" meeting was also very attractive in both of these respects. All the meetings were well attended and of great interest. One meeting, that of December, was an innovation in that it was entirely entertainment. At this meeting a welcome was extended to new members and the Lambda