

## PERSONAL AND NEWS ITEMS.

**Jeannot Hostmann**, professor of analytical chemistry at Columbia University College of Pharmacy, and secretary of the New Jersey Pharmaceutical Association, addressed the Lions Club of Bayonne, N. J., on "The Progress of Pharmacy" at a recent dinner.

**E. G. Raeuber**, chairman of the executive committee of Wisconsin Pharmaceutical Association, will, this month, address the students of the Course in Pharmacy, University of Wisconsin, on "Credits."

**R. E. Harrison**, President of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association, has been in the retail drug business at Lamont, Alberta, for two decades; for 14 years he has been chairman of the Lamont School Board and for 6 years a member of the Town Council.

**Dean H. C. Muldoon**, of Duquesne University School of Pharmacy, gave a radio talk from station WJAS on "The Relationship of the Pharmacist to the Public."

**President William C. Braisted** of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science, officers and members of the faculty spoke at various radio stations, in Philadelphia, during "Pharmacy Week." From the same sources editorials were submitted to and printed in the daily papers.

**Miss Mary Fein**, Little Rock, Ark., secretary of the Arkansas Pharmaceutical Association, was injured September 25, when a taxi in which she was riding collided with an American Railway Express truck, the taxi being demolished. Miss Fein was returning from the N. A. R. D. convention and was being driven from the railroad station to her home when the accident occurred. Word from Miss Fein conveys the information that she is slowly recovering from the accident, but has suffered much as a result of the injuries and it will be some time before her recovery is complete.

**SeCheverell-Moore, Inc.**, Denver, Col., has just opened its sixth drug store in Denver. **Hugh B. SeCheverell**, one of the incorporators, is a member of the A. Ph. A.

**Ex-President J. G. Godding** has completed the remodeling of his pharmacy, whereby the capacity of the Prescription Department has been doubled. About a million prescriptions have been filled in this pharmacy and this department was featured during "Pharmacy Week." The U. S. Pharmacopoeia and National Formulary were on display with a number of pharmaceuticals; the standards were explained

by display cards. Receipt is acknowledged of the Display and other pharmacists are asked to send in photographs and literature they made use of during "Pharmacy Week."

**K. E. Bennett**, of Bryson City, N. C., has favored the JOURNAL with an illustrated booklet of "A National Park in the Great Smoky Mountains," published by the Swain County, N. C., Chamber of Commerce.

Mobile pharmacists are doing coöperative advertising, using full pages in the daily papers—the street addresses and phone numbers of the pharmacies are given in the advertisement. We were favored by **Earl Pugh** with one of the editions carrying the messages of the service of pharmacy to the people.

**Dean Chas. F. Heebner**, of Ontario College of Pharmacy, recently met with a painful and serious accident when he was struck by a car. It was found necessary to take him to the hospital. It is hoped that he soon will recover from the effects of the accident.

The death of **Professor Harold Maxwell Lefroy** on October 15, in his battle of science against insect pests, has robbed hygiene of one of its foremost champions. Death was due to a poison gas with which he had been experimenting at his laboratory of the Imperial College of Science and Technology at South Kensington.

His life had been devoted to combating man's insect enemies, and his efforts had been rewarded with some remarkable successes, notably in destroying pests which attack cotton, silk, wheat and wood, and also in educating the public against the danger of the house fly.

**Dr. W. D. Hunter**, member of the Federal Horticultural Board, Department of Agriculture, died in El Paso, Tex., October 13, of apoplexy. Dr. Hunter was not a pharmacist, nor connected with pharmacy, but he was a scientist of highest order and to whom credit must be given for a work which has meant much, not only to the South but to the world, and hence this brief mention.

Dr. Hunter came to Texas about 1892, and it is doubtless due to his grasp of the situation and his resourcefulness in finding ways and means to achieve his end, that the boll weevil and the pink bollworm have been held in check. He gave his life to the study of the habits of these insects and it is upon his scientific investigations that the whole control system for these pests is based. Dr. Hunter inspired those under him, and was a lovable character.