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# CONVENTION OF AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION BELLEVUE-STRATFORD HOTEL, PHILADELPHIA.

September 13 to 18, 1926.

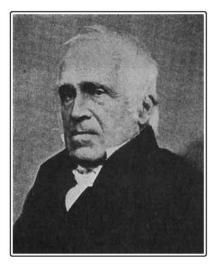
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Registration Booth, Information Booth, Representative from the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co., (operating surface, subway and elevated cars; busses, Yellow-Taxicabs, and aeroplanes) are situated in the large hall at the elevators going out on the Bellevue-Stratford roof. All of the sessions will be held on the roof.



DANIEL B. SMITH. First President, A. Ph. A.

# GENERAL PROGRAM FOR SEVENTY-FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING, A. PH. A.

All official meetings of the Convention will be held in Bellevue-Stratford Hotel.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13.

- 9:00 A.M. Meeting of the Council, A. PH. A. Pink Room.
- 9:00 A.M. National Association of Boards of Pharmacy. Rose Room.
- 9:00 A.M. American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy (Chemistry Section). Red Room.
  - Teachers' Conferences (Practical Pharmacy Section). South Room. (Materia Medica, Pharmacognosy and Botany Section.) Green Room.
- 2:00 P.M. National Association of Boards of Pharmacy. Rose Room.
- 2:00 P.M. American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy. South Room.
- 8:00 P.M. National Association of Boards of Pharmacy. Rose Room.
- 8:00 P.M. American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy. South Room.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14.

- 9:00 A.M. Joint session, National Assocation of Boards of Pharmacy and American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy. Rose Room.
- 2:00 P.M. National Association of Boards of Pharmacy. Rose Room.
- 2:00 P.M. American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy. South Room.
- 3:00 P.M. Afternoon Tea. For ladies only. Oak Room.
- 7:00 P.M. First Sessions, House of Delegates, A. PH. A. Rose Room.
- 8:00 P.M. First General Session, A. PH. A. Rose Room.

Dancing and Refreshments following the First General Session.

#### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15.

9:00 A.M. First Session, Section on Historical Pharmacy. South Room.

- 9:00 A.M. First Session, Section on Commercial Interests. Oak Room.
- 9:00 A.M. First Session, Scientific Section. Rose Room.
- 10:00 A.M. Trip to Wanamakers, inspection, shopping, luncheon, music, returning about 3 P.M. For ladies only.
- 2:00 P.M. Second Session, House of Delegates, A. PH. A. Rose Room.
- 7:00 P.M. Meeting of the Council, A. PH. A. *Pink Room.*
- 9:00 P.M. President's Reception and Ball. Rose, South and Oak Rooms.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16.

- 8:00 A.M. Meeting of the Council, A. PH. A. Pink Room.
- 9:00 A.M. First Session, Section on Practical Pharmacy and Dispensing. South Room.
- 9:00 A.M. First Session, Section on Education and Legislation. Oak Room.
- 9:00 A.M. Second Session, Scientific Section. Rose Room.
- 9:00 A.M. First Session, Women's Section. Junior Room.
- 10:00 A.M. Stroll through Rittenhouse Square and club section, followed by luncheon. For ladies only.
- 1:00 P.M. Second General Session, A. PH. A. Rose Room.
- 3:00 P.M. Trip to Glenolden. Inspection of the plant followed by dinner. Train leaves Broad Street Station at 3.15 P.M. and leaves Glenolden for the return trip at 8.12 P.M.
- 9:00 P.M. Third Session, House of Delegates, A. PH. A. Rose Room.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17.

- 9:00 A.M. Second Session, Section on Historical Pharmacy. South Room.
- 9:00 A.M. Second Session, Section on Commercial Interests. Oak Room.
- 9:00 A.M. Third Session, Scientific Section. Rose Room.
- 10:00 A.M. Trip through Historical Section of Philadelphia. For ladies only.
- 11:00 A.M. Joint Session, Scientific Section and Section on Practical Pharmacy and Dispensing. Rose Room.

- 1:30 p.m. Second Session, Section on Education and Legislation. Oak Room.
- 1:30 P.M. Second Session, Section on Practical Pharmacy and Dispensing. South Room.
- 3:00 P.M. Final Session, House of Delegates. A. PH. A. Rose Room.
- 5:00 P.M. Dinner and Entertainment. Ball Room.
- 8:00 P.M. Final General Session, A. PH. A. Rose Room.
- 10:00 P.M. Meeting of the Council, A. PH. A. Pink Room.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18.

9:00 A.M. All-day trip to the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition. Tickets furnished to those registered.



L. L. WALTON.

Presiding President of 74th Meeting, A. PH. A.

THE GENERAL SESSIONS OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

All General Sessions will be held in the Rose Room.

Sessions: Tuesday, September 14, 8:00 p.m.; Thursday, September 16, 1:00 p.m.; Friday, September 17, 8:00 p.m..

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 8:00 P.M.—First General Session of the Association.

Brief addresses will be made by His Honor, the Mayor of Philadelphia; the President of the Philadelphia County Medical Society, the Director of Public Health, the President of the National Association of Retail Druggists, the President of the Philadelphia Association of Retail Druggists, the President of the Pennsylvania Pharmaceutical Association, and greetings presented on behalf of the ladies.

Reading of Communications.

Report of the Secretary, E. F. Kelly.

Report of the Treasurer, Charles W. Holton. Annual Report of the House of Delegates. The President's Address, Lucius L. Walton. Address, "The Pharmaceutical Organizations in Great Britain, Their Inter-Relations, and the Necessity for Closer Coöperation between the Pharmaceutical Organizations of the Two Continents," Sir William S. Glyn-Jones.

Adjournment of First General Session.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1:00 P.M.—Second General Session of the Association.

Minutes of the First General Session. Reading of Communications. Report of the House of Delegates.

Special Program on Headquarters Building.

- H. A. B. Dunning—Cha'rman Headquarters Building Campaign Committee Presiding.
- 1. Report of the Chairman of the Headquarters Building Committee, James H. Beal.
- 2. Report by the Chairman of the Campaign Committee, H. A. B. Dunning.
- 3. Report of the Publicity Director, E. L. Newcomb.
- 4. Announcement of new subscriptions.
- 5. Report by Assistant Publicity Director, E. S. Sater, on Field Work.
- Five minute addresses by leaders representing different branches in pharmacy in behalf of the Headquarters Building Campaign.
- 7. Note. The Campaign Committee has recommended to the Executive Committee of the Council that a vote on location for the Pharmacy Headquarters Building be authorized at this convention. The Council will make its report on this subject to the House of Delegates which later will report to one of the General Sessions. Ample opportunity will be given for all who wish to speak on this subject to be heard.

Adjournment of the Second General Sessions.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 8:00 P.M.—Final General Session of the Association.

Minutes of the Second General Session. Final Report of the House of Delegates. Presentation of the Ebert Prize. Installation of Officers. Final Adjournment.

## HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

Officers: Chairman, WM. D. JONES; Vice-Chairman, JACOB DINER; Secretary, E. F. KELLY.

The sessions of the House of Delegates will be held in the Rose Room of the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel.

Sessions: Tuesday, September 14th, 7:00 P.M.; Wednesday, September 15th, 2:00 P.M.; Thursday, September 16th, 9:00 P.M.; Friday, September 17th, 3:00 P.M.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 7:00 P.M. Rose Room.

- 1. Call to Order.
- 2. Roll call of Delegates.
- 3. Reading and adopting of the Minutes.
- 4. Opening remarks by the Chairman.
- 5. Appointment of Committee on Nominations.
- 6. Appointment of Committee on Resolutions.
- 7. Receipt of the Annual Report of the Council.
- Receipt of Resolutions, Reports and other Communications, all of which shall be in writing.
- 9. New business.
- 10. Adjournment.

Reports of Committees on Patents and Trade Marks, on Status of Pharmacists in Government Service, on Local Branches, on Membership, on State and National Legislation, on U. S. P., on Recipe Book, on Horticultural Nomenclature, on Physiological Testing, on Weights and Measures, on William Procter, Jr., Memorial, on International Pharmaceutical Nomenclature, on Standards of Drugs and Chemical Products on Coöperative Publicity, on Pre-requisite Legislation, on Biological Products, and on Pharmacy Week, are submitted to the House of Delegates.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2:00 P.M. Rose Room.

- 1. Call to order.
- 2. Roll call of Delegates.

- 3. Reading and adopting of the Minutes.
- 4. Receipt of Reports and other Communications from the Association, the Council and the Section.
- Receipt of Resolutions, Reports and other Communications, all of which shall be in writing. Reports of the Committees on Nominations, on Resolutions and on Place of Meeting will be received.
- 6. New Business.
- 7. Unfinished Business.
- Nomination of Officers of the Association (three candidates each for the offices of President, First Vice-President and Second Vice-President, and nine candidates for the Council) to be elected by mail ballot.
- 9. Election of the Honorary President, Secretary and Treasurer of the Association upon nomination of the Council.
- 10. Election of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the House of Delegates.
- 11. Selection of the Time and Place of the next Annual Meeting.
- 12. Adjournment.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 9:00 P.M. Rose Room.

- 1. Call to order.
- 2. Roll Call of Delegates.
- 3. Reading and adopting of the Minutes.
- Receipt of Reports and other Communications from the Association, the Council or the Sections.

Reports of the Committees on Local Branches, on Membership on State and National Legislation, on the U. S. P., on the Recipe book, on Horticultural Nomenclature on Physiological Testing, on Weights and Measures, on the William Procter, Jr., Memorial Fund, on International Pharmaceutical Nomenclature, on Standards of Drugs, and Chemical Products, on Coöperative Publicity, on Pre-Requisite Legislation, on Biological Products, and on Pharmacy Week, will be received.

- Receipt of resolutions, reports and other communications all of which shall be in writing. Reports of the Committees on Resolutions, on Patents and Trade Marks and on Status of Pharmacists in the Government Service will be received.
- 6. Unfinished Business.

- 7. New Business.
- 8. Adjournment.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 3:00 P.M. Rose Room.

- 1. Call to order.
- 2. Roll call of Delegates.
- 3. Reading and adoption of the Minutes.
- 4. Receipt of Reports and other Communications from the Association, the Council and the Sections.
- Receipt of Resolutions, Reports and other Communications all of which must be in writing., The final Report of the Committee on Resolutions will be received.
- 6. Unfinished Business.
- 7. Installation of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the House of Delegates.
- 8. Adjournment.

## PROGRAMS OF THE SECTIONS.

### SCIENTIFIC SECTION.

All Sessions will be held in the Rose Room. Officers: Chairman, F. F. BERG; First Vice-Chairman, JOHN C. KRANTZ, JR.; Second Vice-Chairman, E. V. LYNN; Secretary, PAUL S. PITTENGER; Delegate to the House of Delegates, J. PAUL SNYDER.

Sessions: Wednesday, September 14, 9:00 A.M.; Thursday, September 15, 9:00 A.M.; Friday, September 16, 11:00 A.M.

### PROGRAM.

WEDNESDAY 9:00 A.M.-First Session.

1. Chairman's Address, Report of Secretary, General Business.

#### Papers.

Pharmacology.

2.

- "The Influence of Digitalis on the Resistance of Guinea Pigs to Poisoning by Diphtheria Toxin," Chas. C. Haskell.
- "Additional Studies on Miré," Thomas S. Githens.
- "Further Studies of the Anæsthetic Properties of Propylene," Lloyd K. Riggs.
- "Permanganate Solution as a Cure for Impetigo," Edward H. Carus.
- "Respiration Test as a Possible Substitute for the Usual Basal Rate Deteriorations," Albert Schneider.
- "Dermographia: Dermographic Tests and Observations," Albert Schneider.

- "Some Observations on Digitalis Action," Albert Schneider.
- "Influence of Various Radiations on the Potency of Digitalis," David I Macht and John C. Krantz, Jr.
- "Nutritional Value and Standardization of Cod Liver Oil and its Non-Saponifiable Fat Soluble Vitamine Concentrate," H. E. Dubin.
- "Studies of the Vitamin Potency of Cod Liver Oils. XXI—The Stimulation of Reproduction by Fat Soluble Vitamins," Arthur D. Holmes, A. W. Doolittle and W. B. Moore.
- "Digitalis Lutea vs. Digitalis Purpurea," Elizabeth Pickering and R. A. Konnerth.
- 3. Biologic Assays.
  - "The Earthworm Method for Testing Santonin and Related Anthelmintics," Albert Schneider.
  - "The Possible Influence of Ether Anesthesia on the Accuracy of the Cat Method of Digitalis Assay," H. B. Haag.
  - "An Assay Method for Digitalis Based on the Relationship Between the Lethal Dose of the Drug and the Weight of the Heart," W. R. Bond.
  - "A Phyto-Pharmacological Method of Assaying Digitalis," (illustrated by Lantern Slides), David I. Macht and John C. Krantz, Jr.
  - "The Effect of Certain Defatting Solvents upon the Potency of Ergot," J. C. Munch and E. W. Schwartze.
  - "The Interpretation of Biologic Assays," Paul S. Pittenger.

THURSDAY, 9:00 A.M.—Second Session.

- 4. Plant Chemistry.
  - "The Glucosides of Caulophyllum Thalictroides," Edward D. Davy and H. P. Chu.
  - "The Volatile Oils from the Cultivated and Wild Varieties of Mentha Citrata," E. V. Kyser and H. R. Totten.
  - Caulophyllum Thalictroides," Edward D. Davy and H. P. Chu.
  - "The Glucosidal Pigment of Bixa Orellana (Annatto)," Lloyd Harris and Edward Kremers.
  - "The Fatty Acids of Bixa Orellana (Annatto)," Lloyd Harris and Edward Kremers.

"The Volatile Oil of Hypericum Perforatum L.," Emerson R. Miller.

- "The Effect of Gelatin on Titration Curves of Various Acids," Ernest Little.
- "The Colorimetric Assay of Digitalis," L. W. Rowe.
- "Application of Standardized Colored Fluids to Hydrogen-Ion Determinations," H. V. Arny and Abraham Taub.
- "The Colorimetric Assay of Strophanthus," L. W. Rowe.
- "The Analysis of Camphorated Oil," Charles F. Poe.
- "Effect of Acidity on the Activity of Pepsin in the Solid State," W. E. Honsinger, A. L. Dinger and R. E. Schoetzow.
- "U. S. P. X Nitrate Test on Solution Ferric Chloride," M. W. Carey and R. E. Schoetzow.
- "Assay of Cascara Sagrada," H. Engelhardt.
- "Estimation of Chloroform in Chloroform Liniment," R. J. Greenwood.
- "Some Observations on the Quantitative Determination of the Anthraquinone Derivatives in Cathartic Drugs," M. C. Tumminkatti and George D. Beal.
- "Assay of Atropine Sulphate Tablets and Granulation," W. P. Edwards and R. E. Schoetzow.
- 6. Organic Chemistry.
  - "Diethylphthalate. V." (Illustrated by Lantern Slides), J. A. Handy and L. F. Hoyt.
  - "Limonene dibrom nitrosochloride and Derivatives," H. A. Braun and Edward Kremers.
  - "On the Significance of Methyl-3 Butanol-1 in Peppermint," S. M. Gordon and Edward Kremers.
  - "The Revision of the Pentanols," S. M. Gordon and Edward Kremers.
  - "Research Laboratories for the A. PH. A.," Edward Swallow.
- 7. Biologic Chemistry.
  - "On the Biochemical Significance of the Occurrence of Vanillyl Alcohol in Ginger," P. Valenzuela and Edward Kremers.
- 8. Colloidal Chemistry.
  - "Some Applications of Colloidal Chemistry to Pharmacy," Pell Broady and C. B. Jordan.

<sup>5.</sup> Assay Methods.

"The Application of the U. S. P. X Yeast Fermentation Test to Colloidal Silver Compounds," H. M. Taylor.

FRIDAY, 11:00 A.M.—Joint Session Scientific Section and Section on Practical Pharmacy and Dispensing.

- 9. Symposium on U.S.P. and N.F.
  - Report on U. S. Pharmacopœia, Charles H. LaWall.
  - Report on National Formulary, Wilbur L. Scoville.
  - "The Influence on Medical and Pharmaceutical Practice of Recent Deletions from the U. S. P.," H. H. Rusby.
  - Report of the Committee on Ebert Prize, W. L. Scoville, Chairman.

FRIDAV, 9:00 A.M.—Third Session.

- Pharmaceutic Chemistry. Manufacturing. "The Effect of Benzoic and Cinnamic Acids of the Rate of Development of Rancidity in Lard," Wm. J. Husa and Lydia M. Husa.
  - "A New Type of Preparations of Vegetable Drugs," Thomas S. Githens.
  - "The Need of Greater Activity in the Making of Analyses of Medicinal Preparations Found on the Open Market and of a Wider Publicity of the Analyses, Frederick J. Wulling.
  - "Hydrogenated Cocoanut Oil and Cocoanut Oil Butter as a Substitute for Lard in Iodine Ointments," E. V. Kyser and J. A. Bullock.
  - "A Century of the U. S. P. 1820–1920:-Aqua Chlori," A. A. Horwood and Edward Kremers.

"Glandular Products," Paul S. Pittenger.

- Bacteriology, Biology, Botany, Pharmacognosy.
  - "The Living Belladonna," F. B. Kilmer.
  - "Variations in the Constituents of Grindelia Grown in Various Sections of the U. S.," C. J. Zufall.
  - "The Simplification of Rabies Vaccine," J. C. Peacock.

"Digitalis Exhibit," Arno Viehoever.

- 12. Nomination of Officers.
- 13. Reports of Committees.
- 14. Unfinished Business.
- 15. Election and Installation of Officers.
- 16. New Business.
- 17. Adjournment.

SECTION ON PRACTICAL PHARMACY AND DIS-PENSING.

(Pharmacopœias, Formularies and Standards.)

All sessions will be held in the Rose Room. Officers: Chairman, H. C. NEWTON; First Vice-Chairman, L. R. WAGENER;\* Second Vice-Chairman, ADLEV B. NICHOLS; Secretary, GUSTAV BACHMAN; Delegale to the House of Delegates, E. O. LEONARD.

Sessions: Thursday, September 16, 9:00 A.M.; Joint Session with Scientific Section, Friday, September 17, 11:00 A.M.; Friday, September 17, 1:30 P.M.

### PROGRAM.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 9:00 A.M.—First Session.

- 1. Chairman's Address, H. C. Newton.
- 2. Secretary's Report, Gustav Bachman.
- 3. General Business.

#### PAPERS.

"The American Pharmaceutical Association Recipe Book," Ivor Griffith.

"How Much Is It Desirable for a Druggist to Know of So-Called Biologic Therapy?" F. W. E. Stedem.

"Some Interesting Facts about Mercurochrome," Fitzgerald Dunning.

"Flavoring Qualities of Vanilla Tinctures," H. M. Taylor and R. A. Konnerth.

"The Evolution of the Tablet-Machine," Edward Kremers and R. A. Konnerth.

"Production: Manufacturers Part in Practical Pharmacy and Dispensing," Josiah C. Peacock.

"Is an Apprenticeship in Pharmacy Worth While?" Daniel O. Wolff.

"Ampuls and Ampul Filling," S. L. Hilton. "Solid Petroxolin as a Base for Peru Balsam Ointments," J. L. Bredahl.

"Some Notes on the Quality of Pharmaceutical Preparations," R. L. Swain.

4. Appointment of Committees.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 11:00 A.M.—Joint Session Scientific Section and Section on Practical Pharmacy and Dispensing.

SYMPOSIUM ON U. S. PHARMACOPŒIA AND NA-TIONAL FORMULARY.

Report on U. S. Pharmacopœia, Charles H. LaWall.

\* Deceased.

Report on National Formulary, Wilbur L. Scoville.

- "The Influence on Medical and Pharmaceutical Practice of Recent Deletions from the U. S. P.," H. H. Rusby.
- Report of the Committee on Ebert Prize, Wilbur L. Scoville, Chairman.
- FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1:30 P.M.—Second Session.

"The New Pharmacy," F. E. Stewart.

"Fortifying the Prescription Counter," C. H. Stocking.

"A Suggestion that the American Pharmaceutical Association Secure Membership in the American Conference on Hospital Service," W. Wilson McNeary.

"A Prescription Clinic," Adley B. Nichols.

"A Note on the Stability of Solution of Arsenous and Mercuric Iodides," Wilmer H. Schulze.

"Incompatibilities in Prescriptions Containing Epinephrine," Marvin J. Andrews.

"A Study of the Stability of Physostigmine Solutions," John C. Krantz, Jr., and Frank Slama.

5. Unfinished Business.

6. Report of Nominating Committee.

- 7. Election and Installation of Officers.
- 8. Adjournment.

Order of Program subject to change.

SECTION ON EDUCATION AND LEGISLATION.

All sessions will be held in the Oak Room.

Officers: Chairman, J. G. BEARD; Secretary, H. M. FASER; Delegate to the House of Delegates, M. N. FORD.

Sessions: Thursday, September 16, 9:00 A.M.; Friday, September 17, 1:30 P.M.

### PROGRAM.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 9:00 A.M.—First Session.

1. Chairman's address, J. G. Beard.

- 2. Secretary's Report, H. M. Faser.
- 3. Appointment of Committees.

### PAPERS.

"The Quarterly System for Colleges of Pharmacy," A. R. Bliss, Jr.

"Shall the Mass Production of Pharmacists Be Continued?" Robert P. Fischelis.

"Higher Standards Justified," Frederick J. Wulling.

"Changes in College Curriculum and Legislation," H. C. Christensen. "The Quota of Pharmacology and Therapeutics in the Medical Curriculum," R. T. Lakey.

"A Comparison of the American Pharmaceutical Association and the National Associations of Closely Related Professions," H. J. Goeckel.

"Pharmacy Plus," Wortley F. Rudd.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1:30 P.M.—Second Session.

#### PAPERS.

"Recognition of Pharmacy School Credits in Colleges of Arts and Sciences and Graduate Schools," A. R. Bliss.

"Student Health Service at Purdue University," Margaret S. Klemme.

"In 1825," Otto Raubenheimer.

"An Interesting Case," Lyman F. Kebler.

"The Present Status of the Various Systems of Weight in English Pharmacy," William J. Husa.

"A Uniform Pharmacy Law," William Mansfield.

4. Report of Committees.

- 5. Unfinished Business.
- 6. Election of Officers.
- 7. Adjournment.

SECTION ON COMMERCIAL INTERESTS.

All sessions will be held in the Oak Room.

Officers: Chairman, AMBROSE HUNSBERGER; Secretary, BERNARD M. KEENE; Delegate to

the House of Delegates, GEORGE JUDISCH. Sessions: Wednesday, September 15, 9:00

A.M.; Friday, September 17, 9:00 A.M.

# PROGRAM.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 9:00 A.M.—First Session.

- 1. Chairman's Address, Ambrose Hunsberger.
- 2. Report of Secretary, Bernard M. Keene.
- 3. Appointment of Committees.
- 4. General Business.

### PAPERS.

"A Procedure in Prescription Pricing," Leonard A. Seltzer.

"Is the Pendulum Ready to Swing Back?" Robert P. Fischelis.

"The Application of Salesmanship to Proprietary Remedies," J. G. Beard.

"The Cost of Free Goods," W. Bruce Philip.

"Professionalizing Commercialism," Robert J. Ruth.

"Our Problems," Samuel S. Dworkin.

"A Merchandisable Acidophilus Culture," Josiah C. Peacock.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 9:00 A.M.—Second Session.

"What Does It Profit You?" P. Henry Utech.

"Exercising Our Perogatives," Samuel L. Hilton.

"What Druggists Ask of an Editor," Walter M. Chase.

"A Research in Advertising," Samuel Wanamaker.

"The Value of the Recipe Book to the Retail Pharmacist," J. Leon Lascoff.

"Popularizing Official Preparations," J. H. Webster.

"Calculating the Retail Price of Drugs, Chemicals and Pharmaceuticals," John Culley.

5. Unfinished Business.

6. Report of Delegate, George Judisch.

- 7. Election.
- 8. Installation of Officers. Adjournment.

SECTION ON HISTORICAL PHARMACY.

All sessions will be held in the South Room.

Officers: Chairman, L. K. DARBAKER; Secretary, M. F. SUDRO; Historian, E. G. EBERLE; Delegate to the House of Delegates, C. J. GIETNER.

Sessions: Wednesday, September 15, 9:00 A.M.; Friday, September 17, 9:00 A.M.

#### PROGRAM.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 9:00 A.M.—First Session.

- 1. Chairman's Address, L. K. Darbaker.
- 2. Secretary's Report, W. F. Sudro.
- 3. Historian's Report, E. G. Eberle.
- 4. Appointment of Committees.
- 5. Editor's Report of Progress, History of American Pharmacy, Clyde L. Eddy.
- 6. Co-Authors' Reports.

# PAPERS.

"Activities of W. J. M. Gordon," John Uri Lloyd.

"Tschirch—Master of Pharmacognosy," Otto Raubenheimer.

"The Influence of Henry Milton Whelpley in the Formation of the National Association

of Boards of Pharmacy," H. C. Christensen. "Honors a Physician Pharmacist-Crawford W. Long—the Discoverer of Ether-Anesthesia," Joseph Jacobs.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 9:00 A.M.—Second Session.

- 7. Report of Committees.
- 8. Election of Officers.
- 9. Discussion of Headquarters Museum and Library.

"History of Cascara Industry," Thurman J. Starker.

"History of the Mint Industry," C. C. Glover.

"History of Pharmacognosy," Wm. J. Stoneback.

10. Further Discussion of the History of American Pharmacy.

11. Adjournment.

More papers are to be added.

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES OF PHARMACY.

TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING.

All meetings of the Association will be held in the Red Room; Teachers' Conferences in the Green Room.

Officers: President, EDWARD H. KRAUS; Vice-President, JOHN G. BEARD; Secretary-Treasurer, ZADA M. COOPER; Chairman of Executive Committee, CHARLES B. JORDAN. Sessions: Monday, September 13, 10:00 A.M., 2:00 P.M., and 8:00 P.M.; Tuesday, September 14, 2:30 P.M.—Joint Session with National Association of Boards of Pharmacy; Tuesday, September 14, 9:00 A.M.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 10:00 A.M.—Teachers' Conferences. Green Room.

Chemistry Section, C. C. GLOVER, Chairman.

Pharmaceutical Section, JOHN C. KRANTZ, Chairman.

- Materia Medica Section, R. A. LYMAN, Chairman.
- MONDAY, 2:00 P.M.—Continuation of Teachers' Conferences. Green Room.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 3:00 P.M.—First Session.

- 1. Roll Call.
- 2. President's Address, Edward H. Kraus.
- 3. Report of Secretary-Treasurer, Zada M. Cooper.
- 4. Report of Executive Committee, Charles B. Jordan, *Chairman*.
- 5. Appointment of the Nominating Committee.

## PAPERS.

# "Merchandising Courses," J. G. Beard.

"The Teaching of Commercial Pharmacy in the School of Pharmacy of the Medical College of Virginia," W. G. Crockett.

- 6. Reports of Standing Committees:
  - a Committee on Higher Educational Standards, D. B. R. Johnson, Chairman.
  - b Committee on Curriculum and Teaching Methods, W. J. Teeters, Chairman.
  - c Committee on Activities of Students and Alumni, J. B. Burt, Chairman.
  - d Committee on Research, Arno Viehoever, Chairman.
  - Committee on Investigation of Pharmacy Schools by Carnegie Foundation, W. F. Rudd, Chairman.

MONDAY, 8:00 P.M.—Second Session.

- 7. Report of Committee on Curriculum, C. W. Johnson, *Chairman*.
- 8. Report of Committee on Relation of Boards with Colleges, C. B. Jordan, *Chairman*.
- 9. Address, Edgar Fahs Smith.
- Report of Committee on Standards for Classification of Colleges, D. B. R. Johnson, Chairman.
- Report of Representative to Drug Trade Bureau of Public Information, W. F. Rudd.
- 12. Paper, "Rating Scale for Instructors," C. B. Jordan.
- Report of Representative on Board of Botanical Abstracts, E. N. Gathercoal.
- Report of Representative to National Conference on Pharmaceutical Research, J. A. Koch, Chairman.
- 15. Report of Representatives to National Drug Trade Conference, W. F. Rudd, *Chairman.*

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 9:00 A.M.—Joint Session with National Association of Boards of Pharmacy.

- 16. Report of the Fairchild Scholarship Committee, E. G. Eberle, *Chairman*.
- 17. Paper, "Newer Types of Examination," C. B. Jordan.
- Report of Committees on Relation of Boards with Colleges, C. J. Clayton, C. B. Jordan.
- 19. Discussion, "How Shall Individual State Boards Determine What Colleges of

Pharmacy Not Belonging to the Association Shall Be Approved by Them?" R. A. Lyman, Edward Spease.

 Discussion, "To What' Extent Shall Correlation of Schools and Boards Exist?" J. F. Simon, C. H. LaWall.

TUESDAY, 2:30 P.M.—Third Session.

- 21. Report of Representative to N. A. R. D., A. R. Bliss.
- 22. Report of Representative to Conference on Narcotic Education, E. F. Cook.
- 23. Paper, Arno Viehoever.
- 24. Unfinished Business.
- 25. Miscellaneous Business.
- 26. New Business.
- 27. Executive Session.
- 28. Adjournment.

# TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 6:00 P.M.

Annual Dinner. (All are welcome. Make reservations by consulting C. B. Jordan.)

PROGRAM, SEMINAR OF PHARMACY TEACHERS.

Teaching Demonstrations:

Emulsions—Adley B. Nichols. Prescriptions—G. A. Bergy. Subject to be announced—Clyde M. Snow.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF BOARDS OF PHARMACY.

TWENTY-THIRD ANNUAL CONVENTION AT BELLE-VUE-STRATFORD HOTEL, PHILADELPHIA, SEPTEM-BER 13 AND 14, 1926.

> M. N. FORD, President, Columbus, O.

H. C. CHRISTENSEN, Secretary, Chicago, Ill.

All meetings of the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy will be held in the Rose Room.

#### PROGRAM.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 9:30 A.M.—First Session.

- 1. Call to order, President M. N. Ford.
- 2. Roll call.
- 3. Appointment of Committee on Credentials, President M. N. Ford.
- 4. President's Address, M. N. Ford.
- 5. Appointment of Committee on President's Address.
- Report of Executive Committee, Edw. H. Walsdorf, Chairman.

- 7. Report of the Secretary, H. C. Christensen.
- 8. Report of the Treasurer, J. W. Gayle.
- 9. Report of Committee on Constitution and By-Laws, W. H. Hankins, *Chairman*.

MONDAY, 2:00 P.M.—Second Session.

- 1. Report of Legislative Committee, John Culley, Chairman.
- 2. Report of Committee on Credentials.
- 3. Appointment of Nominating Committee.
- 4. Report of Advisory Examination Committee, H. C. Christensen.
- 5. Report of Syllabus Committee.
- Report of Special Committee on Federal Legislation, W. T. Kerfoot, Jr., Chairman.
- Report of Committee on Drug Store Ownership Law, Jacob Diner, Chairman.
- 8. Verbal Report of Vice-Presidents:
  - District No. 1, H. M. Lerou. District No. 2, A. C. Taylor. District No. 3, R. I. Beddoe. District No. 4, J. P. Jelinek. District No. 5, E. V. Zoeller. District No. 6, Wilford Harrison. District No. 7, John E. Guess. District No. 8, Chas. J. Clayton. District No. 9, A. G. Hulett.
- TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1926, 9:00 A.M.— Third Session.—Joint Session with The American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy.

PARTIAL PROGRAM.

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TUESDAY, 2:00 P.M.-Fourth Session.

- 1. Report of Committee on President's Address.
- 2. Report of Publicity Committee, H. C. Christensen, Chairman.

- Report of the N. A. B. P. Committee on Educational Standards, George Judisch, Chairman.
- 4. Committee on Relations of Boards with Colleges, Charles J. Clayton.
- Report of Committee on Standards and Requirements for Classification of Colleges of Pharmacy, H. C. Christensen, *Chairman*.
- 6. Report of Committee on National Certificate, H. C. Christensen, Chairman.
- 7. Report of Special Committees.
- 8. Unfinished Business.
- 9. New Business.
- 10. Report of Nominating Committee.
- 11. Election and Installation of Officers.

# NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PHARMACEUTICAL RESEARCH.

FIFTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PHARMACEUTICAL RESEARCH AT HOTEL BELLEVUE-STRATFORD, PHILADELPHIA, PA., SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1926, 9:30

A.M. AND 2:00 p.m.

H. V. ARNY, Chairman.

## J. C. KRANTZ, JR., Secretary.

### TENTATIVE PROGRAM.

- 1. Roll Call.
- 2. Reports of Officers.
- 3. Reports of the 10 Standing Committees.
- 4. Report of Special Committee on Committees.
- 5. Report of Special Committee on Book of Research Achievements.
- 6. Reports from Delegates from the Affiliated Organizations, *i. e.*,
  - (a) Association of Official Agricultural Chemists.
  - (b) American Chemical Society Division of Chemistry of Medicinal Products.
  - (c) American Conference of Pharmaceutical Faculties.
  - (d) American Drug Manufacturers' Association.
  - (e) AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL Asso-CIATION.
  - (f) American Pharmaceutical Manufacturers' Association.
  - (g) Bureau of Chemistry, U. S. Department of Agriculture.
  - (h) National Association of Boards of Pharmacy.

- (i) National Association of Retail Druggists.
- (j) National Formulary Revision Committee.
- (k) Pharmaceutical Laboratory Seminar.
- (*l*) Plant Science Seminar.
- (m) Proprietary Association.
- (n) U. S. P. Revision Committee.
- General Discussion on:
  - (a) Census of Research.
  - (b) Graduate Students in Pharmacy and Their Research Work.
  - (c) Research Topics.
  - (d) Research Grants and Prizes.
  - (e) Research Fellowships and Scholarships.
- 8. New Business.
- 9. Election.
- 10. Adjournment.

# ENTERTAINMENT PROGRAM.

FOR THE CONVENTION OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION AND AFFILIATED ASSOCIATIONS.

# SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 7:30 P.M.

Inspection of the American Pharmacy Exhibit in the Medical Science Section, Palace of Education and Social Economy at the Sesqui-Centennial. (Special for the National Pharmaceutical Research Conference.)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1:30 P.M.

Automobile Trip. (Delaware River Bridge, Parkway, River Drive, Fairmount Park, Wissahickon Drive, Germantown and Suburbs.)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13.

Ladies—Open date for visit to the shopping center.

10:30 P.M. Informal Party on the Bellevue-Stratford Roof, Rose Garden (Music, Dancing and Refreshments.)

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14.

- 12:30 P.M. Fraternity Luncheons. (See notices at Information Booth.)
- Ladies-3:30 P.M. Tea in the Oak Room. Bellevue-Stratford Roof.
- 10:30 P.M. Dancing and Refreshments. Bellevue-Stratford Roof. Rose Garden.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15.

- Ladies-10:00 A.M. Inspection Tour of the Graphic Sketch Club.
- 12:30 P.M. College Alumni Luncheons. (See notices at Information Booth.)
- Ladies-1:00 P.M. Luncheon at the Penn Athletic Club, Rittenhouse Sq.
- 9:00 P.M. President's Reception and Ball. Bellevue-Stratford Roof.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16.

- Ladies--10:00 A.M. Historic Shrines Trip: Independence Hall, Carpenters Hall, Old Christ's Church, Betsy Ross House, Benjamin Franklin's Grave, Old Quaker Meeting House.
- 12:00 Noon-Veterans' Luncheon-See notice at Information Booth.
- 3:00 P.M. Trip to Glenolden: Inspection of Mulford Biological Laboratories and College Botanical Gardens. Field sports, followed by openair carnival and supper.—Guests of the H. K. Mulford Company.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17.

- Ladies-10:00 A.M. Trip to Valley Forge and Luncheon.
- 6:00 p.m. Banquet and Entertainment. Ball Room, Bellevue-Stratford Hotel.

#### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18.

AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION OFFICIAL DAY at the Sesqui-Centennial International Exposition.

10:00 A.M. Trip to the Exposition.

# OFFICERS OF STATE PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATIONS 1926–1927.

### (Continued from p. 604, July JOURNAL.)

(Secretaries of associations are asked to make corrections and send in list of officers, and name of next convention city.)

### COLORADO.

Colorado Pharmaceutical Association held a well-attended meeting, at Boulder, June 22– 24. The following officers were elected:

President, Justin A. Van Lopik, Castle Rock. First Vice-President, Fred F. Koch, Colorado Springs. Second Vice-President, William J. Bishop, Greeley.

Secretary, Charles J. Clayton, Denver. Treasurer, Julius F. Earnest, Denver.

#### CONNECTICUT.

Clyde L. Eddy and Eugene Brokmeyer were among the speakers at Connecticut Association meeting. The following officers were elected:

President, James W. Lynch, Hartford.

First Vice-President, Fred W. Lake, Waterbury.

Second Vice-President, Alexander Aitken, Stamford.

Secretary-Treasurer, P. J. Garvin, New Haven.

### DELAWARE.

Delaware Pharmaceutical Association elected the following officers:

President, A. S. Williams, Laurel.

Vice-Presidents, Geo. W. Brittingham, New Castle; Harry Jones, Smyrna; Arthur H. Morris, Lewes.

Secretary, Lawrence L. Saunders, Wilmington.

Treasurer, Peter P. Bienkowski, Wilmington.

#### INDIANA.

Indiana Pharmaceutical Association voted favorably for a new Pharmacy Building at Purdue University. The following officers were elected:

President, Herman Bill, Fort Wayne.

First Vice-President, Ben Porter, Logansport. Second Vice-President, S. S. Hise, Terre Haute.

Third Vice-President, Louis Tepe, Evansville. Treasurer, Harry W. Miller, Terre Haute. Secretary, William A. Oren, Indianapolis.

### MICHIGAN.

Officers elected at Michigan State Pharmaceutical Association are as follows:

President, D. W. Houser, Detroit.

First Vice-President, Howard Hurd.

Second Vice-President, E. T. Webb, Casnovia. Secretary, Robert Turrill, Croswell.

Treasurer, E. C. Varnum, Jonesville.

Members of the Executive Board, Charles H. Frantz, Bay City; George Moore, Cairo.

#### MISSISSIPPI.

Mississippi Pharmaceutical Association selected Meridian for the next meeting place. The following are the officers for the ensuing year:

President, J. T. Mathis, Leland.

First Vice-President, J. W. Pollard, Jackson. Second Vice-President, Miss Adele Stigler, Yazoo City.

Secretary-Treasurer, A. S. Coody, Jackson.

#### NEW HAMPSHIRE.

President-Elect Theodore J. Bradley, Harold Whitehead, Thomas R. Varick and Hon. Charles M. Dale were speakers at the New Hampshire meeting. The following officers were elected:

President, Frank R. French, Tilton.

First Vice-President, Eugene Sullivan, Concord.

Second Vice-President, A. F. Precourt, Manchester.

Secretary, D. L. Hallisey, Nashua.

Treasurer, Edgar L. Goulett, Manchester.

### NEW YORK.

President Bruce T. Furnival in his address discussed live topics of the day—he favored close observation of liquor records, and annual registration of pharmacist; he did not favor limitation of the number of drug stores. The annual registration of pharmacists was not endorsed by the Association. The following officers were elected:

President, Dr. George C. Diekman, New York City.

Vice-Presidents, Walter B. Tongue and Pincus Herz.

Secretary, Edward S. Dawson, Syracuse.

The Association will meet next year at the Thousand Island House, Alexandria Bay, N. Y. A number of interesting and valuable papers were read. A resolution was passed favoring the limitation of the number of drug stores according to the needs of the section in which it is sought to establish a new pharmacy

# NORTH CAROLINA.

Brief reference was made to the meeting of North Carolina last month. Speakers at the opening session in New York City were Public Health Commissioner Louis I. Harris, Ex-Presidents H. V. Arny and C. W. Holton. Secretary J. G. Beard responded to the welcome. The following were elected officers for the ensuing year:

President, Norman W. Lynch, Charlotte. Vice-Presidents, C. L. Eubanks, Chapel Hill; R. R. Copeland, Ahoskie; Polk C. Gray, Statesville.

Treasurer, J. G. Beard, Chapel Hill.

Assistant Secretary-Treasurer, C. M. Andrews, Hillsboro.

# NORTH DAKOTA.

North Dakota Pharmaceutical Association elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President, N. N. Brakke, Melville.

First Vice-President, Glenn M. Cook, Fargo. Second Vice-President, F. A. Maser, Glen Ullen.

Secretary, W. F. Sudro, Fargo.

Treasurer, W. S. Parker, Lisbon.

Local Secretary, F. P. Homan, Mandan.

#### OREGON.

Oregon Pharmaceutical Association elected the following officers:

President, L. B. Russell, Portland.

First Vice-President, Lynn B. Ferguson.

Second Vice-President, S. A. Matthieu, Portland.

Third Vice-President, Harry Weis, Salem. Secretary, Frank S. Ward, Portland. Treasurer, John Laue, Portland.

#### VERMONT.

President-elect Theodore J. Bradley and Prof. E. H. La Pierre were speakers at Vermont Pharmaceutical Association at Lake Morey Club, Fairlee. The former referred to Andrew Craigie of Boston and the late Tom Platt as pharmacists. The following officers were reëlected:

President, W. Chapman, Fairlee.

Vice-Presidents, W. H. Saunders, H. M. Louthood and J. L. Slafter.

Secretary-Treasurer, F. W. Churchill, Proctor.

#### WASHINGTON.

Resolutions were adopted by the Washington State Pharmaceutical Association opposing new laws intending to create a separate governmental bureau of the Prohibition Department. Prohibition administrator, Roy C. Lyle, stated that the druggists of Washington were lending full coöperation to the enforcement of the prohibition law.

Among the speakers of the Convention were Dean Charles W. Johnson, Dean P. H. Dirstine and Carl Weeks. The following officers were elected:

President, E. L. Smalley, Walla Walla.

Chairman of the Board of Trustees, F. R. Robertson.

Secretary, H. W. Ayres, Seattle.

Treasurer, W. E. Hinman, Seattle.

### WISCONSIN.

Carl Weeks, Dr. F. J. Wulling and Dr. Edward Kremers were among the speakers at the Wisconsin meeting. E. L. Newcomb spoke on price standardization and Dr. K. K. Chen on "Drug Business in China." The following officers were elected:

President, William Rheineck, Milwaukee.

First Vice-President, George Sontag, Neilsville.

Second Vice-President, C. N. Euler, La Crosse. Third Vice-President, F. W. Mueller, Oshkosh. Secretary, E. B. Heimstreet, Lake Mills. Treasurer, Henry Rollmann, Chilton.

#### FLORIDA.

Florida Pharmaceutical Association held its convention in Jacksonville, with an attendance of about 500. The AMERICAN PHARMA-CEUTICAL ASSOCIATION was represented by delegates W. M. Hankins, D. W. Ramsaur and W. D. Jones. The following officers for the ensuing year were elected:

President, J. K. Atwood, Jacksonville. First Vice-President, L. C. Smith, Miami. Second Vice-President, Laurie Taylor, Eustis. Secretary-Treasurer, J. H. Hansbrough, Tampa.

Miami was selected as the next convention city.

Secretary E. F. Kelly, A. PH. A., attended the meetings and delivered an address; Assistant Publicity Director E. S. Sater spoke in behalf of the A. PH. A. Headquarters and received fine support. Other speakers were Carl Weeks, who discussed business subjects; Sam Dunlap spoke on "Merchandizing Problems;" and Frank Norris presented "Sound Credit Methods." Among the contributors of papers were: L. S. Brigham, Prof. E. J. Stuhr, Dr. F. J. Bacon, A. W. Morrison, Prof. L. M. Chew.

# OHIO PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIA-TION.

Ohio Pharmaceutical Association elected the veteran—Alfred DeLang, of Cincinnati—Honorary President of the organization. The recommendation was made by President Pollack in his address. Among the speakers at the meeting were Secretary E. F. Kelly of the A. PH. A.; Samuel C. Henry, Secretary of the N. A. R. D. Other addresses were made by J. Francis Martin on



Four Secretaries.—Left to Right—M. N. Ford, N. A. B. P.; E. F. Kelly, A. PH. A.; Theodore D. Wetterstroem, Ohio; Samuel C. Henry, N. A. R. D.

"Where is Your Business Going?" L. E. Buisch spoke on "Ways and Means of Selling." Editor Jerry McQuade addressed the convention on "Price Maintenance Measures." Secretary E. L. Newcomb, of the National Wholesale Druggists Association, also delivered an address.

The Legislative Committee submitted a proposal for the enactment of a partial formula disclosure law and also recommended suitable legislation to define what a recognized college of pharmacy is. The following officers were elected:

President, Otto C. Kistner, Cincinnati.

First Vice-President, Otto Moosbrugger, Dayton.

Secretary, Theodore D. Wetterstroem, Columbus.

Treasurer, L. W. Funk, Columbus.

# CANADIAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

Among the speakers at the meeting of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association at Montreal, August 10, were Sir William S. Glyn-Jones and Dr. H. V. Arny, Past-President of the A. PH. A.; the latter spoke on the "Needs of Pharmacy." He urged pharmacists to uphold the dignity of their profession and regretted the increasing prominence given to side-lines of merchandise.

President Harrison, in his address, reviewed business conditions and considered that they were much better than they had been for many years. He advocated higher standards for pharmacy and a course of four years at the University.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Honorary Presidents, John Higginbotham, Lethbridge; J. F. Robert, Toronto; Charles E. Scarff, Montreal.

Chairman of the Council, G. A. Burbridge, Halifax.

Secretary-Treasurer, Dr. R. B. Stanbury, Toronto.

Solicitor, F. Mearns.

# THE PHARMACIST AND THE LAW.

# RIGHT TO SELL PATENT MEDICINES SUSTAINED.

A Wisconsin case in which the question was involved as to whether a pharmacist could sell a proprietary medicine when requested to make the sale of a medicine for rheumatism was sustained in the decision of Judge Thomas J. Mahon of Milwaukee. The judge pointed out that Section 15,104 of the statutes of the State of Wisconsin provides that no person shall retail, compound, or dispense drugs, medicines, or poisons unless he be a Registered Pharmacist. Sub-section three of this section provides further that this shall not interfere with the dispensing of drugs, medicines or other articles by physicians, nor with the sale of proprietary medicines in sealed packages, labeled to comply with the Federal Pure Food and Drug Law, with the directions for using and the name and location of the manufacturer, etc.

The judge held that to find the defendant guilty of a violation of the Medical Practice Act under the circumstances of the case would be to brand every druggist in the State who sells to a customer a proprietary remedy for some common ailment a violator of this same Medical Practice Act. If this were the purpose of the legislature in passing the Medical Practice Act, the Act itself would indeed be of doubtful constitutionality.