

The daily report and inspection in the pharmacy of **John A. Goode** in Asheville, N. C. requires the following information from the Manager of the Department: number of new prescriptions filled, number of old prescriptions filled, errors made, sales lost, repairs to be made, any prescription from day before, preparations manufactured, calls for new preparations, scales cleaned by, invoices checked by, sink and drainboard cleaned by, manufacturing counter cleaned by, typewriter cleaned by, time machine charged and cleaned by, small package goods bottled, etc., special items ordered or to be ordered, floor inspected by, do windows need washing? Number of Rx blanks mailed, any prescriptions signed? Remarks and suggestions.

Petty's Pharmacy, Newark, N. J., celebrated the event of a 2,000,000 mark in the filling of prescriptions which was celebrated with a dinner attended by the officers and employees. This establishment lays claim to being the largest retail pharmacy in the U. S.

OBITUARY.

A. MORRIS EARNSHAW.

The death of Arthur Morris Earnshaw was a distinct shock to the people of East Greenwich, Rhode Island. He was in the prime of life and his illness was sudden and his death unexpected. He was highly regarded in the community and during his funeral all business in East Greenwich was suspended. Flags at Varnum Memorial Armory and elsewhere in the city were at half mast.

Mr. Earnshaw was the son of Arthur A. and Bessie M. (Owen) Earnshaw. He died January 2nd at the Homeopathic Hospital, Providence, following an operation for appendicitis.

The deceased was born November 4, 1901, and educated in East Greenwich and also at the Massachusetts College of Pharmacy. He was associated with his father in the Earnshaw Drug Co.

Besides his parents he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Margaret B. Earnshaw and a brother, Elmer R. Earnshaw.

SOCIETIES AND COLLEGES.

SAN FRANCISCO—THE N. A. R. D. CONVENTION CITY.

Secretary W. Bruce Philip and his efficient coöperators are giving fine publicity to the meeting of the N. A. R. D. to be held in San Francisco during the week of September 10th. Railroad rates are so arranged that after attending the San Francisco Convention the delegates may visit other centers of interest on the Pacific Coast and then return by way of another route.

The Committee on Publicity is sending out informative circulars relative to the Pacific Coast Section of the country and is encouraged by many responses from those who contemplate attending the convention in San Francisco.

CENTENARY OF WÖHLER'S DISCOVERY.

Industrial and Engineering Chemistry notes that the year 1928 marks the hundredth anniversary of Wöhler's preparation of urea from ammonium cyanate. That discovery marked the beginning of synthetic chemistry and the beginning of the end of the older vitalistic ideas of organic chemistry. It is planned to celebrate the centenary by a special program at the Boston meeting (Swampscott) of the American Chemical Society in September 1928.

MEETING PLACE OF A. P. M. A.

The American Pharmaceutical Manufacturers' Association will hold its annual meeting at Lake Wawasee, Ind., in June.



MAINE PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

Maine Pharmaceutical Association held its mid-winter meeting February 9th at Augusta. The annual meeting will be held at Poland Spring, June 18th.

MINNESOTA PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

Minnesota Pharmaceutical Association held its annual meeting at the Nicollett Hotel,