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The President of the American Conference of Pharmaceutical Faculties, Charles W. Johnson, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his birth, after his return home from the recent Asheville Convention, September 23rd. He is a native of Indiana where he was educated and, later, taught in the public schools of the "Hoosier State."

After graduating from the College of Pharmacy of the University of Michigan, in 1896, earning the degree of Ph.C., he practiced pharmacy in Ann Arbor and Detroit until 1898, when he continued his studies in pharmacy and became assistant in Chemistry at the University and, in 1900, received the B.S. degree.

He was instructor in Chemistry in the State University of Iowa for two years and then again returned to his Alma Mater and, in 1903, was awarded the Ph.D. degree. Thereafter, he was elected Professor of Pharmaceutical Chemistry and Dean of the College of Pharmacy of the University of Washington, where he is entering his twenty-first year of service.

Since Dean Johnson came to Seattle he has been active in the Washington State Pharmaceutical Association, was twice honored with the presidency, and during these years his co-worker, the late A. W. Linton, served as secretary, evidencing the close attachment of the State organization and the College of Pharmacy. His interest in the organization continues and his counsel is influential in guiding its affairs.

He is a member of the Committee of Revision of the United States Pharmacopœia. His activities in the American Pharmaceutical Association and the American Conference of Pharmaceutical Faculties are well and favorably known; he has made a dozen trips across the continent to attend the annual meetings of these bodies.

During vacation time Professor Johnson enjoys out-of-door life in the mountains, studies and engages in "Contemplative Man's Recreation." E. G. E.

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