

THE DEPARTMENT OF THE AMERICAN CONFERENCE OF PHARMACEUTICAL FACULTIES

[EDITOR'S NOTE.—The Tentative Program of the Twenty-fourth Annual Conference Meeting is presented herewith. Papers upon educational subjects will be received up to the time of the meeting.

Miss Zada Cooper of Iowa was for years the chairman of the Committee on Activities of Students and Alumni. As chairman, she did a most important work in stimulating student activity in Conference schools. Because of her intimate knowledge of student affairs and because of her broad sympathies with student activities, the chairman has asked her to prepare the paper upon Pharmaceutical Fraternities and Sororities.

RUFUS A. LYMAN, *Chairman and Conference Editor.*]

TENTATIVE PROGRAM FOR THE TWENTY-FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE AMERICAN CONFERENCE PHARMACEUTICAL FACULTIES AT ASHEVILLE, N. C.

First Session—Monday, September 3rd, 10:00 A.M.

Address—"Presentation of a Plan to Investigate Pharmaceutical Education from the Functional Standpoint."—Dr. W. W. Charters of the Personnel Department of the Carnegie Institute of Technology.

2:00 P.M.—Roll Call of Delegates representing Conference Membership.

The Presidential Address—Charles H. LaWall, Philadelphia.

Report of the Secretary-Treasurer—Miss Zada M. Cooper, Iowa.

Report of the Chairman of the Executive Committee—R. A. Lyman, Nebraska.

Report of the Syllabus Committee—Theodore J. Bradley, Massachusetts.

Reports of the Standing Committees of the Conference—by the Chairmen.

Second Session—September 3rd, 6:00 P.M.

Second Annual Conference Dinner—to be held at a place to be designated later. Following the dinner the new deans and new representatives of the Conference will be introduced.

8:00 P.M.—Illustrated Lecture by Dr. H. M. Whelpley of Missouri. Subject—"The Deans of the Conference Schools at Play."

8:30 P.M.—Report of the Special Committees and of specially appointed Conference Delegates.

Third Session—Tuesday, September 4th, 9:00 A.M.

An Address—By President H. W. Chase, of the University of North Carolina.

Papers—"Chemical Education in Pharmacy Schools," by Prof. John C. Krantz, University of Maryland. "Laboratory Management," by Dean Willis G. Gregory, University of Buffalo.

Miscellaneous Business.

Election of Officers.

Executive Session—Matters of the utmost importance to the Conference will be discussed at the Executive Session. A full attendance is very important.

Adjournment.

PHARMACEUTICAL FRATERNITIES AND SORORITIES.

BY ZADA M. COOPER, UNIVERSITY OF IOWA.

There are those still who have only condemnation for fraternities and sororities but, though their most ardent supporters cannot claim that they are an unmixed good, all must agree that they have a tremendous influence on college life. Since the days of Solomon groups of people have banded together with a common purpose. College fraternities (and I use the term in a general sense, to include sororities also) are here to stay and they are possessed of possibilities for good or evil