

PROCEEDINGS OF THE LOCAL BRANCHES

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Reports of the meetings of the Local Branches should be mailed to the Editor on the day following the meeting, if possible. Minutes should be typewritten, with wide spaces between the lines. Care should be taken to give proper names correctly, and manuscript should be signed by the reporter. To maintain its activity and representation each branch should see that at least three of its meetings during the year are reported in the JOURNAL.

NEBRASKA.

The last meeting for the current year of the Nebraska Branch of the American Pharmaceutical Association was held at the College of Pharmacy, University of Nebraska, Thursday May 24. This was an open meeting and in addition to members of the Branch a number of pharmacy students were in attendance.

The program of the meeting dealt with the early history of pharmacy in the United States. The first number was a discussion of the Beginnings of American Pharmacy, by Prof. J. B. Burt, based upon the recent publication of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science—"One Hundred Years and The

Philadelphia College of Pharmacy." In his talk Professor Burt dealt with the early conditions in pharmacy and the factors which brought about the establishment of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy.

Dr. R. A. Lyman, Dean of the College of Pharmacy, of the University of Nebraska, was then introduced and discussed the later development of pharmacy. In his talk Dr. Lyman paid a tribute to the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science for the very prominent part it had played in developing the scientific side of pharmacy and its outstanding leadership in pharmaceutical endeavor. J. B. BURT, *Secretary*.

COUNCIL BUSINESS

A. PH. A. COUNCIL LETTER NO. 14.
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 30, 1923.
(Abstract.)

To the Members of the Council:

73. *Donation of back numbers of the Journal to the University of Strasburg (See Item 21).—*Approved.

74. *Convention headquarters decided upon (See Item 68).—*At Kenilworth Inn, Asheville.

75. *Applicants Nos. 351-417 elected to active membership.*

76. *(Motion No. 26.) Request for permission to organize a local branch of the A. Ph. A. at Seattle.—*In response to the following petition, it is moved by Secretary Day, seconded by DuMez, that permission to organize a local branch at Seattle be granted:

To the Officers and Members of the Council of the American Pharmaceutical Association.

Gentlemen:

The undersigned members of the American Pharmaceutical Association residing in the State of Washington respectfully petition your body to establish a local branch of the association with headquarters at Seattle, Wash-

ington; said branch to be known as the University of Washington Branch of the American Pharmaceutical Association. All members of the association residing in the State of Washington who signify their desire to affiliate with said branch, if established, to be considered members of the branch.

C. W. Johnson	Arnold J. Lehman
H. A. Langenhan	Miss Rachel A. Welsh
E. V. Lynn	Miss Marie Gustafson
F. J. Goodrich	Miss Annette Hard- inger
Miss O. Hilton	Ernest D. Whiteley

Miss Helen Eheim	Sheldon Meyers
Miss Marie Nyquist	Dale H. Barron
Eugene F. Galeno	H. O. Zumwalt
Harold W. Silke	Louis Rubenstein
Leonard Rhodes	Geo. H. Guy
Warren Stroud	H. E. Holmes
Arthur D. Pochert	J. R. Watson
Peter C. Werba	S. Sure
Miss Bertha L. McFee	S. W. Curtis
Miss Ruth M. Davis	C. Osseward
P. Y. Cheng	Geo. H. Needham
Miss Helen Pratt	H. M. Shaw

Miss Katy Braford Harry P. Quass
 Miss Violet Wise Henry J. Lawrence
 Roland Harper Herbert F. Neubauer
 Peres A. Dix Frederick V. Lofgren
 Glenn W. Henderson R. A. Bissett
 Emily McRae Ruby Henderson
 Clarence B. Halverson L. R. Nicholson
 Ethel Tschudin

Dean C. W. Johnson, of the University of Washington College of Pharmacy, writes as follows in forwarding this petition:

"I am enclosing a petition, containing 49 names, for a local branch of the American Pharmaceutical Association to be established at Seattle.

"Twenty-seven of the persons signing this petition are faculty members and students who will be connected with, and in, college next school year. I feel quite sure that with a local branch established at this college of pharmacy I can induce the majority of our students each year to take out membership. This will not only help the college by giving us a scientific organization in which all students can participate but will also help the association. I believe that if we can get the student into the association and keep him interested for three or four years while he is in college he will continue to maintain his interest and keep up his membership after leaving college.

"The group signing this petition have not met to organize in any way. It was thought best to wait and, if petition is granted, to call a meeting early in October for organization. It is planned to hold at least six meetings during the college year and to follow the constitution and by-laws of the association in the formation of such by-laws as may be needed for the local branch."

77. *Election of active members:* No. 418, Laddie Frank Skala, 2353 S. Central Park Ave., Chicago, Ill.; No. 419, Francis J. Balanda, 15 Lawrence Street, Waterbury, Conn.; No. 420, George L. Golding, 21 Clark Street, Malden, Mass.; No. 421, Moses W. Doyle, Jr., 17 Alvord Street, Torrington, Conn.; No. 422, Charles A. Lynch, Cross Street, Uxbridge, Mass.; No. 423, Anselmo Ortiz-Leon, Humacao, Porto Rico; No. 424, J. Burks Harley, 1803 A Street, Lincoln, Nebr.; No. 425, Leon Simmons Gimmy, Jerseyville, Ill.; No. 426, David Wagner, 520 West 163rd St., c/o Dr. A. Kahn, New York, N. Y.; No. 427, Hubert Franklin Nelson, Thomas, Texas; No. 428, George Calvin Kenady, Peacock,

Texas; No. 429, Julius Samuel Arfield, 5906 Nicholson Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.; No. 430, John Alexander Dixon, 124 Rebecca St., Kittanning, Pa.; No. 431, Abraham Schreier, 960 Tinton Avenue, New York, N. Y.; No. 432, Henry Wartell, 255 West 111th St., New York, N. Y.; No. 433, Louis F. Bradley, 701 Md. Ave., N. E., Washington, D. C.; No. 434, A. Stewart Mackeigan, 14508 Fischer Rd., Lakewood, Ohio; No. 435, Norman Theodore Mollenhof, Stanton, Iowa; No. 436, J. P. Whitters, c/o The Alkalol Co., 141 Washington St., Taunton, Mass.; No. 437, Ralph J. Levy, c/o Polk Miller Drug Co., Inc., 5 Governor Street, Richmond, Va.; No. 438, Paul Eiche, 311 W. Jefferson St., Effingham, Ill.; No. 439, Edward Henry Kraus, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.; No. 440, Charles G. Foucek, 1801 So. Racine Ave., Chicago, Ill.; No. 441, Miss Dixie Lee Webb, 316 Union St., Knoxville, Tenn.; No. 442, William James Bell, Main Street No. 212, Okolona, Miss.; No. 443, E. C. St. Clair, Tupelo, Miss.; No. 444, C. W. Hornor, 740 Union Street, New Orleans, La.; No. 445, E. H. Hyde, Poplarville, Miss.; No. 446, Thos. D. Houston, Woodland, Miss.; No. 447, Winfield Bates Tobb, Houston, Miss.; No. 448, Robert K. Wier, Starkville, Miss.; No. 449, John Edgar Thomas, Eupora, Miss.; No. 450, William Henry Rose, 33 Commerce St., West Point, Miss.; No. 451, P. K. Thomas, 826 Jefferson Street, Tupelo, Miss.; No. 452, W. B. Pollard, Ackerman, Miss.; No. 453, W. D. Welch, 432 Clifton St., Jackson, Miss.; No. 454, Thomas Oslin Slaughter, Waynesboro, Miss.; No. 455, Jos. A. Moss, Miloxi, Miss.

A. G. DUMEZ, *Secretary.*

A. PH. A. COUNCIL LETTER NO. 15.
 WASHINGTON, D. C., July 16, 1923.
 (Abstract.)

To the Members of the Council:

78. *Organization of a Local Branch at Seattle approved.* Motion No. 26 (Item 76), a motion to authorize the formation of a local branch of the A. Ph. A. at Seattle, has received a majority of affirmative votes.

79. *Applicants Nos. 418 to 455 elected to active membership.*

80. (*Motion No. 28.*) *Program for the Asheville meeting.* The Committee on Program presents the following tentative program for the 71st annual convention to be held in Asheville, N. C., September 3 to 8. It is moved by Day, seconded by DuMez, that this program be approved.

TENTATIVE DRAFT OF PROGRAM.

- Monday, September 3.
- 9:00 A.M. Second Meeting of the 1922-23 Council in Grill Room, Kenilworth.
- 9:00 A.M. National Association of Boards of Pharmacy, Sun Parlor, Kenilworth.
- 2:00 P.M. American Conference of Pharmaceutical Faculties, Convention Hall, Kenilworth.
- 2:00 P.M. National Association of Boards of Pharmacy, Sun Parlor, Kenilworth.
- 7:00 P.M. Third Meeting of the Council, Grill Room, Kenilworth.
- 8:00 P.M. National Association of Boards of Pharmacy, Sun Parlor, Kenilworth.
- 8:00 P.M. American Conference of Pharmaceutical Faculties, Convention Hall.
- Tuesday, September 4.
- 9:00 A.M. National Association of Boards of Pharmacy, Sun Parlor B.
- 9:00 A.M. American Conference of Pharmaceutical Faculties, Convention Hall.
- 2:00 P.M. Joint Session of the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy, and the American Conference of Pharmaceutical Faculties, Convention Hall.
- 8:00 P.M. First General Session of the American Pharmaceutical Association held jointly with the House of Delegates, Convention Hall (Committee on Nominations will meet immediately after adjournment of General Session).
- Wednesday, September 5.
- 8:30 A.M. First Session of Historical Section, Room A.
- 8:30 A.M. First Session of Commercial Section, Grill Room.
- 10:00 A.M. First Session of Scientific Section, Convention Hall.
- 10:00 A.M. First Session of Women's Section, Sun Parlor A.
- 2:00 P.M. Second Session of the House of Delegates, Convention Hall.
- 7:30 P.M. Fourth Session of the Council, Grill Room.
- 9:00 P.M. President's Reception and Ball, Ball Room of Kenilworth.

Thursday, September 6.

- 8:30 A.M. First Session Practical Pharmacy and Dispensing, Grill Room.
- 8:30 A.M. First Session Section on Education and Legislation, Sun Parlor B.
- 10:00 A.M. Second Session of Historical Section, Convention Hall.
- 1:30 P.M. Second General Session of the A. Ph. A., Convention Hall.
- 4:00 P.M. Automobile Ride and Organ Recital at Grove Park Inn.
- 7:30 P.M. Fifth Session of the Council, Grill Room.

Friday, September 7.

- 9:00 A.M. Second Session of Scientific Section, Convention Hall.
- 9:00 A.M. Second Session of Commercial Section, Grill Room.
- 10:00 A.M. Second Session of Women's Section, Sun Parlor A.
- 1:30 P.M. Second Session of Section on Education and Legislation, Sun Parlor B.
- 1:30 P.M. Second Session of Practical Pharmacy and Dispensing Section, Room B.
- 3:00 P.M. Final Session of House of Delegates, Convention Hall.
- 4:00 P.M. Drive and Tea for the Ladies at Biltmore Forest Country Club.
- 7:30 P.M. Reorganization Meeting of the Council, Grill Room.
- 8:30 P.M. Final General Session of the A. Ph. A., Convention Hall.

Saturday, September 8.

- 9:00 A.M. All day trip to top of Mt. Mitchell by automobile.

81. Election of active members: No. 456, Dwight H. Hawks, 113 N. Main St., Goshen, Ind.; No. 457, Charles B. Criss, Gosport, Ind.; No. 458, Joseph Bartoszek, 1342 Lincoln Way West, South Bend, Ind.; No. 459, A. M. Spellman, 2300 Broadway, Gary, Ind.; No. 460, Morris D. Lieberman, 2200 Broadway, Gary, Ind.; No. 461, Jos. W. Weis, 98 State St., Hammond, Ind.; No. 462, Mortimer C. Johns, 1650 Adams St., Gary, Ind.; No. 463, Herman Bill, 1101 E. Pontiac St., Ft. Wayne, Ind.; No. 464, Scott Kelly, Gaston, Ind.; No. 465, James C. Mead, 646 Mass. Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.; No. 466, Edward Charles Gottman, 2801 E. Washington St., Indianapolis, Ind.; No. 467, Clarence Stanley Hall, 909 W. Beardsley Ave., Champaign, Ill.; No. 468, John A. Mertes, 2973 Lincoln Ave.,

Chicago, Ill.; No. 469, Louis Scheffel, 1929 Blue Isl. Ave., Chicago, Ill.; No. 470, Peter R. Bogan, Mackinac Island, Mich.; No. 471, Sidney Odle, 1615 Beaver Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.; No. 472, Ralph Joseph Hite, 914 Western Ave., N. S., Pittsburgh, Pa.; No. 473, E. Fred Rowse, 214 Baldwin St., Hays, Pa.; No. 474, Joseph Stein, 2170 Webster Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.; No. 475, John A. Edwards, Scarborough Drug Co., Anniston, Ala.; No. 476, Dr. Albert C. Roy, 82 West 12th St., New York, N. Y.; No. 477, James Stark White, Fairview Drug Co., 1351 N. Liberty St., Winston-Salem, N. C.; No. 478, Morris Rockman, 2322 Madison Ave., Baltimore, Md.; No. 479, Powhatan A. George, Ronceverte, W. Va.; No. 480, George L. Douglass, Kimball, Minn.; No. 481, Frederic W. Rugg, 107 22nd St., Elmhurst, N. Y.; No. 482, Harry S. Kaufman, 77 West St., Newark, N. J.; No. 483, Gordon O. Hulett, Werner, N. Dak.; No. 484, Meyer Shepord, 1735 Washington Ave., New York, N. Y.; No. 485, Charles F. Schinkel, 210 Irving Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; No. 486, Aaron Keilin, 1362 Clinton Ave., New York, N. Y.; No. 487, Sam. S. Dworkin, 151 St. Ann's Ave., New York, N. Y.; No. 488, William Meiselas, 167 Throop Ave.,

Brooklyn, N. Y.; No. 489, Max Gluckman, 390 Buschwick Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; No. 490, Aaron Segall, 257 Columbus Ave., New York, N. Y.; No. 491, Arthur Harry Adelman, 283 Stuyvesant Ave., Newark, N. J.; No. 492, Charles Keppler, Jr., 78 Madeline Ave., Lake View, Paterson, N. J.; No. 493, Arthur John Ruffner, 2704 Northwestern Ave., Detroit, Mich.; No. 494, Carl Marks Harmon, 10 Flagship Road, Dundalk, Md.; No. 495, David Earle Powell, Asheville, N. C.; No. 496, Robert Royal Copeland, 104 E. Main St., Ahoskie, N. C.; No. 497, William A. Crabtree, 41 Moore St., Sanford, N. C.; No. 498, Wiltshire Griffith, Fifth and Main Sts., Hendersonville, N. C.; No. 499, William Hicks Justus, Hendersonville, N. C.; No. 500, Norman Walker Lynch, Charlotte, N. C.; No. 501, Harvey Hooper McKay, Main Street, Gastonia, N. C.; No. 502, Walter Spurgeon Martin, 123 Main St., Canton, N. C.; No. 503, George Lanneau Nye, Loris, S. C.; No. 504, Cornelius A. Raysor, 31 Patton Ave., Asheville, N. C.; No. 505, William Alexander Ring, High Point, N. C.; No. 506, Lester Holland Stowe, Belmont, N. C.; No. 507, Duncan Isham Watson, Southport, N. C.

A. G. DuMEZ, *Secretary.*

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION FOR MEDICINAL ASSISTANT.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces an open competitive examination for MEDICAL ASSISTANT (PHARMACOLOGY). Receipt of applications will close September 11. The examination is to fill a vacancy in the Bureau of Chemistry, Department of Agriculture, and vacancies in positions requiring similar qualifications at entrance salaries ranging from \$3,000 to \$3,600 a year.

The duties are to carry on pharmacological and toxicological investigations and research in connection with the standardization and physiological assay of certain drugs, such as digitalis, strophanthus, ergot, pituitary, etc., as required by the United States Pharmacopœia.

Competitors will not be required to report for examination, but will be rated on their general education and medical training, practical or professional experience and fitness, and publications or thesis to be filed with the application.

Full information and application blanks

may be obtained from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., or the secretary of the board of U. S. civil-service examiners at the post office or customhouse in any city.

ANETHOL FROM A NEW SOURCE.

Ungerer's Bulletin calls attention to the fact that a new gum resin of interesting possibilities has been investigated by the Imperial Institute of Science and Industry of Australia. This product, called gum nauli, is obtained from a large tree growing abundantly in the Solomon Islands and is of a pale yellow color, smelling strongly of anise.

Analysis shows it to consist mainly of resin, 81.8 per cent., but it also contains something over 10 per cent. of a volatile oil which shows approximately 34 per cent. of anethol. The oil is obtained by distilling the gum resin with steam and anethol is readily obtained from it in the usual way. As a source for anethol this oil can hardly compete with oil anise at the prices prevailing for the latter, but the oil if sufficiently cheap might be of interest for soap perfuming and other purposes.