of whisky and make the price prohibitive to many who require it in case of sickness; the difficulty of obtaining supplies by the trade would become greater—as the wholesaler is eliminated as a distributor, according to those who have given careful study to the measure.

The National Wholesale Druggists' Association desire that Section 14 be amended in order that "its provisions may be made clear to the courts and possibly to the executive departments." The National Association of Retail Druggists presents, among other arguments against the measure, the following:

"Because a government-created monopoly

of the manufacture and distribution of medicinal spirits, or any other medicine for which a standard is fixed in the 'United States Pharmacopœia,' is wrong in principle, unwise as a public policy and a dangerous precedent under a democratic form of government, if not unconstitutional."

Prof. Julius A. Koch represented the AMERI-CAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION at the meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, in Philadelphia. The former organization is affiliated with the latter; Prof. A. A. Noyes is now the President.

Association Business

AD INTERIM BUSINESS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION, 1926–1927.

Office of the Secretary, 10 West Chase St., Baltimore, Md.

LETTER NO. 5.

December 23, 1926.

To the Members of the Council:

57. Vote on the Location of the Headquarters Building. Motion No. 10 (See Council Letter No. 4, p. 1148) has received fourteen affirmative and two negative votes, the latter from Messrs. George Judisch and A. G. Hulett. No objection to the taking of the vote was expressed and the motion is, therefore, declared carried. The instruction as given in this motion will be carried out in arranging for and in sending the ballots for the vote on location. From certain questions asked by members of the Council, it seems advisable to call attention to Article III of Chapter IX of the By-Laws of the Association as given in Volume 13 of the YEAR BOOK The Secretary understands that, although the dues are payable in advance, a member is in good standing until July first of any year whether the dues for that year are paid or not. In this case, a member who has paid the dues for the year 1926, is in good standing until July 1, 1927, and is entitled to vote whether the dues for 1927 have been paid or not. Those who have paid the dues for 1927 are, of course, entitled to vote.

58. Budget Appropriation for the Headguarters Building Campaign. Motion No. 11 (See Council Letter No. 4, p. 1149) has been carried, and this budget item is increased to \$10,000. 59. Expenses of the Committee on Biological Products. Motion No. 12 (See Council Letter No. 4, p. 1149) has been carried and an item of \$50.00 has been added to the budget for the expenses of this committee.

60. Selection of Auditors. Motion No. 13 (See Council Letter No. 4, page 1149) has been carried and W. A. Johnson & Co. have been so notified. The annual reports of the Treasurer, Secretary and Editor of the JOURNAL will be placed at the disposal of the auditors prior to January 10, 1927, in accordance with Article IX of Chapter IV of the By-Laws.

61. Motion No. 14 (See Council Letter No. 4, page 1149) and Motion No. 15 (See Council Letter No. 4, p. 1150) have been carried. Applicants for membership numbered 32 to 53 inclusive and applicants for membership numbered H-147 to H-164 inclusive are, therefore, declared elected.

62. Budget for 1927. The Committee on Finance, through its Chairman, presents to the Council the following list of appropriations to cover the various expenditures of the ensuing fiscal year, in accordance with Article II of Chapter II of the By-Laws of the Council. An item for the Recipe Book is included among the Open Accounts, along with the National Formulary, in order that when the report of the Committee on Publications on the cost of this publication is received (See Council Letter No. 1, p. 938, item No. 27) its publication can be proceeded with if the Council so decides. Jan. 1927 AM

PROPOSED BUDGET OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1927.

Appropriations for General Expense.	s.
1 Salaries	\$ 10750.00
2 Rent	1020.00
3 Telephone	80.00
4 Clerical Expenses, Secretary's	
Office	1300.00
5 Printing, Postage and Station-	
ery	1200.00
6 Traveling Expenses	750.00
7 Stenographers	350.00
8 Premium on Bonds	60.00
9 Auditing	80.00
e e	50.00
10 Certificates.	200.00
11 Miscellancous Expenses	200.00
12 Section on Scientific Papers	20.00
13 Section on Education and Leg-	05 00
islation	25.00
14 Section on Practical Pharmacy	
and Dispensing	25.00
15 Section on Commercial Interests	25.00
16 Section on Historical Pharmacy	25.00
17 Committee on Local Branches.	25.00
18 Committee on Membership	300.00
19 Committee on Unofficial Stand-	
ards	100.00
20 Committee on State and Na-	
tional Legislation	50.00
21 Committee on Syllabus	50.00
22 National Drug Trade Confer-	
ence	200.00
23 Drug Trade Bureau of Public	
Information	200.00
24 International Pharmaceutical	
Federation	120.00
25 Metric Association	10.00
26 Survey of Commercial Phar-	
macy	500.00
27 Headquarters Building Cam-	
• paign	6000.00
28 YEAR BOOK	4500.00
Total Appropriation General	
Expenses\$ 28,020.00	
Appropriations for Open Accounts.	
	11,000.00
(<i>a</i>) Publication \$9500	1,000.00
(b) Clerical Expenses 1000	
(c) Postage and Station-	
ery	
(d) Freight, Drayage,	
Miscellaneous 200	
30 National Formulary \$	1000.00
31 Recipe Book	1000.00
32 Badges and Bars	50.00
Total Open Accounts \$ 13,050.00	00.00
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(Motion No. 16.) It is moved by Koch that the Budget for 1927 as submitted be approved. (Please use enclosed card for voting.)

62. Applicants for Membership. The following applications properly endorsed and accompanied by the first year's dues have been received.

No. 54, Guellermo Acosta Gonzales, 38 Progress St., Santurce, P. R.; No. 55, John Conrad Bauer, 438 Rosedale Terrace, Baltimore, Md.; No. 56, Harry Eugene Bolen, 11 Vance St., Chapel Hill, N. C.; No. 57, Tyson Alexander Curtis, 209 B. Dormitory, Chapel Hill, N. C .: 58, Frank Wilson Dayvault, Dr. Hemphills, Chapel Hill, N. C.; No. 59, Theodore F. Shorsberg, University of Porto Rico, Rio Piedras, P. R.; No. 60, Jacob Mortimer Glazer, 75 Essex St., New York, N. Y.; No. 61, Irving Walter Greenberg, 46 Caryl Ave., Yonkers, N. Y.; No. 62, Harold James Hocking, 3521 34th St., Mt. Rainier, Md.; No. 63, Archie Alva Koontz. 206 Grimes St., Chapel Hill, N. C.; No. 64, Ramon Lopez Iri arry, Mendez Vigo 67, Mynaguez, P. R.; No. 65, Jose Loubriel Cueto, Ponce de Leon 103, San Juan, P. R.; No. 66, Lucas Luis Velez, Carretera No. 9, Rio Piedras, P. R.; No. 67, Enrique Marchese, Lares, P. R.; No. 68, William C. McKenna, Jr., 705 Linnard St., Baltimore, Md.; No. 69, John B. Michels, West Front St., El Paso, Ill.; No. 70, Wade Dobbin Miller, 33 Steele St., Chapel Hill, N. C.; No. 71, Barnet B. Mogerman, 361 Saratoga Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; No. 72, M. Mendez Liciagn, Muntz Rivera St., San Sebastian, P. R.; No. 73, Alberto Pelegrina Gomez, Tetuan No. 14, San Juan, P. R.; No. 74, Juan P. Serra, 31 Allen St., San Juan, P. R.; No. 75, Philip Ragaway, 384 Saratoga Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Joseph Phillips Richardson, Dr. Hemphill's, Chapel Hill, N. C.; No. 77, Louis C. Roche, 301 Gittings Ave., Baltimore, Md.; No. 78, Ignacio Rodriguez Alberty, Manuel Joaquin Cabren St., San Sebastian, P. R.; No. 79, Luis Rosado, 42 Mendez Vigo St., Mayaguez, P. R.; No. 80, Wm. Bert Sedberry, 109 Mangum St., Chapel Hill, N. C.; No. 81, Charles Harland Simpson, Jr., 66 Benkard Ave., Newburgh, N. Y.; No. 82, Frank John Steele, 710 Highland Ave., Meadville, Pa.; No. 83, Clyde Tweed, 310 Ruffin St., Chapel Hill, N. C.; No. 84, Hiram Vazquez, Box 41, Sabana Grande, P. R.; No. 85, Julio V. Llompart, 65 Allen St., San Juan, P. R.; No. 86, Ernest Edward Wheatley, 111 Grimes St., Chapel Hill, N. C.; No. 87, William A. Whittle, 4634 York Road, Baltimore, Md.; No. 88,

Keith Wilson, 719 Park Ave., Independence, Missouri.

(Molion No. 17.) Vote on applications for active membership in American Pharmaceutical Association.

64. Applicants for Membership on Account of Contributions to the Headquarters Building Fund. The following non-members of the A. PH. A. have pledged \$25.00 or more to the Headquarters Building Fund and have made a cash payment of \$5.00 or more.

H-165, Howell W. Allen, 138 W. 5th St., Baltimore, Md.; H-166, Paul Michael Bendery, 7 Elder St., Dorchester, Mass.; H-167, John Emory Bond, McCormick Bldg., Baltimore, Md.; H-168, James Paul Caiafo, 11a Sommers St., Brooklyn, N. Y.; H-169, Bertha Margaret Cermak, 1610 Eastern Ave., Baltimore, Md.; H-170, Benjamin Cinman, 385 S. 3d St., Brooklyn, N. Y.; H-171, Max Hurston Cohem, 205 N. Central Ave., Baltimore, Md.; H-172, Harry Edmund Fry, 231 Market St., Williamsport, Pa.; H-173, L. Manuel Hendler, 1100 E. Baltimore St., Baltimore, Md.; H-174, Harry A. Kinnamon, 2724 Harford Ave., Baltimore, Md.; H-175, Morris Mashkes, 1539 E. Monument St., Baltimore, Md.; H-176, William Meer, 219 Audubon Ave., New York, N. Y.; H-177, Henry J. Neuman, 4805 Bliss St., Woodside, L. I.; H-178, Geo. L. Nevins, 226 Allegheny St., Jersey Shore, Pa.; H-179, Elizabeth Petrewas, Altruria Hall, Valparaiso, Ind.; H-180, Edward Pfeifer, 820 E. 33rd St., Baltimore, Md.; H-181, Charles D. Routzaph, Mount Airy, Md.; H-182, Irving Simon, 97 Amboy St., Brooklyn, N. Y.; H-183, Myer A. Svaigher, 602 E. 8th St., So., Portland, Ore.; H-184, Daniel A. Warren, 3434 University Place, Baltimore, Md.

(Motion No. 18.) Vote on applications of contributors to the Headquarters Building Fund for Membership in the American Pharmaceutical Association.

E. F. KELLY, Secretary.

LETTER NO. 6.

December 31, 1926.

To the Members of the Council:

65. Award of the Contract for Printing and Mailing the Journal for 1927. The following communication has been received from Chairman DuMez of the Committee on Publications:

"Invitations to submit bids on the JOUR-NAL were sent out on November 4, 1926, and several have been received. These have had careful consideration and on account of several questions raised as to possible savings the report of the Committee to the Council has been delayed.

"It is the recommendation of the Committee and of the Editor of the JOURNAL, that the contract for printing the JOURNAL for 1927 be awarded to the Mack Printing Company of Easton, Pa., which firm, formerly known as the Eschenbach Printing Company, has printed the JOURNAL for several years past. The Committee is pleased to report that the contract as arranged represents a considerable saving over that for 1926."

(Motion No. 19.) It is moved by DuMez that the contract for printing the Journal for 1927 be awarded to the Mack Printing Company of Easton, Penna. By request of Chairman DuMez, a vote is called for at this time, but it will be considered as tentative if there is objection.

66. The following letter has been received from Dr. R. P. Fischelis:

"At the request of Mr. Walter M. Chase, the delegate from the Detroit Branch of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION to the House of Delegates of the A. PH. A., I desire to bring to the attention of the Council the enclosed resolution which was passed by that Branch at a recent meeting.

'WHEREAS, the announcement is made in the public press that, in connection with the Chicago Exposition of 1933, there is proposed the erection of an International Temple of Health which is to be used as a center of health education and exhibit during the exposition and a nucleus of a globe-girding campaign of health education including every phase of health progress-medicine, surgery and allied arts of healing;

'And, WHEREAS, the AMERICAN PHARMA-CEUTICAL ASSOCIATION is the one organization representing all phases of Pharmacy one of the coördinate branches of the art of healing;

'Therefore, *Be It Resolved* that this branch instruct our representative to the House of Delegates to take such action as to keep in touch with the matter and recommend such steps as will insure to Pharmacy appropriate recognition in any such plan as is proposed.'

"I believe that the members of the Council will agree that it is not too early to take appropriate action to make sure that Pharmacy is properly represented in the proposed 'International Temple of Health.'

"Therefore, I move that the Council instruct the Secretary of the AMERICAN PHARMACEU-TICAL ASSOCIATION to communicate at an early date with the authorities having in charge the Chicago Exposition of 1933, for the purpose of offering the coöperation of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION in the preparation of exhibits for the proposed "International Temple of Health."

"It is my thought, in offering this motion at such an early date, that there will undoubtedly be considerable competition for space on the part of the various professions affecting the public health, and it is always well for any organization which desires to take a part in such a matter to place itself on record early in support of the proposition."

(Motion No. 20.) It is moved by Fischelis that the Secretary of the American Pharmaceutical Association be instructed to communicate at an early date with the authorities having in charge the Chicago Exposition of 1933, for the purpose of offering the coöperation of the American Pharmaceutical Association in the preparation of exhibits for the proposed International Temple of Health.

67. Election of the Officers of the Association for 1927-1928. The Board of Canvassers, Messrs. W. B. Day, Wm. Gray and C. H. Avery, report the following results of the recent mail ballot: For President, Charles W. Johnson; for First Vice-President, Ambrose Hunsberger; for Second Vice-President, Joseph Jacobs; for Members of the Council, H. V. Arny, G. H. Beringer and T. J. Bradley.

68. Applicants for Membership. The following applications properly endorsed and accompanied by the first year's dues have been received.

No. 89, Edward Tipton Knapp, Rushville, Ill.; No. 90, Samuel Solomon Liberman, 17 Attorney St., New York, N. Y.; No. 91, Guy Homer Lindeman, 304 Dixon Ave., Dixon, Ill.; No. 92, Leonard William Steiger, 835 Summit Ave., Hackensack, N. J.

(Motion No. 21.) Vote on applications for active membership in the American Pharmceutical Association.

69. Applicants for Membership on Account of Contributions to the Headquarters Building Fund. The following non-members of the A. PH. A., have pledged \$25.00 or more to the Headquarters Building Fund and have made a cash payment of \$5.00 or more.

H-185, Frank K. Annis, 453 Louisiana Ave., Baton Rouge, La.; H-186, Bernard Joseph Balciunas, 458 Greenwich St., Valparaiso, Ind.; H-187, Wm. Berg, Bisbie, N. Dak.; H-188, Grant E. Birtch, Y. M. C. A., Michigan City, Ind.; H-189, Robert H. Bower, Wellsboro, Pa.; H-190, N. N. Brakke, McVille, N. Dak.; H-191, Joseph Brenner, 839 Riverside Drive, New York, N. Y.; H-192, Herbert S. Burdick, Gordon, Nebr.; H-193, Abraham Burstein, 93 Maverick St., Chelsea, Mass.; H-194, Irving Camel, 3221 Harvey Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio; H-195, Morris Cohen, 2001 Fullerton Ave., Chicago, Ill.; H-196, A Cameron Cunningham, 2471 Seminole Ave., Detroit, Mich.; H-197, James Russell Dale, 324 E. 3rd St., Alton, Ill.; H-198, William Robt. Deady, Jr., 42 Waverly Ave., Dayton, Ohio.; H-199, Murray S. DeMont, 1702 S. Main St., Rockford, Ill.; H-200, John S. Daniels, 720 New York Ave., Toledo, Ohio; H-201, Edward Pierce Drohan, 1 S. Hamilton Ave., Mt. Healthy, Ohio; H-202, Steven Dulla, 1412 South East Ave., Berwyn, Ill.; H-203, Mrs. H. A. B. Dunning, 4215 Greenway, Baltimore, Md.; H-204, Walter William Fred Enz, 2818 Gay St., Ft. Wayne, Ind.; H-205, Henderson Parker Fagg, 1402 12th Ave., Eldora, Iowa; H-206, Alvin Alexander Fjeldstad, 3531 15th Ave. So., Minneapolis, Minn.; H-207, A. Roy Flanigan, 217 Pine St., Williamsport, Pa.; H-208, James H. Gillis, 103 Fraley St., Kane, Penna.; H-209, Gerald Greenberg, 2125 Harrison Ave., Bronx, N. Y.; H-210, Morton H. Gross, 1030 Prospect Ave., Cleveland, Ohio; H-211, Henry J. Gumowski, 8614 Marqueth Ave., So. Chicago, Ill., H-212, Philip Haas, 1368 East 7th St., Brooklyn, N. Y.; H-213, Fenton Hayes, 733 E. Third St., Williamsport, Penna.; H-214, Charles W. Harter, 9 S. Main St., Muncy, Penna.; H-215, Forest Frank Hatfield, 1623 High St., Ft. Wayne, Ind.; H-216, Sidney Hollander, 2419 Greenmount Ave., Baltimore, Md.; H-217, Lloyd M. Hoover, 120 S. Sutphen St., Middletown, Ohio; H-218, Hal K. Jackson, Liberty, Miss.; H-219, Paul G. Johnson, Fredericktown, Ohio; H-220, Nicholas Jurovics, 51 East 93rd St., New York, N. Y.; H-221, Clinton D. Kendall, 400 Main St., Brookings, S. Dak.; H-222, Louis F. King, Somerset, Ohio; H-223, Norman Lafayette Kisling, 133 S. Main St., Bel Air, Md.; H-224, Peter F. Lalley, 401 Pittston Ave., Scranton, Pa.; H-225, Charles S. Lebo, 623 Hepburn St., Williamsport, Pa.; H-226, Clifford James Lewis, 703 N. Franklin Ave.,

Valparaiso, Ind.; H-227, Elias Malkin, 166 South Fourth St., Brooklyn, N. Y.; H-228, Herman J. Meirose, 4422 Station Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio; H-229, Grau May Metcalf, 904 Campus Ave., Pullman, Wash.; H-230, Anthony J. Mikalauskas, 248 Fourth St., So. Boston, Mass.; H-231, Hyman Morgenstern, 1349 54th St., Brooklyn, N. Y.; H-232, Melvin F. Olson, % Northern Drug Co., Duluth, Minn.; H-233, Sol Rosenfeld, 70 St. Nicholas Ave., New York, N. Y.; H-234, Bernard Thomas Smith, 8 E. Center St., Baltimore, Md.; H-235, E. Raymond Smith, % Phila. Drug Store, Altoona, Pa.; H-236, Harry L. Smith, 1324 Allegheny St., Jersey Shore, Pa.; H-237, Mamie R. Toula, 900 N. Washington St., Baltimore, Md.; H-238, John George

Vlazny, 1801 So. Throop St., Chicago, Ill.; H-239, Alfred Frank Zimdahl, % Y. M. C. A., Geneva, N. Y.; H-240, William Zimmerman, 108 West 90th St., New York, N. Y.; H-241, Lawrence Armanini, P. O. Box 452, Mountain View, Cal.; H-242, John B. Bader, 309 Market St., So. Williamsport, Pa.; H-243, Alex H. Fjeldstad, 3451 Cedar Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.; H-244, Joseph Francis Gaughn, 348 Penna. Ave. W., Warren, Pa.; H-245, Isadore B. Weinberg, 914 W. Marshall St., Norristown, Pa.

(Motion No. 22.) Vote on applications of contributors to the Headquarters Building Fund for Membership in the American Pharmaceutical Association.

E. F. KELLY, Secretary.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

REPORT OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF THE FEDERATION INTERNATIONALE PHARMACEUTIQUE.

(Abstract.)

The following members were present at the November meeting of the Board of the Federation Internationale Pharmaceutique: *President*, Prof. Dr. L. Van Itallie; M. Barthet, France; Ch. Beguin, La Chaux-de-Fonds, Switzerland; V. Haazen, Anvers, Belgium; E. White, London, England; Dr. A Schamelhout, Brussels, Belgium; *Secretary*, Dr. J. J. Hofman, Leyden, Holland.

The meeting was held November 9th and 10th at the home of the French Pharmaceutical Society, 13 Rue Ballu, Paris. Last year the Management asked the Societies to suggest matters of international interest, which can be discussed at the next general meeting. Several societies have answered this request, so that some subjects were named on the program of the Board meeting. The Board considered the increasing influence of the chemical industries on the practice of pharmacy—the control of a number of medications in the form of tablets, ampuls, etc., which are delivered to the public through the manufacturers. This constitutes a dangerous practice for the pharmacists' standing, as well as for the public, because the responsibility and the control are lost to an extent; also the activities in the pharmacies are changing in character. Several communications have been sent in relative to this subject, *viz.*, by the Association Générale des Syndicats de France, the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain, Société Suisse de Pharmacie, Union Farmaceutica Nacional d'Espagne and by the Apotekar Societeten, Sweden. These reports will be discussed at the next meeting.

The Management also has asked the members of the scientific commission to suggest subjects of international scientific importance for Pharmacy, which will also be considered at the next meeting. With respect to that Prof. Herissey at Paris has sent in a report on the unification of methods of preparing galenical preparations. Consideration also will be given to the standardization of raw materials, which enter into these preparations, the methods of assaying them and the international nomenclature. Noting that these subjects, as they relate to official prescriptions, have been studied by the Société des Nations and by the Conference internationale pur l'Unification de la formule des médicaments héroiques, it was decided that the Federation Internationale Pharmaceutique shall be limited to an international unification of prescriptions, which are not official, but which will be found in the formularies of the different countries. The desire is for a limited formulary. The Committee which is to study the subject is composed of Messrs. Greenish, Herissey and Beguin.

Prof. R. Eder suggested study of the following: