

## SOCIETIES AND COLLEGES.

### OFFICERS OF ARIZONA PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

The meeting of Arizona Pharmaceutical Association was held in Phoenix, November 8th and 9th. Among the visitors in attendance were Secretary H. C. Christensen, of the N. A. B. P.; L. N. Brunswig, Los Angeles; F. C. Felter, *Pacific Drug Review*; W. C. Christian, Los Angeles; J. B. Leonard, Palo Alto; D. M. Anderson, Los Angeles; N. W. Stewart, West Virginia.

Mrs. Christensen accompanied her husband, who attended as delegate of the A. PH. A. Secretary Arthur Hulett, Vice-President of the A. PH. A., assisted the latter in making the members acquainted with the ASSOCIATION activities. President Stults' address carried many worth-while suggestions along with a survey of the year's work. The President and Secretary were reelected. W. Roy Wayland, of Phoenix, is the Vice-President, and J. W. McCann, Charles Freericks, J. B. W. Chandler, J. Homer Smith and A. B. Purvis comprise the Executive Committee. The meeting was a great success; the convention of this year will be held in August at Grand Canyon.

### AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION.

The midyear meeting of the American Pharmaceutical Manufacturers' Association was held at Pittsburgh, Pa., December 6th. President Ralph R. Patch presided.

The principal subjects for the discussion of the meeting were related to costs and to catalog simplification. During the discussion of the former subject James F. Stiles presided. In the interest of standardization the Association adopted the formulas for compound tablets agreed upon by the American Drug Manufacturers' Association.

A special Committee was appointed to pass upon claims by members of exclusive right to a product in advance of marketing it.

Asheville was selected for the next place of meeting and the time May 23-27. Canadian pharmaceutical manufacturers will be invited to attend the Asheville meeting.

### THE DR. WHELPLEY MEMORIAL MEETING.

The Dr. Whelpley Memorial Meeting was held at Sheldon Memorial Auditorium, Novem-

ber 17th, and, in spite of the severe snowstorm, the program was carried out almost as planned. The following out of town visitors were present: Dr. James H. Beal, former President of the A. PH. A., who delivered the principal address, printed in this issue of the JOURNAL; Prof. and Mrs. Whitney of Kansas City College of Pharmacy; President Tindall of the Missouri Pharmaceutical Association; Paul L. Hess, a prominent druggist of Kansas City; Samuel C. Davis, President of the National Association of Retail Druggists, who conveyed the sentiments of the organization and expressed his high appreciation of the many kind services which Dr. Whelpley in his lifetime had accorded it. Professor Whitney spoke feelingly for the Missouri Pharmaceutical Association and gave high praise for the many years that Dr. Whelpley had worked unceasingly for the advancement and welfare of the State organization. He conveyed the deep sorrow of all the members of the association because of his death and said that pharmacy as a whole, commercial and professional, had gained much from his life and labors and that his name would live on for time to come in the history of the Missouri Pharmaceutical Association. He represented the Missouri Pharmaceutical Association in lieu of Mr. Mittelbach who was not able to attend. Mrs. Whitney also added her tribute which was much appreciated, also that of Paul L. Hess.

Among the other speakers were, E. H. Wolff, President of the College; Dr. Charles E. Caspari, Dean; William C. Bolm, Chairman of the Board of Trustees. Carl F. G. Meyer spoke of the editorial activities of Dr. Whelpley; F. H. Fricke and F. H. Swift spoke for the Cinchona Club of St. Louis; Prof. Francis Hemm spoke of him as a student, teacher and lifelong friend; Frank Schmerz referred to Dr. Whelpley as a member of the Naturalists Club; Chas. J. Gietner noted the humorous side of his nature; Ambrose Mueller and Dr. J. C. Falk spoke of him as a student and colleague. Many communications were received from prominent men in various activities in which the deceased had been an outstanding figure, all of them contributed to the story of a useful life.

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