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. 10.

Tune 11, 1927.

To the Members of the Council:

100. Honorarium to the Chairman of the Committee on National Formulary. A vote on Motion No. 33 (see Council Letter No. 9, page 471) is called for at this time. Comments have been received from several members of the Council and all express approval of the motion. (Please use enclosed card for voting.)

101. Award of the Contract for Printing and Mailing Volume 14 of the Year Book Covering the Year 1925. Motion No. 34 (see Council Letter No. 9, page 472) has been carried and the contract has been awarded to the Lancaster Press of Lancaster, Pa.

102. Election of Members. Motion No. 35 (see Council Letter No. 9, page 472), Motion No. 36 (see Council Letter No. 9, page 473) and Motion No. 37 (see Council Letter No. 9, page 473) have been carried. Applicants for membership numbered 136 to 164, applicants for membership numbered H-365 to H-394, and applicant for Life membership numbered 2 are, therefore, declared elected.

103. Time of and Headquarters for the Next Annual Meeting. Motion No. 38 (see Council Letter No. 9, page 473) has been carried and arrangements are being made to hold the Seventy-fifth Annual Meeting at the Coronado Hotel in St. Louis, Mo., the week of August 22nd to 27th. The program is being completed and will be submitted to the Council within a short time.

In this connection, the members of the Council are advised that the Plant Science Seminar will be held in St. Louis on August 16th to 19th, and that the National Conference on Pharmaceutical Research will be held in St. Louis on August 20th.

104. Depository of Funds of the Association. Treasurer Holton recently advised the Committee on Property and Funds that the Merchants & Manufacturers National Bank of Newark, N. J., which has been an approved depository of funds of the Association was changed to a trust company and is known as the Merchants Trust Company. President

Bradley, as Chairman of the Committee on Property and Funds, has advised that this Committee have voted to approve the continuation of the Merchants Trust Company, formerly the Merchants and Manufacturers National Bank, as a depository of the funds of the Association.

(Motion No. 39.) It is moved by Holton that the Merchants Trust Company, formerly the Merchants and Manufacturers National Bank of Newark, N. J., be approved as a depository of funds of the American Pharmaceutical Association.

105. Sales of the N. F. V. The report of sales for the quarter ending June 1, 1927, shows that in this period 1535 copies, buckram binding, and two copies, flexible leather binding, were sold.

106. Pharmaceutical Recipe Book, First Edition (R. B. 1). The following communication has been received from the Chairman of the Committee on Publications:

"At the first meeting of the Council (see Council Letter No. 1-1926-1927page 4) the Committee on Publications was authorized to secure bids on an initial number of 5000 copies, the bids to include the making of the plates, and to submit the bids to the Council. In December the Editor of the Recipe Book delivered the greater part of the manuscript to the Secretary and the remainder will be delivered as soon as required. Since that time the Chairman of the Committee on Publications, the Editor of the JOURNAL and the Secretary have had frequent conferences in reference to the production of this book and considerable correspondence has been carried After consultation with Chairman Lascoff and Editor Griffith, arrangements have been made in reference to the distribution and reading of proof and a satisfactory form of bid has been approved by the Committee on Publications.

"The Committee on Publications agreed that the Recipe Book should be of the same size and of the same general make-up as the N. F. V except that a different shade of buckram be used for the binding and that smaller type be used; the main headings are to be in 12 point type, the recipe headings in 10 point type, the ingredients in 9 point type, and the text in 8 point type, and this arrangement gives a very good effect.

"The same firms that bid on the production of the National Formulary V were invited to submit bids on the production of 5000 copies of the Recipe Book.

"Although the Committee on Publications was not instructed by the Council to secure bids on the agency and sale of the Recipe Book and was not requested to submit a recommendation as to the selling price, these very important phases of the matter were brought under consideration.

"The J. B. Lippincott Company preferred to submit bids covering the production and distribution of the Recipe Book and, consequently, they were asked to submit bids for both. In doing so they specified that these bids were not to be considered separately but as a whole and it was understood that the contract for distribution, if entered into, would be similar to that covering the agency and sale of the National Formulary V except in the matter of prices. It was also understood that if such contract is accepted by the A. Ph. A., it will terminate at the same time as the contract for the agency and sale of the N. F. V.

"In view of our recent experience with the N. F. V, it is the unanimous recommendation of the Committee on Publications that the contract for the preparation of the Pharmaceutical Recipe Book, First Edition, and for its agency and sale should be awarded to the J. B. Lippincott Company on the basis of the bids given above. Although this recommendation involves the acceptance of the highest bid on the production, it is the opinion of the Committee that the advantages offered in connection with the agency and sale more than offset the difference in price and that it will be to the material advantage of the Association to have the same firm distribute the N. F. V and the R. B. 1.

"The members of the Committee on Publications, with two exceptions, favor a selling price of \$5.00 and this price is strongly recommended by the J. B. Lippincott Co. One of these two members is in favor of a selling price of \$4.00 or less and the other of \$4.00.

"As previously mentioned, the question

of selling price and distribution are so involved with the question of production that the Committee has felt justified in submitting recommendations on these points in addition to that of production, as requested by the Council."

(Motion No. 40.) It is moved by DuMez that the contract for producing and distributing the Recipe Book, First Edition (R. B. 1), be awarded to the J. B. Lippincott Company of Philadelphia on the basis of their bid, and that the selling price in buckram binding be set at \$5.00 per copy.

As Editor Griffith plans to be away from late in July until September, it is very desirable to have the contract, at least that for production, awarded as promptly as possible. Consequently, a vote on this motion is being called for at this time but will be considered as tentative if any objection is raised or any member wishes to submit comments for circularization.

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

No. 165, Guy Butler, 3236 R St., Lincoln, Nebr.; No. 166, K. K. Chen, Department of Pharmacology, Johns Hopkins Medical School, Baltimore, Md.; No. 167, Wesley McClung Childs, 1016 S. Denver St., El Dorado, Kans.; No. 168, Frank S. Goodman, 1018 E. Capitol St., Washington, D. C.; No. 169, Lillian Monica Harold, 712 South Lyman Ave., Oak Park, Ill.; No. 170, George Henry Hartwell, Main & Central Sts., Southbridge, Mass.; No. 171, Abraham Margulis, 898 Westchester Ave., New York, N. Y.; No. 172, Hubert Humphreys Ohaver, 9303 E. Jefferson Ave., Detroit, Mich.; No. 173, William Vollmer, 2 West 45th St., New York, N. Y.; No. 174, Frank Joseph Vondrasek, 6150 W. 22nd St., Cicero, Ill; No. 175, Cyrus Burton Warne, Redfield, S. D.; No. 176, Frank Edgerton Willson, 1306 Putnam Ave., Detroit, Mich.; No. 177, Isadore Zinman, 7306 Race St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

(Motion No. 41.) Vote on applications for active membership in the American Pharmaceutical Association.

108. 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. They are entitled to membership and you are re-

quested to vote on the applications which have been properly endorsed.

H-395, Emil W. Bodenschatz, 136 North 17th St., San Jose, Calif.; H-396, John S. Chism, 150 North Main St., Wichita, Kans.; H-397, Martin C. Kopf, 622 East Water St., Milwaukee, Wis.; H-398, Harry Kornitsky, 69 Herkimer St., Albany, N. Y.; H-399, Alexis Zephire Morin, Walhalla, N. D.; H-400, Paul Hector Robert, 634 Grafton St., Worcester, Mass.; H-401, John G. Van Lier, 3201 Franklin Blvd., Chicago, Ill.; H-402, Charles A. Volkmar, 3513 Newland St., Baltimore, Md.

(Motion No. 42.) Vote on applications of contributors to the Headquarters Building Fund for Membership in the American Pharmaceutical Association. E. F. Kelly, Secretary.

LETTER NO. 11.

July 7, 1927.

To the Members of the Council:

109. Motion No 33 (see Council Letter No. 9, page 57 and Council Letter No. 10, page 62) has been carried.

110. Motion No. 39 (see Council Letter No. 10, page 471) has been carried and the Merchants Trust Company, formerly the Merchants and Manufacturers National Bank, is approved as a depository of funds of the A. Ph. A.

111. Motion No. 40 (see Council Letter No. 10, above) has been carried by a vote of fifteen to one. Dr. Beal voted against the motion and expressed the opinion that the price of the Recipe Book should not exceed \$4.00, better still \$3.50 per copy. President Bradley voted for the motion but expressed his doubt about the wisdom of fixing \$5.00 as the price of the Recipe Book.

112. Motion No. 41 (see Council Letter No. 10, above) and Motion No. 42 (see Council Letter No. 10, above) have been carried. Applicants for membership numbered 165 to 177 inclusive and applicants for membership H-395 to 402, inclusive, are, therefore, declared elected.

113. Tentative Program for the Diamond Jubilee Meeting. With the approval of Local Secretary A. W. Pauley and his associates, the Secretary submits the following tentative program for the Seventy-fifth Annual Meeting at St. Louis the week of August 22 to 27, 1927. Secretary H. C. Christensen and Secretary Zada M. Cooper have approved that part of the tentative program which relates to the N. A. B. P. and the A. A. C. P., respectively.

TENTATIVE PROGRAM FOR THE SEVENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL MEETING, A. PH. A.

MONDAY, AUGUST 22, 1927.

9:00 A.M. Meeting of the Council, A. Ph. A. 9:00 A.M. National Association Boards of Pharmacy.

9:00 A.M. American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy.

Meeting of Executive Committee.

Teachers Conference:

Chemistry Section.

Practical Pharmacy Section.

Material Medica, Pharmacog-

nosy and Botany Section.

2:00 P.M. National Association Boards of Pharmacy.

2:00 P.M. American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy.

2:00 P.M. Baseball Game—Sportsman's Park
—for Ladies only.

8:00 P.M. National Association Boards of Pharmacy.

8:00 P.M. American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy.

8:00 P.M. Musicale—Coronado Hotel—for Ladies only.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1927.

9:00 A.M. Joint Session National Association Boards of Pharmacy and American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy.

1:30 P.M. First Session House of Delegates, A. Ph. A.

2:30 P.M. National Association Boards of Pharmacy.

2:30 P.M. American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy.

2:30 P.M. Theatre Party for Ladies.

6:30 P.M. Testimonial Dinner to President
Bradley. The President's address will be delivered and will be the only item of business at this dinner. The dinner will be followed by a Goodfellowship Meeting and Dinner Dance.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24, 1927.

9:00 A.M. General Session, A. PH. A.

2:00 P.M. House of Delegates, A. Ph. A.

2:00 P.M. Card Party—Coronado Hotel—for Ladies only.

8:00 P.M. Opera—for all who are registered.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1927.

9:00 A.M. Council A. PH. A.

9:00 A.M. First Session Section on Historical

Pharmacy, Section on Education and Legislation, Scientific Section and Woman's Section.

2:00 p.m. General Session, A. Ph. A.

2:30 P.M. Auto Trip around St. Louis—for Ladies only.

7:30 P.M. First Session Section on Commercial Interests, Second Session Section on Historical Pharmacy and Joint Session Section on Practical Pharmacy and Dispensing and Scientific Section.

8:00 P.M. Theatre Party—for Ladies only. FRIDAY, AUGUST 26, 1927.

9:00 P.M. House of Delegates, A. Ph. A.

2:00 P.M. Second Session Section on Commercial Interests, Section on Education and Legislation, Section on Practical Pharmacy and Dispensing and Scientific Section.

7:00 P.M. Final Session House of Delegates, A. Ph. A.

9:00 P.M. Final General Session, A. Ph. A. 10:30 P.M. Reorganization Meeting of the Council, A. Ph. A.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27, 1927.

9:00 A.M. Trip to the Zoo and to the Botanical Gardens.

The St. Louis Committee on Arrangements ask that this program be modified from Friday noon, as follows:

2:30 P.M. Trip to the Zoo and to the Botanical Gardens. Box luncheon to be served at Gardens.

7:00 P.M. Second Session Section on Commercial Interests, Section on Education and Legislation. Section on Practical Pharmacy and Dispensing, and Scientific Section.

9:30 P.M. Final Session House of Delegates, A. Ph. A.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27, 1927.

9:00 A.M. Final General Session, A. Ph. A. 11:00 A.M. Reorganization Meeting of the Council, A. Ph. A.

as the Entertainment Committee is planning a box luncheon picnic affair at the Botanical Gardens and desires to have this at the end of the day on Friday instead of at Saturday noon.

For some time, it has been customary to give over Saturday of the week of the meeting to entertainment, and the Secretary desires to have the views of the Members of Council on the proposed modification as it involves a decided change in what has become an established custom and, if adopted, would place the final General session and the reorganization Meeting of the Council on Saturday.

The original program will be known as *Program A* and the modified program as *Program B* and the members of the Council are requested to indicate their preference and to submit comments.

(Motion No. 43.) It is moved by Kelly that the Tentative Program for the Seventy-Fifth Annual Meeting be approved by the Council.

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

No. 178, Morris Bonn, 2222 Webster Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.; No. 179, James Luther Brakefield, Howard College, Birmingham, Ala.; No. 180, William H. Brown, Derby Line, Vt.; No. 181, Eugene Joseph Clark, 258 Belifield Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.; No. 182, S. Clark Daugherty, Jr., 125 N. First St., Jeannette, Pa.; No. 183, Louis C. Filadoro, 14 Suffolk Ave., Revere, Mass.; No. 184, Chester Earl Fleming, 306 1st Ave., Altoona, Pa.; No. 185, Lawrence Freedman, 8758 Bay Parkway, Brooklyn, N. Y.; No. 186, George Raymond Isenberg, Box 97, Ebensburg, Pa.; No. 187, William M. Kasl, Box 9, Blackwell, Okla.; No. 188, Wilson Ross Little, 1032 So. 20th St., Birmingham, Ala.; No. 189, Thomas E. O'Brien, 78 Hawthorne St., Lynn, Mass.; No. 190, Robert Henry Stanley, Chief Pharmacist, U. S. Naval Hospital, Newport, R. I.; No. 191, Faustino A. Tamez, Botica de la Condesa, Monterrey, N. L., E. U. M.; No. 192, William B. Walter, Beatrice, Neb.; No. 193, Alfred Ward, 333 Church Lane, Germantown, Pa.; No. 194, Milton Herbert Weyl, 423 Beach 38th St., Edgemere, L. I.

(Motion No. 44.) Vote on applications for active membership in the American Pharmaceutical Association.

115. 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. They are entitled to membership and you are requested to vote on the applications which have been properly endorsed.

H-403, Martin E. Adamo, Statler Pharmacy,

Hotel Statler, Boston, Mass.; H-404, Isidor Berkowitz, 733 Courtlandt Ave., Bronx, N. Y.; H-405, Jacob Bernstein, 30 Montgomery St., New York, N. Y.; H-406, George Bloom, 434 49th St., Brooklyn, N. Y.; H-407, Daniel Jerome Buckley, 18 So. Homan Ave., Chicago, Ill.; H-408, Cecil Coleman Burton, Warrier, Ala.; H-409, Harry A. Cohen, 740 Classon Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; H-410, Albert W. Collier, Culver, Ind.; H-411, Wilfred Alexander Condie, 5th Ave., Jamestown, N. D.; H-412, Raymond E. Cotta, 129 N. Main St., Rockford, Ill.; H-413, Stephen John Dean, Jr., 376 16th Ave., San Francisco, Cal.; H-414, Frederick Dorio, 1810 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, N. Y.; H-415, Charles Samuel Dreibelbis, 3539-4th St., Des Moines, Iowa; H-416, Clara R. Fenne, Fairbank, Iowa; H-417, Alder M. Ferris, N. E. Cor. 5th and H Sts., San Diego, Cal.; H-418, Julius Victor Fischer, 3157 Park Ave., St. Louis, Mo.; H-419, Lawrence Vail Gickler, 319 East Seventh St., Chillicothe, O.; H-420, Frank Louis Grennie, 154 New Dorp Lane, S. I., N. Y.; H-421, Roland Grote, Castell, Texas; H-422, Henry C. Haeberle, Broken Bow, Neb.; H-423, Otto C. Hanser, 5201 Virginia Ave., St. Louis, Mo.; H-424, P. Bertram Hanson, 300 Main St., Sauk Centre, Minn.; H-425, Carroll Dwight Hayter, 1245 La. St., Lawrence, Kans.; H-426, Carl Rudolph Hebnick, 422 Colo. Ave., Chickasha, Okla.; H-427, Carl William Hertzog, 253 S. Liberty St., Spartanburg, S. C.; H-428, Arthur G. Huffman, Acton, Ind.; H-429, Delno Carl Johnson, 1911 Second Ave., Rockford, Ill.; H-430, Harold Clayton Kinner, 3914 34th St.,

Mt. Rainier, Md.; H-431, Samuel Klausner. 266 Osborne Terrace, Newark, N. J.; H-432, Harry Taylor Loomis, Humptulips, Wash.; H-433, S. Machaver, 213 Second Ave., New York, N. Y.; H-434, Edward Albert Maercklein, Ellendale, N. D.; H-435, Earl William Meyer, 3901 Beechway Blvd., Toledo, Ohio; H-436, Dominick Joseph Nicolette, 38 Walnut St., New Rochelle, N. Y.; H-437, David Oliva, 8155 S. Loomis St., Chicago, Ill.; H-438, Henry B. Peacock, Jr., 60 N. Sixth St., Miami, Fla.; H-439, Douglas Green Perry, c/o Avon Park Drug Co., Avon Park, Fla.; H-440, David M. Robinson, 1904 No. 24th St., Omaha, Neb.; H-441, Moe Roth, 2014 Bryant Ave., New York, N. Y.; H-442, Barry Sherman, 16 Van Wyck Ave., Jamaica, N. Y.; H-443, Manuel U. Sievers, 4508 N. Kedzie Ave., Chicago, Ill.; H-444, Kenneth Bryan Spoon, 428 Beaumont Ave., Charlotte, N. C.; H-445, Ralph G. Stevenson, 100 S. Main St., Jersey Shore, Pa.; H-446, George Sechler Templeton, Mooresville, N. C.; H-447, Richard F. Tennery, 1820 E. Main St., Danville, Ill.; H-448, Maurice A. Tepper, 721 Melrosè Ave., New York, N. Y.; H-449, Roland Humphrey Tewksbury, 99 Seventh St., Bangor, Maine; H-450, Max Topper, 588 Stone Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; H-451, William G. Valentine, 1100 E. 47th St., Chicago, Ill.; H-452, Victor Hamilton Wahl, Fosston, Minn.

(Motion No. 45.) Vote on application of contributors to the Headquarters Building Fund for Membership in the American Pharmaceutical Association.

E. F. KELLY, Secretary.

The New York Botanical Garden has received more than 280 new botanical species and seven new genera as a gift from Dr. Henry H. Rusby, dean of the Columbia College of Pharmacy. Dr. Rusby obtained this collection during the Mulford biological exploration of the Amazon Valley in 1922, when he, with Dr. Orland E. White, of the Brooklyn Botanic Garden, and Martin Cardenac, a botanical student sent by the Bolivian Department of Education, explored the foothills at the eastern base of the Andes.

Frederick Stearns & Company of Detroit have reëstablished their fellowship in Pharmacy (U. of Michigan) to take effect with the beginning of next year. The fellowship will be awarded only to students doing graduate work along pharmaceutical lines.

Dr. Robert J. Ruth who has efficiently represented the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science as its Field Secretary during the past three years was given an honorable dismissal in May by the Board of Trustces of the Institution who passed resolutions commending his loyalty and his work.

Dr. Ruth has since joined the staff of E. R. Squibb and Sons of New York. In view of his approaching departure from Philadelphia early in July, more than thirty of his friends in Philadelphia tendered Dr. and Mrs. Ruth a dinner in the Red Room of the Bellevue-Stradford Hotel on the evening of Wednesday June 29th.

Lewis H. Davis, Editor of Squibbs Message, and Mr. Dunlap, Director of Sales Force of the Eastern United States, were present.

PROGRAM OF AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES OF PHARMACY.

TWENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL MEETING.

Monday, August 22, 9:00 A.M.

Meeting of Executive Committee.

Monday, August 22, 10:30 A.M.

Teachers' Conferences.

Chemistry Section—Clifford C. Glover, Chairman.

Materia Medica Section-W. H. Zeigler, Chairman.

Pharmaceutical Section-D. H. Spencer, Chairman.

Monday, August 22, 2:30 P.M.

Second Session of Teachers' Conferences.

Monday, August 22, 3:30 P.M.

First Session of American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy.

- Roll Call
- 2. Welcoming new members and extending floor to non-members.
- 3. President's Address-D. B. R. Johnson.
- 4. Report of Secretary-Treasurer-Zada M. Cooper.
- 5. Report of Executive Committee-C. B. Jordan.
- 6. Appointment of Nominating Committee.
- 7. Papers (to be announced).
- 8. Report of Committee No. 1-Higher Educational Standards-E. H. Kraus.
- 9. Report of Committee No. 2—Curriculum and Teaching Methods—W. B. Day.

Monday, August 22, 8:00 P.M.

Second Session of Association.

- Report of Committee No. 3—Activities of Students and Alumni—H. C. Washburn.
- 11. Report of Committee No. 4-Research-Arno Viehoever.
- 12. Address (speaker to be announced).
- 13. Report of Committee No. 5—Investigation of Pharmacy Schools by Carnegie Foundation—W. F. Rudd.
- 14. Papers (to be announced).
- 15. Report of Committee A-Curriculum-C. W. Johnson.
- 16. Report of Committee B-Relation of Boards and Colleges-C. H. LaWall.
- Report of Committee C—Standards and Higher Requirements for Classification of Colleges—H. M. Feser.
- Report of Committee D—Consider Requiring Colleges to Have Professor for Research—Arno Viehoever.

Tuesday, August 23, 10:00 A.M.

Joint Meeting with National Association of Boards of Pharmacy.

Tuesday, August 23, 2:30 P.M.

Third Session of Association.

- Report of Committee E—To Study Question of Date for Adoption of Four-Year Minimum Course—L. D. Havenhill.
- Report of Committee F—To Study Status of Commercial Pharmacy Courses— J. C. Beard.
- Report of Committee G—To Coöperate with National Research Bureau— A. W. Pauley.
- 22. Report of Representatives to Other National Bodies.
 - a-Drug Trade Bureau of Public Information-W. F. Rudd.
 - b-Board of Biological Abstracts-E. N. Gathercoal.
 - c-National Conference of Pharmaceutical Research-J. A. Koch.
 - d-National Drug Trade Conference-E. F. Kelly.
 - e-National Association Retail Druggists-D. H. Spencer.

- 23. Unfinished Business.
- 24. Miscellaneous Business.
- 25. Election of Officers.
- 26. New Business.
- 27. Executive Session and Election of Officers.
- 28. Adjournment.

Tuesday, August 23, 6:30 p.m.

Annual Dinner (speaker to be announced).

TENTATIVE PROGRAM OF JOINT SESSION.

Report of the Fairchild Scholarship Committee—E. G. Eberle.

Paper-"The Newer Types of Examination"-George D. Stoddard and R. L. Austin.

Paper—"What They Suggest"—Zada M. Cooper.

Discussion—Are the Standards of the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy Adequate for State Board Recognition?—C. E. Mollett, R. P. Fischelis, A. L. I. Winne, M. N. Ford.

Discussion—What Subjects Should Be Added to Board Examinations because of the Advent of the Three-Year Course?—E. R. Serles, George Judisch.

STATE ASSOCIATION OFFICERS.

MARYLAND.

Maryland Pharmaceutical Association elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President, H. R. Rudy, Hagerstown.

First Vice-President, H. W. Allen, Baltimore. Second Vice-President, T. W. Colborn, Jr., Princess Anne.

Third Vice-President, L. S. Williams, Baltimore.

Secretary, E. F. Kelly, Baltimore. Treasurer, G. P. Hetz, Baltimore.

Editor, R. L. Swain, Baltimore.

An outstanding event of the Maryland meeting was the attendance of Governor Albert C. Ritchie. The Governor has on a number of occasions expressed his interest in pharmacy—recently, in approving the provision for a new school of pharmacy building, Maryland, without state law provision, has practically a 100 per cent membership among Maryland pharmacists. The Association expressed its approval and appreciation of the annuity recently given to the U. of Maryland School of Pharmacy. Among the speakers of the convention, besides the Governor, were Dr. E. L. Newcomb, Dr. Paul S. Pittinger, Dr. Charles Stevens and E. G. Eberle. The convention was well attended and the interest did not wane during the sessions.

MASSACHUSETTS.

President Townsend reviewed the work of the Association; he spoke in high praise of the work by James F, Finneran on his prescription price schedule. Among the speakers of the convention were President Bradley, of the A. Ph. A., Secretary Samuel C. Henry, and Dr. E. L. Newcomb. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Carl G. A. Harring, Dorchester. First Vice-President, G. J. Cuddyer, South Boston.

Second Vice-President, W. H. Clark, Springfield.

Secretary, James F. Guerin, Worcester.

Treasurer, Lyman W. Griffin, Allston.

The next annual meeting will be held at Swampscott.

NEBRASKA.

Among the speakers of the Nebraska convention were Hon. Samuel R. McKelvie, former Governor of the State, J. A. Porter, D. J. Fink, C. H. Merriam and J. Will Kelley. W. E. Clayton presided over the session devoted to the Unit Division. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, John A. Porter, Lincoln.

First Vice-President, J. O. Patterson, North Platte.

Second Vice-President, F. E. Reynolds, Neligh.

Third Vice-President, C. G. Samuelson, Milford.

Fourth Vice-President, Ike Levy, Omaha. Fifth Vice-President, H. L. Bellamy, Cambridge.

Secretary, J. G. McBride, Lincoln.

Omaha.

Treasurer, D. D. Adams, Nehawka.

The next annual meeting will be held in