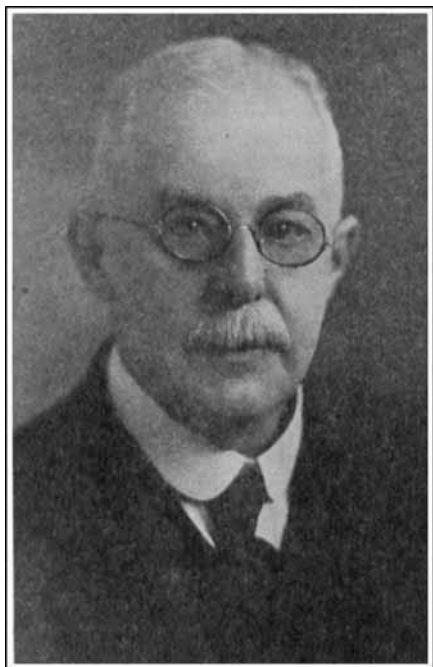


OBITUARY.

CHARLES THEODORE P. FENNEL.

Prof. C. T. P. Fennel, member of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION since 1886, died at the Deaconess Hospital in Cincinnati, June 12, of heart disease. Professor Fennel received injuries in an automobile accident several years ago and seems not to have fully recovered from the effects. He was the son of Adolphus Fennel, who joined the ASSOCIATION in 1864.

The deceased was born in Cincinnati during the year of the organization of the A. Ph. A. Here he received his early education and gradu-



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ated from the Cincinnati College of Pharmacy in 1882. On the death of his father the son took the place of the latter on the faculty and, later, became dean of the institution. He gave the remainder of his active years to the college.

Professor Fennel contributed a number of papers to several of the Sections, and for a time was State Chemist of Ohio. Aside from membership in the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION, he was a member of the Ohio Valley Druggists' Association, Kappa Psi and other pharmaceutical, chemical and astronomical societies.

The pall-bearers were Dr. Walter Gries, Dr. Martin Fischer, Fred B. Kotte, Prof. Fred Kisker, Prof. John Uri Lloyd, Louis Ehr Gott, Henry Schmuelling and Charles Ehlers.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Wilhelmina Fennel, and one son, Adolph D. Fennel, an attorney.

SOLOMON BOEHM.

Solomon Boehm, member of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION since 1871, died in New York City, June 18; a sketch will be found in the JOURNAL A. Ph. A. for February 1922.

The deceased was born in Bohemia in 1840; he came to the United States when fourteen years old and lived in Bonaparte, Iowa, until the civil war. He enlisted in the Second Iowa Infantry Regiment and fought in General Grant's division until the end of the war.

After the war he came to St. Louis and opened a pharmacy at Morgan and Eighth Streets. He was instrumental in the building of the St. Louis College of Pharmacy of which he was a trustee for forty years, serving several years as its president. His charitable activities extended over a wide field in Jewish institutions and also in Christian benevolent enterprises. He was a member of a number of fraternal organizations and of the Frank P. Blair Post of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Two years ago he retired from active life and had since resided in New York. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Jennie Gross-Levy Boehm, and the following children: Dr. Joseph L. Boehm, Dr. Emil Boehm and Dr. Julius B. Boehm, all of New York; Edward M. Boehm of St. Louis; Mrs. David J. Maibrunn and Mrs. M. Baum, both of New York.

The body of Mr. Boehm was taken to St. Louis for burial.

PERSONAL AND NEWS ITEMS.

Dr. B. V. Christensen, Ph.D. (University of Wisconsin) has been appointed to the Professorship of Pharmacognosy at the University of Florida.

Interest in the study and conservation of wild flowers in Missouri has led to the organization of a club there which has for one of its objects the development of a complete herbarium of Missouri plants.

The new organization, known as the Kellogg Wild Flower Club of St. Louis in honor of John H. Kellogg, of the Missouri Botanical Gardens, was formed at a meeting Friday night at the home of Prof. Anton Hogstad, Jr., of the St. Louis College of Pharmacy, an authority on medicinal plants.

The honorary degree of doctor of science was conferred upon Dr. Hugh S. Cumming, surgeon general, United States Public Health Service, at the commencement exercises of the Medical College of Virginia, Richmond. Doctor Cumming is an alumnus of the school, class of 1894.

Governor Jackson of Indiana has appointed Mr. J. K. Lilly, President of Eli Lilly & Co., to the Board of Trustees of Purdue University. This is the first time in the history of the university that a pharmacist has received an appointment to this Board and it means an added dignity to pharmacy in Indiana.

Wilbur Fisk Horn of Carlisle, charter member of the Pennsylvania Pharmaceutical Association, Lewis Emanuel of Pittsburgh, and W. L. Scoville of Detroit, Mich., were elected life

members of the Pennsylvania Pharmaceutical Association. Mr. Fisk became a member of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION in 1876, and Louis Emanuel two years later.

Henry B. Gilpin, Baltimore, member of the A. Ph. A. since 1889, has returned from a tour of Europe and Africa, including two trips across the English Channel by airplane. He founded the Henry B. Gilpin Company, of Baltimore.

Following a custom instituted several years ago, Dean E. V. Howell was host on May 27 to the University of North Carolina Branch of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION at a barbecue, given at Grannyborough Hole, several miles from Chapel Hill. The members of the Pharmacy Faculty and the senior class were guests of honor. No one knows how to prepare and serve a barbecue as well as Dean Howell and this year he outdid himself. The guests went out from Chapel Hill early in the morning in motor trucks and after a morning spent in fishing, swimming, etc., enjoyed the delightful repast that had been prepared under Dean Howell's direction.

SOCIETIES AND COLLEGES.

OFFICERS OF STATE PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATIONS, 1927-1928.

Secretaries of Associations are respectfully asked to make corrections, and send in lists of officers and names of next convention cities to the JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION, 10 W. Chase St., Baltimore, Md.

Only a limited number of ASSOCIATION officers could be reported in this issue; the list will be continued.

ALABAMA.

President Hal Duncan was reelected by the Alabama Pharmaceutical Association. It was decided to hold the next annual meeting on boat between Savannah, Ga., and New York.

Among the speakers of the Convention were J. C. Jones, Birmingham; Dean Blake of Auburn; W. R. Little of Howard College; and E. G. Eberle of the JOURNAL OF THE A. PH. A.

The following are the officers for the ensuing year:

President, Hal Duncan, Birmingham.

First Vice-President, J. T. Dumas, Foley.

Second Vice-President, W. W. Walker, Birmingham.

Secretary, W. R. Bingham, Tuscaloosa.

Treasurer, S. L. Toomer, Auburn.

ARKANSAS.

Among the speakers of the Arkansas Meeting were Jerry McQuade, of *Drug Topics*, President S. C. Davis of the N. A. R. D., and E. G. Eberle, of the JOURNAL A. PH. A. Miss Margaret Cousins, of the *Southern Pharmaceutical Journal*, paid a tribute to Arkansas, in verse; Miss Fein celebrated her convention anniversary for which Editor Cousins donated a beautiful loving cup. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Herbert Parker, Jonesboro.

First Vice-President, H. H. Heard, Arkadelphia.

Second Vice-President, Dr. John R. Davis, Fort Smith.

Secretary, Miss Mary A. Fein, Little Rock.

Business Manager, A. W. Meadows, Jr.

The convention was well attended and interesting. The State will be divided into sections for better coöperative work throughout the year. The next annual meeting will be held at Hot Springs.

CALIFORNIA.

The Sacramento Meeting of California Pharmaceutical Association has been named