

AFTER-THOUGHTS.

Considered from After-Convention viewpoints the Seventy-fifth Annual Meeting of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION was a success—past achievements serve to encourage further progress.

The address of former President James H. Beal will acquaint members and non-members with the work, principal purposes and ideals of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION. It should be placed in the hands of every pharmacist and student of pharmacy. An aim of the ASSOCIATION for the next few years is to increase the membership of the ASSOCIATION in the interest of pharmacy.

The continued coöperation of the National Association of Retail Druggists and the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION was evidenced by resolution and the joint meeting of the representatives of these bodies.

Approval was given to the Headquarters' Vote.

THE DIAMOND ANNIVERSARY MEETING OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION HAS BECOME PART OF ITS PROGRESSIVE HISTORY.



THE DIAMOND PIN, SHOWN ABOVE, WAS PRESENTED TO PRESIDENT THEODORE J. BRADLEY BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ST. LOUIS COMMITTEES FOR THE CELEBRATION OF THE DIAMOND ANNIVERSARY MEETING AND CONVENTION OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

FORE-THOUGHTS.

The Seventy-sixth Annual Meeting of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION will be held in Poland Springs; the date has *not* been officially fixed, but as this has a bearing on the hotel accommodations the time will probably be during the week of September 10th.

The Plant Science Seminar, the Research Conference, the meetings of the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy and the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy were productive of good results; next year another organization will function—the Conference of Pharmaceutical Association Secretaries.

The membership of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION should be increased—you can assist in the campaign.

A site for the Headquarters' Building will be reported on and plans submitted for the Building; endowments and contributions for its activities will add to its greater usefulness for American Pharmacy.

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EDWARD MALLINCKRODT.

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EDWARD MALLINCKRODT.

Few, if any other, members of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION have achieved as great success in the commercial world as the Honorary President of this year—Edward Mallinckrodt,¹ of St. Louis.

Mr. Mallinckrodt joined the ASSOCIATION in 1869; while not active in its affairs he has always manifested a keen interest in its proceedings and accomplishments. He has been President and Trustee of the St. Louis College of Pharmacy; he is a life member of the Missouri Pharmaceutical Association, director of Washington University, Missouri Botanical Garden, St. Louis Children's Hospital and active in the welfare and promotion of quite a number of charitable and educational institutions; his association with the foregoing is not perfunctory—while the growing connections have necessitated closer attention to some of these, his interest continues in all of them as a vigorous and effective worker.

The late Henry Milton Whelpley said of him:

“Mr. Mallinckrodt is quiet in action and modest in appearance. He actually shrinks from publicity. It is only on close acquaintance that we realize his purposeful coolness and the calm determination with which he combines the rare faculty of quickly absorbing the essential features of a subject. While constantly handling large transactions, he is also a student of minute details, which are readily grasped by his comprehensive mind. He has a wonderful human understanding and sympathy when dealing with business associates and employees. Many persons have been with his firm for almost a lifetime.

“Taken all in all, it is seldom that we find an individual in any walk of life with such extensive interests, making helpful contributions not only in his particular calling but to mankind in general.”

¹ A sketch will be found in September JOURNAL A. PH. A., for 1919.