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MEETING OF DISTRICT NO. 3.

District No. 3 (Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio and Wisconsin) reports a very successful joint meeting with the college faculties on April 23rd-24th, at the Hotel Statler, Detroit, Michigan. President Lerou of the N. A. B. P. was guest of honor, stopping off on his way to the central office in Chicago. Representatives were present from every state in the district, both for the boards and the colleges.

Dean Edward H. Kraus, of the University of Michigan, spoke on "The Trend of Pharmaceutical Education," the discussion being led by C. O. Lee, of Purdue. Dean Edward Spease of Western Reserve University presented a paper on "The New Four-Year Course in Respect to Standards for Recognized Schools of Pharmacy," Dean Day of the University of Illinois opening the discussion. Many helpful ideas for outlining the four-year curriculum were given in these papers and the discussions following.

Each state board presented an examination paper on an assigned subject and these questions were read and thoroughly discussed. A number of resolutions were adopted, among them being one recommending the appointment of Dr. James H. Beal to the Fact-Finding Committee on Prohibition to be appointed by President Hoover.

DIPLOMA DATES.

In a few states, the Board of Pharmacy holds its June examination just a few days prior to the time set for college graduation, in order that the seniors may take examination before scattering to their homes all over the state. When the class is not too large, the Board announces the results and issues licenses immediately, which in some cases bear a date prior to the time of issue of the college diploma, which is, of course, the official date of graduation. It is commendable for the Board to give consideration to the convenience of the students, but when this is done, great care should be exercised in the issuance of the state licenses by delaying the same until after official graduation. If this is not done, the student is not technically a graduate at the time his license is issued to him and, therefore, is barred from reciprocity with college prerequisite states in later years, because of the fact that he could not meet the entrance requirements (*i. e.*, college graduation) on the date of his original license to practice pharmacy.

This is published as a reminder to state board secretaries and members. If your examination this year will be given prior to the college commencement exercises, or prior to the issuance of the college diplomas, please see that state licenses are withheld until after that time and show a later date.

PERSONALS.

Arthur G. Hulett, N. A. B. P. Vice-President and Chairman of District No. 9, retired as secretary of the Arizona Board of Pharmacy on April 9, 1929. He had served as a member and secretary of the Board for twenty-six years, from the time when the pharmacy law went into effect in 1903.

His interest in pharmacy has not, however, been limited to his own state. He has been very prominent in the national association activities as well. Mr. Hulett was also one of the leaders in forming the Arizona Pharmaceutical Association and has served as its secretary since its organization, with the exception of a brief period of a few months when he insisted upon retirement but was pressed back into service when his successor found it impossible to carry on. He has been elected as delegate for that body to attend the Rapid City Convention in August, and his N. A. B. P. friends will be glad to welcome him.

Mr. Hulett now expects to devote all his time to his own business and especially to building a national demand for the preparations which he manufactures. After having unselfishly given up much of his time for the betterment of pharmacy, he merits success and has our hearty good wishes.

The new secretary, Arthur L. Phelps, is highly competent and energetic and will undoubtedly make good as Mr. Hulett's successor.

Visitors.—The central office was unusually fortunate this month. Our President, H. M. Lerou, made an official visit; the same day Secretary Harry E. Eaton of the Iowa Board called. Our old friend, ex-president and member of the Executive Committee, W. P. Porterfield of the North Dakota Board, stopped in on his way from his Gulf Coast winter sojourn to his summer home in North Dakota. Clare Allen, a member of the Michigan Board, also stopped in a while on a day's visit to the big city. John A. J. Funk, of Indiana was with us for a few hours to plan the District No. 3 program for the Detroit meeting.

STATE BOARD AND LEGISLATIVE NEWS.

Alabama.—The principal interest is still the relief of the flood sufferers in Southeastern Alabama. Manufacturers and jobbers are coming to the rescue nobly. The special fund for the druggists who lost everything is growing and will mean much in reëstablishing them in business.

The Board of Pharmacy will meet in Huntsville, Ala., June 10th and 11th, just prior to the state pharmaceutical association convention at the same place.

Reciprocal registration was granted during April to Roy S. Snellgrove and William S. McDiarmid, of Georgia; William H. Cook, Jr., of Tennessee.

Arizona.—The recent re-organization of the Board gives the personnel as follows: President, F. W. Ritter, Phoenix; Vice-President, H. B. Laird, Globe; Secretary-Treasurer, Arthur L. Phelps, Phoenix; J. A. Dines, Tempe; E. M. F. Ivey, Warren; Marshall J. Nicholson, Willcox; Fred W. Moore, Flagstaff.

Arkansas.—A pharmacy law has recently been passed containing a list of definitions of pharmaceutical terms, amending the existing law, and regulating the sale of poisons.

Reciprocal registration was granted during April to S. R. Hambleton, of Tennessee, and D. Ingram, of Georgia.

Colorado.—An examination was held in the legislative chambers of the State Capitol Building, Denver, May 17th and 18th. Results will be announced later.

The thirty-fifth annual report of the Board for this fiscal year ending July 2, 1928 shows sixty pharmacists registered by examination during that period and thirty-eight by reciprocity. Examination questions are published in full, also lists of pharmacists and assistant pharmacists in the state, with license numbers, addresses, also lists of apprentices and registered pharmacies, as well as a complete copy of the pharmacy law.

Reciprocal registration has recently been granted to Verner H. Knight, of Indiana; Harry B. Shaffer and John H. Moffat, of Iowa; and W. R. Olive, of New Mexico.

Connecticut.—Reciprocal registration has recently been granted to Sanford Marks, of Maine; John B. Healey, Achille Huard and Carl A. E. Almstrom, all of Massachusetts; David Svigals, of New Jersey; and Roy W. Chase, of Vermont.

Delaware.—Four out of eight candidates who took the April examination for pharmacist were successful, and three out of six in the assistant class passed. Reciprocal registration was granted to Julius Segal, James A. Warnick and S. M. Leoncavallo, all of Pennsylvania.

The Senate bill amending law was passed by the legislature without a dissenting vote and signed by Governor C. Douglas Buck on March 3rd. The bill increases the examination fee for *pharmacist* from ten to fifteen dollars and *assistant pharmacist* from five to ten dollars. It also substantially increases the salaries of the members of the Board of Pharmacy.

District of Columbia.—Reciprocal registration was granted in April to Jerome S. Wolf, of Georgia; Thomas M. Swaun, of Kentucky; Charles C. Weinstein, of Maryland; John R. Gary, of North Carolina and Abraham B. Nathanson, of Pennsylvania.

Illinois.—Reciprocal registration was granted recently to Melvin B. Schwartz, of Ohio.

Indiana.—The annual meeting of the Board was held on April 9th, the following officers being elected: *President*, John A. J. Funk, Galveston; *Secretary*, Charles E. Reed, of Winchester.

The joint annual meeting of the Board members and deans of colleges of pharmacy was held on April 10th, and many important matters pertaining to pharmaceutical education which were of interest to both the Board and the colleges were discussed.

Reciprocal registration was granted to Charles C. King, of Pennsylvania.

Iowa.—Out of the class of twenty-two taking the Board examination on March 21st, eight were successful and have been granted licenses.

Reciprocal registration was granted in April to Charles D. Flannery, of South Dakota.

Kansas.—Roy M. Riley, of Wichita, has been appointed to succeed Joe Demain, of Macksville whose term expires in June. Frank A. Milne, of Pratt, has been appointed to fill the vacancy on the Board created by the recent resignation of P. H. Klinkenberg, of Ottawa.

The complete report of the examination held in Wichita on February 6th and 7th, shows a total of seventy-five candidates. Of the thirty taking the full registered examination, thirteen were successful; of the forty-five taking the assistant test, eighteen passed.

Kentucky.—At the examination meeting held in Owensboro on April 9th, a class of twenty candidates was examined. Out of the eleven taking the full registered examination, three passed: of the nine taking the assistant examination, six were successful.

Reciprocal registration was granted to Halle S. Flournoy, of Alabama; and W. Howard Owen, of Missouri. The next meeting of the Board will be held in Louisville on July 9th.

Maryland.—The next examination will be given at the College of Pharmacy of the University of Maryland on June 4, 5, 6, 1929, commencing promptly at 9 o'clock each morning.

Reciprocal registration was granted during April to Henry C. Hardy, of the District of Columbia, and Joseph T. Waters, of South Carolina.

Massachusetts.—Out of a class of 58 examined on March 5th, twenty-two were successful and have been granted licenses as pharmacists.

Reciprocal registration was granted during April to James J. Jennings, of Rhode Island, and Thomas C. Mishon, of Maine.

Minnesota.—At the April 18th examination, thirty-seven candidates were examined for pharmacist's license, seven passing, and thirty-one for the assistant license, of whom ten were successful.

Reciprocal registration was granted to the following: John T. Dardis and Alfred Excog, both of Iowa; N. J. Pietrus, of Nebraska and H. P. Stuewer, of Wisconsin.

Missouri.—The next examination will be held June 17th and 18th. For further information and application blanks, please write direct to E. H. Riske, Secretary, Independence, Mo.

Reciprocal registration was granted to Allen P. Whipple, of Georgia, in April.

Nebraska.—The next pharmacy examination will be given June 18th to 21st inclusive at the Creighton College of Pharmacy, Omaha.

Under the new rule recently adopted by the Department of Public Welfare, students who have completed three or more years of work at a recognized school of pharmacy may take a partial examination (all subjects except oral and practical work). Credit is held until final examination, which is permissible when experience, age and all other requirements have been completed, provided, however, that the final examination must be taken within two years from date of first part of examination.

Nevada.—H. H. Turrittin, of Reno, is serving as Acting Secretary of the Board until the next meeting to be held on May 6th. F. M. Clark has left the drug business and is therefore unable to continue as secretary. Reciprocal registration was granted recently to Raymond Howard, of Massachusetts.

New Hampshire.—Reciprocal registration was granted to Donald F. Melcher, of Maine, during April.

New Jersey.—The Board of pharmacy announces that the next written examination for the registered pharmacist certificate will be held at the State House, Trenton, on July 18th at 10:00 A.M. The next examination for the assistant pharmacist certificate will be held at the same place on Friday, July 10, at 10:00 A.M.

Reciprocal registration was granted during April to the following: James R. Altman, of Ohio; Harry B. Axilbund, George H. Platt, William F. Usher, William McCouch and Joseph F. Kennedy, of Pennsylvania.

New Mexico.—The law has been amended to make the examination fee \$15.00 instead of \$10.00; the section providing for registration on twenty years of experience without examination has been repealed. The spring examination was held at the Franciscan Hotel, Alburquerque, May 20th. Results will be announced next month.

North Carolina.—The next meeting of the Board of Pharmacy for the examination of applicants for license to practice pharmacy will be held at Chapel Hill, N. C., June 11, 1929, at nine o'clock A.M., in the Pharmacy Building. For blanks or information write to F. W. Hancock, Secretary-Treasurer, Oxford, N. C.

Reciprocal registration was recently granted to Henry G. Heriot, of South Carolina and James H. Kirby, of Georgia.

North Dakota.—The next meeting of the North Dakota State Board of Pharmacy will be held at the School of Pharmacy, State College, Fargo, June 11th to 13th, for the purpose of examining applicants for registered pharmacist and assistant pharmacist and considering any other business to come before the Board. Address all applications and communications to P. H. Costello, Secretary, Cooperstown, N. D.

Ohio.—Governor Cooper has re-appointed F. H. King, of Delphos and J. S. Rutledge, of Akron, members of the Board of Pharmacy. Mr. King was reappointed by Governor Donahey in March 1928, but as it was a recess appointment, his name was returned to the new governor, who re-appointed him for a term ending March 31, 1933. With the completion of this term, Mr. King will have served thirty-five consecutive years as a member of the Ohio Board. Mr. Rutledge's appointment expires March 31, 1934.

The legislature has passed the bill providing for the discontinuation of the assistant pharmacist examination. Therefore, the June examination will be the last one for assistants, provided the Governor permits the bill to become a law. Ninety-two candidates were examined at the April meeting. Results will be announced shortly.

Reciprocal registration was granted in April to the following: Paul B. Redmon, of Indiana; Charles Z. Erdman, Jr., of Massachusetts; Gordon Kohls, of Michigan; James R. Smith and Alex C. Goodman, of Pennsylvania; and James H. Staley, of West Virginia.

Oklahoma.—Reciprocal registration was recently granted to W. L. Kolb, of Arkansas; Charles B. Shull, L. E. Oxelson and W. R. Rickel, of Kansas; M. J. Plessala, of Louisiana; W. B. Elmore, of Missouri; R. L. Tschauner, of Nebraska; Wm. H. Canaday, of North Carolina; Ralph L. Turner, of Tennessee and Estes E. Daugherty, of Texas.

Oregon.—Reciprocal registration was granted in April to Wesley D. Kessler, of Washington.

Pennsylvania.—Senate Bill 258, sponsored by the Pennsylvania Pharmaceutical Association, passed the Senate and the House of Representatives and was approved by the Governor on April 9, 1929.

The act amends the Pure Drug Law so as to make it illegal to sell drug preparations which are recognized in the 10th revision of the U. S. P., the 5th edition of the N. F. or the American Homeopathic Pharmacopœia, which differ from the standard of strength, quality or purity as determined by the test or formula laid down in those official standards. The act will become effective July 1, 1929.

Four bills containing features detrimental to pharmacy were killed through the efforts of the Association. Reciprocal registration was granted recently to Thomas R. Adams, of Illinois.

Rhode Island.—The Governor has re-appointed William R. Fortin, of Pawtucket and Earl H. Mason, of East Providence, as members of the Board of Pharmacy for terms ending January 31, 1933.

An examination was held on March 18th. Of the eighteen candidates appearing, seven were successful in passing.

Reciprocal registration was granted to Frank J. Logler, of Massachusetts.

Tennessee.—Reciprocal registration was granted during April to the following: B. D. Brown, of Arkansas; Thomas K. Merritt, Harry D. Stewart, Hubert C. Chandler and Marcus H. Griffin, all of Georgia; Samuel S. Brown, of Oklahoma; James A. Null, of Pennsylvania and F. W. Irish, of Wisconsin.

Texas.—The date on which the college prerequisite law takes effect is given as June 18, 1929.

Reciprocal registration was granted during April to the following: James M. Foster and Stephen D. Knox, both of Arkansas; William O. Hearn, of Illinois; Francis E. Mayeux, of Louisiana; James V. Cockrum, of Missouri; Francisco A. Hernandez, of New Mexico; Robert E. Chitwood, Walter J. White, J. B. Nicks, J. R. Rossiter, Roy Aubrey and Albert J. Varvel, all of Oklahoma; Charles W. Gibbs, of Rhode Island; Marvin L. Griner and George D. Nicks, both of Tennessee; Daniel W. Houser, of Kansas and James O. Curtis, of Georgia.

Virginia.—The annual report of the Board of Pharmacy is published in the April 1929 issue of the Virginia Pharmacist. Twenty-six candidates for full registered license were examined during the year, nineteen passing. Fifty-six "assistant" aspirants were also examined, of which number, twenty-four passed. Seven applicants from other states were registered by reciprocity. In addition to the usual information concerning the business affairs of the Board, the issue contains a complete list of pharmacists and assistants registered in the state, with addresses.

Reciprocal registration was extended during April to William W. Chandler, of Maryland; Charles J. Wartman, of North Carolina; Joseph E. Ledford, of Georgia.

West Virginia.—An examination was held in Morgantown on May 20th–21st. Results will be given later. Reciprocal registration was granted to Wesley G. Donegan, of Tennessee recently.

Wisconsin.—The quarterly examination was concluded on April 20th, after examining 190 candidates. Of this number, 76 were successful—39 receiving the *pharmacist* license and 37 the *assistant*. Reciprocal registration was granted to Randall H. Greeley, of New Hampshire.

This being the annual meeting of the Board as well, Oscar Rennebohm of Madison, was elected *President* and Henry G. Ruenzel, of Milwaukee, was reëlected *Secretary*. The next examination will be held in Madison on July 16th.

Wyoming.—R. C. Shultz, of Worland, Wyo., formerly president of the Board of Pharmacy, has been made secretary to succeed C. C. Tomsik, of Sheridan.