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THE COUNCIL OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION, 1930-1931.

Office of the Secretary, 10 West Chase St., Baltimore, Md.

LETTER NO. 5.

November 14, 1930.

To the Members of the Council:

52. Associate Members. Motion No. 14 (see Council Letter No. 4, page 1150) has been carried.

53. Student Branches. Motions Nos. 15 and 16 (see Council Letter No. 4, page 1151) have been carried. For the information of the members of the Council there is attached a copy of a letter to the Deans of Schools and Colleges of Pharmacy and copies of the enclosures sent with this letter.

54. Use of the Text of the N. F. V. The following communications have been received from Chairman DuMez of the Committee on Publications:

"I have looked over the manuscript for the new edition of Potter's 'Therapeutics,' and find that it is very similar to the edition already published. Inasmuch as they were given permission to use portions of the text of the N. F. in the former edition I can see no reason why they should not again be given this privilege. I, therefore, recommend to the Council that permission be given to use portions of the text of the N. F. in Potter's 'Therapeutics,' 15th edition, and that the usual fee of \$5.00 be charged for this privilege."

"The extent to which the text of the National Formulary will be used in the book on 'Bioassays' by Dr. James C. Munch is so small that I am satisfied that no member of the Publication Committee will object to this privilege being granted. I am, therefore, recommending to the Council that permission be granted Dr. James C. Munch to use portions of the text of the National Formulary V for comment in his book on Bioassays and that the usual fee of \$5.00 be charged for this privilege."

(Motion No. 17) It is moved by DuMez that P. Blakiston's Son & Co., Inc., and The Williams & Wilkins Company be given permission to use the text of the N. F. V for partial reproduction in Potter's "Therapeutics," Fifteenth Revision, by Dr. R. J. E. Scott, and in "Bioassays," by Dr. J. C. Munch, respectively, and at the usual charge of \$5.00 in each case.

55. Committee on Unofficial Standards. The following communication has been received from Chairman J. C. Krantz, Jr., of this committee:

"Dr. H. H. Rusby has resigned as a member of the Committee on Unofficial Standards, due to the pressure of other work. As chairman of this Committee, I hereby recommend that Dr. Rusby's resignation be accepted and that Dr. Adolph Ziefle, Corvallis, Oregon, be elected as a member of the Committee to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Dr. Rusby."

(Motion No. 18) It is moved by Kelly that the resignation of Dr. H. H. Rusby as a member of the Committee on Unofficial Standards be accepted with regret and with the thanks of the Council for the service he has rendered in this capacity, and that Dr. Adolph Ziefle be elected a member of this Committee to fill the unexpired term of Dr. Rusby, ending in 1934.

56. Federal Wholesale Druggists' Association. The following communication has been received from Secretary R. E. L. Williamson:

"At the convention of the Federal Wholesale Druggists' Association, held in Rochester, September 12, 1930, the enclosed resolution was unanimously passed and I was instructed to send you a copy of same as secretary of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION."

"Resolved, that the Federal Wholesale Druggists' Association go on record as endorsing the valuable work accomplished for the pharmacist and pharmacy by the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the secretary of the AMERICAN PHARMA-CEUTICAL ASSOCIATION."

The following letter was written to Secretary Williamson:

"This will acknowledge the receipt of your letter of October 16th enclosing copy of 1343 resolution adopted by the Federal Wholesale Druggists' Association at their convention held in Rochester, September 12, 1930, and I will have the pleasure of bringing this resolution to the attention of our Council within a short time.

"It is very encouraging and stimulating to have the work of our Association endorsed by such representative groups as the Federal Wholesale Druggists' Association, and we appreciate the closer coöperation which is developing between the two organizations right along."

57. Committee on Pharmaceutical Research. As authorized by the Council, 1929–1930, at its fourth meeting in Baltimore, May 9th (see JOURNAL A. PH. A. for May, page 546), a grant of \$500 was made to Dr. H. A. Langenhan and Mr. Earl Guth of the School of Pharmacy, University of Washington, for research work on Drug Extraction.

The following letter has been received from President M. Lyle Spencer of the University of Washington:

"I have been asked by the Board of Regents of the University to express to you their appreciation of the fellowship, in the amount of \$500, which the AMERICAN PHARMA-CEUTICAL ASSOCIATION has offered our College of Pharmacy.

"The Board accepts the fellowship with pleasure and is grateful for your interest in the University."

The following reply was written to President Spencer:

"Your letter of October 14th will be brought to the attention of our Council, and I am confident that the members of the Council will greatly appreciate this expression on the part of the Board of Regents of the University of Washington."

58. New York Branch, A. Ph. A., Resolution by Mr. H. W. Ambruster. The following communication was received from Secretary H. C. Kassner of the Branch:

"At the meeting of the New York Branch of the A. PH. A., held on October 13th, Mr. H. W. Ambruster, a member of the Branch, introduced the following resolution:

" 'WHEREAS, serious charges have recently been made before the U. S. Senate Committee on Agriculture regarding nonenforcement of Standards of the U. S. Pharmacopœia by Federal officials, and "'WHEREAS, the integrity of the Pharmacopœia is the most precious possession of all Pharmacists who fulfill their obligations to the public, and to the medical profession, and

" 'WHEREAS, efforts to smother public discussions of this subject have come to our attention, therefore be it

"'Resolved, That as free men and citizens we resent any attempt to prevent fullest discussion of any matter relating to Pharmacy, and we urge that these Senate hearings be continued until all such charges are investigated for the sole benefit of the public health, which is dependent upon us.'

"Upon motion of Dr. H. V. Arny, duly seconded and carried, this resolution was referred to the A. PH. A. Council, without discussion on the part of the Branch. Mr. Ambruster was informed that we could take no action. The proviso under which we operated was Article 3 of Chapter 7 of the By-Laws of the A. PH. A. found on page xxvi of the A. PH. A. YEAR BOOK of 1926."

The members of the Council are, no doubt, advised that the hearings of the Committee on Agriculture have been concluded but that the Committee has not made its report to the Senate.

59. Publication of Supplements to the N. F. (See Council Letters No. 2, page 922; No. 3, page 1024; and No. 4, page 1150.) The following letter has been received from Dr. W. B. Day:

"I am in sympathy with the recommendation of the Committee to publish supplements to the N. F., and yet, as you are no doubt aware, a proposition to supply supplements to the Pharmacopœia was voted down at the Convention. I can see a number of advantages in having such supplements, particularly, if certain changes in the policy of the ASSOCIATION with respect to the scope of the N. F. are to be made. However, it is quite evident that the need for decision upon the publication of supplements is not urgent, since the Formulary can hardly be ready for publication for several years yet, and for this reason it seems to me better that we take our time in the consideration of this important matter, and discuss it when the Council meets next at the annual convention. There will, no doubt, be an opportunity to have the Chairman and members of the N. F. Revision Committee meet with the Council at that time, so that

we may get their views on this matter before reaching a decision."

And the following letter from Chairman Gathercoal:

"The Resolution proposing supplements to the National Formulary was endorsed unanimously at the Cleveland meeting, yet I believe it has not received the full discussion it should have, nor has the full import of N. F. supplements been realized. Therefore, if there seems to be a marked division in the Council over this question, would it not be possible to lay the matter on the table until the Miami meeting and take action inviting discussion of it? There is really no haste in deciding this matter as I think there is no intention of issuing supplements until after N. F. VI has become official."

If there are no further comments to be submitted at this time and if there is no objection, the matter of supplements will be laid on the table and made a special order of business at the second meeting of the Council in Miami in July 1931.

60. Life Membership. Mr. Parker Cook, Baltimore, Md., has become a Life Member of the A. PH. A. through the payment of \$40.00.

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

No. 66, Jack Boyer, 2711 Jetton Ave., Tampa, Fla.; No. 67, Harold Wesley Brown, 24171/2 Fifth Ave., Seattle, Wash.; No. 68, Paul J. Burgess, 1721 Hills Ave., Tampa, Fla.; No. 69, Harry W. Childs, 327 Central Ave., St. Petersburg, Fla.; No. 70, Cecil C. Clark, 44 Gerrard St., E., Toronto, 2, Ontario, Can.; No. 71, Edward D. Cleveland, Baytown, Texas; No. 72, Peter Czaja, 3739 Junction, Detroit, Mich.; No. 73, Austin A. Dodge, 209 N. Main St., Eagerton, Wis.; No. 74, Eli A. Dorfman, 4300 Buchanan St., Detroit, Mich.; No. 75, Maurice Dunay, 1311 Grant Ave., Bronx, N. Y.; No. 76, John R. Filarski, 2458 E. Davison Ave., Detroit, Mich.; No. 77, Wm. A. Frailey, 1629 Col. Rd. No. 707, Washington, D. C.; No. 78, Robert S. Fuqua, 1233 N. Linwood Ave., Baltimore, Md.; No. 79, J. J. Gerig, Ocala, Fla.; No. 80, David J. Gleason, U. S. Marine Hospital, Chelsea, Mass.; No. 81, Herbert Green, 70 Pall Mall,

London, S. W. 1, England; No. 82, Roy Gullekson, 3360 Buchanan St., Detroit, Mich.; No. 83, Philip Haller, 120 West 20th Street New York, N. Y.; No. 84, Joseph H. Haughton, 318 Lemon St., Palatka, Fla.; No. 85, A. Finstad, 101 N. E. 2nd St., Miami, Fla.; No. 86, Julian Hersh, 157 Golden Hill, Bridgeport, Conn.; No. 87, Wm. L. Johnson, 400 S. W. 8th Ave., Miami, Fla.; No. 88, William Wiley Johnson, 336 Tyler St., Oxford, Miss.; No. 89, C. B. King, Menard, Texas; No. 90, E. J. McCabe, 3467 Michigan Ave., Detroit, Mich.; No. 91, D. F. McLemore, Britton, Okla.; No. 92, Thomas R. Moore, 2012 Hearst Ave., Berkelev, Calif.; No. 93, Attilio O. Nucelli, 1809 Wallace St., Philadelphia, Pa.; No. 94, E. W. Parrish, 20731 John R. St., Hazel Park, Mich.; No. 95, Ray Arthur Patelski, Hill Ave., Aurora, Ill.; No. 96, P. E. Penberthy, 33 W. Church St., Orlando, Fla.; No. 97, L. Perreault, 325 1st Avenue, Quebec, Canada; No. 98, Bird S. Potter, Gothenburg, Nebr.; No. 99, Lester A. Reeves, Munsey Bldg., Washington, D. C.; No. 100, H. R. Rudy, 96 W. Washington St., Hagerstown, Md.; No. 101, W. L. Scheibler, 728 S. W. 27th Ave., Miami, Fla.; No. 102, Israel Sherman, 2547 Aqueduct Ave., Bronx, N. Y.; No. 103, I. C. Smith, 61 E. 21st St., Miami, Fla.; No. 104, Eli Stevens, 1160-59th St., Brooklyn, N. Y.; No. 105, Lawrence J. Taylor, P. O. Box 816, Eustis, Fla.; No. 106, John Tencza, 4755 Michigan Ave., Detroit, Mich.; No. 107, Frederick Voigt, 604 East Fourth St., Chattanooga, Tenn.; No. 108, Edward Cecil Watts, University Hospital, Ann Arbor, Mich.; No. 109, F. H. Woods, 487 Third St., Pitcairn, Pa.

(Motion No. 19) Vote on applications for active membership in the A. Ph. A.

62. Applicant for Membership on Account of Contribution to the Headquarters Building Fund. The following non-member of the A. PH. A. has pledged \$25.00 or more to the Headquarters Building Fund and has made a cash payment of \$5.00 or more. He is entitled to membership and you are requested to vote on the application which has been properly endorsed.

H-16, Nathan L. Mozer, 5138 W. 29th Ave., Denver, Colo.

(Motion No. 20) Vote on application of contributor to the Headquarters Building Fund for membership in the A. Ph. A. E. F. KBLLY, Secy.

A Very Merry Christmas and an Increasingly Happy and Prosperous New Year.