

## PROCEEDINGS OF THE LOCAL BRANCHES

"All papers presented to the Association and Branches shall become the property of the Association with the understanding that they are not to be published in any other publication prior to their publication in those of the Association, except with the consent of the Council."  
—Part of Chapter VI, Article VI of the By-Laws.

ARTICLE III of Chapter VII reads: "The objects and aims of local branches of this Association shall be the same as set forth in ARTICLE I of the Constitution of this body, and the acts of local branches shall in no way commit or bind this Association, and can only serve as recommendations to it. And no local branch shall enact any article of Constitution or By-Law to conflict with the Constitution or By-Laws of this Association."

ARTICLE IV of Chapter VII reads: "Each local branch having not less than 50 dues-paid members of the Association, holding not less than six meetings annually with an attendance of not less than 9 members at each meeting, and the proceedings of which shall have been submitted to the JOURNAL for publication, may elect one representative to the House of Delegates."

Reports of the meetings of the Local Branches shall be mailed to the Editor on the day following the meeting, if possible. Minutes should be typewritten, with wide spaces between the lines. Care should be taken to give proper names correctly and manuscript should be signed by the reporter.

### UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

The 34th meeting of the University of North Carolina Branch of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION was held in the Pharmacy Hall, Thursday, April 3, 1930.

T. A. Libbus, student in the School of Pharmacy, presented a résumé of recent work which has been conducted on the chemistry of the "Secretions of Wasps," by E. G. Boysworth, a senior in the same school. A few interesting observations on the habits of the wasps were given, with insecticides which can be used against them.

P. L. Thomas, also a student in the school, presented an illustrated lecture on "Some Prominent Scientists Contributing to Medical Discoveries." Mr. Thomas presented slides from photographs of the men and gave a brief history of their lives.

The 35th meeting of the University of North Carolina Branch of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION was held in the Pharmacy Hall, Friday, April 11, 1930.

R. H. Hutchinson, secretary to the Antivenin Institute of America, delivered an address before an enthusiastic audience of about four hundred on "The Modern Treatment for Snake-Bite Poisoning." The lecture was illustrated with motion pictures and lantern slides.

Mr. Hutchinson confined his talk to the poisonous snakes of the United States and showed the characteristic habits, markings and geographical distribution. He concluded by giving the method of serum manufacture, ad-

ministration and the general treatment for snake-bites. The lecture was attended by Boy Scouts and Officials from nearby cities and was well received. A vote of thanks was given to the speaker.

H. MC. DELLINGER, *Secretary*.

### UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON.

The final meeting and annual dinner was held May 28th; 150 were present. As usual the entertainment was furnished by the students of the Branch with the exception of the speaker, Dr. J. H. Davidson, who presented an interesting talk on the professional pharmacist. Honor awards were announced by Acting Dean Lynn, as follows:

Loretta Denny fellowship, John Dingle; Arthur A. Denny fellowship, Charles Schwartz; A. Ph. A. Branch Medal, H. A. Schroeder; Lehn & Fink Medal, J. Fernandez; Linton Memorial Plaque, K. W. Kraft; N. A. D. C. Life memberships, Mrs. J. W. Fletcher; Mrs. K. Gray; Miss L. Mozzone.

An amusing playlet written by Miss Radford for this occasion, entitled "The Court of Sanitation (2000 A.D.);" was presented by the following cast:

Policeman—Harold MacDonald  
Charwoman—Mrs. Gray  
Cough Addict—Leonida Mozzone  
Habitual Health Breaker—Kenneth Redman  
Judge—Karl W. Kraft  
Spoiled Child—Clementine Evans  
Mother—Alice Hayden  
Doctor—Joseph Fernandez

The prologue was read by Jack Steele.

The theme was built around the supposition that measles, coughs, etc., were criminal offenses, and murder, bigamy, etc., were mental disturbances. A very learned lecture on explosives by Professor Vacuum (Harold Schimpke) and his assistant, Professor Herr Tonic (Frank Squires), concluded the evening's program. During the lecture all safe ex-

plosives exploded and dangerous ones proved to be free from explosive action. During the evening's program the following were rendered:

Russian Songs by Estella Koozin.

Mirambiphone duets by Arthur Nelson and Lester Asher.

Songs by E. L. Terry and Sam Grant.

Piano solos by Lester Asher.

H. A. LANGENHAN, *Secretary*.

#### BULLETINS OF THE DRUG TRADE BUREAU OF PUBLIC INFORMATION.

The service which is being given by the Drug Trade Bureau of Public Information deserves the support of all druggists and pharmacists, to the end that the service may be improved and the Bureau be not hampered by lack of funds. It is a source of satisfaction that a large number of the state associations have passed resolutions commending the work of the Bureau and others have expressed appreciation by contributing toward the expenses of the work.

The *Director* of the News Service is Robert P. Fischelis, 106 N. Fifth St., Newark, N. J. The *Chairman* is Ambrose Hunsberger, 1600 Spruce St., Philadelphia, Pa.; *Secretary-Treasurer*, H. C. Christensen, 130 N. Wells St., Chicago, Ill.

*Bulletin No. 10*, issued April 18th, discusses the Williamson Bill, which has now become law. *Bulletin No. 11*, gave publicity to the membership of the A. P. H. A. and affiliated bodies which have, since the issuance of the *Bulletin*, held their meetings. *Bulletin No. 12* gave publicity to the action taken at the meeting on the use of the words "druggists" and "pharmacists." The bulletin also refers to the unfortunate misuse of "drugs" when the term "narcotic" should be used. *Bulletin No. 13* relates to the Remington Honor Medal and its presentation to Dr. Edward Kremers of the University of Wisconsin. This presentation was part of the program at the A. P. H. A. banquet. *Bulletin No. 14* reports the enactment of the Parker Bill which is of particular interest, because by it pharmacists in the Government service become eligible to commissioned rank on the same basis as medical officers. *Bulletin No. 15* calls attention to the use of the phrase, "Recommended by all Reliable Druggists" and voices the objection made by resolution at the meeting of the A. P. H. A. *Bulletins No. 16* and *17* carry some of the high points of the address

of President J. G. Beard of the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy. The first relates to exchange professorships and the other seeks to arouse the interest of men with means to provide research funds and endowments for colleges of pharmacy. *Bulletin No. 18* brings to the attention of the public the need of including at least one member who is a pharmacist on state and local Boards of Health. This follows the lines of discussions at the meeting of the A. P. H. A. *Bulletin No. 19*, issued July 11th, discusses the address of President George W. Colburn, Maryland Pharmaceutical Association, relating in part to methods followed in drug stores. It is pointed out that the independent drug store has advantages over the chain establishments and that the chains set examples in certain lines of business conduct. President Colburn's address emphasized professional activities and he urged pharmacists to be worthy of public confidence and trust.

#### THE BIRTHPLACE OF JOYCE KILMER DEDICATED TO HIS MEMORY.

Joyce Kilmer was the son of Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Kilmer; the latter has been a member of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION for many years. The old home has a number of interesting collections, not only of pictures and photographs, but also of furniture and copies of Joyce Kilmer's books in a number of editions; framed copies of "Trees" hang on the walls. On the occasion of the dedication, many leaders in civic and military life were present and voiced high appreciation and regard for their late companion.

Brigadier General Henry J. Riley spoke at length; he was followed by Mrs. Kilmer who expressed her pride as the mother of Joyce Kilmer. The dedication ceremonies were held at high noon and the consensus of the speakers was that the room should always remain a shrine of patriotism, of service and sacrifice, hallowed by sacred memories of a great life.