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GEORGE ZOELLER.

George Zoeller, member of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION since 1919, died April 4th, aged sixty-five years.

Mr. and Mrs. Zoeller had been on a trip to Europe the early part of this year. Mr. Zoeller had been in poor health for a number of months and had sold out of business before going abroad. He is survived by his widow, Elizabeth K. Zoeller, to whom sympathy is expressed.

STEPHEN G. PORTER.

Hon. Stephen G. Porter, congressman from Pennsylvania, died June 27th in Allegheny

General Hospital, Pittsburgh. Mr. Porter became ill about two months ago aboard ship en route from London. He was an outstanding figure in regulating the control and distribution of habit-forming drugs. The last contribution to this work was the bill to create in the Treasury Department a Bureau of Narcotics. Comments on "Tentative Draft of the Porter Narcotic Bill" are printed in the February JOURNAL, page 165, and the Bill appears in the March number, page 307; many years of Congressman Porter's life were given to this important subject.

For nearly fifteen years, as ranking minority member and then as chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, Mr. Porter placed his mark on many resolutions affecting our foreign relations.

CONGRESSES OF PHARMACY.

A Congress of Pharmacy will convene at the International Exposition in Liege from August 6th to 11th. The Congress is under the direction of the Faculty of Pharmacy at the University of Liege; the secretaries of the Congress are M. M. Bohet and Bremen.

The subjects which will be considered are: General and Analytical Chemistry, Pharmaceutical and Toxicological Chemistry, Pharmacognosy and Practical Pharmacy, Biologic and Bacteriologic Chemistry and that relating to Hygiene and Foods, Colonial Pharmacy, Subjects of Professional Interest, History, Legislation, etc. Quite a number of names familiar to pharmacists are on the Organization Committee.

The International Pharmaceutical Federation is meeting in Stockholm this month.

CHICAGO WORLD'S FAIR.

States are beginning to show growing interest in the World's Fair which is to be held in Chicago in 1933. Considerable attention, in fact a large part of the Chicago exhibition, will be devoted to the progress of science.

NATIONAL COLOR SOCIETY.

In connection with the U. S. Pharmacopœial Convention held in Washington, on May 13th and 14th, a Special Report has been drawn up on "Color Names in the United States Pharmacopœia and in the Arts, Sciences

and Industries," edited by Prof. E. N. Gathercoal, School of Pharmacy, University of Illinois, Chicago. (Copies of this comprehensive report can be obtained for the nominal sum (50¢ each) from A. E. O. Munsell, 10 East Franklin St., Baltimore, Md.) A splendid exhibit of color instruments and color charts gave a graphic visual demonstration of the subjects treated in the above report on color names.

At a special meeting of all those interested in the part played by color in the three fields of Industry, Art and Science, Prof. Gathercoal reviewed the keen interest and the hearty coöperation that he had experienced in obtaining contributions to the report and to the color exhibit, and asked those present at the meeting whether or not there was a need for a society or convention concerned primarily with color in Industry, Art and Science. Receiving a unanimous answer in the affirmative, steps were taken for the formation of an organization committee to promote this new society. The meeting elected the following members to this organization committee:

Chairman, Royal B. Farnum, Providence, R. I.; F. N. Gathercoal, Chicago, Ill.; Charles Bittinger, Washington, D. C.; M. Rea Paul, New York City; Dean B. Judd, Washington, D. C.; Heber W. Youngken, Boston, Mass.; Raymond P. Ensign, Newark, N. J.; Margaret H. Rorke, New York City; H. V. Army, New York City; Wm. D. Appel, Washington, D. C.; A. E. O. Munsell, Baltimore, Md.; Frank F. Rupert, Pittsburgh, Pa.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION FOR BIOCHEMIST.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces the following open competitive examination: Applications for biochemist (pharmacologic) must be on file with the Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C., not later than August 13, 1930.

The examination is to fill a vacancy in the National Institute of Health, Public Health Service, Washington, D. C., and vacancies occurring throughout the United States in positions requiring similar qualifications.

The entrance salaries range from \$3800 to \$4400 a year. Higher-salaried positions are filled through promotion.

The duties are to carry on, under general supervision, advanced biochemical researches, either individually or in coöperation with others, on animal and human organs, tissues and exudates, and on materials concerned with neoplasms.

A requirement is graduation from a college or university of recognized standing, such work to have included as a minimum the completion of 118 semester hours of work, 30 semester hours of which must have been in chemistry. In addition, applicants must have had at least five years' experience in research work in biological chemistry; provided that for each year lacking such experience there may be substituted one year of postgraduate training in a college or university of recognized standing with major work in biological chemistry, such substitution not to exceed three years.

Competitors will not be required to report for examination at any place, but will be rated on their education, training, experience, fitness and on publications or thesis.

Full information may be obtained from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., or the Secretary of the United States Civil Service Board of Examiners at the post office or customhouse in any city.

AMERICAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

The scientific exhibits in connection with the annual session of the American Medical Association in Detroit received the approbation of the Association, and the executive in charge. Dr. Paul Nicholas Leech, received its congratulations upon the general excellence of the exhibit.

Dr. Edward Paul Judd, of the Mayo Clinic and University of Minnesota, was elected

President of the Association. The next meeting will be held in Philadelphia.

Dr. C. W. Edmunds, in an address before the Section on Pharmacology and Therapeutics, criticized the teaching of pharmacology in medical schools. He said that the study frequently is in the hands of men primarily interested in other fields; as a result graduates are criticized for their lack of knowledge of drugs.

THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES OF PHARMACY.

Abstract of the summary of the proceedings of the 1930 meeting. One hundred eight representatives from 47 schools in 33 states, the District of Columbia, and the Philippine Islands, were in attendance at the Baltimore meeting.

Dean Edward H. Niles read a memorial on the late Prof. Edward F. Wagener. The address of President J. G. Beard is printed in the May JOURNAL, beginning on page 503. The recommendations of the President were approved by the Committee on Resolutions and adopted by the Association. A change was made in Recommendation 3 by the insertion of the word "minimum;" that is, "all member schools shall adopt a minimum five day a week schedule of instruction."

The report of the Secretary-Treasurer showed cash on hand \$6164.36. Chairman C. B. Jordan of the Executive Committee reported on the number of students and their preliminary training. There was a total of 3042 of entering students of whom 3012 were high school graduates and 32 special students; 480 of the number had previous college training. The interesting report dealt with the visits made to member colleges and outstanding events affecting pharmaceutical education. The Committee also recommended several changes in the constitution and by-laws of the Association. The summary deals further with reports of various committees.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are: *President*, Julius W. Sturmer, Philadelphia; *Vice-President*, Henry A. Langenhan, Seattle; *Secretary-Treasurer*, Zada M. Cooper, Iowa City; *Chairman of the Executive Committee*, Charles B. Jordan, Lafayette; Andrew G. DuMez and John G. Beard were elected members of the *Executive Committee* to serve for two years and Gordon L. Curry, of Louisville was elected member of the Syllabus Committee.

The speaker at the annual dinner was Dr. Neil E. Gordon who holds the chair of chemical education at Johns Hopkins University.

The program of the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy is printed in the April issue, 1930. This reference is made for the purpose of naming the papers which were read at the Conferences of Teachers. At that time the program of the Conference of Teachers of Chemistry had not been completed. This Conference was presided over by Chairman Webster and the papers read were as follows:

"What Constitutes a Proper Foundation for the Study of Quantitative Organic Analysis," George D. Beal; "Scientific Remedies, Their Place in the Curricula of a School of Pharmacy," A. H. Clark; "A Pharmaceutical Application of Hydrogen-ion Concentration," John C. Krantz, Jr.

The program of the Conference of Teachers of Pharmaceutical Economics was not included in the program referred to. The Conference was presided over by Leonard O'Connell and the subjects discussed were "Transition Work in Commercial Pharmacy," by C. B. Jordan. "The Relation of Drug Stores to Population," by Edward Kremers; "Outside Speakers in Courses in Pharmaceutical Economics," by W. Bruce Philip; "Productive Method of Teaching Pharmaceutical Economics," R. T. Lakey.

The officers chosen for the ensuing year are: Chemistry, Loyd F. Harris, *Chairman*; John C. Bauer, *Secretary*; Pharmacy, Charles J. Fuhrmann, *Chairman*; Ralph E. Terry, *Vice-Chairman*; Wm. J. Husa, *Secretary*; *Materia Medica*, A. Richard Bliss, Jr., *Chairman*; F. J. Bacon, *Secretary*; Pharmaceutical Economics, C. Leonard O'Connell, *Chairman*; Howard C. Newton, *Secretary*.

PRIZE MEMBERSHIPS IN THE A. PH. A. BY COLLEGES OF PHARMACY.

The JOURNAL OF THE A. PH. A. will be pleased to print the names of the institutions of pharmacy awarding as prizes membership in the A. PH. A. The names of a few of those who have made such awards follows:

Massachusetts College of Pharmacy.—The *Pharmacy prize* offered by Prof. E. H. LaPierre, was awarded to G. Richard Tedgell; *Analytical Chemistry*, by Dean Bradley, to Carroll B. Gustafson; *Organic Chemistry*, by Treasurer Gammon, to Aldora A. Trainovich; *Materia Medica*, by President Glover, to

Nathan Becker; *Commercial Pharmacy*, by Vice-President Ellis, to Raymond A. Dahill.

Pittsburgh College of Pharmacy.—*Pharmacognosy prize*, to B. Henrietta Harris; *Materia Medica*, to Tozia Drapiewski; *Pharmacy prize*, to Barnard Thompson; *Applied Pharmacy*, to Ida Denise De Santis; *Chemistry*, to Howard Paul Dolyak; *Inorganic Chemistry*, to Willard Hoyle; *Physiology*, to Tom Fairfull; *Pharmaceutical Economics*, to Carl George Setler.

Duquesne University School of Pharmacy.—*Pharmacy award*, by Prof. W. A. Jarrett, to George E. Nagle; *Materia Medica*, by Prof. Leslie B. Barrett, to Erwin Volkin; *Chemistry*, by Dean Hugh C. Muldoon, to Thomas B. Kirby.

Former Presidents of the A. PH. A., Dean Henry H. Rusby and Dean-Elect, H. V. Army, of the College of Pharmacy of Columbia University, were elected honorary members of the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain.

Former President of the A. PH. A., Theodore J. Bradley will represent the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION at the meeting of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association, August 4th to 7th.

The Jesse W. Lazear Medal of Honor for Distinguished Self-Sacrifice for Humanity, will be the medal which will be awarded to those who risk life and health bravely that the cause of science may be advanced. This medal is named after the hero who, as a member of the famous Yellow Fever Commission, allowed an infected mosquito to bite him and give him a fatal case of the disease which was conquered through the information that this and similar heroic sacrifices gave to medical science.

President H. C. Christensen on his trip to continue meetings of western state associations stopped for a short visit in Nebraska, where he had lived during his younger years. The Kenesaw Progress (Nebraska) devoted a column of appreciation because of the visit.

The Massachusetts College of Pharmacy conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Pharmacy upon Irving P. Gammon of Brookline, Mass., and C. Herbert Packard of East Boston, at their recent convention exercises.

Townes R. Leigh, Gainesville, Fla., and Robert C. Wilson, Athens, Ga., are associate editors of the *Southern Drug Journal*.

Editor's Note: The article in June JOURNAL, page 583, "The Prescription Business in Buffalo" was prepared and presented by Prof. Leon Monell. Inadvertently his name was omitted.

C. B. Johnson is now editor of the *Druggist*. The managing editor is Claude L. Lawrence and co-editors are Charles E. Wilson, Corinth, Miss., and E. L. Hammond, University of Mississippi, and A. Richard Bliss, Jr., Memphis.

In writing of the Baltimore meeting of the A. Ph. A., Associate Editor Charles E. Wilson reports in his "Personal Page," that "The AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION, 'the Grandfather of Pharmacy,' ran true to its form with a program that was well balanced, suggestive in spirit and extremely helpful to those who were interested."

"To the retail pharmacists everywhere, who think that the A. Ph. A. is 'high brow' and that there is nothing of interest for the man who is in the retail game, let me say that they simply do not know what this organization is doing. They should attend one of its conventions and learn the truth. They would be increasing their ability along professional and commercial lines. They would better serve their trade and increase their project."

"The pharmacists of the South should rally to the cause of the A. Ph. A. by becoming active members. They need the A. Ph. A. more than the A. Ph. A. needs them. The A. Ph. A. has sponsored everything worth while for the best interests of pharmacy for seventy-eight years. It has fought for the maintenance of professional pharmacy through the dark periods when there was no shoulder to lean upon. Truly, it is the backbone of the professional side of pharmacy. Had it not been for its efforts we would be little more than mere vendors of merchandise and on the same level with butchers, bakers and grocers."

The newly appointed head of the Department of Justice Prohibition Bureau, Colonel Amoss W. W. Woodcock, and his assistant, Howard T. Jones, were formally installed in their new positions July 1st. From the newspaper notices and his records the prohibition administrator is a man of high type and ability; in fact, there has been so much said about the appointee that he will have to measure high in order to meet the promises that have been made for him.

Dr. James M. Doran will be in charge of the Bureau of Industrial Alcohol of the Treasury Department. Attorney General Mitchell has made public a partial list of the deputy administrators under the new organization.

Leith S. Temperton and Paul S. Pittenger have been elected Vice-Presidents of Sharp & Dohme.

Secretary David A. Skinner of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce, is a graduate of the Detroit College of Pharmacy, 1898.

Hoffman-LaRoche have broken ground for a new building at Nutley, celebrating at the same time the first anniversary of their occupancy of their new building.

HISTORICAL QUESTIONNAIRE.

Otto Raubenheimer, 1341 Fulton St., Brooklyn, N. Y., has requested insertion of the following:

1. To what extent is History of Pharmacy taught in your College Course?
 2. How many hours are devoted to this course?
 3. Has your College a Museum for the preservation of Historical material?
 4. Have you a Historical Collection and what does it consist of?
 5. Is there a catalog or pamphlet published about this collection?
- If so, am anxious to obtain same.
6. Do you know of any other Historical Pharmaceutical Collection—private or public—in the United States?

College..... Signed.....

OFFICERS OF STATE PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATIONS.

All state pharmaceutical associations are on record, favorable for a price maintenance measure and, likewise, for a pharmacy corps in the Medical Department of the U. S. Army; most of those convening since the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION meeting in Baltimore have embodied as presented, or in a modified form, resolutions adopted by the A. Ph. A., printed on pages 522-526. Attempt has been made to confine the following reports to the election of officers and a few outstanding points but in preparing the reports at different times several of them, for one reason or another, have gone far beyond the limits set. It is hoped that secretaries will note the list of officers and send in corrections, if necessary.

ALABAMA.

The 48th annual convention of Alabama Pharmaceutical Association was held on board the steamship Cuba between Key West and Havana, Cuba. The Pharmaceutical Society of Havana entertained the members and the

Cuban pharmacists were most gracious in their attention.

The following officers were elected: *President*, Z. C. Lewis, Montgomery; *First Vice-President*, Paul Lantrik, Jasper; *Second Vice-President*, J. K. Haynie, Opeleka; *Treasurer*, N. H. Ward, Tuscaloosa; *Secretary*, W. E. Bingham.

The next annual meeting will be held at Montgomery in 1931.

ARKANSAS.

The 47th annual meeting of Arkansas Pharmaceutical Association was held in Hot Springs. President Max Daggett of Marian presided over the sessions.

The President for the ensuing year is W. Irl Brite.

Dr. Charles F. Caspari brought the greetings of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION and President Thomas Roach spoke for the National Association Retail Druggists.

The educational session followed a plan laid out by the *Southern Pharmaceutical Journal* and was voted a great success.

CALIFORNIA.

More than seven hundred attended the meeting of the California Association held at Pasadena. Among the speakers were President H. C. Christensen of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION and F. L. Newcomb, Secretary of the N. W. D. A. The key note of President Vossmeier's address was embodied in his presentation of the value of associations.

President Christensen spoke of the activities of the A. PH. A. and of the transactions at the Baltimore meeting. He urged a larger membership from California.

A number of the resolutions adopted by the A. PH. A. were embodied in the resolutions of the state association. We note among others the one which urged advertisers to discontinue the use of the phrase, "Recommended by All Reliable Druggists."

The officers elected for the ensuing year are: *President*, Thomas J. Lanahan, San Francisco; *First Vice-President*, F. G. Wray, San Diego; *Second Vice-President*, Henry Gonzales, Oakland; *Third Vice-President*, Harvey A. Henry, Los Angeles; *Treasurer*, A. H. Vossmeier, Los Angeles; *Secretary*, Roy S. Warnack, Los Angeles.

Del Monte was chosen for next year's convention.

COLORADO.

The meeting of the Colorado Pharmaceutical Association was held at Colorado Springs, June 1st-12th with a good attendance. Legislative matters were freely discussed.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are: *President*, Monte L. Powell, Denver; *First Vice-President*, David B. Frey, Colorado Springs; *Second Vice-President*, B. C. Lagerquist, La Junta; *Secretary*, Charles J. Clayton, Denver; *Treasurer*, Julius F. Ernest, Denver.

FLORIDA.

The 27th annual convention of Florida Pharmaceutical Association was held at Key West. On Saturday, following the business sessions, the members visited Havana, Cuba, where they were royally received by members of the National Pharmaceutical Association of Cuba.

The meeting in Key West was of particular interest because of the selection of Miami for the next annual meeting of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION. President Emrich paid tribute to Florida pharmacists who had been honored at the Baltimore and Washington conventions—President W. M. Hankins, of the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy, and Dr. Townes R. Leigh and William J. Husa who had been elected to the U. S. P. Revision Committee. He stressed the importance of cooperating with the A. PH. A. and urged activity of the Membership Committee in that connection.

Dr. James H. Beal spoke of the Baltimore meeting of the A. PH. A. He acquainted the members with the activities of the ASSOCIATION during nearly eighty years—its influence in shaping American pharmacy, and in these connections the value to be derived from the meeting in Florida. The comprehensive address dealt with the work accomplished by it and that being promoted under its direction. He outlined the form of its organization and referred to the related organizations and affiliated bodies which contributed to the annual sessions and influenced pharmacy and the drug-trade activities; to the publications of the ASSOCIATION and their helpfulness to pharmacists; among them, the JOURNAL, YEAR BOOK, National Formulary and the recent edition of the Index and the first edition of the Pharmaceutical Recipe Book.

President Hankins spoke of what the meeting meant to Florida. The reports of the officers were interesting and profitable contributions

to the Association proceedings. Among other speakers were Senator Malone, Secretary Houghton, of the Board of Pharmacy, Philip R. Wood, T. R. Leigh, G. H. Grommet and Don Evans. He who doubts the energy of Florida pharmacists needs only to be reminded of the work of the representatives in Baltimore by the contributions to the Section programs and the enthusiasm for a Florida meeting of the A. P. H. A.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are; *President*, Harry W. Childs, St. Petersburg; *First Vice-President*, Milam Anderson, Lake Wales; *Second Vice-President*, R. Q. Richards, Ft. Myers; *Third Vice-President*, R. L. Spottswood, Key West; *Secretary Manager*, G. H. Grommet, Miami.

IDAHO.

The attendance at the Idaho Association which convened at Boise was up to the average. President Walker gave an account of national legislation and the successes accomplished, dwelling partly, in that respect, on the Parker Bill.

The following officers were elected: *President*, H. B. Whittlesley, Pocatello; *First Vice-President*, J. B. Ostrander, Wallace; *Second Vice-President*, Bert Caldwell, Twin Falls; *Secretary-Treasurer*, Herschel M. Cummins, Melba.

F. R. Peterson of Portland spoke of the legislative work in Congress and Donald Whitehead of the work of the state association in which pharmacists are interested. Mr. Whitehead is a former president and secretary of the Idaho Association and at the present time the speaker of the House in the Idaho Legislature. He urged broadmindedness and devotion to the public interests in political activities of the druggists.

Pocatello was chosen for the 1931 meeting.

LOUISIANA.

Louisiana Pharmaceutical Association has arranged for group life insurance for its members and is seeking amendments to the present pharmacy law. The work of the Association during the interim of the annual meetings is largely taken care of by *District Vice-Presidents*, among them are J. Marion Legendre, for Districts 1 and 2, New Orleans; Paul C. Eckels, for Districts 3 and 5, Crowley; J. A. Baucum, District 4, Haynesville; John W. Cullens, District 5, Monroe; Lester Dunlap, District 6, Baton Rouge; Leo C. Siess, District

8, Alexandria. C. R. Caldwell, Shreveport was elected *President* of the Association, and John E. Scott of New Orleans was reelected *Secretary*.

MARYLAND.

The 48th annual meeting of Maryland Pharmaceutical Association was held at Ocean City, Md., with a large attendance. The members were saddened by the recent toll made by death among their fellows—one, that of beloved J. Fuller Frames during the meeting; the others who answered the call just prior to the meeting were Treasurer George P. Hetz, of Baltimore, and James P. Challenger, of Newcastle, Del. Appropriate resolutions of respect were adopted.

Few pharmaceutical associations can claim stronger friendship and interest of Governors than Maryland Pharmaceutical Association; Governor Ritchie is always responsive to the invitations from that organization. Having fulfilled the duties expected by the Governor and closely observed its professional responsibilities the Association has never been disappointed in his actions. His presence at the meetings is most encouraging and his expressions in a number of addresses relative to pharmacy have been commented on in this JOURNAL heretofore. This year again, Governor Ritchie was an honored guest and received the welcome as such, as well as that of an honored member.

President George W. Colburn's address was comprehensive; he recommended that the annual meetings alternate between the Eastern and Western Shores of Maryland; he favored closer contact with medical societies; spoke for support of pharmaceutical education; approval of the Capper-Kelly Bill, and strongly favored a pharmacy corps in the U. S. Army.

Among the addresses and papers of the meeting were "Constructive Work in Behalf of Pharmacy," by Ambrose Hunsberger; "Value of a Well-Equipped Pharmacy in a Modern Hospital," by Amelia Sonnenburg; "Displays That Sell," by Harold C. Kinnier; "Personal Experience with Drug Traffic," Thomas Armstrong; "Pharmacy's Place in Medicine," Robert P. Fischelis; "The Pharmacist Gets a Break," Robert J. Ruth; "The Attitude of Pharmacists to Mergers," L. M. Kantner, and others. In the Scientific Section, under the chairmanship of Dr. John C. Krantz, Jr., were contributions by William T. McCloskey, of the F. D. I. Administration, Washington, who

presented "Studies in Endocrines;" John C. Bauer, "Studies in Hypnotics," and "Studies in Carbohydrate Metabolism," by the Chairman. S. L. Hilton, of Washington, reported on the St. Louis Drug Survey; A. G. DuMez on the Pharmacopœial Convention and Glenn L. Jenkins on the revision of the National Formulary.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are: *President*, L. S. Williams, Baltimore; *First Vice-President*, William C. Spire, Mount Rainier; *Second Vice-President*, L. M. Kantner, Baltimore; *Third Vice-President*, L. C. Johnson, St. Michaels; *Secretary*, E. F. Kelly, Baltimore; *Treasurer*, Harry S. Harrison, Baltimore; *Editor*, *Maryland Pharmacist*, Robert L. Swain, Baltimore.

NEBRASKA.

Among the speakers at the Nebraska Pharmaceutical Association held in Omaha, June 3rd to 5th, were President H. C. Christensen of the A. Ph. A., Denny Brann, former President of the N. A. R. D., Deans H. C. Newton, and Niels Mikkelsen.

President Smith C. Wilson gave a résumé of pharmaceutical and drug-trade activities during the past year. Nebraska Association will celebrate its 50th anniversary the next year and the meeting is to be held in Lincoln.

The officers elected are: *President*, M. E. Rasdal, Ogallala; *First Vice-President*, J. C. Thygeson, Nebraska City; *Second Vice-President*, W. E. James, Palmer; *Third Vice-President*, T. G. Slater, Hordville; *Fourth Vice-President*, Ora E. Copes, Auburn; *Fifth Vice-President*, L. W. Gorton, Omaha; *Secretary*, J. G. McBride, Lincoln; *Treasurer*, D. D. Adams. Stanley D. Young was elected delegate to the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

NEW JERSEY PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

New Jersey Pharmaceutical Association held its sessions at Asbury Park, June 1st-13th. Among the speakers of the Convention were Dr. James M. Doran, who approved the way in which pharmacists had handled narcotics. Dean Fraser Metzger of Rutgers University spoke on "Education and Business." Other speakers were Wilmer Krusen and Robert J. Ruth. President Dudley Singer urged the return of show globes to the windows of pharmacies.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are:

President, Charles Schumach, Paterson; *First Vice-President*, Wm. A. Chamberlain, Collingswood; *Second Vice-President*, Morris Gartenbert, Jersey City; *Secretary*, Prescott R. Loveland, Atlantic City; *Treasurer*, Charles A. McCloskey, Culver's Lake.

NEW MEXICO PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

The second annual meeting of the New Mexico Pharmaceutical Association was held in Carlsbad, May 19th-20th. Among the speakers were Carl Weeks of Des Moines, John Davis of Denver and G. H. Gertridge of San Francisco.

The officers for the ensuing year are: *President*, H. H. McAdoo of Carlsbad; *First Vice-President*, James Barrow; *Second Vice-President*, Mrs. E. K. Hilton, Socorro; *Secretary*, H. I. Braden, Carlsbad; *Treasurer*, Carl Moore, Clovis.

NEW YORK.

New York State Pharmaceutical Association held a successful meeting at Richfield Springs. Among the speakers of the convention were Samuel C. Henry, George W. Davis, assistant attorney general of the state of New York, and H. S. Noel of Indianapolis.

Otto Raubenheimer presented a historical paper on the National Formulary carrying its story through from the first edition to the present revision. The present U. S. P. formula of Solution of Magnesium Citrate came up for considerable criticism. A revision of Schedule C of the state pharmacy law was urged. The State Board of Pharmacy was requested to place a fine upon the licensed clerk in all cases where it is shown that the licensed clerk committed a violation without the knowledge of the proprietor. A four-year pharmacy course was commended with the provision that it be instituted when, in the opinion of the State Department of Education, such advance in requirements was found desirable.

The following officers were elected: *President*, Nicholas S. Gesoalde, Brooklyn; *First Vice-President*, Albert H. Muench, Syracuse; *Second Vice-President*, H. H. Miller, New Rochelle; *Third Vice-President*, John F. O'Brien, Rochester. Curt P. Wimmer, Wm. C. Anderson and Jacob Diner were elected delegates to the meeting of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

Secretary E. S. Dawson celebrated the 50th anniversary of his membership in New York State Pharmaceutical Association.

J. Leon Lascoff reported a number of joint meetings of physicians and pharmacists and suggested that booklets be prepared by the Association and supplied to students of medicine at the various medical schools in order to make them acquainted with N. F. and U. S. P. products.

PENNSYLVANIA.

President C. Leonard O'Connell, in his address, referred to the addition of 122 new members and meetings held with physicians and the four-year college course. The Association concurred in the establishment of a four-year course in pharmacy colleges, that Dr. Francis E. Stewart be elected to honorary life membership. Charles M. Boyd was elected an honorary member.

A large number of interesting papers were read. Among the speakers of the Convention were Samuel C. Henry, Dr. Wilmer Krusen, John C. Minehart and Robert J. Ruth.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows: *President*, C. Leonard O'Connell, Pittsburgh, reelected; *First Vice-President*, Henry Brown, Scranton; *Second Vice-President*, Raymond Hendrickson, Philadelphia; *Chairman of the Executive Committee*, Joseph W. England, Philadelphia.

TEXAS.

A feature of the fifty-first annual meeting of the Texas Pharmaceutical Association held in Houston was the day set apart for the program under the direction of the American Druggist. The contributors to that program were: Editor Mayes, New York; B. I. ("Bob") Eaton former Broadway actor, owner of four drug stores in Des Moines, Iowa; Charles McFarland, who continues the drug store founded in 1865 at "Dead Man's Gulch," Helena, Mont.; Miss Dorothy Cox, New York, writer on subjects relating to toilet preparations; Prof. Hugh Muldoon, dean of the college of pharmacy, University of Pittsburgh; Prof. Anton Hogstad, Jr., founder of the Model Prescription Shop, St. Louis, Mo.; Dean H. C. Newton, Creighton University College of Pharmacy, Omaha, Neb.; Dean H. V. Army of Columbia University College of Pharmacy; Joseph Flower, veteran druggist of Richmond, Va., who has been successful in prize-winning show windows, and Mrs. Eva Snyder, housewife, of Louisville, Ky., whose letter on "The Job of the Wife of a Prescription Druggist,"

won first place in a contest sponsored by the *American Druggist*.

We hope there have been no omissions of names to the valuable and interesting program. Dean Muldoon spoke of the relations of the pharmacist and the retailer; Professor Hogstad of the possibilities in professional pharmacy; Dean Newton on finishing the prescription; Dean Army presented interesting sketches of pharmacists Godbold, Hopp and Borell—in doing so he paid beautiful tributes to friends who had been an inspiration to him and influenced his life.

A criticism that might be offered to the program is that no time was given to discussion of the contributions.

The other transactions were full of interest and should be reported, but must be omitted for reasons heretofore indicated. The Association paid over the first thousand dollars to the Texas Fund which is to furnish the editorial rooms in the A. Ph. A. Headquarters Building.

President Hein's address was comprehensive and stressed the importance of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION and strongly urged a larger membership in Texas. The Traveling Men's Auxiliary contributes largely to the entertainments. The Ladies' Auxiliary provide Scholarships for young women studying pharmacy in the University of Texas. The registration exceeded one thousand.

A State Veteran Druggists Association was organized, about fifty veterans being in attendance. Frater J. W. Graham of Austin was toasted as the oldest member in point of service.

The annual banquet of the Association was a brilliant affair at which about 1000 were seated. The toastmaster was Judge Ewing Boyd and the speakers J. T. Coulson of Dallas; Fred Alter, San Antonio; President Thomas Roach, of the N. A. R. D., Oklahoma City; E. G. Eberle, Baltimore.

Among the resolutions adopted was one calling on legislators to provide laws for curbing chain store operations. Closer coöperation of physicians and druggists was urged and the adoption of the code of ethics approved.

The following officers were elected: *President*, John B. Ray, Abilene; *First Vice-President*, E. B. Oliver, Longview; *Second Vice-President*, L. W. Brenner, Gonzales; *Secretary-Treasurer*, Walter D. Adams, Forney; *Home Secretary*, J. W. Graham, Austin; *Historian*, C. A. Duncan, Dallas.

C. C. Harris of Houston and A. H. Sealy of Ranger, were elected members of the Execu-

tive Committee; and Sol Feigelson, Houston; W. A. Charlton, Temple, and F. A. Cordel of El Paso, were elected members of the Board of Trustees.

Mrs. John D. Ray of Abilene heads the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Association.

President Hein was presented with a gavel made from the newel post of the old Maryland College of Pharmacy Building, a gift of members of the faculty and friends in Texas.

The writer is appreciative of the many courtesies extended; he was privileged to participate in the program on several occasions as delegate of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

UTAH.

Utah Pharmaceutical Association held a most interesting session at Cedar City. President Peterson gave a résumé of work being accomplished in Congress and by the state. He referred to the interest displayed at both the A. Ph. A. meeting and the U. S. P. Convention. He referred in a kindly way to the contest for the next meeting of the A. Ph. A. for which an invitation had been extended by Salt Lake City, but Miami was chosen. A further effort will be made to have the meeting of the A. Ph. A. in Salt Lake City either in 1933 or 1934.

Salt Lake City was chosen for the 1931 convention and the following officers were elected: *President*, Horace S. Ensign, Ogden; *First Vice-President*, P. B. Van Orden, Lewistown; *Second Vice-President*, Dean Clark, St. George; *Secretary*, George F. Flashman, Salt Lake City; *Treasurer*, Eugene L. Wade, Salt Lake City.

VIRGINIA.

Among the speakers at the Virginia Pharmaceutical Association were Robert J. Ruth, New York City; Samuel C. Henry, Chicago; W. G. Crockett and Dr. Jonathan Day, Richmond. Edgar Warfield of Alexandria was elected *Honorary President* of the Association. He is in his eighty-eighth year and still active in business.

The fiftieth annual meeting of the Virginia Association will be held at Virginia Beach, with the Cavalier Hotel as Headquarters.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are: *President*, G. E. Heller, Bedford; *First Vice-President*, H. S. Falconer, Newport News; *Second Vice-President*, A. T. Gray, Farmville; *Third Vice-President*, E. V. Greever, Chil-

howie; *Fourth Vice-President*, W. H. Hoover, Jr., Richmond; *Fifth Vice-President*, W. S. Nicklin, Alexandria; *Sixth Vice-President*, C. W. Powers, Roanoke; *Secretary-Treasurer*, A. L. I. Winne.

WEST VIRGINIA.

Among the speakers of the program of West Virginia State Pharmaceutical Association were Douglas Malloch, Chicago; Prof. G. A. Bergy, Morgantown; J. O. Crowley, Wheeling; Robert J. Ruth, New York City; Bernard N. Keene, Indianapolis.

Next year will be the silver anniversary meeting of West Virginia Association and this is to be held at Wheeling.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are: *President*, C. H. Goodykoontz, Bluefield; *First Vice-President*, G. H. Neale, Elkins; *Second Vice-President*, A. D. Conley, Huntington; *Third Vice-President*, Paul E. Hager, Monongah; *Secretary-Treasurer*, J. Lester Hayman, Morgantown.

WASHINGTON.

The attendance at the Washington Pharmaceutical Association meeting numbered about 250. President M. A. Weed gave a résumé of the activities of the State Association and the work that had been done. He commended Dean C. W. Johnson and Prof. H. A. Langenhan for representing the Association at the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION meeting in Baltimore and at the Pharmacopœial Convention in Washington. President H. C. Christensen, of the A. Ph. A., attended the meeting and addressed the Convention. He gave an account of the meeting in Baltimore and dwelt upon the importance of the A. Ph. A. Headquarters to pharmacy.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are: *President*, R. L. Hunt, Everett; *District Governors*: A. D. Sloan, Yakima; W. P. Gray, Wilbur; G. H. Guy, Seattle; J. C. Carberry, Aberdeen; G. E. Finnegan, Bellingham; *Secretary*, Harry W. Ayres, Seattle; *Treasurer*, O. Thorstensen, Seattle.

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Correspondingly, greater good from the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION will come through a larger membership; it is a body distinctively coöperative in its aims and purposes.