

Reports of A. Ph. A. Committees

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON REVISION OF THE CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS.*

CONSTITUTION.

NAME AND OBJECT.

Article I—Name. The name of this Association shall be the American Pharmaceutical Association.

Article II—Object. The object of this Association shall be to unite the educated and reputable pharmacists of America for the purpose of advancing the sciences and art of pharmacy and its professional elevation.

(1) By upholding the dignity and professional standing of pharmacy and the necessity, as a matter of public safety, of restricting pharmaceutical service to those properly qualified by education and training as pharmacists.

(2) By creating and maintaining ethical standards for pharmacists.

(3) By fostering sound pharmaceutical education and proper legislation for regulating the practice of pharmacy and the distribution of drugs.

(4) By regulating the system of employment in pharmacy, so as to prevent, as far as practicable, the evils flowing from deficient training in the responsible duties of preparing, dispensing and selling drugs.

(5) By stimulating investigation and research in subjects relating to pharmacy and allied sciences, and diffusing knowledge by meetings and publications.

(6) By promoting the establishment and uniform observance of correct standards for the identity, purity and strength of drugs, and exposing adulteration, sophistication or misrepresentation in connection with the sale of drugs.

(7) By restricting the dispensing of dangerous and habit-forming drugs to proper medicinal use.

(8) By encouraging relations of good will and respect between physicians, pharmacists and chemists and promoting mutual cooperation of these professions so as to extend their usefulness to the public.

Article III—Members. The membership of this Association shall consist of members, life members, associate members, corresponding members, and honorary members.

Article IV—Officers. The officers of the Association shall be a President, a First Vice President, a Second Vice President, a Third Vice President, a General Secretary, a Treasurer, an Editor of THE JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION, a Reporter on the Progress of Pharmacy, and a local Secretary, all of whom shall be elected annually; the President and Vice Presidents of the Association to be elected by the Association, and the General Secre-

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tary, the Treasurer, the Editor of THE JOURNAL of the Association, the Reporter on the Progress of Pharmacy, and the Local Secretary to be elected by the Council. They shall hold office until the selection of successors.

Article V—Funds. All money received from life membership, together with such funds as may be bequeathed or otherwise donated to the Association, shall be invested by the Committee on Invested and Trust Funds in United States Government, State, County or Municipal securities, the interest of which for any current year only may be used by the Association for its expenses.

Article VI—Amendments. Every proposition to alter or amend this Constitution shall be submitted in writing at one annual meeting, and may be balloted for at the next, when, upon receiving the votes of three-fourths of the members present, it shall become a part of this Constitution. Any proposition to amend the Constitution for the purpose of permitting the expenditure of the permanent invested funds of the Association, shall require a majority of seven-eighths of the members present at a general session.

BY-LAWS.

Chapter I.

MEMBERSHIP.

Article I—Eligibility. Pharmacists, whether in business, retired from business or employed by another, and teachers of pharmacy, chemistry, materia medica or cognate branches, editors and publishers of pharmaceutical journals, official food and drug chemists, whether municipal, state or national, and members of the scientific staffs of pharmaceutical houses, of good moral and professional standing, are eligible to membership, *provided* that any person whose name has been dropped from the roll of members for non-payment of dues may be readmitted after having again made application in regular form, the application being accompanied by the usual fee; or he may be readmitted, without such application on the payment of all back dues; in the latter case his membership shall date from the time when he first joined the Association, as previously printed in the Roll of Members, and notice of such action shall be inserted in the addendum to the Treasurer's report.

Article II—Election. Every applicant for membership must subscribe to the Constitution and By-Laws and have his application, endorsed by two members of the Association in good standing, accompanied by the first year's dues, presented to the Council, when, upon receiving the affirmative vote of three fourths of the members of the Council the applicant shall be elected.

Objections to applications (which must be in writing with the member's name attached) shall be presented to the Council, which shall decide upon the objections.

Article III—Year of Membership. The calendar year shall be the fiscal year of the Association, and any application for membership made during the fiscal year shall apply to the current year. Any application made between June 1 and December 31 may be applied to the *next* fiscal year if stated on the application, and such applicants may receive THE JOURNAL of the Association free until the date of their active membership commences. Publications of the Association distributed free to members shall be sent for the fiscal year selected.

Article IV—Election of Delegates as Members. Any accredited association, organization, or institution whose credentials are recognized by the Council, shall be entitled to send five delegates as its representatives to the annual meeting who, if present, may become members of the Association on signing the Constitution and paying the annual contribution for the current year; *provided* that the provisions of this article shall not be so construed as to elect any one against whom well-founded objections may be raised, or to reinstate any member whose name shall have been dropped from the roll for non-payment of dues; nor shall any one who has been expelled from the Association be received as a delegate. All credentials should be sent to the General Secretary at least two weeks in advance of the annual meeting.

Article V—Annual Dues. The annual dues of each member shall be three dollars, payable in advance to the Treasurer. Members neglecting to pay their dues for more than sixteen months shall be dropped from the roll of members.

Article VI—Annual Dues and Subscription. If the annual dues (three dollars) and the annual subscription to THE JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION (three dollars) be paid, *in advance, at the same time*, a reduction of one dollar shall be allowed.

Article VII—Life Membership. Any member of the Association who shall pay to the Treasurer the sum of \$50.00 during the first year of membership, and also any member not in arrears, who after ten years, shall pay the sum of \$40.00, or after fifteen years the sum of \$30.00, or after twenty years the sum of \$20.00, or after twenty-five years \$15.00, and any member who has paid annual dues for thirty-seven consecutive years, shall become a life member, and shall be exempt from all future payment of dues.

Life members may obtain the JOURNAL of the Association as provided for in Chapter VIII, Article VI.

Article VIII, Associate Membership. Teachers in medical schools, editors of medical journals, medical men who are members of the American Medical Association, and representative teachers and students of the sciences who are not eligible to regular membership, may be elected associate members under the same conditions as apply to general membership. Associate members shall not be required to pay dues, nor be eligible to hold office or to vote, but they shall be required to make an annual subscription of three dollars, for which they shall receive the JOURNAL of the Association.

Article IX—Corresponding Membership. Any pharmacist, chemist or scientist who may be deemed worthy may be elected to corresponding membership. Corresponding members shall not be required to pay dues, nor be eligible to hold office or to vote, but they shall be expected to make contributions to the JOURNAL of the Association, and shall receive the JOURNAL of the Association without charge.

Article X—Honorary Membership. Any pharmacist, chemist or scientist, who may be thought worthy of such distinction, may be elected to honorary membership, but not more than three honorary members shall be elected in any one year. Honorary members shall not be required to pay dues, nor be eligible to hold office or to vote. They shall receive the JOURNAL of the Association without charge.

Article XI—Certificates of Membership. On the payment of three dollars a member shall be entitled to receive a certificate of membership on paper signed by the President, one vice-President, the General Secretary and the Treasurer, or on the payment of five dollars, the certificate issued shall be on *parchment*.

Article XII—Resignation. Resignations of membership shall be made in writing to the General Secretary or Treasurer, but no resignation shall be accepted from any one who is in arrears to the Treasury.

All resignations shall be acknowledged in writing by the officer who receives them, and shall be reported to the Council.

Article XIII—Expulsion. Any member may be expelled for improper conduct or the violation of the Constitution and By-Laws of the Association, but no person shall be expelled unless offered a hearing, and then only upon two-thirds of all the votes cast at a general session.

Chapter II.

THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND COUNCIL MEMBERS.

Article I—Election by the Association. Nominations for the offices of President, First Vice President, Second Vice President and Third Vice President to serve for one year from the next annual meeting, and three members of the Council to serve for three years from the next annual meeting, shall be made annually by the Committee on Nominations, within two months after the adjournment of the annual meeting.

These names shall be submitted by the General Secretary by mail to every member of the Association, together with a request that the member indicate his preference on a ballot enclosed for the purpose, and return the same by mail within one month from the date of issuing the letter containing the nominations and the ticket.

The ballots received shall be sent by the General Secretary to the Board of Canvassers, who shall determine the results of the election, and certify the same to the General Secretary.

The results of the election shall be announced by the General Secretary in the JOURNAL of the Association.

Article II—Election by the Council. The General Secretary, the Treasurer, the Editor of the JOURNAL of the Association, the Reporter on the Progress of Pharmacy and the Local Secretary shall be elected annually by the Council at the annual meeting.

Chapter III.

THE PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENTS.

Article I—Duties of the President. The President shall preside at all the sessions of the Association, except those of the Sections, and shall perform such duties as custom and parliamentary usage require.

At the first session of the annual meeting at which he presides, he shall present an address on such subjects as he may deem of importance to the Association, and he may, at any time, make suggestions in writing to the Council or to any standing or special committee.

He shall sign certificates of membership and, when necessary, authenticate by his signature the proceedings of the Association.

He shall appoint all the committees not provided for in the by-laws or otherwise by the Association.

In the absence of the General Secretary or any other officer of the Association, he shall appoint a General Secretary or other officer pro tempore.

Article II—Duties of the Vice Presidents. The Vice Presidents shall assist the President in the performance of his duties; and in the absence or inability of the President to serve, the Vice Presidents, in the order of rank, shall officiate in his place. In the event of death, resignation or removal of the President, the vacancy shall be filled by the ranking Vice President.

Chapter IV.

THE GENERAL SECRETARY.

Article I—Salary. The General Secretary shall receive from the Treasurer an annual salary not to exceed \$1200, and also the amount of his expenses incident to the annual meeting of the Association and attendance upon the meetings of pharmaceutical or scientific bodies in the interest of the Association, such expense not to exceed an appropriation by the Council for this purpose.

Article II—Duties. The General Secretary shall give members due and timely notice of the meetings of the Association in the JOURNAL of the Association; and, in conjunction with the Local Secretary and the Secretary of the Council, he shall prepare, for publication, the program of the annual meeting, which shall be submitted to the Council for approval.

He shall keep the minutes of the proceedings of the general sessions and carefully preserve, on file, all reports, essays and papers of every description presented to the Association, and shall be charged with the necessary correspondence.

He shall sign certificates of membership and verify the credentials of delegates.

He shall notify the members of the committees of the Association of their appointment and the duties assigned them.

He shall cooperate with the Committee on Nominations and also the Board of Canvassers, and promptly announce the results of the annual election in the JOURNAL of the Association.

He shall distribute such publications of the Association as may be assigned him, under the direction of the Council, and perform such other duties as may be required.

Chapter V.

THE TREASURER.

Article I—Salary. The Treasurer shall receive an annual salary not to exceed \$1000, and also, the amount of his expenses incident to the annual meeting.

Article II—Duties. The Treasurer shall collect and take charge of all money, securities and deeds belonging to the Association which may come into his possession and shall hold the same subject to the direction and disposition of the Association.

He shall pay no money except upon the written order of the General Secretary accompanied by the proper vouchers.

He shall hold, sign and issue the certificates of membership.

He shall report to the Council, previous to each annual meeting, the names of

delinquents or such members as have failed to pay their annual dues for one year after due.

He shall present a statement of his accounts at each annual meeting of the Council, that they may be audited.

Article III—Bond. The Treasurer, in order that he may qualify for the office to which he has been elected, shall file a good and sufficient bond or bonds for such amount as the Council may require for the faithful performance of his duties as Treasurer, this bond or bonds to be signed and executed by one or more bonding or fidelity insurance or guaranteeing companies acceptable to the Council.

Chapter VI.

THE EDITOR OF THE JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

Article I—Salary. The Editor of the JOURNAL of the Association shall receive an annual salary to be fixed by the Council.

Article II—Duties. The Editor shall have charge of the editing, publication and distribution of the JOURNAL, subject to the direction of the Committee on Publication.

In case of illness or other inability of the Editor to carry on the work of the JOURNAL, the Committee on Publication shall make the best arrangements possible to continue the work.

Chapter VII.

THE REPORTER ON THE PROGRESS OF PHARMACY.

Article I—Salary. The Reporter on the Progress of Pharmacy shall receive an annual salary not to exceed \$1200.

Article II—Duties. The Reporter on the Progress of Pharmacy shall prepare, under the direction of the Committee on Publication, a comprehensive report upon the improvements and discoveries in pharmacy, chemistry, materia medica and collateral branches of knowledge, together with such information as will furnish an epitome of the progress in the sciences and art of pharmacy, and of its votaries, both at home and abroad.

All journals and publications received in exchange for the publications of the Association, and such other journals and publications as may be deemed necessary for the proper preparation of the report, shall be sent to the Reporter on the Progress of Pharmacy, and these, after use, shall be promptly forwarded to the Editor of the JOURNAL of the Association for preservation.

He shall cooperate with the Editor of the JOURNAL of the Association in the preparation of subject-matter for that publication.

In case of the illness or inability of the Reporter to carry on the work of the Report, the Committee on Publication shall make the best arrangements possible to continue the work.

Chapter VIII.

THE LOCAL SECRETARY.

Article I—Residency. The Local Secretary shall reside at or near the place where the next annual meeting of the Association is to be held.

Article II—Duties. He shall assist the General Secretary in his duties.

He shall cooperate with the Council and any Local Committee appointed by the Council for making arrangements for the annual meeting, acting as the chairman of such committee.

He shall correspond with the chairmen of the different sections and committees, and with members, in advance of the annual meeting, for the promotion of its objects.

He shall have the custody of specimens, papers, and apparatus intended for use in any exhibition at the annual meeting.

Article III—Exhibition. Should the Council decide to have an exhibition at the annual meeting, this shall be in charge of the Local Secretary and a Local Committee to be elected by the Council.

Chapter IX.

THE COUNCIL.

Article I—Composition. The Council shall consist of nine members elected by the Association, as provided for in Chapter II, Article 1, together with one member elected by each Section of the Association, one member elected by each Branch of the Association, and the President, Vice Presidents, General Secretary, Treasurer, Editor of the JOURNAL of the Association, Reporter on the Progress of Pharmacy, the Secretary of the Council and the Local Secretary, ex-officio.

The elected members of the Council shall be elected to serve for a term of three years.

Any vacancy which may occur in the Council shall be filled for the unexpired term, by election, by either the Association (as provided for in Chapter II, Article 1), or by the Section, or the Branch, at its next annual meeting.

Article II—Duties. All the business of the Association which is not of a scientific character or transacted at the general session shall be in charge of the Council, which is empowered to transact business for the Association during and between the times of meetings.

The Council shall have charge of all properties and of the financial affairs of the Association, and shall have the exclusive right to appropriate money from the Treasury and reduce any appropriation when necessary.

It shall elect the members of the Association and have charge of the revision of the roll of members, and shall act as the Committee on Nominations.

It shall report to the general sessions of the Association only new resolutions adopted, appropriations of money and amendments to the Constitution and By-Laws, but the Association in general session assembled shall have the right to call for a report upon any action of the Council and revise the same.

It may accept or reject the credentials of delegates.

It shall have control of the editing, publication and distribution of the publications of the Association.

It shall determine the place for holding the next annual meeting of the Association, selecting, annually, by ballot, one of the three places recommended by the Executive Committee.

It shall determine, also, the time for holding the annual meeting.

It shall have control of all arrangements for the annual meeting and shall decide when an exhibition shall be held.

Article III—Members of Association at Council Meetings. Any member of the Association may attend the meetings of the Council, and may, by vote of the Council, be permitted to speak upon any subject under discussion.

Article IV—Officers. The officers of the Council shall consist of a Chairman, Vice Chairman and a Secretary, to be elected annually by ballot, by the Council.

Article V—Committees. The Council shall annually select the following standing committees: (1) An Executive Committee; (2) a Committee on Finance; (3) a Committee on Publication; (4) a Committee on Invested and Trust Funds, and (5) an Auditing Committee.

The Council shall select, from time to time, such special committees as may be necessary for the proper prosecution of its work.

The committees shall report annually to the Council, or at such other times as the Council may direct.

Article VI—Publications. The Council shall issue, and furnish to subscribers, a monthly journal to be called the JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION, which shall contain such matters as may be deemed desirable by the Committee on Publication.

The subscription price for the JOURNAL of the Association shall be three dollars per annum to members and non-members alike. *Subscriptions by members to the JOURNAL must be separate and distinct from the annual dues, although both may be paid at the same time,* as provided for in Chapter I, Article VI.

The subscription price for the JOURNAL of the Association to *life members* shall be three dollars, but if paid in advance a reduction of one dollar shall be allowed. Life members elected prior to the adoption of these by laws shall receive the JOURNAL of the Association without charge.

The Council shall issue, and furnish to each member, not in arrears for dues, a Report on the Progress of Pharmacy published in such form as may be approved by the Council. The publication shall contain, in addition to the Report on the Progress of Pharmacy, a list of the officers and committees, prefatory matter, Constitution and By-Laws, rules, roll of members, list of members, and such other matter as may be deemed desirable by the Committee on Publication.

If the Report on the Progress of Pharmacy be issued in the form of a volume, the Council shall fix the price for which copies may be sold.

Chapter X.

MEETINGS AND SECTIONS.

Article I—Annual and Special Meetings. The general meetings of the Association shall be held annually at a time and place to be fixed by the Council and communicated to the members through the JOURNAL of the Association at least three months prior to the date of meeting. The Council shall determine, also, the number, order and conduct of all the sessions. Special meetings of the Association may be called by the affirmative vote of three-fourths of the membership of the Council.

Article II—General Sessions. The general sessions of the annual meeting shall be devoted to the general business of the Association and such reports of

the Council as the latter may present, or which may be called for by the Association. At all sessions of the Association, nineteen members shall constitute a quorum.

Article III—Sections. In order to systematize and make more efficient the work of the Association, Sections shall be formed, as follows: (1) Section on Commercial Interests; (2) Scientific Section; (3) Section on Education and Legislation; (4) Section on Practical Pharmacy and Dispensing; (5) Historical Section.

Article IV—Sessions of Sections. The sessions of each Section shall be held annually at such time and in such order as shall be determined by the Council. The conduct of the work of each Section shall be under rules issued by the Council and its work only shall be considered at the session or sessions assigned it. Any Section shall have the right to adjourn a session to such time as does not conflict with the general sessions of the Association or the initial session of another Section.

Article V—Duties of Sections. Each Section, through its officers, shall solicit papers and propose suitable subjects for discussion at the annual meeting, arrange the business of the Section in advance, and attend to such duties as may be referred to it. It shall make reports to the Council, if desired.

The special duties of each Section shall be as follows:

(1) *The Section on Commercial Interests* shall consider the commercial problems of pharmacy and the best methods of regulating them.

(2) *The Scientific Section* shall study questions of scientific interest affecting the growth and development of pharmacy and allied sciences.

(3) *The Section on Education and Legislation* shall investigate and keep a record of, and compile for reference, the enactments of the states and nation regulating the practice of pharmacy and the sale of drugs, and shall report, from time to time, on the progress of pharmaceutical education and legislation.

(4) *The Section on Practical Pharmacy and Dispensing* shall solicit papers pertaining to the actual practice of pharmacy in retail stores.

(5) *The Historical Section* shall present matters of especial historical interest in pharmacy, and shall secure the collection of letters, papers, etc., written by members of the Association, which, when so collected, shall remain in the custody of the Historian and be available for reference.

Article VI—Officers of Sections. Each Section shall annually elect, by ballot, a Chairman, Vice Chairman and Secretary, and, every *three* years, a member of the Council.

The officers of the Section on Practical Pharmacy and Dispensing shall be composed of members actually engaged in the retail drug business.

The member of the Council representing the Historical Section shall act as the Historian, also.

Article VII—Duties of Section Officers. The Chairman of each Section shall preside at the annual meeting of his Section, appoint all committees and fill vacancies in same; and present an annual address upon such subjects as he may deem of importance to the Section. In the absence of the Chairman, the Vice Chairman shall preside, or, in his absence, the Section shall elect a temporary Chairman.

The Secretary of each Section shall present at each meeting a brief report of the conditions within the Section, shall keep the minutes of each session, and secure all the documents and papers submitted and place these in the hands of the General Secretary as promptly as possible; he shall, also, transmit to the General Secretary the names of officers and committees elected or appointed.

Article VIII—Papers. Any person desiring to submit a paper to the Association, shall present the same to the Chairman of the particular Section to which it refers. Not more than ten minutes shall be allowed for the presentation of any paper, unless by unanimous consent of the Section. All papers presented to the Association and its Branches shall become the property of the Association, with the understanding that they are not to be published in other publications than those of the Association, except by the consent of the Committee on Publication.

Article IX—Order of Business for the First General Session of the Association. The order of business of the *first* general session of the annual meeting of the Association shall be as follows:

1. Meeting called to order by the President of the Association, or ranking official, and the appointment of a General Secretary pro tempore, if necessary. Nineteen members shall constitute a quorum.

2. Reading of the President's Address, and the appointment of a Committee on President's Address.

3. Reading of the List of Accredited Delegates by the General Secretary.

4. Reading of the names of committees, and the general sessions or Sections to which they shall report.

5. Reading of the minutes of the Council relating to new resolutions adopted, appropriations of money and amendments to the Constitution and By-Laws.

6. Incidental business.

7. Adjournment until next session.

Article X—Order of Business for the Second General Session of the Association. The order of business for the *second* general session of the Association shall be as follows:

1. Meeting called to order by the President of the Association, or ranking official.

2. Reading of the minutes of the preceding session.

3. Reading of reports from the Council.

4. Report of the General Secretary.

5. Report of the Treasurer.

6. Reports of Standing Committees.

7. Reports of Special Committees.

8. Unfinished business.

9. New business.

10. Adjournment until next session.

Article XI—Order of Business of the Subsequent General Sessions of the Association. The order of business for the *subsequent* general sessions of the Association shall be as follows:

1. Call to order by the President of the Association, or ranking official.

2. Reading of the minutes of the preceding sessions.

3. Reading of reports from the Council.
4. Reports of Officers.
5. Reports of Standing Committees.
6. Reports of Special Committees.
7. Unfinished business.
8. New business.
9. Adjournment until next session, and adjournment *sine die* at final session.

Article XII—Order of Business for the Sessions of the Sections. The order of business for the sessions of the Sections shall be determined by each Section for itself, subject to the rules of the Council.

Article XIII—Installation of Officers. At the final general session of the Association, and of the Sections, the newly elected officers of the Association and the Sections shall take their respective places.

Article XIV—Social Sessions. The Council may arrange for such social sessions, to be held after the second general session, as it may deem expedient, but no business of the Association shall be transacted at these social sessions.

Chapter XI.

COMMITTEES.

Article I—Standing Committees of the Association. The standing committees of the Association shall be as follows:

1. Committee on National Formulary.
2. Committee on U. S. Pharmacopoeia.
3. Committee on Standards for Unofficial Drugs.
4. Pharmaceutical Syllabus.
5. Committee on Legislation.
6. Committee on Membership.
7. Committee on Transportation.
8. Committee on Nominations.
9. Board of Canvassers.
10. Committee on Prizes and Fellowships.
11. Committee on Obituaries and Memorials.

Article II—Committee on National Formulary. The Committee on National Formulary shall be appointed by the President of the Association and shall consist of fifteen members. The Committee shall be a continuous committee to serve from one revision of the National Formulary until the next is completed, and any vacancy therein shall be filled by the appointing power. The Chairman of the Committee shall be elected by the Council.

Whenever deemed advisable by the Council the Committee on National Formulary shall revise, for publication, the subject matter of the National Formulary, eliminating, correcting and adding, in the light of advanced knowledge, and prosecuting the necessary original research work; and shall submit the manuscript, when completed, to the Council.

The Committee on National Formulary shall report annually to the Council and at such other times as the Council may direct.

Article III—Committee on U. S. Pharmacopoeia. The Committee on United States Pharmacopoeia shall be appointed by the President of the Association and

shall consist of ten members. The Committee shall be a continuous committee to serve from one revision of the U. S. Pharmacopœia until the next is completed and any vacancy therein shall be filled by the appointing power. The Chairman of the Committee shall be elected by the Council.

The Committee on U. S. Pharmacopœia shall collect statistics upon the use of official and non-official drugs and shall ascertain the general wishes and requirements of the profession throughout the country regarding changes and improvements in the U. S. Pharmacopœia. It shall critically examine the official formulas, and methods of testing. It shall study the formulas and methods of other pharmacopœias, as well as those suggested in pharmaceutical literature generally. It shall devise new and original improvements, and in every way seek to perfect the U. S. Pharmacopœia and to cooperate with the Committee of Revision of the U. S. Pharmacopœia.

The Committee on U. S. Pharmacopœia shall report annually to the Council, and at such other times as the Council may direct.

Article IV—Committee on Standards for Unofficial Drugs. The Committee on Standards for Unofficial Drugs shall be appointed by the President of the Association and shall consist of sixteen members, four to be appointed each year for terms of four years each. The Chairman of the Committee shall be elected by the Council.

The Committee on Standards for Unofficial Drugs shall investigate those drugs, pharmaceutical preparations, chemical products and other commodities that enter into the commerce of drugs which are not recognized by the U. S. Pharmacopœia and shall frame standards for such articles, defining their identity, purity and strength.

The Committee on Standards for Unofficial Drugs shall report annually to the Council and at such other times as the Council may direct.

Article V—Committee on Pharmaceutical Syllabus. The Committee on Pharmaceutical Syllabus shall be appointed by the President of the Association and shall consist of seven members, one to be appointed each year for a seven-year term.

The Committee on Pharmaceutical Syllabus shall report annually to the Association through the Section on Education and Legislation, shall be members of the National Committee on Pharmaceutical Syllabus and shall recommend to the Association the payment of a proportionate share of the current expenses of the National Committee.

Article VI—Committee on Legislation. The Committee on Legislation shall be appointed by the President of the Association and shall consist of five members.

The Committee on Legislation shall study the subject of pharmaceutical legislation, scrutinize all bills affecting pharmacy proposed in the U. S. Congress and states, territories and dependencies, and encourage or discourage the passage of the same as the interests of pharmacists demand. It shall cooperate with allied organizations working toward the same end.

Article VII—Committee on Membership. The Committee on Membership shall be appointed by the President of the Association, and shall represent every state or section covered by the membership of the American Pharmaceutical As-

sociation. The Secretary of the Council shall act as the Secretary of the Committee on Membership.

The function of the Committee on Membership shall be to promote an increase in the membership and extend the field of usefulness of the Association. The Committee, through its Chairman, shall keep a correct list of the members of the Association, and through its Secretary, shall present to the Council the names of all applicants for membership who have complied with the entrance requirements.

Article VIII—Committee on Transportation. The Committee on Transportation shall be appointed by the President of the Association and shall consist of one member from the cities of Boston, New York, Cleveland, Chicago, St. Louis, New Orleans, Atlanta, St. Paul or Minneapolis, Denver and San Francisco, and the General Secretary, Local Secretary, and Secretary of the Council.

The Committee on Transportation shall arrange for the transportation of members from the different sections of the United States and Canada to the place of annual meeting and return. When possible, it shall obtain railroad rates and publish the same in the *JOURNAL* of the Association sufficiently early to enable members who desire to attend the annual meeting to obtain the necessary information.

Article IX—Committee on Nominations. The Committee on Nominations shall consist of the members of the Council.

The Committee on Nominations shall report the names of *three* nominees for *each* of the offices of President, First Vice President, Second Vice President and Third Vice President, and for *each* of the three Council memberships, to the General Secretary, within two months after the adjournment of the annual meeting.

Article X—Board of Canvassers. The Board of Canvassers shall be appointed by the President of the Association and shall consist of three members.

The duty of the Board of Canvassers shall be to receive from the General Secretary the ballots cast by the membership and determine the results of the annual election. Only the votes of those members whose dues have been paid for the current year shall be counted. Officers and members of the Council shall be elected by a plurality of the votes cast. The Board of Canvassers shall promptly certify to the General Secretary the results of the election.

Article XI—Committee on Prizes and Fellowships. The Committee on Prizes and Fellowships shall be appointed by the President and shall consist of five members.

The Committee on Prizes and Fellowships shall determine the awards to be made on behalf of the Ebert Prize, and such other prizes as may be established.

Essays to be submitted for prizes shall be presented at the annual meeting, to the appropriate Section, referred to the Committee on Prizes and Fellowship, and examined, to ascertain which, if any of them meet the requirements of the founders. In all respects the Committee shall be governed by the stipulations of the donors.

Fellowships may be established and awarded under conditions approved by the Association.

Article XII—Committee on Obituaries and Memorials. The Committee on

Obituaries and Memorials shall be appointed by the President of the Association and shall consist of three members.

The Committee on Obituaries and Memorials shall prepare or have prepared appropriate biographical sketches of the members of the Association for publication in the JOURNAL of the Association, reporting, also, matters of special interest to the Section on Historical Pharmacy at the annual meeting.

Article XIII—Vacancies. Vacancies on any of the committees appointed by the President of the Association shall be filled by him for the unexpired terms.

Chapter XII.

RULES OF ORDER AND DEBATE.

Article I—Enforcement of Rules. The customary rules governing parliamentary bodies shall be enforced by the presiding officer, from whose decision, however, appeals may be taken, if required by two members, and the meeting shall thereupon decide without debate.

Article II—Discussion of Questions. When a question is regularly before the assembly and under discussion, no motion shall be received but (1) to adjourn, (2) to lay on the table, (3) for the previous question, (4) to postpone to a certain day, (5) to commit or amend, (6) to postpone indefinitely, which several motions have precedence in the order named. A motion to adjourn shall be decided without debate.

Article III—Speaking on Questions. No member shall speak more than once on the same subject except by permission, and after every member wishing to speak has spoken.

Article IV—Yea and Nay Vote. On the call of any member the yeas and nays shall be ordered when every member shall vote, unless excused by a majority of those present, and the names and manner of voting shall be entered on the minutes.

Article V—Points of Order. On all points of order not covered in these by-laws, the Association shall follow the established usages of assemblies governed by parliamentary rules.

Chapter XIII.

BRANCHES.

Article I—Formation. Branches of this Association may be formed wherever it may appear that not less than fifteen members of this Association, in good standing, will participate, provided that no more than one such branch shall be formed in any one state, province, district or territory, unless the additional branches shall be formed at a point distant one hundred miles or more from any branch already established in the same state, province, district or territory.

Article II—Members. All active or voting members of Branches must be members of the American Pharmaceutical Association in good standing.

Article III—Objects. The objects and aims of the Branches of this Association shall be the same as set forth in the Constitution of this body, and the acts of Branches shall in no way commit or bind this Association, and can only serve

as recommendations to it. And no Branch shall enact any article of Constitution or By-Laws in conflict with the Constitution or By-Laws of this Association.

Article IV—Member of Council. Each Branch having twenty-five or more active or voting members shall be entitled to elect a representative to the Council of this Association every three years, who shall become and continue to be a member of the Council for that time.

Chapter XIV.

AMENDMENTS AND SUSPENSIONS OF BY-LAWS.

Article I—Amendments. Every proposition to alter or amend these By-Laws shall be submitted in writing at a general session, and may be balloted for at any subsequent general session, when, upon receiving the affirmative votes of three-fourths of the members present, it shall become a part of the by-laws, except that the Council may make, by unanimous vote, such changes and such changes only, as may be required to adapt them to the rules and regulations of the United States postal authorities.

Article II—Suspensions. A by-law may be suspended by the unanimous consent of the members of the Association present at any session, such suspension applying only to the particular suspension.

BY-LAWS OF THE COUNCIL.

Chapter I.

OFFICERS.

Article I—Election. The officers of the Council shall consist of a Chairman, Vice Chairman and a Secretary, who shall be elected annually, by ballot, by the Council.

Chapter II.

THE CHAIRMAN AND VICE CHAIRMAN.

Article I—Duties. The Chairman shall preside at all meetings of the Council; in his absence or inability to serve, the Vice Chairman, or, in the absence of both, a Chairman pro tempore, shall perform the duties of Chairman.

The Chairman of the Council shall confer with the Chairman of the various standing and special committees of the Association during its sessions, in order to arrange and expedite the business of the Association.

Chapter III.

THE SECRETARY.

Article I—Salary. The Secretary shall receive an annual salary to be fixed by the Council, and also, the amount of his expenses incident to the annual meeting.

Article II—Duties. The Secretary shall keep the minutes of the proceedings of the meetings, and carefully preserve all reports and papers of every description received by the Council.

He shall read all the papers handed him by the Chairman for that purpose, and shall call and record the yeas and nays whenever they are required to be called.

He shall notify the Chairman and members of every Council committee in writing, of their appointments, stating the business upon which the committee is to act.

He shall give notice of the time and place of each meeting of the Council.

He shall act as the Secretary of the Committee on Membership and the Executive Committee.

Chapter IV.

COMMITTEES.

Article I—Standing Committees of the Council. The standing committees of the Council shall be as follows:

1. Executive Committee.
2. Committee on Finance.
3. Committee on Publication.
4. Committee on Invested and Trust Funds.
5. Auditing Committee.

Article II—Executive Committee. The Executive Committee shall consist of four members of the Council holding no office, to be elected annually by the Council, and the President, General Secretary, Treasurer, Chairman of the Council and Secretary of the Council. The Chairman of the Council shall be the Chairman of the committee and the Secretary of the Council its Secretary.

The Executive Committee shall be the executive body of the Council and shall have the power to act for the Council in all matters referred to it by the Council. It shall report all actions to the Council. If deemed necessary, it may hold special meetings, at a convenient place, between the times of annual meetings.

The Executive Committee shall report to the Council the names of three places at which, in their judgment, it will be desirable for the Association to hold the next annual meeting, and the Council shall determine the time and place of such meeting.

Article III—Committee on Finance. The Committee on Finance shall consist of the General Secretary, the Treasurer and the Secretary of the Council. The General Secretary shall be the Chairman of the Committee.

The Committee on Finance shall audit all bills of the Association and pass on orders on the Treasurer for the payment of bills. It shall submit to the Council in December, of each year, a budget of appropriations for the ensuing fiscal year.

Article IV—Committee on Publication. The Committee on Publication shall consist of the President of the Association, the Treasurer, the Editor of the JOURNAL of the Association, and the Chairman and Secretary of the Council. The Committee shall elect the Chairman.

The Committee on Publication shall direct the editing, publication and distribution of the JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION, the Report on the Progress of Pharmacy, and such other publications as may be published by the Association, and shall frame rules, approved by the Council, for the proper conduct of the work.

The Committee on Publication shall have full discretionary power to omit from the JOURNAL of the Association any paper, in part or in whole, that may be presented to it.

Article V—Committee on Invested and Trust Funds. The Committee on Invested and Trust Funds shall be appointed by the Chairman of the Council, and shall consist of three members of the Association, with the General Secretary and Treasurer ex-officio.

For the first year one member shall be appointed for a term of one year, and one for a term of two years and one for a term of three years, and thereafter in the expiration of the term of any such appointee a member shall be appointed for the full term of three years.

The Committee on Invested and Trust Funds shall carefully study the nature and status of all invested, savings and trust funds of the Association, and make a written report to the Council, which shall be published in full in the JOURNAL of the Association. The committee shall not have the power to invest or re-invest any of such funds except as instructed by the Council.

The Committee on Invested and Trust Funds shall receive applications, in writing, from members for grants from the interest derived from the *Centennial Fund*, the applications to be accompanied by a statement of the investigation to be made, and of the amount and cost of material required, it being understood that the results of the investigation shall be published, if desired by the Council.

The Committee on Invested and Trust Funds shall consider these applications, and, at as early a date as possible, shall report to the Council an outline of the proposed investigations, together with such recommendations of grants from the available funds as it may deem proper.

The Council shall decide upon these recommendations, and in case the grants be approved, the Chairman of the Council shall direct orders to be drawn upon the Treasurer in favor of those members to whom grants have been made.

Article VI—Auditing Committee. The Auditing Committee shall be appointed by the Chairman of the Council, and shall consist of three members of the Association residing in or near the same city or town as that in which the Treasurer resides.

The Auditing Committee shall meet in January of each year and carefully examine all the books, accounts, vouchers, savings bank books, etc., of the Treasurer, return the same to him within two weeks after the date of their reception, and report thereon, in writing, to the Council, prior to the first day of February following. Or, by consent of Council, the committee may employ professional auditors.

Chapter IX.

COUNCIL SESSIONS.

Article I—Council Sessions. The Council shall meet annually previous to the assembling of the Association, and at such other times as it may determine, or at the call of the Chairman of the Council. Nine members of the Council shall constitute a quorum.

Article II—Special Sessions. On the written application of three members to the Chairman of the Council, a special session shall be called.

Article III—Order of Business of Council at First Session. The order of business of the *first* session of the Council shall be as follows:

1. Reading of the minutes of the previous meeting.
2. Unfinished and deferred business and business referred to the Council by the Association.
3. Election of members.
4. Reading of reports and appointment of special committees.
5. Nomination of officers for ensuing year.
6. New business.
7. Adjournment until next session.

Article IV—Order of Business of Council at Subsequent Sessions. The order of business at *subsequent* sessions (except the final) shall be:

1. Reading of the minutes of the previous meeting.
2. Unfinished and deferred business and business referred to the Council by the Association.
3. Election of members.
4. Reports of Standing Committees.
5. Reports of Special Committee.
6. New business.
7. Adjournment until next session.

The order of business at the *final* session of the Council shall be the same as above, except (1) the Council shall be organized for the new year; (2) the officers for the ensuing year shall be elected and installed; (3) the standing committees of the ensuing year shall be appointed, and, (4) the minutes of the previous session shall be read and approved, after which, (5) adjournment shall be had.

Chapter X.

RULES OF ORDER.

Article I—Voting. In all questions arising before the Council or its committees, and which can be disposed of by a positive or negative vote, the Chairman of the Council, or the Chairman of the Committee, may take the vote of their respective bodies in writing, and the same shall have the same force and effect as if the members had been personally present, a majority of the votes cast being considered sufficient to decide a question. The ayes and nays of such votes taken by the Council shall be entered upon the minutes.

Chapter XI.

AMENDMENTS AND SUSPENSIONS OF BY-LAWS.

Article I—Amendments. Every proposition to alter or amend these by-laws shall be submitted in writing at one session and may be balloted for at the next session of the Council, when upon receiving the affirmative vote of three-fourths of the members present, it shall become a part of these by-laws.

Article II—Suspensions. A by-law may be suspended by the unanimous consent of the members present at any session of the Council, such suspension applying only to the particular suspension.

J. W. ENGLAND, Chairman.

PRELIMINARY REPORT OF
COMMITTEE ON TRANS-
PORTATION.

The Committee on Transportation reports the following routes and rates from the respective points named to the Nashville meeting, August 18-23. In certain cases, other routes may be more convenient for individual members.

The rates generally are summer tourist rates, which usually amount to about 2 cents a mile each way, or 1 and 1/3 fares for the round trip. This is preferred to the vexatious "certificate plan" with its red tape and bothersome details.

From New Orleans to Nashville.

Via Q. & C. and N. C. & St. L.
Leave New Orleans, 7:00 p. m.
Arrive Chattanooga, 10:05 a. m.
Leave Chattanooga, 12:05 noon.
Arrive Nashville, 4:30 p. m.
Round trip fare from New Orleans, \$24.10; from Shreveport, \$23.40; from Monroe, \$19.35.

Sleeping car berth from New Orleans to Chattanooga, \$3.00 for upper; \$2.50 for lower. Parlor car from Chattanooga to Nashville, 75 cents.

From Cincinnati to Nashville.

Via Louisville & Nashville.
Leave Cincinnati, 11:15 a. m., 6:00 p. m., 10:30 p. m.
Arrive Nashville, 8:35 p. m., 2:10 a. m., 8:05 a. m.
Single rate, \$8.30; party rate, 10 or more, \$6.05.

From Pittsburgh to Cincinnati.

Via Baltimore & Ohio, Southwestern.
Lv. Pittsburgh, 8:35 p. m., 7:45 a. m.
Lv. Wheeling, 12:00 noon, 11:00 a. m.
Lv. Bellaire, 11:25 p. m., 10:25 a. m.
Lv. Zanesville, 1:58 a. m., 12:48 p. m.
Lv. Newark, 3:00 a. m., 1:45 p. m.
Ar. Columbus, 3:55 a. m., 2:35 p. m.
Lv. Columbus, 4:00 a. m., 2:40 p. m., 7:15 a. m., 5:00 p. m.
Lv. Wilmington, 5:44 a. m., 4:06 p. m.
Lv. Midland City, 5:58 a. m., 4:20 p. m., 9:19 a. m., 7:11 p. m.
Ar. Cincinnati, 7:45 a. m., 5:50 p. m., 11:00 a. m., 8:55 p. m.

From New York and Eastern Points to Cincinnati.

Via Big Four Route.
Lv. New York, 2:00 p. m.
Lv. Albany, 5:53 p. m.
Lv. Syracuse, 10:06 p. m.
Lv. Cleveland, 3:50 a. m.
Ar. Columbus, 7:15 a. m.
Ar. Springfield, 8:22 a. m.
Ar. Dayton, 9:05 a. m.
Ar. Cincinnati, 10:50 a. m.
Lv. New York, 4:00 p. m., 5:30 p. m.
Lv. Boston, 10:30 a. m., 2:00 p. m.
Lv. Albany, 7:00 p. m., 9:00 p. m.

Lv. Syracuse, 10:06 p. m., 7:15 a. m.
Lv. Cleveland, 3:50 a. m., 7:40 a. m.
Ar. Columbus, 7:15 a. m., 10:40 a. m.
Ar. Springfield, 8:22 a. m., 11:44 a. m.
Ar. Dayton, 9:05 a. m., 12:28 p. m.
Ar. Cincinnati, 10:50 a. m., 1:55 p. m.
Lv. Buffalo, 7:30 p. m.
Lv. Cleveland, 12:05 a. m., 12:30 p. m.
Lv. Columbus, 3:40 a. m., 4:00 p. m.
Ar. Springfield, 4:40 a. m., 5:14 p. m.
Ar. Dayton, 5:20 a. m., 5:35 p. m.
Ar. Cincinnati, 7:15 a. m., 7:30 p. m.

Stop-over at Glasgow Junction, either way, for visit to Mammoth Cave. Round trip fare from Glasgow Junction to Cave, \$2.00; meals and lodging at Cave, 50 cents each. Cave fees, including guide, \$1.00 for short and \$2.00 for long route.

From Detroit to Cincinnati.

Via C., H. & D. Ry.
Lv. Detroit, 8:20 a. m., 12:05 p. m., 10:45 p. m.
Ar. Toledo, 10:00 a. m., 1:55 p. m., 12:25 a. m.
Lv. Toledo, 10:10 a. m., 2:00 p. m., 12:40 a. m.
Lv. Lima, 12:15 p. m., 3:53 p. m., 3:00 a. m.
Ar. Dayton, 2:20 p. m., 5:55 p. m., 5:10 a. m.
Lv. Dayton, 2:25 p. m., 6:00 p. m., 5:25 a. m.
Ar. Hamilton, 3:25 p. m., 6:49 p. m., 6:20 a. m.
Ar. Cincinnati, 4:20 p. m., 7:40 p. m., 7:20 a. m.

From Mackinaw City to Cincinnati.

Via Pennsylvania Lines.
Lv. Mackinaw City, 10:10 p. m., 12:01 p. m.
Lv. Petoskey, 11:40 p. m., 1:25 p. m.
Lv. Grand Rapids, 7:02 a. m., 8:50 p. m.
Ar. Ft. Wayne, 12:01 p. m., 1:05 a. m.
Ar. Richmond, 3:40 p. m., 4:25 a. m.
Ar. Cincinnati, 5:55 p. m., 6:55 a. m.

From Detroit to Cincinnati.

Via Big Four Route.
Lv. Detroit, 8:27 a. m., 12:00 noon, 10:35 p. m.
Lv. Toledo, 10:30 a. m., 1:48 p. m., 12:30 a. m.
Lv. Fostoria, 11:20 a. m., 2:42 p. m., 1:26 a. m.
Lv. Springfield, 2:10 p. m., 5:25 p. m., 4:55 a. m.
Lv. Dayton, 2:59 p. m., 6:02 p. m., 5:32 a. m.
Ar. Cincinnati, 4:45 p. m., 7:40 p. m., 7:25 a. m.

From Cleveland to Cincinnati.

Via Pennsylvania Lines.
Lv. Cleveland, 9:00 p. m.
Lv. Akron, 10:15 p. m.
Ar. Columbus, 1:50 a. m.
Lv. Columbus, 2:36 a. m.
Ar. Cincinnati, 6:30 a. m.
Lv. Cleveland, 9:00 a. m.
Ar. Columbus, 1:45 p. m.
Lv. Columbus, 2:00 p. m.
Lv. Youngstown, 7:00 a. m.
Lv. Alliance, 8:05 a. m.
Lv. Orrville, 9:20 a. m.
Ar. Columbus, 12:15 p. m.
Ar. Cincinnati, 5:25 p. m.

From New York and Eastern Points to Cincinnati.

Via Baltimore & Ohio, Southwestern.

- Lv. New York, 23d St., 9:50 a. m., 6:50 p. m.
6:50 p. m.
Lv. New York, Liberty St., 10:00 a. m., 7:00 p. m.
Lv. Newark, 9:55 a. m., 6:16 p. m.
Lv. Philadelphia, 24th and Ches., 12:30 p. m., 9:21 p. m.
Lv. Wilmington, 1:06 p. m., 9:54 p. m.
Lv. Baltimore, Mt. Royal Sta., 2:43 p. m., 11:23 p. m.
Lv. Baltimore, Camden Sta., 3:00 p. m., 11:32 p. m.
Lv. Washington, 4:10 p. m., 12:40 a. m.
Lv. Cumberland, 8:28 p. m., 4:45 a. m.
Lv. Oakland, 10:27 p. m., 6:50 a. m.
Lv. Grafton, 12:11 a. m., 8:55 a. m.
Lv. Parkersburg, 2:38 a. m., 11:25 a. m.
Lv. Athens, 3:35 a. m., 12:24 p. m.
Lv. Chillicothe, 5:70 a. m., 2:05 p. m.
Ar. Cincinnati, 8:10 a. m., 5:15 p. m.

From New York and Intermediate Points to Cincinnati.

Via Erie Ry.

- Lv. New York, 2:35 p. m., 9:05 p. m.
Lv. Jamestown, 2:16 a. m., 2:30 a. m.
Lv. Meadville, 5:50 a. m., 4:48 a. m.
Lv. Youngstown, 5:59 a. m., 6:28 a. m.
Lv. Ravenna, 7:35 a. m., 7:38 a. m.
Lv. Akron, 9:32 a. m., 8:26 a. m.
Lv. Mansfield, 10:35 a. m., 10:50 a. m.
Lv. Marion, 10:54 a. m., 1:30 a. m.
Ar. Cincinnati, 3:00 p. m., 6:45 a. m.

From Baltimore and Intermediate Points to Nashville.

Via Pennsylvania Lines.

Same train service as for New York and Philadelphia, leaving Baltimore at 4:20 p. m., arriving at Nashville next day at 8:00 p. m.

From New York and Intermediate Points to Nashville.

Via Pennsylvania Lines, Southern Ry., and N. C. & St. L.

- Lv. New York, Penna. R. R., 9:30 p. m.
Lv. Philadelphia, Penna. R. R., 12:15 a. m.
Ar. Washington, Penna. R. R., 3:55 a. m.
Lv. Washington, Southern Ry., 4:10 a. m.
Ar. Lynchburg, Southern Ry., 4:10 a. m.
Ar. Chattanooga, Southern Ry., 10:00 p. m.
Ar. Nashville, N. C. & St. L., 2:55 a. m.

The car arrives Nashville at 2:55 a. m., and is parked and may be occupied until 7:00 a. m.

From New York and Intermediate Points to Nashville.

Via Pennsylvania Lines and L. & N. Ry.

- Lv. New York (Eastern Time), 2:04 p. m., 8:34 p. m.
Lv. N. Philadelphia, 4:00 p. m., 10:26 p. m.
Lv. Philadelphia, 4:31 p. m., 10:48 p. m.
Lv. Washington, 3:10 p. m., 7:50 p. m.
Lv. Baltimore, 4:20 p. m., 8:55 p. m.
Lv. Harrisburg, 7:25 p. m., 1:20 a. m.
Ar. Pittsburgh (Eastern Time), 2:16 a. m., 7:30 a. m.

Ar. Pittsburgh (Central Time), 1:16 a. m., 6:30 a. m.

Lv. Pittsburgh (Central Time), 1:20 a. m., 8:15 a. m.

Ar. Columbus, 6:25 a. m., 1:45 p. m.

Ar. Cincinnati, 10:50 a. m., 5:25 p. m.

Ar. Louisville, L. & N., 2:45 p. m., 2:20 p. m.

Ar. Nashville, 8:35 p. m., 8:05 a. m.

From Chicago to Nashville.

Via Chicago & Eastern Illinois Ry.

Leave LaSalle St., Chicago, 5:20 p. m., Sunday, August 17.

Arrive Nashville, 7:55 a. m., Monday, August 18.

One way fare, \$10.75; party rate, ten or more, \$9.30.

Pullman, lower berth, \$2.50; upper \$2.00.

The party rate from Nashville to Cincinnati is \$6.05, available for those who wish to attend the N. A. R. D. Convention on the way home.

From California Points.

Via Southern Pacific.

Summer tourist rates apply generally over the trans-continental lines. The round trip from San Francisco to Memphis is \$70.00, and to Chicago \$72.00. Sleeper to Memphis, \$12.00 each way; to Chicago, \$13.00 each way.

The time of the going trip is limited to 15 days from the starting point, and the final return limit is three months from the date of purchase.

Members desiring more detailed information than is given above should consult local railroad officials, or the nearest member of the Transportation Committee.

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