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The 1932 meeting of the American Pharmaceutical Association and of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association will bring together the pharmacists of two neighboring countries. The twenty-fifth annual meeting of the American Pharmaceutical Association was held in Toronto, and the silver anniversary of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association will be celebrated in Toronto, jointly with the 80th anniversary meeting of the American Pharmaceutical Association. There are six members living, now members of the Association, whose membership dates back to 1877 or earlier: John Uri Lloyd, Cincinnati; Henry S. Wellcome, London, England; Eugene A. Carrell, Morristown, N. J.; Edward Dawson, Syracuse, N. Y.; Wilbur F. Horn, Carlisle, Pa.; I. H. Shurtleff, New Bedford, Mass.

George Arnold Burbidge, honorary member of the American Pharmaceutical Association and president of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association, 1931–1932, celebrated his 60th birthday this year. After graduation from Halifax high school, he matriculated into Halifax Medical College and, thereafter, engaged with Brown Bros. & Co., wholesale and retail druggists of Halifax. In 1889, he passed the examination of the Pharmacy Board and became manager of the retail department of Simson Bros., Halifax. For thirty-six years he served as a member of the Council of Nova Scotia Pharmaceutical Society; as its treasurer, 1897–1902; vice-president, 1903-1904; president, 1905-1906 and secretary-registrar since He was a member of the first Council of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association and vice-president and, since 1924, chairman of the Council; he was elected to the presidency in 1923 and again in 1931. In 1908, Mr. Burbidge became lecturer in Pharmacy in Nova Scotia Technical College and, in 1911, was elected lecturer in Pharmacy of the newly-formed Maritime College of Pharmacy, in affiliation with Dalhousie University. Since 1922, he has held a professorship and deanship of the Pharmacy Faculty. He disposed of his retail pharmacy in 1922.

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Dean Burbidge affiliated as member with the American Pharmaceutical Association in 1922 and has attended a number of its annual meetings. The esteem for him of the members was expressed by his election as honorary member at the Miami meeting. (See page 846, August Journal, page 1002, September number and page 1127 of the October issue.)



THE GEORGE WASHINGTON BICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION.

The illustrations above show views at Fort McHenry, Baltimore—Star Fort Gate, the Water Battery, Patapsco Battery, view from the Bay, Outer Gate. Above the first Washington Monument, Baltimore; statue of Francis Scott Key (The Star Spangled Banner). Insert, half-tone of James E. Hancock, chairman of the first of the celebrations of the George Washington Bicentennial.