

## BY-LAWS OF THE SECTION ON PRACTICAL PHARMACY AND DISPENSING

At the First Session of this section held on August 28, 1924, at Buffalo, N. Y., the by-laws of the Scientific Section, with the appropriate change in name in CHAPTER I and with the change of the words "scientific interest" to "pharmaceutical interest" in CHAPTER IX, were adopted.

This section did not adopt the changes in CHAPTER IV which were adopted by the Scientific Section at the Des Moines meeting.

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## CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION

WHEREAS, we, the undersigned, desire to form an association having for its object to unite the educated and reputable Pharmacists and Druggists of America, as will more fully hereinafter appear;

Now, therefore, we do hereby certify as follows:

First: The corporate name of the ASSOCIATION is the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

Second: This ASSOCIATION shall continue until dissolved by the action of its members, or by the operation of law.

Third: The objects and business of said ASSOCIATION are as follows:

(a) To improve and regulate the drug market, by preventing the importation of inferior, adulterated or deteriorated drugs, and by detecting and exposing home adulterations.

(b) To encourage proper relations between Druggists, Pharmacists, Physicians, and the people at large, which shall promote the public welfare, and tend to mutual strength and advantage.

(c) To improve the science and art of Pharmacy by diffusing scientific knowledge among Apothecaries and Druggists, fostering pharmaceutical literature, developing talent, stimulating discovery and invention, and in encouraging home production and manufacture in the several departments of the drug business.

(d) To regulate the system of apprenticeship and employment, so as to prevent, so far as possible, the evils flowing from deficient training in the responsible duties of preparing, dispensing and selling medicines.

(e) To suppress empiricism, and to restrict the dispensing and sale of medicines to regularly educated Druggists and Apothecaries.

(f) To uphold standards of authority in the education, theory and practice of Pharmacy.

(g) To create and maintain a standard of professional honesty equal to the amount of our professional knowledge, with a view to the highest good and the greatest protection to the public.

Fourth: The concerns and affairs of the ASSOCIATION shall be managed by a Council, which shall consist for the first year of John U. Lloyd, Maurice, W. Alexander, Alexander K. Finlay, Karl Simmon, Samuel A. D. Sheppard, John M. Maisch, James Vernor, C. Lewis Diehl, William H. Rogers, William Saunders, Albert E. Ebert, Philip C. Candidus, George W. Kennedy, Albert H. Hollister, James M. Good, Lewis C. Hopp and William Dupont.

Given under our respective hands and seals this 12th day of December, A. D. 1887.

Signed:

JOHN U. LLOYD,  
ALEX. K. FINLAY,  
SAMUEL A. D. SHEPPARD,  
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