PERSONAL AND NEWS ITEMS.

J. B. Pilchard and John L. Price have opened a Prescription Pharmacy in Harrisburg.

John T. Lloyd, fellow member and son of our distinguished member, the late John Uri Lloyd, has filed his application for incorporation of a pharmaceutical manufacturing company in Cincinnati, to be known as J. T. Lloyd Laboratories, Inc.

The directors of the new company, beside John T. Lloyd are William J. Miller and Attorney Francis Hoover.

Commander W. H. (M.C.) Michael, U.S. N. of the Army Industrial College is a member of the Committee of Arrangements for the International Congress of Military Medicine and Pharmacy to be held next year in Washington, D. C.

Dr. Perceval S. Rossiter, surgeon general of the U. S. Navy, and Capt. Harold Wellington Smith, in charge of the Naval Medical School, Washington, D. C., have been promoted to the rank of rear admiral in the naval medical corps. Surgeon General Rossiter has held this rank on a temporary appointment since 1933. He is a native of Shepherdstown, W. Va., and graduated at the University of Maryland School of Medicine, Baltimore, in 1895. Captain Smith graduated at the Harvard University Medical School, Boston, in 1901.

KILMER PRIZE TO MILTON KAHN.

Mr. Charles Schamach, chairman of the committee appointed by President Garrabrant in 1937, to judge the papers presented at our last annual convention in competition for the Dr. B. F. Kilmer Prize, reported that his committee had decided that the paper "Detailing the Physician," presented by Mr. Milton Kahn of Somerville at the 1937 Convention, was the most meritorious paper submitted. Chairman Schamach presented to Mr. Milton Kahn, the author of this paper, the Kilmer Award of twenty-five dollars. Mr. Kahn accepted with a very brief speech of thanks.

Morris Dauer, chief pharmacist of Kings County Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., has submitted his resignation as instructor in hospital pharmacy administration and management at St. John's University, College of Pharmacy, to take effect June 1st.

Mr. Dauer, who inaugurated the first course in hospital pharmacy administration and management in the history of academic pharmacy, at the time he became associated with St. John's in September 1936, plans to devote his leisure time in the future to develop more completely this course, and to completely prepare and make available a new and original course in public health pharmacy.

"There is an urgent need for well-trained hospital pharmacists and hospital pharmacy executives," Mr. Dauer declared. "Welltrained hospital pharmacists will be welcomed with open arms not only by federal, state and municipal hospital administrative executives, but also by the American community which will reap the benefits of their services."

J. Otto Kohl, prominent Cincinnati pharmacist, was honored at a testimonial dinnerdance which also celebrated his election to the executive committee of the National Association of Retail Druggists.

The testimonial was sponsored by his coworkers of several Associations and held in the Pavilion Caprice of the Hotel Netherland Plaza. Tributes came from President P. A. Schwarz of the State Association.

SPRING CLINIC AT UNIVERSITY OF BUFFALO.

Plans for the development of an annual "Spring Clinic" for licensed and practicing pharmacists have been announced at the University of Buffalo by Dean A. B. Lemon, of the School of Pharmacy. To inaugurate the new venture, a series of special lectures, demonstrations and discussions by outstanding authorities will be held on the University Campus on April 19th and 20th. All pharmacists of Western New York, whether alumni of the University of Buffalo or not, are invited to attend.

Secretary Russell B. Rothrock, of the Indiana Board of Pharmacy, has notified all package stores of the ruling of the Attorney-General's office, whereby such stores are ordered to cease the sale of all drugs except those medicines of secret composition which do not contain a poison or those which are especially exempted by statutes.