

upon it," so it might be as well said that the sun was ever shining upon the open leaves of the JOURNAL!

Mr. Topping moved that a Branch be formed, and it was so ordered. A committee was appointed to present the petition to the Honorable Council of the Association, praying for permission to establish a Branch in this vicinity.

A tentative organization was effected by the choice of Mr. George B. Topping, Ph.C., President; Edwin N. Webb, Vice President; Edward Spease, Ph.C., Secretary; Ernest C. Marshall, Ph.G., Treasurer, and Professor George B. Kauffman as Council Representative. The petition for the formation of the Branch has been brought before the Council and appears in the Council letters of this issue.

It is hoped that this organization will unite all the druggists of Columbus and its vicinity into one strong organization to work for the mutual good of the profession in the district comprised within its zone of influence.

College and Society

THE N. A. R. D. CONVENTION.

The annual meeting of the National Retail Druggists' Association in Philadelphia, the week of August 17th, promises to be a most interesting one in the way of entertainment for all those who attend the Convention.

The entertainment program comprises the following special features: The Officers' Reception and Grand Ball, which will take place in the magnificent ball-room at the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel on Monday evening, August 17th; an automobile sight-seeing tour is scheduled for the ladies on Tuesday, and on Wednesday, they will be the guests at a reception to be held at the John Wanamaker's store. Thursday will be "Scottissue Day," when the delegates will be taken on a steamer-excursion, by way of the Delaware river, to the model paper-plant of the Scott Paper Company, and on the return of the delegates, a stop will be made at the League Island Navy Yard for its inspection. Friday will be "Wampole Day," and the Convention will be the guests of Henry M. Wampole & Co. at Willow Grove Park. An elaborate dinner

will here be served to all members. There is no prospect of any visitor to the Convention being afflicted with ennui or nostalgia during the gathering, for the Committee has left no moment disengaged in the program they have planned. In connection with the meeting the exhibits at the Convention will be of much interest and attraction.

<>

PACIFIC COAST.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Pharmaceutical Association of the Pacific Coast was held May 22, 1914, in the Assembly Hall, Pacific Building, San Francisco. Mrs. R. E. White was in the chair.

A large attendance was present. Discussions were held on "A Method of Preparing Solution for Testing Purity of Nitrous Oxide Gas;" "A New Method of Filling Santal Oil Capsules;" "Improved Blaud's Pills," and "Prescription Pricing."

The President appointed the following delegates to the Annual Convention of the California Pharmaceutical Association: Miss Della Crain, Santa Cruz; Mrs. E. Goodman, San Francisco, and Mrs. E. E. Patterson, San Jose.

Mrs. Philip read a paper entitled "A Clerk." The discussion of the evening was on "Laboratory Methods."

<>

COMMENCEMENT OF THE COLLEGE OF PHARMACY OF THE UNIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY.

The Commencement of the Department of Pharmacy of the University of the State of New Jersey, for the classes of 1913-14, took place at the Masonic Temple in Jersey City, on the evening of June 2d, President Hon. James E. Pope presiding. The invocation was delivered by the Rev. Harry L. Everett, the Chaplain of the University, and the address on behalf of the University was given by Joseph E. Bernstein, the Treasurer.

The principal address of the occasion was made by Geo. M. Beringer, of Camden, N. J., the President of the A. Ph. A. In his usual genial manner, President Beringer gave some of the history of pharmacy and advised the young graduates to be proud of their profession and to follow the example which has been given them by their teachers. He urged them to become members of the A. Ph. A.

and thereby to benefit themselves as well as to lend a helping hand in the evolution of pharmacy.

Hon. William H. Speer, Judge of the Hudson County Circuit Court, then delivered a short address. Dr. Joseph Koppel, Dean of the Department of Pharmacy, spoke on the great many improvements which have been made in the buildings and the equipment of the College, and also in the reorganization of the Faculty. He conferred the Degree of Graduate in Pharmacy (Ph.G.) on seventeen (17) students, and the Degree of Doctor of Pharmacy (Phar. D.) on thirty-two (32) students, the latter being dignified with the Doctor's hood.

President James E. Pope awarded the following prizes: The gold medal to Joseph S. Churgin, the silver medal and the silver cup for the best examination in Organic Chemistry to Herman H. North, both of the Senior Class, and the bronze medal to Jacob Feinberg of the Junior Class. The Post-Graduate prizes consisted of three (3) memberships in the A. Ph. A., and were awarded by Prof. Otto Raubenheimer to the following students: Isaac Friedman, for the best thesis in Chemistry, namely, "Arsenic in Household Articles;" Eugene Gordon, for the best thesis in Physiological Chemistry, namely, "Seminal Fluid," and Isidor A. Saphiro for the best thesis in Pharmacy, "Phenol and a Few of Its Derivatives."

Prof. Luke C. Hines, Secretary of the Faculty, read the Honor Roll of the Post-Graduates and Seniors. Herman H. North, in an elegant manner, delivered the valedictory address of the Senior Class, and Meyer A. Feinberg delivered an excellent address in behalf of the Post-Graduate Class.

The musical and vocal talent was supplied by the Malkin Music School of New York, and was highly appreciated. After the exercises, refreshments were served and the large audience was well pleased with the Commencement.

May 18th was a gala day at the College of Pharmacy of this institution when Prof. Joseph P. Remington addressed the students on "The Graduate's Opportunity." This address was given to the graduating classes, the members of which, undoubtedly, will profit by the good advice given by the professor. The speaker made the recommendation that pharmacists and physicians should go hand-in-

hand for the mutual protection of the public. He advocated the practice of more professional pharmacy and less of commercialism.

Prof. Remington's lecture was highly appreciated by all his auditors and especially by the students, who greeted him with cheers and college cries which were specially prepared for the occasion.

Dr. Joseph Koppe, Dean of the College, announced at the same time the names of those students who successfully passed the examinations.

The College year has been a very successful one, inasmuch as the Post-Graduate class consisted of fifty (50) students, and the Senior class twenty-five (25).



LOUISVILLE COLLEGE OF PHARMACY.

On Tuesday, May 12th, this institution completed its forty-fifth year with Graduation Exercises at the Woman's Club. Diplomas were awarded to twenty-nine young pharmacists, the degrees being conferred by President Simon N. Jones.

The College Medal was awarded to Sterling T. Monroe for best general average, and the Voigt & Co. Medal to S. Elbert Nichols for second honors.

The Peter-Feat-Richardson Medal was awarded to Wm. Orville Patterson for best general average in the Junior Class.



ILLINOIS PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

With the slogan of "A week-end at Fox Lake" as a rallying cry, the Illinois Pharmaceutical Association assembled at the meeting of their State Association, June 11th, 12th and 13th, and had a very successful convention. For the first time in many years the Association had selected a summer resort for the place of meeting, and that the experiment was a success was the expression of practically all of the three hundred or more druggists and traveling-men who attended the convention.

The usual opening addresses were dispensed with. The Association listened to an excellent address by President Ralph R. Dorland, which, as well as the skillful manner in which he handled the convention, was widely commented upon. He especially urged druggists to get into politics, to make themselves felt as a political factor, to the end that the in-

terests of pharmacy might be conserved in both state and national legislation. He urged the formation of local organizations, and the cordial support of the two great national associations—the A. Ph. A. and the N. A. R. D. He thanked the members for their generous assistance to the officers in carrying on the Association's work during the past year and made a strong plea for a wider co-operation among pharmacists, especially in view of the need for anti-narcotic legislation and the powerful opposition that had developed. He urged that the Illinois Pharmaceutical Association be made an all-year-round organization and that its activities be not limited to the few days of the annual convention and the semi-annual session of the Executive Committee. He recommended the maintenance of permanent headquarters and the employment of an organizer to recruit the membership and interest the druggists in the work of the Association. President Dorland's address was received with applause and was referred to a committee consisting of W. S. Denton, O. C. Nusele and James H. Wells.

The report of the Secretary, W. B. Day, concluded with the presentation of 133 new members who were elected. This is the largest accession of members in many years.

Treasurer Garver's report showed an income for the year of \$1765.68 and expenditures of \$1914.39. There was \$600.00 in the permanent fund and \$1260.63 in the general fund at the close of the fiscal year, May 31, 1914.

Chairman Byron Armstrong of the Committee on Trade Interests, presented an excellent report and strongly endorsed legislation aimed at the establishment of a system of one-price to all on trade-marked and branded goods.

Chairman Charles Brunstrom presented the report of the Legislative Committee, which was devoted chiefly to plans for the coming year when the Legislature will again be in session.

Secretary Potts of the N. A. R. D. made a stirring address and offered resolutions regarding the unfair practice of cutting prices on standard goods, commending the Stevens Bill and pledging the earnest support of this Association. These resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Other reports were made as follows: For the Committee on Propaganda, Lee M. Pedigo, Chairman; for the Committee on

Druggists' Home, George W. Sohrbeck, Chairman.

Resolutions were adopted endorsing the National Association of Retail Druggists and continuing affiliation with that Association, also resolutions commending the U. S. Pharmacal Company.

Awards of prizes for essays were made as follows: First prize, J. A. Mahaffy, "The Advertising Value of Your Window"; second prize, to H. N. Bruun, "Advertising Schemes."

The following nominees were selected for presentation to the Governor for his consideration in appointing a member to fill the next vacancy on the Board of Pharmacy: J. B. Michels, El Paso; Robert Clarkson, Springfield; Lee M. Pedigo, Chicago. To the President of the University of Illinois for appointment of a member of the Advisory Board to fill the next vacancy, the following were selected: Jos. F. Shreve, Jacksonville; J. C. Wheatcroft, Grayville; Joseph Hottinger, Chicago.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, W. F. Baum, Danville; Vice-Presidents, Julius Riemenschneider, Chicago; W. S. Denton, Beardstown; Byron Armstrong, Jacksonville; Secretary, W. B. Day, Chicago; Treasurer, Christian Garver, Bloomington.



UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS SCHOOL OF PHARMACY.

The new catalog of the University of Illinois School of Pharmacy is now ready for distribution. A copy may be had by addressing the Actuary, W. B. Day, 74 E. 12th Street, Chicago.

Announcement is made of an increase in the entrance requirements beginning with the session of 1916-17 to graduation from high school of accredited grade or the full educational equivalent of this. The present entrance requirements for the shorter course which leads to the degree of Graduate in Pharmacy are two years of high school of accredited grade or its full educational equivalent.

For entrance to the longer course, leading to the degree of Pharmaceutical Chemist, graduation from high school is already required.

Entrance examinations, conducted by the Registrar of the University, will be held at the College of Medicine, Congress and Ho-

nore Streets, Chicago, September 21st to 25th, and will include all the high school branches in which credits are accepted.

Mr. Andrew Scherer, an alumnus of the Class of 1875, has offered a prize of twenty-five dollars in gold to the senior student who attains the highest average in pharmacy.

The fifty-fifth session begins Tuesday, September 22d.

The longer course in the school of pharmacy, leading to the degree of Pharmaceutical Chemist, closed June 5th; the degree was conferred upon Paul Wright Edgett, Gennaro Dominic Lavieri, Albert Schreiner, Jr., George Stulik, George F. Vaupell and Edgar Philip Heidbreder.

The Advisory Board held its annual meeting at the School June 4th. There were present at the meeting, George O. Lescher, of Galesburg; A. G. C. Ackermann and Herman Fry, of Chicago, as well as the faculty of the School.

The Chicago Veteran Druggists' Association has presented to the School the silver loving cup which was presented to Albert E. Ebert in 1895 and which, upon his death, reverted to the C. V. D. A.



MASSACHUSETTS STATE PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

At the annual meeting of this Association held in June, the following officers were elected: Frank J. Campbell, President; John T. Harper, Great Barrington, William Hardie, Fall River, P. J. Fitzpatrick, Wellesley, Vice Presidents; James F. Guerin, Worcester, Secretary; James F. Finneran, Boston, Treasurer; William F. Sawyer, Boston, Edward A. Mole, Adams, James W. Cooper, Plymouth, Trustees of the Permanent Fund; Elie H. La Pierre, Cambridge, Delegate to the State Board of Trade.

Messrs. John J. Tobin, John F. Hayes and George J. Carroll were nominated for the Board of Pharmacy, and Prof. Charles F. Nixon, W. S. Flint and E. F. Leonard were nominated for the Board of Health.



The following telegram was received at the Scio office on June 17:

SANTA CRUZ, CALIFORNIA.

American Pharmaceutical Association, Scio, Ohio:

The California Pharmaceutical Convention, in annual convention assembled, extends to the American Pharmaceutical Association our

greetings and good-fellowship, and ask you to make San Francisco your convention city for nineteen-fifteen. We hope to have delegates at your nineteen-fourteen convention to present our claims. Yours fraternally,

CALIFORNIA PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION.

K. B. BOWERMAN, Secretary.



OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY.

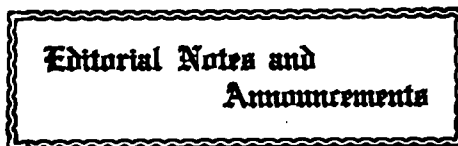
COLLEGE OF PHARMACY.

Commencement exercises were held in the Gymnasium on Wednesday, June 17, 1914. Six candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Science and 16 candidates for Certificate of Pharmaceutical Chemist were presented to the President by Dean George B. Kauffman.

The College of Pharmacy being an integral part of the University, its graduates participate in the general exercises of Commencement with the graduates of the other schools and stand in the same relation to the University as do all other of its graduates. The following are those who received the degree of Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy, with the titles of their theses:

Otto Carl Blum, Portsmouth, thesis, "Methods for Detecting Ethyl and Methyl Alcohol"; John Clinton Bowman, Thornville, thesis, "Outline for the Analysis of Sugar"; Robert Bruce McCann, Columbus, thesis, "Rapid Methods for the Separation of Alkaloids"; Earl Aloysius May, Van Wert, thesis, "Lead Acetate in the Examination of Gum Resins"; Albert Reinhart Paar, Canton, thesis, "Tests for the Identification of Cocaine and its Substitutes"; Paul C. Slater, Mechanicsburg, thesis, "The Estimation of Small Quantities of Alkaloids in Medicinal Preparations."

Sixteen candidates were awarded certificates as Pharmaceutical Chemists.



Editorial Notes and Announcements

JAMES H. BEAL, Editor.....Scio, Ohio
ERNEST C. MARSHALL, Acting Editor,
63 Clinton Building, Columbus, Ohio

The Association does not accept responsibility for the opinions of contributors. Offensive personalities must be avoided.

Under the rules of the Postoffice the JOURNAL can be regularly mailed only to bona-fide paid subscribers. Subscriptions and association dues should be sent to the Treasurer, H. M. Whelpley, 2342 Albion Place, St. Louis, Mo.

All communications for insertion in the JOURNAL, or respecting advertising, requests