



HISTORY OF PHARMACY:

A QUEST OF IDENTITY

History of Pharmacy can undoubtedly be considered as a part of History of Sciences, but it is also a part of History of Medicine. Anyway, it belongs neither only to History of Sciences nor to History of Medicine, it is an original science, linked to others, but independent. One of the consequences of the pluridisciplinarity of Pharmacy is the specificity of its history. Pharmacy historians have to be cautious in order to keep their identity, which is made of diversity. Who could be interested as well in the place of apothecaries in society, in the conception of new medicines, or in the evolution of the laws concerning the trade of

L'HISTOIRE DE LA PHARMACIE;

UNE QUÊTE D'IDENTITÉ

L'histoire de la pharmacie peut incontestablement être considérée comme une partie de l'histoire des sciences, mais elle fait également partie de l'histoire de la médecine. Cependant, elle n'appartient pas seulement à l'histoire des sciences, ni à l'histoire de la médecine. C'est une science originale, liée aux autres, mais indépendante. L'une des conséquences de la pluridisciplinarité de la pharmacie consiste en la spécificité de son histoire. Les historiens de la pharmacie doivent dès lors se garder de perdre leur identité, qui est faite de diversité. Qui, si ce n'étaient ces historiens de la pharmacie, pourrait s'intéresser aussi bien à la place

PHARMAZIEGESCHICHTE:

EINE FRAGE DER IDENTITÄT

Zweifellos kann Pharmaziegeschichte als Teil der Wissenschaftsgeschichte betrachtet werden, aber sie ist auch Teil der Medizingeschichte. Wie auch immer, handelt es sich aber um eine eigenständige Wissenschaft – verbunden mit Wissenschafts- und Medizingeschichte, aber dennoch eigenständig. Die Spezifität ihrer Geschichte ist Folge der Multidisziplinarität der Pharmazie. Pharmaziehistoriker müssen darauf bedacht sein, ihre Identität zu bewahren, die in Vielfalt besteht. Wer außer Pharmaziehistorikern könnte gleichzeitig interessiert sein an der gesellschaftlichen Stellung der Apotheker, der Entwicklung neuer Arzneimittel, der Gesetzgebung zu Drogen- und Arzneimittelhandel und

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drugs and medicines, according to the period, the social and the scientific evolution, if it were not Pharmacy historians?

They use the same tools and the same methods as scientists dealing with History of Society or, for example, as researchers in History of Chemistry, but they always keep in mind that their purpose is, at the end, the progress of knowledge in History of Pharmacy.

Our science can learn many things from History of Art, History of Ideas, History of People etc., but Pharmacy historians have to apply their findings to the specific problems of History of Pharmacy.

All our national societies have fruitful contacts and collaborations with sister societies, and this behaviour has to be encouraged for a mutual benefit, but they must not be dissolved in a huge undefined regrouping.

In order to reach this target, it is absolutely necessary to recruit young people, and that cannot be obtained without strengthening university education of students in History of Pharmacy, and without promoting new high-level research. These must certainly be the aims of our International Society for the following years. We then will be able to assert our identity.

Olivier Lafont

occupée par les apothicaires dans la société, qu'à la mise au point de nouveaux médicaments, ou à l'évolution des lois régissant leur commerce, en fonction de l'époque, de l'état de la société, ou de l'évolution scientifique. Ils utilisent les mêmes outils et les mêmes méthodes que des chercheurs en histoire des sociétés ou en histoire de la chimie, mais doivent garder, toujours présent à l'esprit, leur but, qui demeure de faire progresser la connaissance dans le domaine de l'histoire de la pharmacie.

Notre discipline peut apprendre beaucoup de l'histoire de l'art, de l'histoire des idées, de l'histoire des peuples etc., mais les historiens de la pharmacie doivent appliquer ces acquis à la résolution des problèmes spécifiques posés par l'évolution de la pharmacie.

Toutes nos sociétés nationales ont des contacts fructueux avec les sociétés sœurs et ce comportement doit être encouragé pour un bénéfice mutuel, mais elles ne doivent pas se dissoudre dans un regroupement monstrueux et mal défini.

Pour atteindre ce but, il est absolument indispensable de recruter de jeunes adhérents pour nos sociétés, ce qui ne peut être obtenu sans développer l'enseignement universitaire de notre discipline, ni sans promouvoir de nouvelles recherches de haut niveau. Tels seront certainement les objectifs de notre société internationale dans les années à venir. C'est à ce prix que nous affirmerons notre identité.

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der sozialen und wissenschaftlichen Evolution in verschiedenen Epochen?

Sie benutzen die gleichen Instrumente und Methoden wie Historiker, die sich mit Sozialgeschichte oder beispielsweise mit Geschichte der Chemie befassen, aber sie haben letztlich immer den Erkenntnisgewinn für die Geschichte der Pharmazie im Auge. Unsere Wissenschaft kann viel lernen von der Geschichte der Kunst, der Ideengeschichte, der Geschichte einzelner Personen, aber Pharmaziehistoriker müssen ihre Erkenntnisse auf die speziellen Probleme der Pharmazie zuschneiden.

Alle unsere nationalen Gesellschaften haben fruchtbare Kontakte und Kooperationen mit Schwestergesellschaften, und diese Aktivitäten sollten zum gegenseitigen Nutzen gefördert werden, aber sie dürfen nicht in einer riesigen undefinierbaren Umorganisation aufgehen.

Um dieses Ziel zu erreichen, ist es absolut notwendig, junge Leute zu gewinnen und das kann nicht geschehen ohne die universitäre Ausbildung junger Studenten in Pharmaziegeschichte zu stärken und ohne erstklassige Forschung zu fördern. Das müssen die Ziele unserer Internationalen Gesellschaft in den nächsten Jahren sein. Dann werden wir in der Lage sein, unsere Identität zu behaupten.

Oliver Lafont

SUCCESSFUL ISHP WEBSITE

The internet commissioner of our Society is proud to report that the ISHP website has been improved constantly. In particular, the ISHP Oral Presentation Database has been enlarged and has now more than 1500 entries.

Members are invited to go to www.histpharm.org and explore the available features. Further, members may report talks missing in the database. Please, simply drop an email to info@histpharm.org and your talk will be added as well. All talks related to the history of pharmacy worldwide given since 2005 are covered. Beside the title the database keeps the keywords, the name of the author, and a contact email-address. Further, date, place, and occasion are available.

The use of the database is quite simple and user friendly. The search-mode offers an automatic function on international letter variations. For example, instead of the letters *ś*, *ş*, *ș* used in other European languages a simple «s» will link to the correct finding. If users are looking for «François», either the correct writing or the simplified «Francois» will provide the database results. Looking for «Müller», simply entering «Muller» will do.



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ISHP FELLOW FINISHES PHD THESIS

We are glad to announce that the 2009 ISHP fellowship recipient Dimitrios Koutroumpas, Keratea, Greece, has now finished his PhD thesis. The study, which has been supported by the International Society for the History of Pharmacy, dealt with Galen's pharmacological work »De simplicium medicamentorum temperamentis ac facultibus«. The thesis has 317 pages, is written in Greek language and the translated title is »Galen's pharmacology: simple medicines and their theoretical model according to Galen«. The first seven chapters describe the biography of Galen and his medical career. In the second chapter, the whole work of Galen is briefly presented. The third chapter describes Galen's medical system including his views of the causes of diseases, the basic human body functions and treatment methods. Thereafter, the entity of Galen's pharmacological treatises on simple drugs, composed drugs and poisons/antidotes is presented. In the fifth chapter, the simple drugs are studied followed by a description of the mechanisms of action according to Galen. The last part emphasizes the influences of previous and contemporary pharmacologists which affected Galen.

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INVITATION

According to the IHP statutes, all members are invited to the next General Assembly, Friday, September 16, 2011, 17.00, Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences, Jägerstr. 22/23, 10117 Berlin, Germany.

All proposals have to be made to the General Secretary two months in advance, i.e. until July 16, 2011.

EINLADUNG

Die nächste IGGP-Hauptversammlung findet am Freitag, 16. September 2011, 17.00 Uhr im Gebäude der Berlin-Brandenburgischen Akademie der Wissenschaften, Jägerstr. 22/23, 10117 Berlin, statt. Alle Mitglieder sind zu der Sitzung satzungsgemäß eingeladen.

Laut Satzung müssen Anträge und Wahlvorschläge spätestens zwei Monate vor Beginn der Sitzung, das heißt bis zum 16. Juli 2011, an die Geschäftsstelle gerichtet werden.

INVITATION

La prochaine assemblée générale de la Société Internationale d'Histoire de la Pharmacie aura lieu le vendredi, 16 Septembre 2011, 17.00 h, Berlin-Brandenburgischen Akademie der Wissenschaften, Jägerstr. 22/23, 10117 Berlin, Allemagne.

Selon les statutes, les propositions et candidatures doivent être envoyées deux mois à l'avance, soit jusqu'au 16 Juillet 2011 au secrétariat de la Société.

Agenda

Welcome, Quorum

Report of the President

Report of the Treasurer

Reports of the Commissioners:
FIP/Internet/Examiners of account

Admission of retirement
Executive Committee 2008/2009

Confirmation of elections

Fellowship

Any other business

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AUSTRIA (Christa Kletter) ■ The Austrian Society for the History of Pharmacy

In 2010 the Austrian Society for the History of Pharmacy made great efforts to adapt the society's homepage to post all contributions of the 39th International Congress for the History of Pharmacy held in Vienna in 2009.

All abstracts, lectures, plenary lectures and posters which were provided by the presenters can be downloaded from the following web address <http://www.pharmaziegeschichte.at> clicking on 39ICHP Wien.

Publications:

In 2010 the very elaborate and outstanding work of Felix Czeike about Viennese pharmacies was published posthumously by his wife.

Felix Czeike (Hg. von Helga Czeike, Sabine Nikolay und Susanne Claudine Pils) Geschichte der Wiener Apotheken. Die Apotheken im heutigen ersten Wiener Gemeindebezirk. Forschungen und Beiträge zur Wiener Stadtgeschichte, Bd. 50, StudienVerlag, Innsbruck, Wien, Bozen, 2010

Other publications of members of our society were as follows:

Kletter, Christa: Austrian Pharmacy in the 18th and 19th century. *Scientia Pharmaceutica* 78 (3): 397-409.

Langebner, Thomas, Krischkowsky Helga (2010): Die

Fanta Schale und ihr Erfinder. *ÖAZ* 64 (1): 34-36.

Langebner, Thomas (2010): Joseph Oellacher und das akustische Öl. *ÖAZ* 64 (25): 1486-1489

Mader, Bernd (2010): Von »Tappeln« und »Fexen«. Österreichs Kropfforschung begann in der Steiermark. *ÖAZ* 64 (8): 464-466.

Mader, Bernd (2010): »Mother's little helper«. Leo Henryk Sternbach- Eine Spurensuche. *ÖAZ* 64 (16): 920-921.

Mader, Bernd: Die Anstaltsapotheke im LKH-Univ. Klinikum Graz. *Klinoptikum*, Ausgabe 3/2010, S. 12-14.

Mader, Bernd: Nobelpreisträger Fritz Pregl – eine Spurensuche in Graz. In: *Klinoptikum*, Ausgabe 4/2010, S. 14-17

Members of our society also contributed to the history of pharmacy by giving lectures during various national and international meetings.

Kletter, Christa: Paracelsus – Neue Sicht der Arzneimittel. January 2010, Vienna. Lecture at a meeting about Paracelsus, organised by the committee for the history of natural sciences, mathematics and medicine, Austrian Academy of Sciences.

Kletter, Christa: Pharmacy in the Interwar Period – The Viennese Situation. November 2010, Vienna. Lecture at the International Ignaz-Lieben-Workshop 2010 »Networks of Communication and Mobility in the Sciences and Technology Central Europe in the Interwar Period«

Winkler, Andreas: »Apothekengeschichte(n)«, April 2010, Bruneck. Lecture within the series of lectures »Erlebte Geschichte«, with the topic »Spitalsgeschichten«,

Winkler, Andreas: »Was ist das wert? – Quellen des Apothekenalltags«, June 2010, Marburg an der Lahn. Lecture at the Institute for the History of Pharmacy, Philipps-Universität Marburg,

Zinsler, Gilbert: Kräuterbücher – Botanische Literatur zwischen medizinischem Forschergeist und Kunstobjekt. October 2010, Vienna. Lecture at the Medical University Vienna within the series of lectures »Österreich liest. Treffpunkt Bibliothek«.

Dissertation:

Langebner, Thomas (2010): Arzneiversorgung in Hospital und Krankenhaus: Krankenhauspharmazie in Österreich – vom späten Mittelalter bis zum Ende der Ersten Republik. Karl-Franzens-Universität, Graz

Lecture:

Langebner, Thomas: Götterspeise und Liebestrank: Zur Proto-pharmakologie von Cacao und Schokolade. Basel, October 2010. Lecture at the joint annual meeting of the Swiss Society for the History of Pharmacy and the National Committee Baden and Württemberg, German Society for the History of Pharmacy.



UNITED KINGDOM – THE BRITISH SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF PHARMACY (Stuart Anderson) ■ A full programme of events was organised by the Society during 2010. At its first meeting in February Briony Hudson, Keeper of Collections at the Museum of the Royal Pharmaceutical Society, gave an illustrated talk entitled 'an heirloom to be handed down: the delftware collection at the Royal Pharmaceutical Society.'

The 2010 Annual Spring Conference was held in Llanelli, South Wales. As usual a wide range of papers was presented; Stuart Anderson described 'the rise and fall of the *British Pharmacopoeia* as 'suitable for the whole empire.'" Clive Murray spoke about 'the pharmacopoeia of the Spanish Netherlands', Trevor Whaley gave a paper describing 'two tiers of material medica' and Renzo Console recounted the lives of 'three early women practitioners'. Other talks included the description of a medicine chest by Stuart Menzies, an account of postcard images by John Crellin, and a paper on 'Surgery in Nelson's Navy' by guest speaker Dr Mike Crumplin. The conference also took in a visit to the Botanic Garden of Wales, where Professor Terry Turner gave a talk on 'Physicians of Myddfyl'.

In May the Society hosted a joint meeting with the Faculty of the History of Medicine and Pharmacy of the Worshipful Society of Apothecaries of London. Stuart Anderson gave a talk on 'Pharmacy and Slavery: Apothecaries, Medicines and the Slave Trade 1650 to 1833' to a capacity audience. This was followed in June by a guided tour of the physick garden of the Royal College of Physicians in London, and a visit its museum, attended by thirty members.

The autumn session began in September with a presentation by Professor Nick Barber of the London School of Pharmacy on 'the production of Victorian Pharmacy'. Professor Barber had appeared as the 'Victorian pharmacist' in a series of four one hour television programmes illustrating the evolution of pharmacy in Britain in the second half of the nineteenth century. The series, entitled 'Victorian Pharmacy,' had been well-received by the viewing public. At the final meeting of the year Peter Warwick gave a fascinating account of the wounds of Horatio Nelson and how they were treated.

Four issues of the *Pharmaceutical Historian* were published during the year, in March, June, September and December. The Society's meetings are normally held at the headquarters of the Royal Pharmaceutical Society at 1 Lambeth High Street,

London SE1 7JN All are welcome. The 2011 annual conference is being held in York from 1 to 3 April. Details of this and other future events are available on the Society's website at www.bsph.org.

CZECH REPUBLIC – THE CZECH SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF PHARMACY (Martina Lisá) ■ In 2010 our Society organized two congresses; the first one in Prague in the springtime and the second one in Brno in autumn, as follows:

- XLX. *Symposium on the History of Pharmacy: Important Discoveries in Pharmaceutical Industry and Manufacture* (Prague, 17 March 2010, 32 participants, 10 contributions).
- XLXI. *Symposium on the History of Pharmacy: Forgotten Remedies and Dosage Forms* (Brno, 10 November 2009, 40 participants, 13 contributions).

Our members also gave lectures at the International Congress in Vienna, three posters were accepted, the poster of Ph.Mr. Pavel Drábek and Dr. Martina Lisá was awarded the 3rd prize during the closing session. Our members also presented lectures at the 70th International Congress of FIP in Lisbon.

Next year we will organize two traditional congresses,

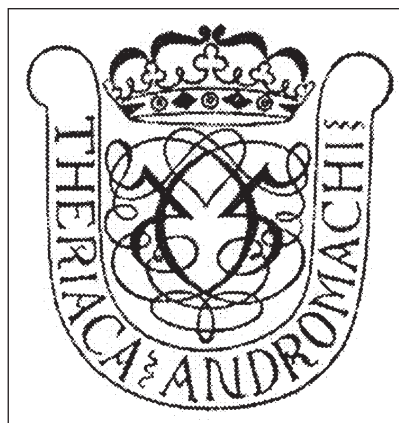
- XLXII. *Symposium on the History of Pharmacy*, scheduled for 9 March 2010 in Prague, themed Pharmacy in art and
- XLXIII. *Symposium on the History of Pharmacy*, scheduled for November 2010 in Brno, themed The best contributions of international congresses.

Our Society will be a co-organizer of the *International Symposium on the History of Medicine, Pharmacy and Veterinary Medicine* that will be organized by The Technical Museum in Brno, The Czech Pharmaceutical Museum in Kuks and The Museum of History of Veterinary Medicine and Pharmacy (June 2010).

We kindly invite all of our colleagues to our congresses.

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DENMARK – THE DANISH SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF PHARMACY (Poul R. Kruse) ■ The Danish Society for the History of Pharmacy visited Vordingborg Pharmacy in South Zealand and Stege Pharmacy in Moen on 29th May 2010. Vordingborg Pharmacy houses a collection of old pharmacy equipment and Stege Pharmacy has a unique, newly restored dispensary.

The Danish Society for the History of Pharmacy and the Danish Foundation of the History of Pharmacy held the annual »Pharmacy History Day« on 4th October 2010 in the Danish Collection of the History of Pharmacy at Pharmakon a/s in Hilleroed. The programme included the annual general meeting of the society and a lecture by the Honorary Professor Poul R. Kruse, DSc, about »The Danish Pharmaceutical Industry – Preconditions and Establishment«. The lecture was based on an article of the same person and the same title in *PHARMACY IN HISTORY* 2010; 52: 3-12.

The Danish Collection of the History of Pharmacy illustrates the operation of the pharmacies and the pharmaceutical industry, as well as the history of medicines in Denmark over the past 100 years. An article about the collection, including the collection's effort for preservation of the pharmaceutical cultural heritage and the collection's function as a knowledge and activity centre for



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the history of pharmacy in Denmark, is published in the journal *DANSKE MUSEER* 2010; no. 2: 20-22.

In 2008, the Danish Society for the History of Pharmacy published in its journal *THERIACA*, volume 37, part 1 in the series of articles which provides an account in words and pictures of the Danish pharmaceutical industry's products from the earliest times until about 1950. Part 2 came in 2009 in *THERIACA*, volume 38, and part 3 will be published in 2011 in *THERIACA*, volume 39.

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FRANCE – SOCIÉTÉ D'HISTOIRE DE LA PHARMACIE (Bruno Bonnemain)

■ In 2010, our Société d'Histoire de la Pharmacie was sad to lose two very active members who deceased: Elie Bzoura and Miss Royer. We had a very active 2010 year. Our two communication tools (our journal *Revue d'Histoire de la Pharmacie* and Internet site www.shp-asso.org were quite productive. Our web site is publishing every month a temporary exhibit since 18 months, the last ones being related to Aesculape, the old shop signs, the »bezoard«, and the Pharmacy in Universal Exhibits. Concerning the journal, its scanning is still on-going and it is accessible via Internet starting from 1913 up to 5 year before the most recent publication. The historians have already access to a large number of articles published during this period. It should be completed in 2011. This year 2010,

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our journal has published 26 studies and more than 528 pages. As every year, SHP with Maurice Bouvet-Henri Bonnemain family will give a prize under the partnership with the French Academy of Pharmacy, prize given this year to two winners: Marlène Lanciot, on her thesis related to the German Health Care service during the Normandy Battle in 1945 (*Le service sanitaire allemand pendant la bataille de Normandie*), and Bruno Belin on a singular history of a town pharmacy in the field (*Le passé singulier d'une pharmacie de campagne*). In addition, we have had 5 meetings where 27 presentations were made on various subjects including one specific on theriac and an other on Fourcroy. We had the opportunity for one of them to set up a meeting outside Paris, in Bordeaux area. It was an opportunity to visit Bazas apothecary as well as vineyards and Bordeaux itself. Several books were published this year in France related to the history of pharmacy: Among them, the book of Claude Monneret and Claude Bohuon, members of the French Academy of Pharmacy. Its title is *»Fabuleux hasards«* (Fabulous chances), an excellent document on the history of drug discovery, edited by EDP Sciences, Paris. Jean-Marie Boëlle published *»Au bonheur des Thermes«* (To the pleasure of thermal baths), a book related to the history of spa in Europe, published by Glénat Editions, Paris. Jacques Liefoghe, Henri Ducoulombier released a document on the history of the free catholic University of Medicine and Pharmacy of Lille, France, from 1876 to 2003, published by Presses Universitaires Septentrion, Villeneuve d'Ascq. An other valuable book was published on Brinvilliers' Marquise, decapitated in Greve' place the 17th of July 1676, who was linked to the poison case where several famous people were involved such as Glaser (Perrin Editions). Stephan Lindner has published: *»Au cœur de l'IG Farben, l'usine chimique*

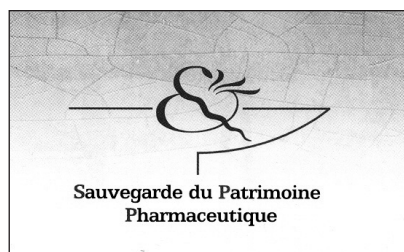
de Hoechst sous le troisième Reich« (Inside IG Farben, the Hoechst chemical plant for the third Reich) (Les Belles Lettres Editions). Thierry Lefebvre and Cécile Raynal published a book dealing with the rotating solariums. This invention was initiated by Dr Saidman (1897-1949), a good specialist of actinotherapy (light therapies and their medical applications). Claude Renner published a book concerning the history of pewter medical objects (EGV-Editions). Jean-Claude Dousset, from Toulouse University, has re-published his book on the history of drugs (*»Histoire des médicaments des origines à nos jours«*, Ovidia Ed., Nice). Finally, Sacha Tomic published *»Aux origines de la chimie organique. Méthodes et pratiques des pharmaciens et des chimistes (1785-1835)«* (At the start of organic chemistry. Methods and usages of pharmacists and chemists), published by Presses Universitaires in Rennes, France. In 2011, we intend to continue our active promotion for the History of pharmacy with a first meeting the 23rd of March and our annual meeting outside Paris will be in Turkey, this year, in April 2011. Our society will also be obviously active for the next Berlin Congress in September 2011.

La Société d'Histoire de la Pharmacie (SHP) a vécu une année 2010 marquée par la disparition de personnalités qui ont beaucoup œuvré pour notre société: Elie Bzoura et Mlle Royer. Nous avons eu une année riche en activités diverses. Ses deux organes de communication: la Revue d'Histoire de la Pharmacie et le site Internet www.shp-asso.org ont tous les deux été très actifs. Notre site publie tous les mois depuis 18 mois une exposition temporaire les dernières ayant porté sur Aesculape, le bézoard, les enseignes d'autrefois et la Pharmacie et les expositions universelles. En ce qui concerne la Revue, elle est toujours en cours de numérisation, depuis son origine en 1913,

ce qui permet dès maintenant aux amateurs d'histoire de la Pharmacie d'accéder à de nombreux articles publiés depuis plus de cinq ans par notre Revue. Cette numérisation sera terminée en 2011. Au cours de l'année 2010, notre Revue a fait paraître 26 études et aura un volume global de plus de 528 pages. Comme chaque année, la SHP avec la famille Maurice Bouvet-Henri Bonnemain a décerné un prix remis par l'Académie Nationale de Pharmacie, prix décerné cette année à deux lauréats Marlène Lanciot, sur le service sanitaire allemand pendant la bataille de Normandie, et à Bruno Belin sur le passé singulier d'une pharmacie de campagne. Par ailleurs, nous avons tenu 5 séances qui ont permis d'entendre 27 communications sur des sujets très divers, dont une séance spéciale consacrée à la Thériaque, et une autre sur Fourcroy. Notre séance hors de Paris a eu lieu cette année dans le bordelais où nous avons pu découvrir Bazas et son apothicairerie, les vignobles de la région et (re)découvrir la ville de Bordeaux. Parmi les très nombreux ouvrages publiés cette année 2010 en France concernant l'histoire de la pharmacie, il faut signaler l'ouvrage de Claude Monneret et Claude Bohuon, membres de l'Académie Nationale de Pharmacie, intitulé «Fabuleux hasards», un excellent ouvrage sur l'histoire de la découverte de médicaments, aux éditions EDP Sciences. Jean-Marie Boëlle a publié «Au bonheur des Thermes», un ouvrage sur l'histoire des stations thermales en Europe, publié aux Editions Glénat. Jacques Liefoghe, Henri Ducoulombier sont publiés un ouvrage sur l'Histoire de la Faculté libre de médecine et de pharmacie de Lille de 1876 à 2003), paru aux Presses Universitaires Septentrion, Villeneuve d'Ascq. Un autre ouvrage intéressant est paru sur la Marquise de Brinvilliers, décapitée en place de Grève le 17 juillet 1676 qui est mêlée à l'affaire des poisons dans laquelle se-

ront impliqués directement ou indirectement de nombreuses personnalités de l'époque dont Glaser. (Editions Perrin). Stephan Lindner a publié: «Au cœur de l'IG Farben, l'usine chimique de Hoechst sous le troisième Reich», aux Editions Les Belles Lettres. Thierry Lefebvre et Cécile Raynal, quant à eux, ont publié un ouvrage consacré aux Solariums tournants inventés par le docteur Jean Saidman (1897-1949), grand spécialiste de l'actinothérapie, c'est-à-dire des radiations lumineuses et de leurs applications médicales. Claude Renner a publié un ouvrage intitulé Histoire Illustrée des Etains médicaux chez EGV-Editions. Jean-Claude Dousset, de la Faculté de Pharmacie de Toulouse, vient de rééditer son ouvrage «Histoire des médicaments des origines à nos jours» aux Editions Ovidia, Nice. Enfin, Sacha Tomic a fait paraître «Aux origines de la chimie organique. Méthodes et pratiques des pharmaciens et des chimistes (1785-1835)», paru aux Presses Universitaires de Rennes. En 2011, nous allons poursuivre la promotion active de l'histoire de la pharmacie avec une première séance à Paris le 23 mars. Notre réunion annuelle hors de Paris se fera en Turquie au mois d'avril 2011. Notre Société participera bien sûr activement au Congrès international de Berlin en septembre prochain.

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FRANCE — SAUVEGARDE DU PATRIMOINE PHARMACEUTIQUE (Jacques Gravé) ■ After a year of transition in 2009, our Society has gathered impetus in 2010.

Trips, cultural excursions and congresses have succeeded during this period. The weekend trip in the spring organized around Lyon allowed our members to visit Boiron's Laboratories and the apothecaries of Montluel, Belleville sur Saône, Chatillon sur Chalaronne and Thoissey. Of course, we also visited the museum of the Rockefeller's Faculty of Pharmacy and the wonderful museum of the Hotel-Dieu de Lyon. The weekend trip in the autumn in Toulouse and Albi was dedicated to the history of the «Pays de Cocagne» and the pastel. We have visited many museums of Toulouse and Albi.

One day in October was devoted to the museum of «Val de Grace» with the Dr. Debat's collection under the leadership of Dr. Ferrandis, President of the French Society for the History of Medicine. Our friend François Chambonnet spent the afternoon visiting the apothecaries of the Invalides on the tracks of Parmentier. All these meetings have always been conducted in a friendly atmosphere with the participation of our members.

Our association was present at the FIP Congress in Lisbon, where it organized the day of history and organized the visit of the Pharmacy's museum. In late september, the President was the guest of the International Congress of the Curators of Health's Museums in Copenhagen.

Finally, with the financial contribution of our members, Sauvegarde du Patrimoine Pharmaceutique has been able to buy the entire late nineteenth century furnishings of a pharmacy.

In 2011 we will continue our cultural trips and weekends. We will be at the FIP Congress in India and at the ISHP Congress in Berlin.

Après une année de transition en 2009, notre association a retrouvé

son dynamisme en 2010. Voyages, sorties culturelles et congrès se sont succédés durant cette période. Le week-end de printemps organisé autour de Lyon a permis à nos adhérents de visiter les Laboratoires Boiron ainsi que les apothicaireries de Montluel, Belleville sur Saône, Thoissey et Chatillon sur Chalaronne. Bien sûr nous nous sommes également rendus au musée de la Faculté de Pharmacie Rockefeller et au merveilleux musée de l'Hôtel-Dieu de Lyon. Le week-end d'automne à Toulouse et Albi nous a permis de s'imprégner de l'histoire du Pastel en pays de Cognac et de visiter les principaux musées de Toulouse.

Une journée en octobre a été consacrée au musée du Val de Grâce avec la collection du Dr Debat sous la conduite du Dr Ferrandis, Président de la Société Française d'Histoire de la Médecine. Notre ami François Chambonnet a consacré l'après-midi à la visite des apothicaireries des Invalides sur les traces de Parmentier. Toutes ces rencontres sont toujours effectuées dans une ambiance conviviale et amicale très appréciée de nos adhérents.

Notre association a été présente au Congrès de la FIP à Lisbonne où elle a organisé la journée d'histoire et la visite du musée de la Pharmacie et à Copenhague au congrès international des conservateurs de musées des sciences de la santé fin septembre.

Enfin avec le montant des adhésions des deux dernières années, SPP a pu faire l'acquisition de l'entier mobilier d'une pharmacie fin XIXème en chêne.

En 2011 nous poursuivrons nos week-ends culturels et nous serons présents au Congrès de la FIP en Inde et au congrès de l'ISHP à Berlin.

GERMANY – THE GERMAN SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF PHARMACY (Christoph Friedrich) ■

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tory of Pharmacy has organised the pharmaceutical-historical Biennial with the topic »Poison and Antidotes in the Past and Present Times«. In eight lectures, different aspects of the topic were discussed. Moreover, PhD students presented posters and held short lectures in the PhD students' forum. The Society awarded the Valentin-Medal in silver for 2008 to Dr. Peter Hartwig Graepel and for 2009 to Dr. Klaus Meyer. For 2008, Peter Norbert Heilmann received the Valentin-Medal in bronze and for 2009 it was given to Dr. Wigand Bohlmann.



The German Society for the History of Pharmacy and its county group Hessen organised a symposium on 25th September 2010 on the occasion of the initiation of the cenotaph of the pharmaceutical historian Hermann Schelenz (1848–1922) and the 50th obit of the great German-American pharmaceutical historian George Urdang (1882–1960). Lectures were held by Dr. Till Fuxius, PD Dr. Frank Leimkugel and Prof. Dr. Gregory Higby, the director of the American Institute of the History of Pharmacy of Madison, USA. At the cenotaph of Schelenz, a speech was held by his great-grandson, Erwin Bockhorn-Vonderbank.

In 2010, the 8th volume of the »Veröffentlichungen zur Pharmaziegeschichte« (Publications on the History of Pharmacy), edited by Prof. Dr. Peter Dilg, was pub-

lished with the title »Pharmazie und Chemie in Goethes Leben und Werk« (Pharmacy and Chemistry in Goethe's life and work).

In 2009, PD Dr. Sabine Anagnostou finished her habilitation and in 2010 was awarded »Privatdozentin« by the Philipps-Universität Marburg. Her investigation has been supported by the Research Fellowship (2003) of the International Society for the History of Pharmacy.

The German Society for the History of Pharmacy cordially invites all members of the ISHP to the International Congress for the History of Pharmacy (14th – 17th September 2011) in Berlin with the topic »Pharmacy and Books«, hoping that many members will participate. The program of the congress is available on the homepage of the ISHP (<http://www.40ichp.org>), printed programs can be ordered from the secretary-general, PD Dr. Axel Helmstädter (Helmstaedter@govi.de) or from the congress organiser in Berlin, Rotraud Mörschner, Niedstr. 3, D-12159 Berlin.

The German Society's number of members has risen to 670, among them are also many students and PhD students of history pharmacy.



HUNGARY - HUNGARIAN SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF PHARMACY (HSHP) (István Grabarits) ■
In the Spring Symposium of the Hungarian Society for the History of Pharmacy (HSHP) Szabolcs Dobson presented the results

of his research on the history of introduction and beginning of manufacturing of penicillin in Hungary.

The 7th Summer University of HSHP was organised this year in Oradea, Romania (formerly known as Nagyvárad). The host of this popular event for students and young pharmacists was the Partium University. The topics of the eight presentations included medicine and pharmacy in the middle ages, history of pharmacy in Nagyvárad, the place of Nagyvárad in Hungarian cultural history, the Czech and Slovakian education of the history of pharmacy. In the Autumn Symposium of HSHP we commemorated our recently deceased member, the excellent researcher, Árpád Blázy. Attila Szabó read a lecture on Sámuel Kazzay, a pharmacist and renowned art and book collector from the city of Debrecen, on the occasion of the 300th anniversary of his birth. The HSHP started a book serial named »Pharmaceutical History Books«. The first volume of this serial (Medicinal Treatises) was published this year. This book was presented by Katalin Kapronczay. In October, HSHP published the reprint version of a map (The Map of Mineral Waters of Hungary), which was unknown until now. The original version was printed in 1849, in Temesvár (today Timișoara, Romania).



HUNGARY – PHARMACY HISTORY DIVISION OF THE HUNGARIAN SOCIETY FOR PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES (HSPS) (Monika Ferentzi) ■ In 2010 the History Division of HSPS has had a successful

year. Many important events took place, among them the 11th National Conference on the History of Pharmacy with foreign guest speakers and visitors.

For the anniversary of the Hungarian Revolution and War of Independence 1848, representatives of the Hungarian Society of Pharmaceutical Sciences – along with other Pharmaceutical Organizations – laid a wreath in the Golden Eagle Pharmacy Museum in Buda on 15 March. Speakers included Monika Ferentzi (Sacrifice for the Community. Obituary on the 162nd Anniversary of the Revolution & War of Independence, 1848-1849).

The 11th National Conference for the History of Pharmacy was held in Kőszeg in May 2010, titled History of Pharmacy in the Heart of Europe. Originally it was planned to be a Conference with Hungarian participants only, but then it was our great pleasure to develop it into an international conference with numerous guests and lecturers from several countries. The scientific programme and the Abstracts of all the lectures were printed in Hungarian and English in a conference booklet. A detailed article on the same meeting appeared in the official Journal of the Hungarian Society of Pharmaceutical Sciences (HSPS) titled »Gyógyszerészet« in July, 2010. The participants heard 19 very interesting lectures and had 2 poster presentations. Beside its historical and scientific success, the social events were splendid, and our Division had a perfect opportunity to strengthen its international relationships. It was our great pleasure to have among us Prof. Müller-Jahncke W-D., honorary President of the International Academy of History of Pharmacy and GSPH in Kőszeg, as well as Professor Dr. Antonio Corvi, President of the Academy of Italian History of Phar-

macy (A.I.S.F.). Professor Corvi was also the leader of an Italian delegation of 32 colleagues who were interested in the history of pharmaceutical sciences. The President of the Conference was Monika Ferentzi; the President of the Scientific Committee was Prof. Mihály Kata, and the secretary of the Scientific Committee was Annamaria Szalay.

On the occasion of the Matyas Rozsnyay Memorial Competition (HSPS) held for Young Pharmacists under 35 years, Annamaria Szalay represented our Section, in the jury. To the proudness of our Division, Kata Toth-Vas won the competition with a lecture on a famous inventor-pharmacists Bela Rethy Snr.

An extraordinary honour to our Division was that the Jozsef-Ernyey-Medallion was awarded to Sandor Dörnyey in 2010.

Our plans for 2011: the Historical Division will cooperate with the journal Voivodina History Survey entitled »Bácsország« (www.bacsorszag.rs). We kindly invite publications on the development of pharmacy in Voivodina (ferentzimonika@t-email.hu). We also plan to organize Historia Scientiae – MMXI – Ginsium – Hungaria 1st Conference on History of Sciences, Kőszeg, Hungary 1-3rd May, 2011. Main topic: The Region's situation in the 15-17th Century: History of Politics, Botany, Medicine, Pharmacy, Religion, Art, Literature, Architecture & Music in this period. We kindly invite lectures and abstracts in Hungarian, German, English and Croatian languages. A new book has been published with the title: The Formation and Development of Pharmacy by Prof. Dr. Istvan Bayer (publisher: Galenus Ltd., 2010, Budapest)

Die Sektion Pharmaziegeschichte der HSPS hat im Jahr 2010 wieder ein interessantes und international ausgerichtetes Programm ausgerichtet.

Am 15. März 2010 fand im Apothekenmuseum zum Goldenen Adler in Buda eine Kranzniederlegung statt. Aus diesem Anlass hielt die Präsidentin der Sektion, Monika Ferentzi eine Gedenkrede »Opfer bringen für die Gemeinschaft. Zum 162. Jahrestag der Revolution und des Freiheitskampfes 1848-49«. Im Mai wurde in Kőszeg/Güns die »XI. Nationale Pharmaziegeschichtliche Konferenz« mit dem Titel »Pharmaziegeschichte in der Mitte Europas« unter Beteiligung von pharmaziehistorischen Wissenschaftlern aus acht Ländern organisiert. Ihr wissenschaftliches Programm und die Zusammenfassung der Vorträge wurde in ungarischer und englischer Sprache veröffentlicht. 19 Vorträge und 2 Poster wurden vorgestellt. Die Konferenz hatte eine besondere Bedeutung im Leben der Sektion und hat viele neue wissenschaftliche Erkenntnisse gebracht. Die ausländischen Beziehungen der HSPS und der Sektion wurden dadurch stark erweitert. Die deutsche und internationale Pharmaziegeschichte wurde von Prof. Dr. W-D. Müller-Jahncke vertreten, der zugleich Ehrenpräsident der Académie Internationale d' Histoire de la Pharmacie ist. An der Konferenz nahm weiterhin Prof. Dr. A. Corvi teil, der Mitglied der Académie und Präsident der A.I.S.F. ist und zugleich Leiter der italienischen Delegation mit 32 Teilnehmer war. Prof. Dr. Imre Klebovich, Präsident der HSPS, begrüßte die Teilnehmer, die einen spannenden Überblick über die europäische Pharmaziegeschichte gaben. Die Jozsef-Ernyey-Ehrenmedaille der Sektion erhielt 2010 Dr. Sandor Dornyei für seine medizin- und pharmaziehistorischen Arbeiten über mehrere Jahrzehnte. Im Mai fand die jährliche Gedenkfeier für »Matyas-Rozsnyay« statt, die der Förderung junger Pharmazeuten aus verschiedenen Fachrichtungen dient. Auf dieser Veranstaltung wurden vier pharmaziehistorische Vorträge gehalten. Frau

A. Szalay war die Vertreterin der Sektion und auch Mitglied der Jury. Den ersten Preis mit der Verleihung der Matyas-Rozsnyay-Medaille erhielt Frau K. Toth-Vas für ihren Vortrag »Bela Rethy sen. und die Andornbons«. Sie erhielt auch den Sonderpreis der Sektion für den besten historischen Vortrag. Unsere Pläne für 2011: die »Bacsorszag« (www.bacsorszag.rs) die Heimatkennntnis – Rundschau in Serbien hat mit unserer Sektion eine thematische pharmaziegeschichtliche Arbeit vor; dazu werden Publikationen erwartet über der Entwicklung der Pharmazie in Woivodine (ferentzimonika@t-email.hu). Geplant und in Vorbereitung ist »Historia scientiae – MMXI – Ginsium – Hungaria. I. Wissenschaftsgeschichtliche Konferenz« im Mai 2011 in Kőszeg/Güns mit den Themen: Kunst-, Literatur-, Architektur- und Musikgeschichte. Zur Konferenz werden Vorträge in ungarischer, deutscher, englischer und kroatischer Sprache erwartet. Das Buch »Genesis and development of Pharmacy« (ungarisch) von Prof. Dr. I. Bayer wird veröffentlicht.



ITALY – ACADEMY OF ITALIAN HISTORY OF PHARMACY (Antonio Corvi) ■ Piacenza, 29 November 2009.

Celebration of the 700th anniversary of the opening of the first pharmacy of this city in 1309. The event had a great audience participation.

Milan, 7 March 2010.

Assembly of the Academy.

Members have approved some amendments to the Statutes and elected a new Council of Association.

Milan, 11 April 2010.

Council shall set the assignments and statutory charges: A. Corvi, President; A. Beccarelli, Vice-president; Vittorio Cassani, administrator; M. Zini, secretary. Advisers: G. Cipriani, P. Lomagno, C. Rubiola, G. Rampino, M. Betti, P. Cinzano.

Koszeg (Hungary), 21-23 May 2010.

A delegation of the Academy participated in the International Congress of History of Pharmacy. Historical – scientific relations: A. Corvi, A. e G. Peroni, M. Zini, G. Cipriani, A. Beccarelli e A.M. Monti, G. du Ban.

Bari, Normanno Svevo castle, 13-14 November 2010.

The 60th National Congress on the History of Pharmacy, titled »The pharmaceutical profession and the scientific, social and political implications. The ancient history of a modern aid«.

The conference was chaired by Senator D'Ambrosio Lettieri and organized by the National Academy of History of Pharmacy and the Bari Chamber of Pharmacists with the sponsorship of the National Federation of Chambers of Pharmacists. During the congress lecturers spoke about the profound process of change and discussed the years lived by pharmacy and pharmacists in Italy. The evolution of organizational models was moved ahead by the changing needs of the citizen, and by a new political view of the society.

The tenth edition of the calendar of ancient pharmacies was presented on the first day. During these 10 years the calendar has showed more than 120 photos of antique furniture in open pharmacies. Senator D'Ambrosio has submitted a bill for the protection and restoration of these pieces of art. An exhibition of ancient pottery from local pharmacies has had over 5000 visitors in the Norman-Swabian Castle.



JAPAN – THE JAPANESE SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF PHARMACY (Koji Yamakawa) ■ Asia has a long and complex history of pharmacy. Although the traditional medicines of China, India and other Asian countries are now becoming popular again as treatments in many hospitals and pharmacies around the world, there is still much to learn about them. Through research on the history of pharmacy conducted by members of the Japanese Society for the History of Pharmacy (JSHP), it is possible to broaden the knowledge of modern medicine and pharmaceutical science. JSHP will continue to strive to make advances in pharmaceutical science research through the study of the history of pharmacy.

Activities of JSHP in 2010

Meetings and Special Lectures

(A) General Assembly Meeting

The Japanese Society for History of Pharmacy (JSHP) held a general assembly meeting followed by two special lectures on 18 April 2010 at the Graduate School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, University of Tokyo. The two special lecturers were the following.

- (1) *Dr. Kiyoshi Kawase*, professor emeritus of Tokyo University of Pharmacy and Life Sciences and honorary member of JSHP, gave a lecture on »The Fifty-Year History of the Japanese Society for History of Pharmacy.«
- (2) *Dr. Akira Kanematsu*, professor emeritus of Kyushu

University, made a lecture entitled »The Science of Narcotics: the History of Morphine.«

(B) Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of JSHP took place on 13 November 2010 at Tokyo University of Science. There were 21 presentations by JSHP members and two special lectures by the following specialists.

- (1) *Dr. Hiroshi Wada*, professor at Tokyo University of Science, made a lecture entitled »A Study of the Specimens of Siebold from the perspective of Pharmaceutical Science.«
- (2) *Dr. Jiro Endo*, a member of JSHP, gave a lecture with *Dr. Tatsuhiko Suzuki* of Kitasato University Oriental Medicine Research Center entitled »From Gansanhō Pills and Powders to Tōekihō Liquids.«

(C) Shibata Forum

JSHP also held the Shibata Forum at Hoshi University on 23 August 2010. *Dr. Shibata*, aged 94, is a former president of JSHP and the most important scholar in the field of Japanese pharmaceutical science. By organizing this event annually, *Dr. Shibata's* knowledge and experience can be shared with younger generations of researchers. At this year's Forum, *Dr. Terumi Nakajima*, president of Hoshi University made a special lecture entitled »The History of Research on the Poison of Insects.« After the Forum, there was a tour of Hoshi University, which has a 100-year history, and a viewing of the numerous historical artifacts in the Hoshi Memorial Room.

(C) Five Societies Meeting

The five societies, which include the Japanese Societies for the History of Pharmacy, Medicine, Dentistry, Nursing and Veterinary Science, held a meeting on 11 December at Juntendo Uni-

versity School of Medicine. At this year's meeting, *Dr. Kazuo Matsumoto*, member of JSHP, gave a speech entitled »A History of Pharmaceutical Technology in Doshōmachi, Osaka.«

Photographs of some of these activities described above can be found on the JSHP website.

<http://yakushi.umin.jp/e.htm>

JSHP Activities in 2011

International Exchange and Meetings

(1) International Exchange with China at the General Assembly Meeting

JSHP has invited the Chinese scholar, *Dr. Hao Jin Da*, a specialist of the Chinese history of pharmacy, to give a special lecture in April 2011 at the annual general assembly meeting at Tokyo University. This lecture will be open to the public with interpretation into Japanese.

(2) International Exchange with Korea

International exchange between Korean and Japanese researchers will also continue in 2011. Some JSHP members also plan to conduct studies of ancient/modern North Asian history of pharmacy.

(3) Annual Meeting

JSHP will hold the annual meeting on 12 November at Kinjo-Gakuin University with presentations by members and special lectures by invited speakers.

(4) Shibata Forum

The Shibata Forum will be held in the summer 2011.

JSHP Publications

(A) Publications in 2010

- (1) *The Japanese Journal for History of Pharmacy (Yakushigaku-Zasshi)* Volume 45, Numbers 1 and 2.
- (2) JSHP Newsletter (*Yakushi-Letter*), Numbers 55-57.

A downloadable PDF version of all the articles from



Volume 33, published in 1998, to the most current issue is available at Medical Online. <http://www.meteorintergate.com>

(B) *Publications in 2011*

(1) *The Japanese Journal for the History of Pharmacy (Yakushigaku-Zasshi)*
JSHP will publish Volume 46 and the JSHP newsletter (*Yakushi-Letter*).

(2) *Chronicles of the Pharmaceutical Society of Japan (PSJ) 2006-2010*

In 2011, JSHP will begin editing the *Chronicles of the Pharmaceutical Society of Japan*, published every five years.

(C) *Publications on the History and Study of Pharmacy in Japanese*

JSHP would like to inform readers of some important recent publications on the history of pharmacy in Japan and a unique comic (manga) about the life of a student at a Japanese college of pharmacy.

(1) *Akira Hattori: Inrō and Drugs – Drugs and Packages in the Edo Era (Inrō to Kusuri)*, Fūei-sha, 2010, 255 pages, ISBN: 978-4-434-14871-2.

During the Edo Era (1603-1868), many travelers including not only samurai on their official visits to Edo but also ordinary people on pilgrimages to Ise Shrine used to prepare packages of medicines, the most popular type being pillboxes or inrō. In his book, *Dr. Hattori*, an executive member of JSHP, describes the people who made these journeys and the medicines they brought with them.

(2) *Kiyonobu Ohashi: Stories about the History of Pharmacy (Yakushi Kobore Banashi)*, Toyama Pharmaceutical Association, 2008,

466 pages. Dr. Ohashi, an honorary member of JSHP, lives and works in Toyama Prefecture. Toyama is well-known in Japan for its traditional medicines and unique merchandising business. Dr. Ohashi presents the reader not only with anecdotes on the local Toyama history of pharmacy, but also international episodes on pharmaceutical science.

(3) *Takashi Nishikawa: The Social Journal of Medicine (Kusuri no Shakaishi)*, Yakuji-Nippō-sha, 2010, 313 pages, ISBN 78-4-8408-1113-2.

The modern system of pharmaceutical science was introduced to Japan from Europe and the United States in the mid-19th century. This book, written by Dr. Nishikawa, an executive member of JSHP, contains 33 stories about the introduction of pharmaceutical science over the last 150 years from the social science perspective.

(4) *Bunko Kitano: Female Pharmacy Student (Yakugaku Joshi)*, PHP, 2010, ISBN 978-4-569-77979-9.

Ms. Kitano studied at a school of pharmacy in the United States before returning to Japan to enter a school of pharmacy in Hokkaido. Her manga contains many humorous and entertaining episodes about her life, classmates and teachers. At the same time, it also describes the typical experiences of pharmaceutical science students in 21st century Japan.

NORWAY – THE NORWEGIAN SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF PHARMACY (Yngve Torud) ■ The General Assembly of the Norwegian Society for the History

of Pharmacy was held on March 23th, and the board re-elected with Yngve Torud as the leader. After the assembly, the retreating and the entering director of the official Norwegian Poison Information Centre (prof.dr. Erik Andrew and dr. Berit Muan) explained to us the organization and practical work of their office, and gave a survey of actual poisonous accidents in Norway.



We are now entering a project where we will localize and describe all museums and collections of the history of pharmacy in our country. The project will be published in our national journal *Cygnus*.

We are still maintaining our support of the journal *Cygnus*. In 2010, we distributed the 16th issue of the journal to all our members. The vice president of our society, Gunvor Solheim, is the president of the editorial board of *Cygnus*. In addition to *Cygnus*, we have issued twice this year our newsletter for the history of pharmacy.

At the annual meeting of the Norwegian Pharmaceutical Society October 28th to 30th, our society was as usual responsible for the section for the history of pharmacy. We are now trying to emphasize contemporary history, and ten communications were presented, all of them with themes from the last decades of our history. The communications will all be published in the journal *Cygnus*.

Our members have taken part in the open days of the National

Folks Museum in August and December, guiding and demonstrating pharmaceutical techniques. We also continue our work with registration of incoming books and objects to the Pharmacy Museum. Our members also have taken part in arranging an exhibition at the Pharmacy Museum dealing with pharmacists' contributions to art, music and literature.

Some books of interest to the history of pharmacy

Sykehusapotek gjennom 150 år (Hospital Pharmacy during 150 years) Oslo 2006. Nina Refsum (editor), language Norwegian, Published on own expence. 256 pages. Price NOK 250.-

The book deals with the development of hospital pharmacy in Norway since the first pharmacy was opened at the State Hospital in Oslo. Their structure, organization and legislation are described. Further, the book gives a survey of the actual tasks, the practical work and the important pharmacists in the area.

Farmasøytene historie i Norge 1858-2008 (The Pharmacists' History in Norway 1858-2008) Oslo 2009. Olav Hamran, language Norwegian, Publisher: Forlaget Press, 311 pages. Price NOK 400.-

The history of the Norwegian Association of pharmacists, how it grew from a small professional and scientific society in 1858, to a powerful union of pharmacists, negotiating with the pharmacy proprietors.

Riktig medisin. En historie om apotekvesenet (The Right Medicine? A Story of Norwegian Pharmacy) Oslo 2010. Olav Hamran, language Norwegian, Publisher: Pax forlag, 391 pages. NOK 399.-

The book describes how a strong concession system was built up after the Second World War, under control of the government and the pharmaceutical organiza-

tions, and how this system suddenly in 2001 through a new Act of Pharmacy was changed into the most liberal pharmaceutical system in Europe. The book also deals with the period after 2001, how the system worked out and which modifications had to be made.

Samfunnsfarmasi – legemiddelbruk og farmasøytisk profesjonssutøvelse (Social and Administrative Pharmacy, Drug Use and the Pharmaceutical Profession) Bergen 2010. Anne Gerd Granås, Kjersti Bakken (editors) language Norwegian, Publisher: Fagbokforlaget. 300 pages. Price NOK 509.-

This book is dealing with the function of pharmacy and pharmacists, drugs and drug use in society. Both history, legislation and organization are themes. Further, drug epidemiology, drug use and misuse, drug information work and drug use in a global perspective. The book is mainly meant as a textbook for students.

The book on Hospital pharmacy must be ordered directly to: Sykehusapoteket ved Rikshospitalet N-0027 Oslo; E-mail: Nina.refsum@sykehusapotekene.no

The other books may be ordered through a common book store, or different web sites.



POLAND – THE POLISH SOCIETY OF PHARMACY. DEPARTMENT HISTORY OF PHARMACY (Jadwiga Brzezińska) ■ On 24th-27th June

2010, a symposium of history of pharmacy was held in Sanok. Delegations from Romania, Lithuania and Germany took part in it. 30 papers have been presented. The monuments of the city and its surroundings were visited. The Section of History of Pharmacy in Rzeszów (Lidia Czyż) were the organizers. On 12th-15th September 2010 a Congress of Polish Society of Pharmacy was held in Gdańsk. 20 papers were presented on the session of history of pharmacy.

On 15th-16th June 2010 a Congress of Polish Society of History of Medicine and Pharmacy was held in Łódź, where a few papers were presented by pharmacists.

On 16th-19th September 2010 the Section of History of Pharmacy organized a touring symposium in Bieszczady (the south of Poland). 6 papers, which dealt with ethical issues, were presented. Saint Cosmas and Damian as well as Saint Leonardi are the ethical models for pharmacists.

On 27. 05 – 06 .06. 2010 the Section of History of Pharmacy in Bydgoszcz (Bartłomiej Qodyński) organized an excursion to Norway during which 20 papers were presented. Some historical monuments, museums of pharmacy and medicine were visited.

During a conference on 5th-6th November 2010 in Kołobrzeg, which dealt with the history of the city, some problems of pharmacists in XVII century were discussed (Jadwiga Brzezińska).

As every year, in December 2010, too, a competition of master's thesis concerning history of pharmacy was held in Warsaw.

On the International Competition Saladino Ascoli Satriano (Italy) for the master's thesis concerning the history of medicine and pharmacy two Polish pharmacists, M.A. Joanna Szczęsny (Wrocław) and M.A. Joanna Przybło (Koszalin) received I.

and II. prize. 25th June 2010 this competition was aimed at the historians of pharmacy from 27 countries and to pay tribute to the doctor from Ascola of XII century, Saladino Ascoli Satriano, who was the author of the Compendium Aromatariorum. This book was used by all pharmacists from XII. to XVI. century as the first pharmacopoeia.

In Stargard Szczeciński, thanks to a pharmacist M. A. Jerzy Waliszewski, a new permanent museum exhibition of history of pharmacy was opened. During the Days of Stargard City the production process of teriak by a pharmacists from XVII. was demonstrated for the public. The theatre performance was prepared and played by the contemporary pharmacist of this city Jerzy Waliszewski. Three people got a title of the PhD of pharmacy for the historical works: Marcin Możdżan from Łódź, Lucyna Samborska and Maciej Bilek from Cracow. 30 scientific books dealing with the history of pharmacy have been published.



ROMANIA – THE ROMANIAN SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF PHARMACY (Ana Carata) ■
The Romanian Society for the History of Pharmacy at the Twentieth Anniversary 1991-2011

The Romanian Society for the History of Pharmacy (SRIF) had an extensive activity from its foundation (June 13th, 1991).

SRIF has firmly established itself in the scientific field by organizing national and international scientific meetings, via publications on the the history of pharmacy and by developing regional structures.

Scientific activity

Our scientific activity included 15 national meetings, four international scientific events on the history of pharmacy in Romania, the presentation of works of our members in all the congresses organized by the International Society and also the FIP Congress, Basel, 2008. The members of our Society always have scientific sessions at SRIF and the Romanian Society of History of Medicine in Bucharest. Our Society has a logo registered at OSIM (State Office for Inventions and Trademarks), Storage no.M 2008 04 172. Among the publications of 2010, we should mention two books on the history of pharmacy, published by Prof. Dr. *Ana Carata*: the first entitled *Creators of museums and collections of the history of pharmacy in Romania and International Relations* (Conf. Dr. Pharm.Zizi St. Fârșirotu, 95 years old (with a co-author), 175 pages), the second book, *The History of Pharmacy – Comparisons and lecture schemes for students*, is a 200-page manual. Since 2004, SRIF has annually published the summaries of national meetings.

Organizational and social activity

The number of full members has grown from 47 founding members in 1991 to over 200 today. From the social point of view SRIF supported the activity of young researchers in the history of pharmacy at the FIP Congress in 2008 and also IGGP Congress, Vienna 2009. In 1992, SRIF founded a medal »Professor Doctor Alexandru Ionescu-Matiu, three classes (I, II, III), which was awarded to foreign honorary members including Dr. Pierre Julien (1921-2007) (France) Dr. Antonio

Corvi (Italy), Dr. WD Müller-Jahncke (Germany), Prof. Dr. Ingeve Torud (at Norway), Prof. Dr. François Ledermann (Switzerland), Dr. Ramon Jordi Gonzales (1926-2007), (Spain) Dr. Jadwiga Brzezynska (Poland), Prof. Dr. Karoly Zala (Hungary), Dr. Ovidius Maior (Germany, of Romanian origin) and Prof. Dr. Gabriel Ratz (Hungary) In 2010 the SRIFmembers participated with several works (verbal communications and posters) in the National Congress of Pharmacy in Romania, on 13th to 16th October. Among the works presented in the congress program, we should mention *Pharmaceutical Publications of Heritage from XVth-XVI Century* made by Lucian Mihai Stanescu, our fourth-year university student. The work, in collaboration, was based on the old medical-pharmaceutical book collection stored in the Central Library of our university, »Carol Davila« in Bucharest. In the history of pharmacy optional course the students' perception was tested; they were asked the following question: How was your attitude to pharmacy influenced by the lecture? The students' answers showed us that the purpose, mission, status and future of the discipline of history of pharmacy were well understood by the students, with responsibility. Here are some answers: the history of farmacy teaches us how the pharmacy and medicine has evolved over the centuries, at different peoples, in relation with the medicine; the history of pharmacy has made us better understand our profession and mission in the public health field. Among the problems that appeared in the Council in 2010 and 2011 we should mention the works for the National Museum of the History of Pharmacy, the scientific research, the development of the international relations, the attraction of the young people in the research of the history of pharmacy, other publications in the field.

From the president's initiative, in 2011, the second volume *International relations of the Romanian pharmacists* will be published. It will also include biographies of the honorary members of SRIF, foreign and Romanian members.

La Société Roumaine de l'Histoire de la Pharmacie (SRHP) a déployé une riche activité depuis sa fondation (13 Juin 1991). La SRHP s'est affirmée sur le plan scientifique par la mise au point de manifestations scientifiques nationales et internationales, par les publications des travaux d'histoire de la pharmacie, et sur le plan organisationnel, par le développement de ses structures régionales.

Concernant l'activité scientifique.

L'activité scientifique s'est matérialisée jusqu'à présent par 15 Réunions Nationales; 4 manifestations internationales d'histoire de la pharmacie en Roumanie; depuis 1991, la SRHP a été représentée à tous les Congrès Internationaux d'Histoire de la Pharmacie (CIHP), organisés par la Société Internationale (SIHP), (IG-GP-Internationale Gesellschaft für die Geschichte der Pharmazie); également, au Congrès de la FIP 2008, à Bâle.

Nos membres présentent en permanence des travaux scientifiques, aux sessions trimestrielles de la SRHP et à la Société Roumaine de l'Histoire de la Médecine, à Bucarest.

*Parmi les publications de l'an 2010, ont été réalisés deux livres d'histoire de la pharmacie, écrits par Prof. Dr. Ana Carta: – le premier intitulé *Créateurs de musées et de collections d'histoire de la pharmacie en Roumanie et relations internationales* (Conf. Dr. Pharm. Zisi St. Fârșirotu, 95 ans –, avec une co-auteur, 175 pages); – le deuxième livre intitulé *l'Histoire de la Pharmacie – Comparaisons et Schémas de cours pour les étudiants* – est un manuel de 200 pages. Depuis 2004, an par an, la SRHP publie les résumés des travaux des Réunions Nationales.*

Au plan organisationnel et social

Le nombre des membres de la SRHP a crû de 47 membres fondateurs en

1991, jusqu'au plus de 200 titulaires en présent. Notre société a un sigle enregistré à l'Office d'État pour des Inventions et des Marques (OSIM), Dépôt numéro M 2008 04172.

Au plan social, la SRHP a soutenu la participation de deux étudiantes, comme auteurs, au Congrès de la FIP, à Bâle (Basel) en 2008 et également, la participation des quelques jeunes chercheurs en histoire de la pharmacie, au Congrès International de la SIHP à Vienne, en 2009.

Depuis 1992, la SRHP a une médaille »Professeur Dr. Alexandro Ionesco-Matiou« (en roumaine, Alexandru Ionescu-Matiu), trois classes, (Ie, Iie, IIIe), qui a été réalisée à l'initiative du secrétaire perpétuel Dr. Constantin Iugulesco (1924-2006), avec l'aide financier du Professeur Dr. Gheoghe Mermeze, de la Faculté de Pharmacie, Oradea. Cette médaille a été conférée aux membres d'honneur d'étranger et de la Roumanie, parmi: Dr. Pierre Julien (1921–2007) (France), Dr. Antonio Corvi (l'Italie), Prof. Dr. W.D. Müller-Jahncke (l'Allemagne), Prof. Dr. Ingve Torud (la Norvège), Prof. Dr. François Ledermann (la Suisse), Dr. Ramon Jordi Gonzales (Barcelone, l'Espagne), Dr. Jadwiga Brzezynska (la Pologne), Prof. Dr. Karoly Zalai (l'Hongrie), Dr. Ovidius Maior (de l'Allemagne, d'origine roumaine), Prof. Dr. Gabriel Ratz, (professeur à Târgu-Mure, en présent à Budapest, l'Hongrie) .

*En 2010, nos membres ont participé par plusieurs travaux (communications verbales et posters), au Congrès National de Pharmacie de Roumanie, entre le 13–16 Octobre 2010. Parmi les travaux inscrits, il est méritoire de mentionner la communication orale sur l'histoire de la pharmacie, faite par notre étudiant Mihai-Lucian Stănescu de IVe année d'étude universitaire. Le travail, en collaboration, s'est référé aux *Pharmaceutical Publications of Heritage from XVth-XVI Century*, dans la Bibliothèque de l'Université de Médecine et Pharmacie »Charles Davila de Bucarest.*

Dans le cadre du cours optionnel de l'histoire de la pharmacie, on a cherché à évaluer la perception des étudiants sur ce cours. Ils devaient

répondre aux questions suivantes: Comment a été influencée votre personnalité à la suite de l'audition du cours? Les réponses de nos étudiants, nous ont montré que le but, la mission, le statut et le futur de l'histoire de la pharmacie dans l'enseignement universitaire pharmaceutique, ont été bien compris par les étudiants, avec la responsabilité. Voilà quelques réponses: l'histoire de la pharmacie nous enseigne comment ont évolué la pharmacie et le médicament au long des siècles, chez les différents peuples, en relation avec la médecine; en même temps, l'histoire de la pharmacie nous a permis de comprendre mieux notre profession et notre mission dans la santé publique.

Parmi les problèmes qui ont été à la charge du Conseil de la SRHP pour l'année 2010, et qui le seront aussi pour 2011, nous mentionnons: les travaux pour le Musée National de l'Histoire de la Pharmacie; de continuer à faire de la recherche scientifique; de développer les relations internationales des pharmaciens roumains; l'activité d'attirer des jeunes dans la recherche dans le domaine de l'histoire de la pharmacie; la réalisation de publications.

Par l'initiative du Président, on publiera le 2e volume des relations internationales des pharmaciens roumains, (après le 1er en 2004); dans ce dernier volume nous publierons les Biographies des membres d'honneur et honorifiques de la SRHP, étrangers et roumains.



SWEDISH ACADEMY OF
PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

SWEDEN – THE SWEDISH ACADEMY OF PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES (Björn Lindeke) ■ As the result of the reprivatization of the Swedish pharmacies in 2009, the Academy in 2010 turned out to become the custodian of numerous documents and additional bits and ends reflecting

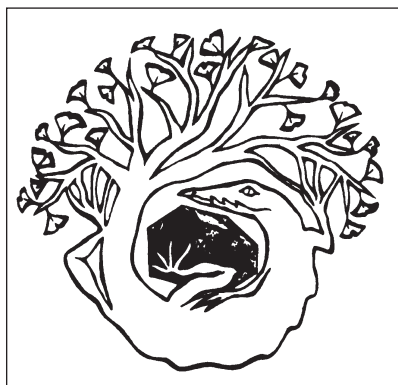
the work of the profession in the 20th century. Also, following an almost endless number of mergers within the drug industry during the last decades, the relocation of major parts of Swedish industrial enterprises abroad has urged the necessity of documentation and conservation of vital historical events. The evening of May 27th was devoted to a visit of an exhibition, arranged by the Hagströmer Medico-historical library, at the Waldermarsudde art museum in Stockholm, covering artistic documents from Vesalius to Lennart Nilsson; a number of objects from the Society's collections were on display. In October a study tour was arranged to visit the Museum of Pharmacy at the Jagellonian University in Cracow where the participants were met with great hospitality and excellent guidance by Dr. Bela and his colleagues. A suite of old, profession-related movies were up on the screen in the evening of October 28th. The films were shown and commented upon, which turned out to be a very popular event. Presentations at the Annual Swedish Pharmaceutical Conference, November 8-10, comprised:

- *A portrait of C. D. Carlsson, pharmacist collector and donor* (by B. Lindeke).
- *The Turbuhaler™ - development and experiences* (by C. Carling & E. Carling P),
- *Leo Pharma Historical Archives and Museum* (report from a visit by L. Ernerot)
- *Historical notations about the pharmacies in Skellefteå and its surrounding country* (J.-E. Ögren)
- *Three decades of biomedical research at the Hospital Pharmacy in Malmö* (by P. Stenberg) and
- *The documentation of the history of hospital pharmacy, a laborious task* (by F. Fritzon).

On December 1st the exhibition showing the history of the Swedish

Leo Industries (*Leo Nostalgicus*) – from its very beginning, through numerous mergers to finally becoming part of McNeil – reopened within the McNeil premises in Helsingborg. Here the former Leo employees and fellow historians, Jerker Ahlin and co-workers, have done an excellent job.

The Swedish Academy of Pharmaceutical Sciences is the co-organiser of an exhibition at the Swedish Museum of Glass in Växjö (<http://www.smalandsmuseum.se>) which focuses on Swedish pharmacies and its glassware during 300 centuries. The exhibition will continue through September 2011. The ongoing research on the content of the medical chest from the wreck of the 17th century Swedish man-of-war HMS Kronan (<http://www.kalmarlansmuseum.se/1/1.0.1.0/4/1/>) has continued, and has been the theme for several evening seminars, this year also in Norway (B. Lindeke and B. Ohlson). As previously, the organisation has bestowed lectures in the history of pharmacy at the University of Uppsala (B. Ohlson).



SWITZERLAND – THE SWISS SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF PHARMACY (Ursula Hirter-Trüb) ■ The Baden-Württemberg regional groups of the German Society for the History of Pharmacy and the Swiss Society for the History of Pharmacy held a joint meeting on the history of pharmacy in Basel at the weekend of 23-24th October, 2010. Over 100 participants visited this event mottoed »Drugs do not have to be bitter«. In the oral presentation block on Saturday, Prof. Dr. F. Ledermann (Bern,

CH) presented the semiluxury foods of the Bern Pharmacognosy Collection. Dr. T. Langebner (Linz/A) talked about Cocoa and Chocolate from the viewpoint of »Drink of the Gods and Potion of Love«. Dr. G. Hanke held a presentation on Darmol® and Dr. Leimkugel (Mülheim) on Manna. At the end of the Saturday programme, participants visited the pharmaceutical company Hoffmann – La Roche, where they were introduced to the fayence collection, the history of architecture of the plant and the art collection of the company. An excellent evening party took place in the guild room of the Basel Safran guild. On Sunday, following the annual meetings of the different societies, Dr. Ursula Hirter-Trüb (Basel/CH) talked about the Energy drink »Ovomaltin«. Prof. Dr. Chr. Krekel (Stuttgart/D) reviewed colour pigments, which previously had been available only in pharmacies. Before visiting the Museum of History of Pharmacy, the venue of this meeting, Dr. Michael Kessler (Basel/CH), the director introduced the special exhibition »Caféine – the global addictive drug«, planned for 2012. The meeting was successful, beyond the expectation of participants from different societies, because not only science and culture were in the centrepiece, but there was sufficient time to develop human relationships, too.

The following changes took place in the management board of the Swiss Society: after more than 16 years, François Ledermann retired from Presidency. The laudatory speech on His work was held by Claudia Zerobin, at the end of the scientific part of the meeting. Ursula Hirter-Trüb has been elected new President and Christoph Tschupp new Chairman of the Board, with applause.

Gemeinsam mit den Landesgruppen Baden und Württemberg der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Geschichte der Pharmazie und der Schweizerischen Gesellschaft für Geschichte der Pharmazie fand am Wochenende vom 23./24. Oktober 2010 eine pharmaziegeschichtliche Tagung in Basel statt. Über 100 Teilnehmende

hatten sich für diesen Anlass eingeschrieben, welcher unter dem Motto »Arznei muss nicht bitter sein« stand. In den Vortragsblöcken stellte am Samstag Prof. Dr. F. Ledermann (Bern/CH) die Genussmittel der Berner pharmakognostischen Sammlung vor, Dr. T. Langebner (Linz/A) hielt einen Vortrag über Cacao und Schokolade unter dem Aspekt »Götterspeise und Liebestrank«, Dr. G. Hanke sprach über Darmol[®], PD Dr. F. Leimkugel (Mülheim/D) sprach über seine Erkenntnisse zur Manna. Zur Abrundung des Tages pilgerte die Gruppe zur Fa. Hoffmann-La Roche, wo Führungen durch Teile der Fayence-Sammlung, zur Architektur im Fabrikgelände und zur Kunstsammlung der Firma gemacht wurden. Der Abend fand in geselligem Rahmen im Zunftsaal der Basler Safranzunft bei ausgelassener Stimmung statt. Nach den Jahresversammlungen der verschiedenen Gesellschaften am Sonntag sprach Dr. Ursula Hirter-Trüb (Basel/CH) über das Energiegetränk »Ovomaltine«, Prof. Dr. Chr. Krekel (Stuttgart/D) führte durch das Thema der Farbpigmente, welche früher nur beim Apotheker erhältlich waren. Bevor Dr. Michael Kessler (Basel/CH), Hausherr des Pharmaziehistorischen Museums, dem Tagungsort, durchs Museum führte, wies er auf die für 2012 geplante Sonderausstellung zu »Coffein – das globale Suchtmittel« hin. Die Tagung hatte alle Erwartungen der Teilnehmer und Teilnehmerinnen der verschiedenen Gesellschaften übertroffen, denn nicht nur die Wissenschaft und Kultur waren berücksichtigt worden, auch für zwischenmenschliche Beziehungen war genügend Zeit vorgesehen worden.

Mutationen im Vorstand der Gesellschaft sind folgende zu melden: François Ledermann gab

nach insgesamt über 16 Jahren das Präsidium der Gesellschaft ab. Seine Arbeit wurde verdankt, die Laudatio im Anschluss an den wissenschaftlichen Teil der Tagung von Claudia Zerobin verlesen. Mit Applaus wurden Ursula Hirter-Trüb zur neuen Präsidentin und Christoph Tschupp in den Vorstand gewählt.

Le congrès annuel de la Société suisse d'histoire de la pharmacie se tint à Bâle les 23 et 24 octobre 2010, ensemble avec les sociétés allemandes du Bade et du Württemberg. Plus de 100 personnes participèrent à cette réunion placée sous le thème «Tous les médicaments ne sont pas amers». Six conférences furent tenues: le samedi, F. Ledermann parla des stimulants du droguier bernois, T. Langberger du chocolat et du cacao, G. Hanke sur la spécialité Darmol[®], Frank Leimkugel sur la manne en Terre Sainte. Suivirent une visite de la collection de céramiques de Roche, augmentée d'un parcours sur l'architecture et sur la collection d'art du laboratoire bâlois. Un repas à la corporation des pharmaciens, celle du Safran, clôt la première journée. Le dimanche, après les assemblées générales des deux sociétés, trois exposés complèterent la partie scientifique, Celle d'U. Hirter-Trüb sur l'Ovomaltine, de Chr. Krekel sur les couleurs de peintres que les pharmaciens vendaient dans le passé et celle de M. Kessler, le conservateur du musée bâlois d'histoire de la pharmacie où se déroula la réunion, sur la caféine. Après une visite du musée et un apéritif dans la salle des vases, les participants retournèrent chez eux, heureux d'une manifestation qui mêla avec succès la culture et la science, sans oublier les rapports humains.

Le Bureau de la Société suisse

d'histoire de la pharmacie subit quelques modifications: François Ledermann, après 16 ans à la tête de la Société, remit sa charge à la nouvelle présidente Ursula Hirter-Trüb. Christoph Tschupp fut élu au Comité.

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