pensed on the prescription of a medical practitioner, or otherwise legally dispensed or sold, and shall include the proper and safe storage and distribution of drugs, the maintenance of proper records, therefor, and the responsibility of providing information, as required, concerning such drugs and medicines and their therapeutic values and uses in the treatment and prevention of disease.

The words "drug" and "devices" shall not include surgical or dental instruments, physical therapy equipment, x-rays apparatus, their component parts or accessories.

The "practice of pharmacy" shall not include the operations of a manufacturer or wholesaler as prescribed in Section 269 and Section 270A of Article 43 of the Annotated Code of Maryland.

(b) A "Pharmacy" means and includes every establishment or institution where (1) the practice of the profession of pharmacy is conducted; (2) drugs, medicines or medicinal chemicals are dispensed, offered for sale, given away or displayed for sale at retail; (3) where prescriptions are compounded or dispensed; or (4) which has upon it or displayed within it or affixed to or used in connection with it, a sign bearing the word or words, "pharmacist," "pharmacy," "apothecary," "drugstore," "druggist," "drugs," "medicines," "Medicine store," "health aids," "drug sundries," "remedies," or any word or words of similar or like import, or where the characteristic show bottles or globes filled with colored liquid or otherwise colored, are exhibited on any store or shop or other place, or with respect to which any of the above words are used in any advertisement. THE EFFECT OF WHICH WOULD TEND TO INDICATE THAT THE PRACTICE OF PHARMACY IS BEING CONDUCTED IN SUCH ESTABLISHMENT.

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Said Board shall organize by the election of a president, secretary and treasurer, who shall serve for the term of one year and who shall perform the duties prescribed by the Board. Meetings for the examinations of applicants for registration shall be held on the first Thursday in April and October in each year, in the City of Baltimore, or at such times and places as may be fixed upon by the Board; provided, that ten days' public notice of the hour and place of each meeting at which there is an examination of candidates for registration shall be given. It shall be the duty of the Board to receive all applicants for examination and registration submitted in proper form, to grant certificates to such persons as may be entitled to the same hereunder, to report annually to the Governor and the Maryland Pharmaceutical Association upon the condition of pharmacy in the State, which report shall also furnish a record of the proceedings of the Board, as well as the names of all persons registered under these provisions; to keep a book in which shall be registered the names and places of business of all persons so registered, and all facts pertaining to the granting of certificates. The said Board shall have the power to adopt any rules and bylaws not inconsistent herewith necessary to the transaction of the business of the Board, to demand and receive from applicants the fees herein provided, which shall by the treasurer of the Board be paid to the Treasurer of the State. The Board may promulgate rules and regulations, in accordance with the provisions of Article 41 Sections 244 to 256, inclusive, known as The Administrative Procedure Act, governing the standards of prac-