Opinion No. 282.

Optometry, Practice of-Trade Name -Corporate Name.

HELD: An optometrist may not practice under a trade or corporate name.

May 12, 1936.

Dr. F. H. Keller Secretary, Montana State Board of Examiners in Optometry Kalispell, Montana

You have asked whether it is lawful for an optometrist to practice his profession under a trade or corporate name.

You are advised that Chapter 171, Laws of 1925, Section 2, Subdivision 6, provides: "It shall be unlawful for any person * * to practice optometry under a false or assumed name."

While no facts are stated, this section, in my opinion, would make unlawful the practice by an optometrist under a trade or corporate name.