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## DAVID M. R. CULBRETH.

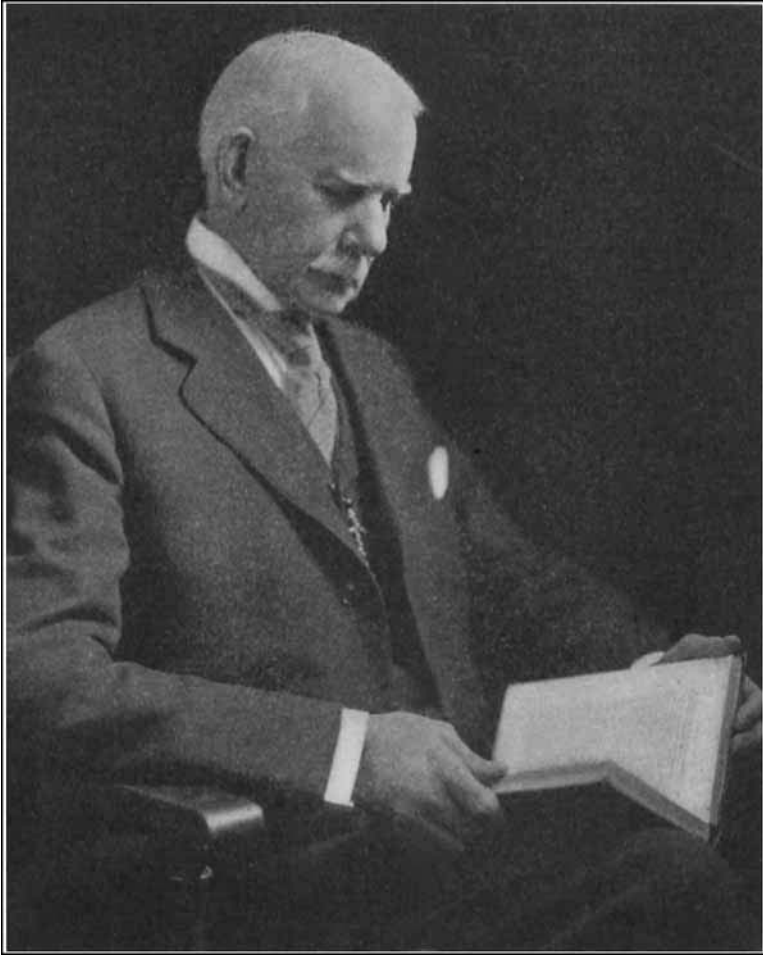
This is the 50th anniversary of David Marvel Reynolds Culbreth as member of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION. He was born at Golden Ridge, Delaware, December 4, 1855, the son of Robert Baynard and Sarah Gilder (Reynolds); was educated in the public schools of Delaware and in Felton Seminary and, thereafter, at the University of Virginia. He graduated from the Maryland College of Pharmacy (now the School of Pharmacy, University of Maryland) winning three of the prizes and was elected president of the graduating class. In 1885, Dr. Culbreth graduated from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Baltimore.

He is a member of the American Academy of Medicine, Maryland Academy of Science, American Association for the Advancement of Science, Maryland Pharmaceutical Association, various fraternal organizations, the University Club, etc.

For many years the subject of this brief sketch was engaged in retail pharmacy at the corner of Eager and Charles Streets, Baltimore, and Commissioner of Pharmacy and Practical Chemistry during the terms of Governors Jackson, Brown and Lowndes.

Dr. Culbreth was professor of Botany, Materia Medica and Pharmacognosy of the faculty of the Maryland College of Pharmacy, 1885-1920, and of the University of Maryland 1897-1920.

He was author of "Pharmaceutical Botany," 1892, 1905, 1910, 1915, 1924; "Materia Medica and Pharmacology," 1896, 1900, 1903, 1906, 1917, 1927; "Materia Medica Compend," 1905. He also wrote "University of Virginia—Memories of Student Life and Professors." Among articles of later years appearing in the JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION are: "Reminiscences of Early Pharmacy in Baltimore," published in the March number, 1930, pages 282-288, and "Ex-presidents of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION from Baltimore as I Remember Them," March JOURNAL, 1931, pages 246-252. Recognizing his observance of the traits and qualities of others in these articles one could apply his rules to him in drawing a pen picture—thoughtful in speech and considerate of others.

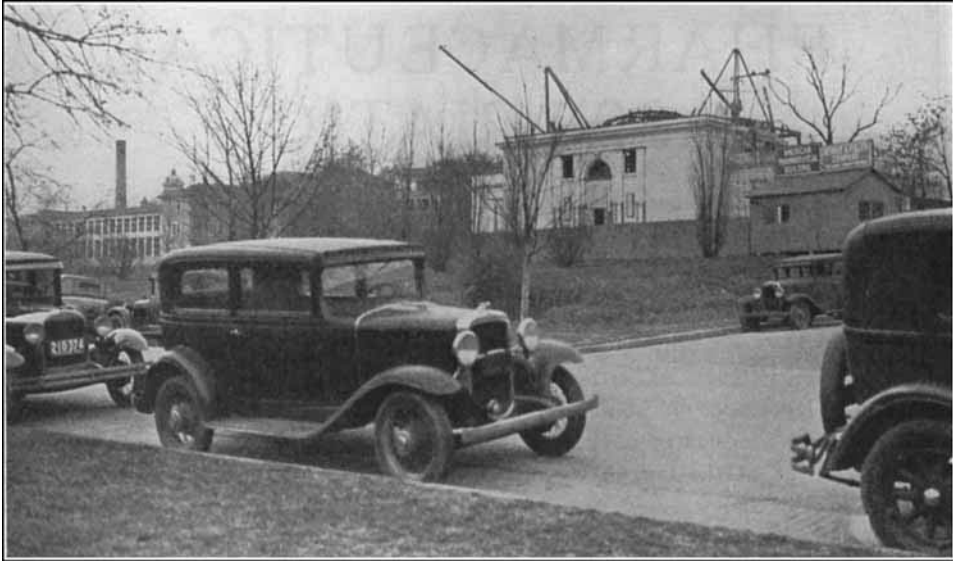


DR. D. M. R. CULBRETH.

April 26, 1894, Dr. Culbreth married Elizabeth Gardner; his second marriage, to Helen Graeme Taylor, took place on December 20, 1919.

Hopeful wishes for good health are extended to Dr. and Mrs. Culbreth.

### PHARMACY'S BUILDING IS NEARING COMPLETION.



Another view of the Pharmacy Headquarters Building, showing the structure under roof and its location in line with the Capitol.



On top of the Pharmacy Headquarters Building. This view shows the proximity of the building to Lincoln Memorial. Daughter of Treasurer Charles W. Holton and Secretary E. F. Kelly are taking in the situation.