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The Remington Medal is presented annually to "the man or woman who has done most for American Pharmacy during the preceding year or during a longer period of outstanding activity or of fruitful accomplishment." It is the outstanding award for general achievement in Pharmacy.

The award of this medal for 1938, to Dr. Christensen, is a well-deserved and crowning recognition of the splendid work he has done as a practicing pharmacist, as a member of the Board of Pharmacy, as Secretary of the National Association Boards of Pharmacy, as President of the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION, as an officer of the National Drug Trade Conference, as the organizer and director of the Pharmacy Exhibits at the Century of Progress Exposition in Chicago and the Texas Centennial Exposition in Dallas, as a member of the American Council on Pharmaceutical Education and in many other positions of honor and responsibility. Dr. Christensen is recognized as a good citizen, as a sound thinker and effective worker, as having strong convictions and the courage to support them, as a modest, kindly gentleman and loyal friend and as a good son, husband and father.

Biographies of Dr. Christensen have appeared in this JOURNAL (April 1930) and in other publications; and it is not necessary, therefore, to again record here the details of his busy and useful life, which has been devoted largely to his profession. It is another story of what a man with ability, honesty and perseverance can do and become, in America, if he is willing to work. It is probable that in time to come Dr. Christensen's efforts as Secretary of the N. A. B. P. since 1914, in establishing and perfecting the system of interstate registration of pharmacists, which is now accepted as one of the best in the professions, in coordinating the activities of the examining boards and the teaching institutions, and in strengthening and extending pharmaceutical legislation will be looked upon as his greatest contributions to Pharmacy and to the general welfare. This work has had his major attention and has taken him into every state in the Union. He has made a host of friends and acquaintances and is recognized as a positive force for good.

The medal will be presented at a meeting of the New York Branch of this ASSOCIATION, to be announced later. The JOURNAL extends hearty congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. Christensen and other members of his family, including his mother who is still active.—E. F. K.