

EUGENE GUSTAVE EBERLE.

Member, 1896; Chairman, Section on Education and Legislation, 1901–1902; Secretary, Section on Commercial Interests, 1901–1902; Second Vice-President, 1902–1903; Secretary, Section on Historical Pharmacy, 1906–1909; First Vice-President, 1908–1909; Chairman, Section on Historical Pharmacy, 1909–1911; President (Boston meeting), 1910–1911; Chairman of the Council, 1911–1916; Editor of the JOURNAL, 1915–1938; Life Member, 1921; Remington Medalist, 1932; Editor Emeritus, 1938; Historian, 1915–

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## RETIREMENT OF EDITOR EBERLE.

At the Minneapolis meeting, Dr. Eberle submitted his resignation as Editor of the Journal and was elected Editor of the Journal, Emeritus, in which capacity he will be available for advice and guidance. Arrangements were made for Dr. Eberle to give his attention so far as his strength will permit, to the valuable historical material which the Association has collected during its eighty-seven years of existence and to assist in the Library and the Museum.

The Association attempted to express its appreciation of the fine personality and remarkable services of Dr. Eberle and also its good wishes to him in the following resolution:

"Resolved, that the American Pharmaceutical Association hereby expresses its sense of deep personal regret because of the enforced retirement, due to continual ill health, of their esteemed colleague, Dr. Eugene G. Eberle, as Editor of the Association's official Journal.

"From the very beginning of his membership, Dr. Eberle has been one of the most active and faithful members in the Association. By his contribution of numerous valuable papers to its proceedings, by the efficient discharge of the duties attached to various Section Offices, which he has from time to time occupied, by his able administration of his office as President of the Association, and by his twenty-two years of faithful and able service as Editor of the Journal, during which period it has come to be regarded as one of the leading publications of its kind in the world—by these and numerous other activities he has conferred great and lasting benefits upon the American Pharmaceutical Association and upon the profession it aims to represent.

"For his generous gifts to the Library and to the Historical and other collections; for his faithful devotion to duty in the various activities entrusted to him, and for his constant and unwearied promotion of the welfare of our Society, we shall always be profoundly grateful.

"Because of his unfailing courtesy, his constant and thoughtful regard for the opinions and feelings of others, and of his other splendid qualities of manhood, we,

his colleagues, who have so long enjoyed his fellowship in our official body, will always hold him in kindly remembrance.

"In releasing him from his position as Editor of the JOURNAL, it is the earnest hope of the members of the Association that by reason of his lessened labor and responsibilities he may be speedily restored to his accustomed health, and that he may be spared for many years of useful service as Editor Emeritus and as Historian of the Association and Curator of its Historical and other collections."

The American Pharmaceutical Association has been rich in the character of those who have served it in an official capacity and in the quality of the service that they have given to the Association and through it to the profession. E. G. Eberle has earned a high place in this distinguished group and at the same time the esteem and affection of the thousands whom he has earnestly striven to serve. That he may long enjoy the relief which he has so fully deserved is the sincere hope of his many friends and admirers.—E. F. K.

## TO E. G. EBERLE.

A man is he to all his friends most dear, And much esteemed for service, long and great, To Pharmacy. A modest man, sincere And true, whose virtues all might emulate.

A scholar, too, well-versed in literary art, With wisdom to discern the truth, detect The false, and thus to choose the better part And merit admiration and respect.

A scientist with knowledge, broad and deep, Of Chemistry and pharmaceutic lore, Yet able all the while to learn and keep In mind advances new with what has gone before.

A kindly man, most tolerant of those Who hold to views of opposite belief; An earnest and a faithful man, from whose Long labor now there comes well-earned relief.

Now comes the time when leisure may be found For pleasure which his active life deprived. With health restored, both mind and body survived, "The best of life" for him has now arrived.