

Warren, on "Poison Sumac," was awarded the Ebert Prize. He is author of an "Arithmetic of Pharmacy" and a volume on "Pharmacy and Dispensing."

The promotion of Dr. Stevens by his election as dean of the Department of Pharmacy of the University of Michigan was amply earned by efficient service on the faculty for a quarter of a century, and the election as Honorary President of the American Pharmaceutical Association was a well deserved recognition of valuable services rendered to American pharmacy in general and the Association in particular. In 1876 Mr. Stevens was married to Miss Amoretta L. Search, a former university classmate of Janesville, Wis. She passed away February 6, 1918. E. G. E.

AN APPRECIATION.

The successor to Dean A. B. Stevens, Dr. Henry Kraemer, has sent in the following appreciation:

"If I were to summarize the characteristics brought out in the life of Dr. Stevens I should say that they are distinguished by three qualities: 1, purity of soul; 2, helpfulness of disposition; 3, a scientific mind. His every action and word exhibit these qualities. He has not a single habit which departs from rectitude and uprightness, and he is an example to every one who comes in contact with him.

"His desire for service is seen by the esteem in which he is held by students, alumni and neighbors. He never loses an opportunity to do a kindness and is always ready to serve any worthy object.

"Dr. Stevens' scientific work is among the best produced by American pharmacists. He has the ability to resolve almost any situation in its true light. His work on poison sumac will stand as a basis for all future work, and his studies on the distribution of the cyanogenetic glucoside in wild cherry are not only of interest in pharmacy but are a contribution to physiological botany. It is largely due to Dr. Stevens that the chemical assay processes in the U. S. Pharmacopoeia are generally acceptable and satisfactory."
