
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

September 25, 1939

My dear Dr. DuMez:

In extending hearty congratulations to the retail druggists of the country who will observe National Pharmacy Week from October twenty-second to twenty-seventh, I wish to direct the attention of the public to the essential public health function so ably performed by American pharmacists. To them falls the task of making nature's gifts available to man.

The observance of National Pharmacy Week should command attention from the public generally, for the everyday services of the American pharmacists have helped immeasurably in safeguarding the health of the nation.

Very sincerely yours,



Dr. A. G. DuMez,
President,
American Pharmaceutical Association,
32 South Green Street,
Baltimore, Maryland.



DR. CHARLES H. ROGERS.

JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION

VOL. XXVIII

SEPTEMBER, 1939

No. 9

CHARLES H. ROGERS.

Dean Rogers served as Local Secretary for the Minneapolis meeting in 1938, and as Chairman of the House of Delegates of the ASSOCIATION for 1938-1939 and was elected President of the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy for 1939-1940 during the recent meeting in Atlanta.

Dr. Rogers was born in Bellville, Ill., on May 28, 1889, and received his preliminary education and experience in that city; he graduated from the St. Louis College of Pharmacy in 1910; received the degree of B.S. in 1913 from the University of Michigan, and M.S. in 1915 and Sc.D. in 1918 from the University of Minnesota.

Pharmaceutical education has occupied Dr. Rogers' attention to a great extent. From 1910 to 1913 he served as Assistant in Pharmaceutical Chemistry, University of Michigan; from 1913 to 1914 as Instructor in Chemistry, University of Minnesota; and from 1914 to 1917, as Associate Professor and Head of the Department of Pharmacy, University of West Virginia. Since that time he has been connected with the College of Pharmacy, University of Minnesota as Professor and Head of the Department of Pharmaceutical Chemistry, 1917 to 1936, and as Dean and Professor of Pharmaceutical Chemistry from 1936.

Dr. Rogers has also served as a consulting chemist; is the author of a textbook on Inorganic Pharmaceutical Chemistry and co-author, with O. Gisvold, of "The Chemistry of Plant Constituents"; he has contributed many scientific and professional articles; and has been a Major in the Chemical Warfare Service Reserves since 1936. He holds membership in the AMERICAN PHARMACEUTICAL ASSOCIATION, Minnesota Pharmaceutical Association, American Chemical Society, American Association for the Advancement of Science, Minnesota Academy of Sciences, Sigma Xi, Rho Chi, Phi Lambda Upsilon, Phi Delta Chi, Alpha Chi Sigma and Acacia. He is a Presbyterian, a Mason, a member of the Campus Club and of the Midland Hills Country Club.

Dr. Rogers and Miss Edith Mae Blood of Freeport, N. Y., were married on August 10, 1913; have two sons, Charles Thomas and Robert Gifford; and make their home in Minneapolis.