

Theodore Campbell, pharmacist, of Philadelphia, was renominated for election to the Pennsylvania Legislature; he has been representative for ten years.

Dr. Taylor Bogart, prominent in the affairs of the American Chemical Society, has been appointed member of the U. S. Tariff Commission, by President Wilson.

James W. Morrisson, head of the Fuller-

Morrisson Co., wholesale druggists, has been elected president of the newly formed Chicago Drug and Chemical Association.

James S. Robinson, pharmacist of Memphis, Tenn., has been a member of the American Pharmaceutical Association for fifty-one years. The record of his prescription department shows that more than 1,500,000 prescriptions have been dispensed.

OBITUARY.

EDWIN McCURDY BORING.

Edwin M. Boring, who died at his home in Philadelphia June 22, 1920, was the son of John Dobbins Boring and Catherine McCurdy Boring, and was born at Lancaster, Penna., October 24, 1839. His boyhood days were spent in his home town, where he attended



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High School. Thereafter, about 1857, he worked for a time in Welchen's Drug Store in Lancaster, and for a few months in Philadelphia, after which he returned to Lancaster.

He responded to Lincoln's call for 75,000 volunteers, and entered the three months' service with the Lancaster Fencibles April 18, 1861. At the expiration of the three months he re-enlisted in Company E, 79th Pennsylvania Volunteers, first as private, and was commissioned First-Lieutenant June 19, 1864. He took part in a number of the great battles of the war, at Murfreesboro, Chickamauga, etc. He was mustered out July, 1865. As a member of the Executive Committee of the State of Pennsylvania Chickamauga-Chattanooga Battlefields Commission he assisted in

the erection of the monument at Chickamauga Park to the 79th Pennsylvania Volunteers.

After the war, September 4, 1865, he came to Philadelphia, and entered the employ of Edward B. Garrigues, at 10th and Fairmount Ave. During the same year he matriculated at the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and graduated in the class of 1867. During the summer of 1866 he studied botany under Dr. Horatio C. Wood, of the University of Pennsylvania, then located at 9th and Chestnut Sts. He was elected to the Board of Trustees of his Alma Mater in 1868, and continued a member until the time of his death. In 1868 he formed a partnership with Mr. Garrigues, which continued until the time of the latter's retirement in 1887, when Mr. Boring became the sole proprietor. He continued this business until last year, when he disposed of it to his successor.

The deceased became a member of the American Pharmaceutical Association in 1867, and attended many of the annual conventions, especially those of earlier years. He was one of the organizers of the Philadelphia Wholesale Drug Company, a member of the Pennsylvania State Pharmaceutical Association and the Philadelphia Association of Retail Druggists.

October 8, 1873, Mr. Boring married Elizabeth Garrigues Truman, who died February 18, 1907. They had four children, all of whom survive the deceased. They are Edwin Garrigues Boring, Professor of Experimental Psychology in Clark University, Worcester, Mass.; Alice Middleton Boring, for the past two years Assistant Professor of Biology at the Union Medical College, Peking, China, and now appointed Assistant Professor of Zoology at Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass.; Katharine Boring Rondthaler, wife of Dr. Howard Rondthaler, President of Salem College, Winston-Salem, N. C.; and Lydia Truman Boring, Assistant in the Psychiatric

Clinic of the Home Service Section, S. E. Penna. Chapter, American Red Cross.

The deceased was a member of the Moravian Church, and took an active part in its affairs. As a citizen he stood for what is best in civic life; in the family his example as husband and father made for what is best in the home circle; his loyalty, sense of duty and obligation to pharmacy marked his life with success.

GEORGE STELLE CAMPBELL.

George Stelle Campbell died at his home in Millburn, N. J., June 23, 1920. He was born at New Brunswick, N. J., April 3, 1857. His earlier education was in the public schools of his home city, and he graduated from the

High School in 1872. He served for several years as a clerk in Brooklyn, N. Y., and in 1880 entered into partnership with Theodore Sommers, of Millburn, and later purchased the interest of his partner.

Mr. Campbell took a great interest in municipal affairs, and for one term was a member of the New Jersey Assembly. He was affiliated with the Masonic bodies. Mr. Campbell joined the New Jersey Pharmaceutical Association in 1883, and served as its president in 1903. He joined the American Pharmaceutical Association in 1914.

Mrs. Campbell and two children survive the deceased.

SOCIETIES AND COLLEGES.

DRUG TRADE BOARD OF PUBLIC INFORMATION.

It was decided at the annual meeting of the Drug Trade Board of Public Information, convened in Atlantic City, June 30, to institute a news service to impart information of general interest to the public in connection with the progress of pharmacy and the drug business. The names of the delegates, and the organizations associated in this Board follow: American Pharmaceutical Association, R. P. Fischelis, Philadelphia; American Conference of Pharmaceutical Faculties, E. L. Newcomb, Minneapolis; National Association of Boards of Pharmacy, H. C. Christensen, Chicago; National Association of Retail Druggists, S. C. Henry, Chicago; National Wholesale Druggists' Association, C. H. Waterbury, New York; Proprietary Association of America, E. F. Kemp, Chicago; American Drug Manufacturers' Association, H. B. Mason, Detroit, and American Association of Pharmaceutical Chemists, B. L. Maltbie, Newark, N. J.

R. P. Fischelis, of Philadelphia, was chosen president, and C. H. Waterbury, of New York City, Secretary-Treasurer.

ARMY AND NAVY PHARMACISTS.

During the recent meeting of the American Pharmaceutical Association in Washington, the subject of Army and Navy pharmacists received much favorable attention. The Navy was represented by Lieutenant P. F. Dickens, who is assistant to Admiral Braisted, the Surgeon General, and was his personal appointment.

Dr. Ireland, Surgeon General of the Army, detailed Major A. P. Clark of his staff to tell the Association something of the plans which the Army is perfecting for commissioned pharmacists. The Committee on the Status of Pharmacists in the Government Service, consisting of Messrs. Cook, Beringer, Mayo, Eberle, and accompanied by the Secretary of the Council, Joseph W. England, and by Leonard A. Seltzer, called on Surgeon General Ireland and Surgeon General Braisted, and discussed the entire situation. It was also possible for this Committee to meet Admiral Washington, Chief of the Bureau of Navigation, and subsequently to have an interview with Secretary Daniels, of the Navy.

Several days later, members of the Executive Committee of the N. A. R. D., including Secretary Samuel C. Henry, Charles H. Huhn and Thco. C. Hagenow, also called upon the Surgeon Generals, and General Ireland and Admiral Braisted carefully reviewed the situation. The feeling expressed by everyone who has learned of the latest developments is one of gratification and approval.

In the Army, the plan proposed by General Ireland for the establishment of a Medical Administrative Corps has passed both the Senate and the House, as a part of the Wadsworth Reorganization Army Bill and is now in conference in joint committee. It is interesting to know that with the many criticisms of the Wadsworth Bill, this feature has never been questioned, and as the General Staff of the Army has also given their approval of the establishment of this Corps, it is reasonable to expect that when the Wadsworth Bill is