

commenced private instructions from Dr. C. W. Hughes in physics, hygiene and physiology, and from James P. Dinsmore, M. D., in the principles of homeopathy. In 1875 he entered the University of California, and four years after entered the California Medical College, of Oakland, from which institution he graduated with high honors at the head of a large class. Soon after he re-entered the University of California and took the gold medal in the department of Pharmacy, thus completing his university course. A short time elapsed when he was elected Assistant Professor of Chemistry and Toxicology in the California Medical College. Two years later he was elected to the chair of Chemistry and Toxicology, which position he now holds. He is a close student and a graduate of the Chautauqua Scientific and Literary Circle and also the author of several works, notably, "A System of Urinology" and a work on Organic Chemistry.

He has a massive brain and a great sympathetic heart that seems to reach out to alleviate distress and restore stricken humanity. Between him and his patients there is a confidence and cordiality maintained that establishes relations that assist most certainly to combat and eradicate disease.

His sympathetic nature, benevolent disposition and high intellectuality are features of his personality which has made his chosen profession his idol, his love and his ambition.

He has been a persistent worker in the laboratory, and his experiments and researches in the field of science have been with an ambition to elevate his profession rather than personal aggrandizement. His philanthropic nature has brought him in close relations with the beneficiary and fraternal organizations of our country. He is a member of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, and has attained an exalted position in the rights of Masonry. He is a 32-degree member of the Scottish Rite, and a 95th-degree member of the Royal Masonic Rite, F. & A. M. He is also a member of the A. O. U. W.; K. of H.; I. O. O. F., and other social and humanitarian societies. He is also president of the Eclectic Medical Society of the State of California.

He has spent considerable time in travel, and while in Europe visited the leading hospitals and noted institutions of learning. This gave him special opportunities for obtaining rare collections for his library and studio.

His marital relations have been most fortunate; in 1883 he was united in marriage to Miss Lita A. Rosekrans, a highly educated and estimable lady of the old Knickerbocker stock. Of this happy union they have two promising sons.

If scientific attainments, technical education, professional skill and unselfish devotion to the art of healing and alleviating distress are warrants of nobility and honor, then he of whom we write has achieved a position that entitles him to a niche in the temple in which are engraved the names of those whom we delight to honor.

When the great scroll is enrolled the name of Dr. Logan will appear in bright figures—for his professional skill and gratuitous service to those whom he administered without reward or hope of remuneration. Dr. Logan has an extensive practice, and it is a question of personal endurance as to how long he can hold out under these arduous professional duties.