

ABOUT OUR WOMEN IN MARYLAND

DR. B. OLIVE COLE, Phar. D., LL.B.

Dr. Cole graduated from the Franklin High School, Reisterstown, Maryland, and then entered the Baltimore Business College and graduated; she became a stenographer at Sharp & Dohme, manufacturing pharmacists. It was there, no doubt, that she received the inspiration and yearned to become a pharmacist. The School of Pharmacy of the University of Maryland bestowed the honor medal for the year's highest average to her in 1913, when she received the degree of Phar.D.

In 1913 she was registered as a pharmacist in Maryland and in 1916 was registered as a pharmacist in Washington, D. C. Then on up the ladder to the School of Pharmacy in 1920, where she became secretary and associate professor.

In 1923 she graduated in law at the University of Maryland and became a member of the bar of Maryland and Baltimore. Even then, she was not through with education but wanted to get a broader view, so she went to Johns Hopkins for special courses in economics from 1932 to 1935.

In 1926, Dr. Cole became secretary of the Alumni Association of the School of Pharmacy. Her activities have been numerous, and others of importance are:

1. Secretary-Treasurer of the Baltimore Branch of the American Pharmaceutical Association from 1920 to 1930.
2. President of the Baltimore Branch of the American Pharmaceutical Association in 1934.
3. Member of the Woman's Bar Association of Baltimore.
4. Member of the Rho Chi Honorary Society (scholastic).
5. Member of the Epsilon Chapter of the Lambda Kappa Sigma Sorority.
6. Life member of the American Pharmaceutical Association of Maryland.
7. Member of the Maryland Pharmaceutical Association.
8. President of the Quota Club in 1926.

Dr. Cole is now Associate Professor of Economics and Law and Secretary of the Faculty of the School of Pharmacy of the University of Maryland.