JOSEPH EZEKIEL POGUE: born in 1887 in Raleigh, A.B., 1906 and M.S., 1907 from the University of North Carolina; Ph.D., 1909, Yale. A geologist and mineralogist of international distinction, he has made contributions also as a teacher, a writer and a financier with service in many areas including the North Carolina and the United States Geological Surveys, the Smithsonian Institution, Northwestern University, Sheffield Scientific School, and the Chase National Bank. His standing in his profession is attested by membership on many important beards and in many learned and honorary societies, including Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi, and by a long list of publications which relate to the general field of petroleum, and to oil resources and production in various parts of the world; his brochure on "The Turquoise" is said to be the most definitive work of its kind.

The University is proud to bestow on this distinguished alumnus whose career has reflected such credit upon it the degree of Doctor of Science.

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