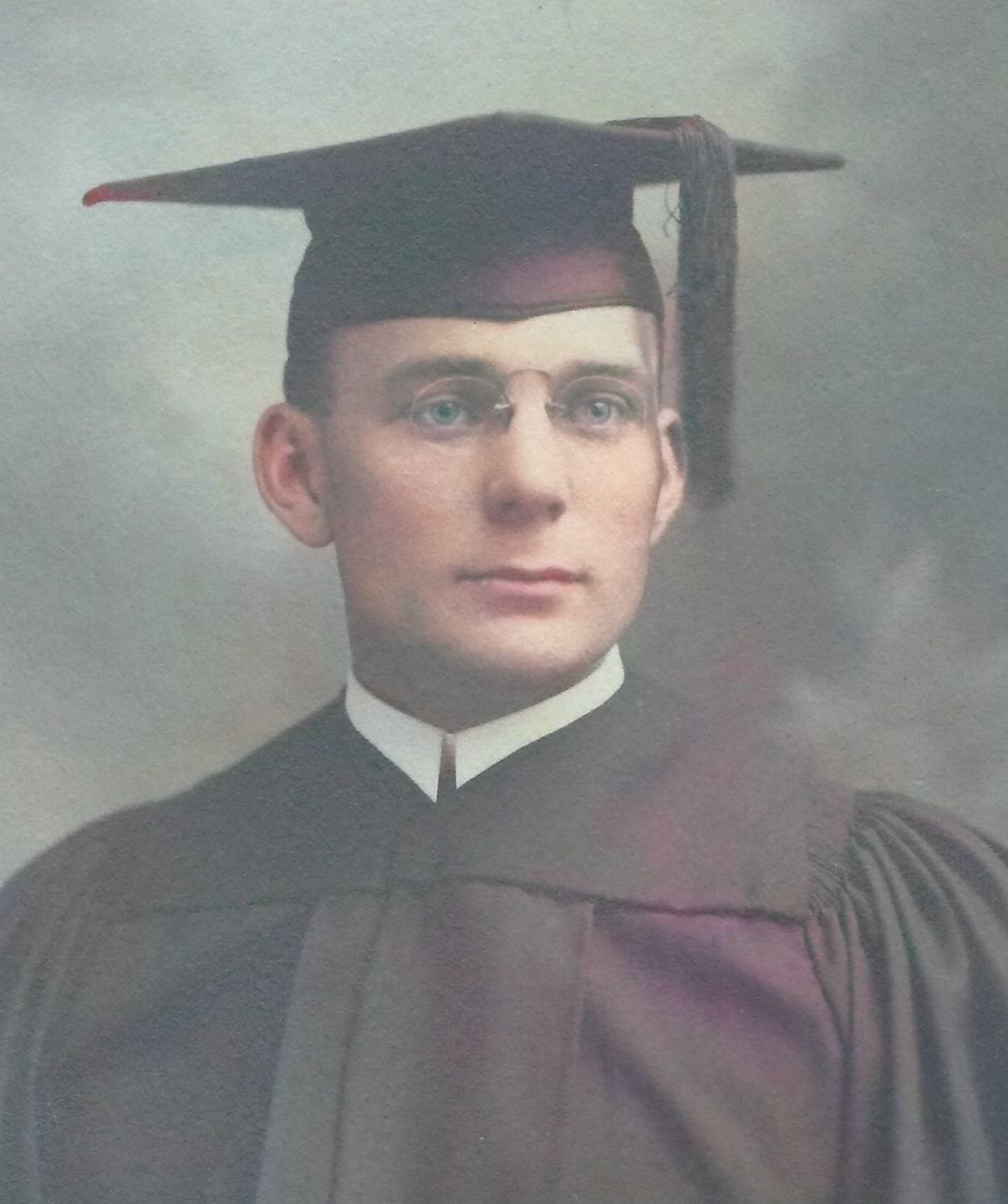
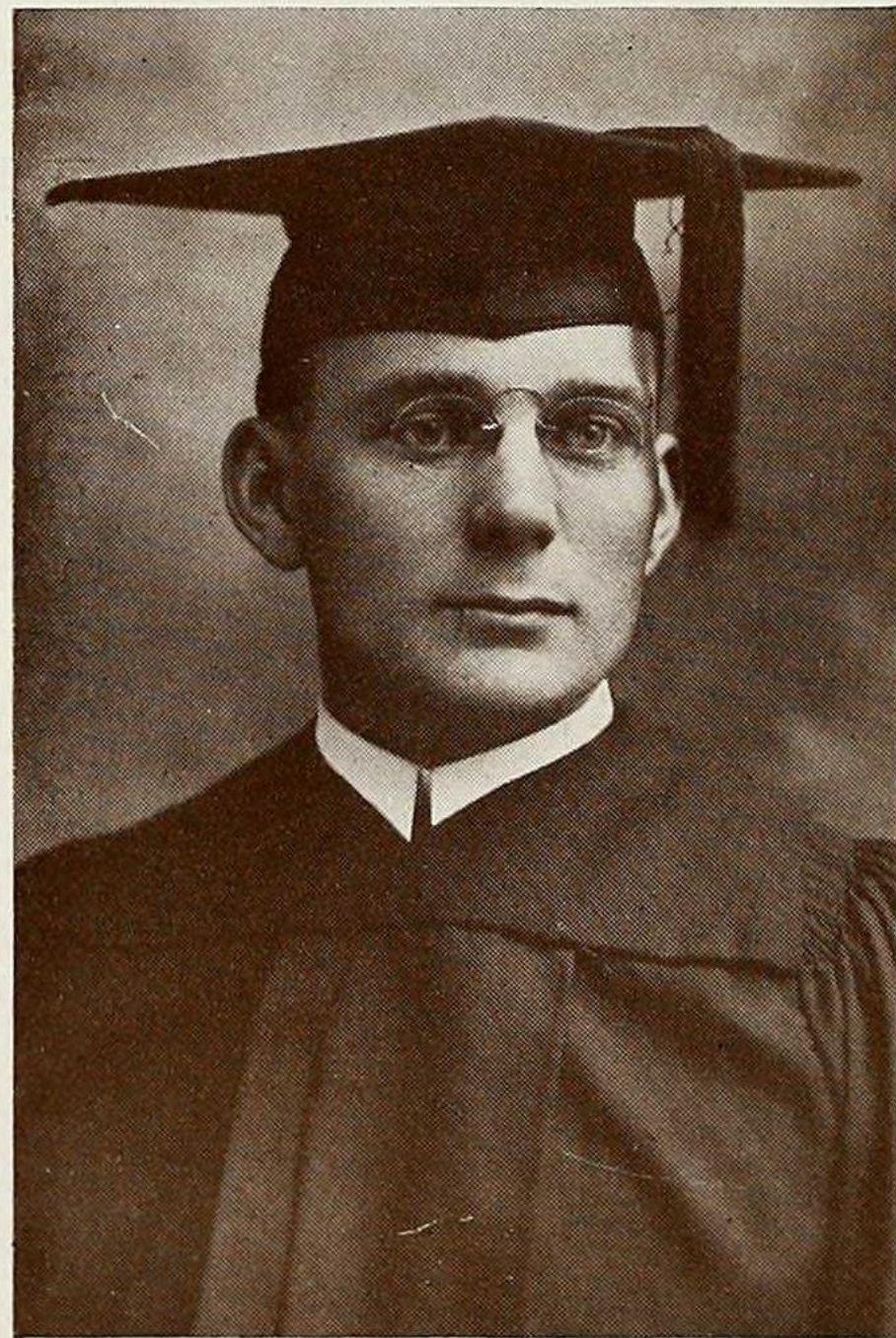




When George William Parrott was born on May 29, 1881, in Albemarle, Virginia, his father, Bernard, was 29 and his mother, Sallie, was 31. He married Emmie Watkins on August 17, 1909, in Washington, District of Columbia. He died on June 14, 1977, in Harrisonburg, Virginia, at the age of 96, and was buried in Waynesboro, Virginia.

GEORGE WILLIAM PARROTT, Virginia.

Charlottesville, Va., has the honor of being the native city of "Polly." "Polly" has always been a booster of the great "Valley of Virginia." He tells us of a prize pig raised down home with tushes 14 inches long. The diet of this wonderful hog has long been a matter of conjecture. It is generally conceded that it must have been raised on "Pepo." Polly is a member of the Married Men's Club and has a host of friends in college. Having a life companion, such as he has, Polly's success in his chosen field is assured wherever he locates.





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**1918 – Dr. Parrott was serving FUMA
during the Spanish Flu epidemic.**

1920 – Fork Union Military Academy

CAPTAIN GEORGE W. PARROTT, M. D.
Medical College of Virginia
Instructor in Hygiene

1930 – After leaving Fork Union Military Academy, he went into Private Practice, with some time serving on the staff of the Shenandoah Valley Academy in 1964.

GEORGE PARROTT, M.D.
School Doctor





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Dr. Parrott Receives Book of Letters at Testimonial
Elder Richard Harris (right) Presents Gift

DR. PARROTT RETIRES

Celebrates 85th Birthday

Valley Physician to Retire

By Cornelia James Dorgan
Special Correspondent

NEW MARKET—The oldest practicing physician in the Shenandoah Valley, Dr. George Parrott of New Market, will retire Sunday, the date that also marks his 85th birthday.

A 1914 graduate of the Medical College of Virginia, Dr. Parrott has spent the past 32 years practicing in New Market.

He is on the staff of two hospitals, Rockingham Memorial in Harrisonburg, and Shenandoah County Memorial Hospital in Woodstock. He be-

longs to the American Medical Association, the Medical Society Valley of Virginia, Medical Society of Northern Virginia, is an honorary member of the New Market Rotary Club, and has been a physician for Shenandoah Valley Academy at New Market.

AN UNFAILING courtly manner and dedication to his profession marks him as a "gentleman of the old school." He is described as one of the few remaining "country" doctors on call night and day.

Dr. Parrott was honored last week at a testimonial dinner in New Market.

His first six years as a medical practitioner were at Fork Union Military Academy. He recalled that many

times the roads were bad and he had to travel by horseback or buggy. From Fork Union he went to New York City where he spent two years on the staff of St. Bartholomew's Hospital, then came to Charlottesville, for 12 years, where he was line surgeon for the C&O Railway. But when the depression of 1929 hit, he went to New Market.

OF MANY incidents through the years, Dr. Parrott thinks "the most ridiculous" was the night he got his car stuck in the mud of a deserted barnyard. (The people had forgot to tell him they had moved and that place was empty). He had to spend the night in the barnyard in his car, surrounded by cattle.

Death 14 JUN 1977
Harrisonburg, Virginia

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA — CERTIFICATE OF DEATH									
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH — BUREAU OF VITAL RECORDS AND HEALTH STATISTICS — RICHMOND									
REGISTRATION AREA NUMBER 212		CERTIFICATE NUMBER 234		STATE FILE NUMBER 77 016935					
1. FULL NAME OF DECEASED (first) (middle) (last) George William Parrott				2. SEX male ☒ female ☐					
3. DATE OF DEATH (mo.) (day) (year) 6-14-77		4. AGE OF DECEASED 96 years		IF UNDER 1 YEAR months days hours minutes		IF UNDER 1 DAY hours minutes		5. COLOR OR RACE Cau.	
6. NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION OF DEATH Camelot Hall Nursing Home				7. COUNTY OF DEATH (if independent city, leave blank) Shenandoah					
8. CITY OR TOWN OF DEATH (if rural, so state) Harrisonburg				inside city or town limits? yes ☒ no ☐		9. STREET ADDRESS OR RT. NO. OF PLACE OF DEATH 1225 Reservoir Street			
10. STATE (OR FOREIGN COUNTRY) OF DECEASED'S RESIDENCE Virginia				11. COUNTY OF DECEASED'S RESIDENCE (if independent city, leave blank) Shenandoah		185			
12. CITY OR TOWN OF RESIDENCE New Market				inside city or town limits? yes ☒ no ☐		13. STREET ADDRESS OR RT. NO. OF RESIDENCE Congress Street			ZIP CODE 22844
14. NAME OF FATHER OF DECEASED B. T. Parrott				15. MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER OF DECEASED Sally Brown					
16. DECEASED CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY USA		17. MARRIED ☐ NEVER MARRIED ☐ 3 WIDOWED ☒ DIVORCED ☐		18. IF MARRIED OR WIDOWED, NAME OF SPOUSE. IF DIVORCED, LEAVE BLANK. Emmie Watkins Parrott					
		20. IF VETERAN, name war, or if peacetime only, so state 2 No.		21. BIRTHPLACE (state or country) OF DECEASED Virginia		22. DATE OF BIRTH (mo.) (day) (year) OF DECEASED May 29, 1881			
23. USUAL OR LAST OCCUPATION Ret. Medical Doctor		24. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY Medicine		25. INFORMANT - OR SOURCE OF INFORMATION Emory Parrott					
26. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (A), (B), and (C). PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: IMMEDIATE CAUSE (A) Chronic brain syndrome DUE TO (B) Cerebral arteriosclerosis with multiple CVA's Conditions, if any, which gave rise to immediate cause (A), stating the underlying cause last. DUE TO (C)								INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH 3 weeks	
PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART I (A) Generalized arteriosclerosis								26a. AUTOPSY? AUTHORIZED BY: yes ☐ no ☐	
26b. IF FEMALE, WAS THERE A PREGNANCY IN PAST 3 MONTHS? yes ☐ no ☐ unknown ☐		26c. IF EXTERNAL CAUSE, IT WAS PRIMARY ☐ or CONTRIBUTING ☐ TO CAUSE OF DEATH NOTE: IF EXTERNAL CAUSE, NOTIFY MED. EXAMINER		26d. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED. (enter nature of injury in part I or part II)					
26e. TIME OF INJURY (mo.) (day) (year) A.M. _____ P.M. _____		26f. INJURY OCCURRED while at work ☐ not while at work ☐		26g. PLACE OF INJURY (home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.):		26h. (city or town) (county) (state)			
26i. I CERTIFY that I attended the deceased from (date) 4-29-75 to 6-14-77 and that death occurred at 2:45 a.m. (AM) (PM) from the cause stated above									
ACTUAL SIGNATURE J. F. [Signature]		M.D. Harrisonburg, Va.				DATE SIGNED: 6-17-77			
27. BURIAL ☒ REMOVAL ☐ CREMATION ☐		28. PLACE OF BURIAL, REMOVAL, ETC. (name of cemetery or crematory) (city or county) (state) Riverview Cemetery, Waynesboro, Virginia							
29. (signature of funeral director or person acting as such) C. H. [Signature]				NAME OF FUNERAL HOME AND ADDRESS: Theis Funeral Home New Market, Virginia					
30. (signature of registrar) H. [Signature]				DATE RECORD FILED: 6/22/77					