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FRESHMAN CLASS 1949 - 1950

One hundred and twenty-five students have started in the freshman class of our College, for the year 1949-1950. Of this number 116 are men and 9 women. John Astrachan, listed below, is the son of the late Dr. Girsch D. Astrachan, formerly on the staff of the college; John Herrlin, listed below is the son of Dr. John Herrlin, class of '23, and Martin Stahl, listed below, is the son of Dr. Pincus A. Stahl, class of '21.

Aggerup, Glenn Aiken, John Astrachan, John Bakke, Jens Bartlett, William Bauman, Henry Bergner, Lloyd Bernstein, Michael Bosco, Julius Boughter, Richard Brennan, Robert Brody, Miss Diane Bronstein, Melvin Brook, Jack Brown, Donald Buchanan, Miss Edith Burke, Robert Burke, William N. Cagney, Warren Chaikin, Miss Evelyn Chenery, Philip Church, Oliver Coats, William Cohen, Martin Coler, Roderick Crawshaw, Thomas Cremer, Miss Mabelle Crowley, Joseph Curran, Eugene D'Amico, Vincent Danziger, Irwin Darling, David Davis, Joseph Day, Edward Deignan, Miss Patricia DeHaven, Ernest Devenis, Algirdas Dienstag, Leo Donnenfeld, Robert Downey, Bradford Doyle, John Dugan, Richard Dunne, Miss Anna Faux, Robert Fielding, Roy Fuesy, Joseph Gardner, John Gianvito, Louis Guido, Joseph Haling, Kenneth Handte, Robert Harrington, Joseph Hays, Fred

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Silverstein, Bernard Smith, Gordon Smith, Stephen Smith, William Spence, William Spurgeon, Fred Stahl, Martin States, David Stephens, Miss Martha Stevens, Ronald Stitt, Frank Strominger, Donald Sumner, Malvin Viscardi, John Walker, George Walsh, John Warmund, Stanley Wolfe, Harold Young, Richard

DR. THOMAS J. KIRWIN



The Board of Trustees of the New York Medical College and Dr. J. A. W. Hetrick, President and Dean of the College, announce that Dr. Thomas J. Kirwin, now Assistant Director of the James Buchanan Brady Foundation for Urology, New York Hospital, has been appointed Professor of Urology at New York Medical College and Director of the Department of Urology in Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospital and Metropolitan Hospital.

Dr. Kirwin, who will assume his new duties this month, holds degrees from the universities of Michigan, Tulane, Cornell, Columbia, and Yale and has attended the University of Wisconsin and the Sorbonne. He is a fellow of the American College of Surgeons, the International College of Surgeons, and the New York Academy of Medicine. He is a member of the American Urological Society, the American Medical Association, and the New York County and New York State Medical Societies, and is certified by the American Board of Urology. Dr. Kirwin is also a member of Delta Tau Delta, Nu Sigma Nu, and Sigma Zi.

He has writen for the Oxford Loose-Leaf Surgery chapters upon operative and non-operative treatment of the kidney and for the Cyclopedia of Medicine chapters upon diseases and surgery of the ureters. Many orginal contributions to medical journals here and abroad have been made by Dr. Kirwin. He is also joint author, with Dr. Oswald S. Lowsley, of a standard textbook of his specialty, Clinical Urology, and of a widely-used manual, Urology for Nurses. These books have been translated into Spanish and Portugese and have a large circulation in South American medical centers. Dr. Kirwin has lectured extensively throughout the United States.

Moreover, he is the inventor of several instruments for use in urologic surgery, including a cystoscopic ronguer, a rotary resectoscope, and a "boilable" cystoscope, the first ever to be devised.

This appointment of Dr. Kirwin emphasizes the steadily growing importance of New York Medical College among the medical schools of the country. The college has a chair of urology with a full directorship and full professorship that are independent of the chair of surgery.

DEAN HETRICK VISITS WALTER REED HOSPITAL

Upon invitation of the Secretary of the Army, Dean J. A. W. Hetrick visited and surveyed the educational program of the Army Medical Center, Walter Reed Hospital, Washington, D. C.

The visit included a survey of the Center's educational activities, rounds in the Hospital, and conferences with members of the instructional group as well as other officers. A luncheon was arranged to which the nine students from the New York Medical College serving clinical clerkships in the Walter Reed Hospital were invited as well as other guests. The survey was conducted under the general direction of Major General George Armstrong, Deputy Surgeon General, Colonel Floyd L. Wergeland, and Major General Paul H. Streit, commanding the Army Medical Center.

The survey occupied the better part of two days, and the evening of the first day Dr. and Mrs. Hetrick were guests of Colonel and Mrs. Wergeland at the latter's home. The following night, Major General and Mrs. Armstrong, Colonel and Mrs. Wergeland and Colonel and Mrs. Gould were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Hetrick at the Shoreham's Terrace Room.

ADMINISTRATIVE ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dean J. A. W. Hetrick of the New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals, announces a bequest of \$500,000. to be used as a special endowment for the division of Surgery in the Medical College and Hospitals. The Valentine Professorship of Surgery has been established, and Dr. James M. Winfield, Professor of Surgery and Director of the Department of Surgery has been named to that Professorship. The bequest was made through the generosity of the late Eliza and Samuel Valentine.

The charter of the New York Medical College has been amended upon recommendation of the Board of Regents of the State of New York so that in addition to the degrees of Doctor of Medicine, Master of Medical Science and Doctor of Medical Science, Bachelor of Science degrees in specified fields may be granted to qualified students, and honorary degrees of Doctor of Science and Doctor of Humane Letters may be conferred by the College.

Another bequest of \$240,000. from the late William Nelson Cromwell is announced.

New quarters for the Departments of Obstetrics and Gynecology, and Graduate Surgery, have been created on the main floor of the Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals.

Mr. E. Ross Winckler has been appointed Hospital Administrator of the Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals.

The following are additions to the salaried Faculty:

- Dr. Guy L. Elliott, Instructor in Anatomy
- Dr. Paul Foley Nace, Associate in Anatomy
- Mr. Robert E. Kahn, Assistant Instructor in Bacteriology
- Dr. James Berkman, Instructor in Bacteriology
- Dr. Harold Rifkin, Assistant Professor of Bacteriology
- Mr. Julian Nesnow, Assistant Instructor in Bacteriology
- Dr. Louis J. Salerno, Clinical Instructor and Assistant Obstetrician and Gynecologist
- Dr. Martin L. Stone, Clinical Instructor and Assistant Obstetrician and Gynecologist
- Dr. Alfred Angrist, Clinical Professor of Pathology
- Dr. Oscar Auerbach, Associate Professor of Pathology

Dr. Maurice M. Black, Assistant Professor of Pathology

Dr. Stanley R. Opler, Instructor in Pathology

Dr. Andrea Saccone, Associate Professor of Pathology

Dr. Jacob Taub, Assistant Professor of Path-

Dr. Victor Tchertkoff, Instructor in Pathology

Dr. Chester S. Svigals, Assistant Instructor in Pathology

Dr. William Greenberg, Instructor in Pediatrics

Mr. Stanley Goldberg, Assistant Instructor in Physiology

Dr. Michael George Mulinos, Associate Professor of Physiology and Pharmacology

Dr. Louis Anthony Susca, Instructor in Physicalogy

Dr. Noel F. Bartone, Assistant Instructor in Radiology.

The Morrisania City Hospital became an affiliate of the Medical College last Spring, and the Seton Hospital has just entered the group of College affiliates.

This year fourth year medical students will be assigned to the Memorial Hospital for Clinical clerkships under the general direction of Dr. Allen O. Whipple.

Tuition to the Medical College has been increased to \$725. per annum.

Dr. Francis D. Speer has been appointed Professor of Pathology and Clinical Pathology, and Director of the Department to succeed Dr. George K. Higgins, resigned.

A new department, the Department of Physiology and Pharmacology, has been established under the direction of Dr. James W. Benjamin. Dr. Benjamin's appointment is that of Professor of Functional Anatomy and Director of the Department of Physiology and Pharmacology.

The Bird S. Coler (2,000 bed) Memorial Hospital, in the process of erection by the Department of Hospitals of the City of New York, has been assigned to the New York Medical College as a teaching unit by Commissioner Marcus D. Kogel.

New quarters consisting of a suite of five rooms, newly equipped, in the Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals have been completed through the generosity of an anonymous donor. The Children's Center, administered by the Department of Welfare of the City of New York, has been affiliated with the Department of Pediatrics of the Medical College.

A Scopicon for use in the Department of Pathology of the Medical College has been presented by an anonymous donor.

Dr. Lawrence J. Slobody has been appointed Professor of Pediatrics and Director of the Department of Pediatrics to succeed Dr. Reuel A. Benson.

Dr. Benson continues his association with the College as Professor of Graduate Pediatrics.

Dr. Milton J. Wilson has been appointed Director-in-Committee of the Department of Orthopedic Surgery, to fill the vacancy created by the death of Dr. Anson H. Bingham.

Colonel Harold E. Glascock, Jr., has been appointed Professor of Military Science and Tactics and Administrative Intern at the Medical College.

Dean Hetrick reports that the Medical College has received some forty odd grants from United States Public Health Service, United States Army, United States Navy, New York Heart Association, National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, Milbank Memorial, Wakefield Foundation, Rosenstock Memorial Foundation, American Medical Association, a large number of pharmaceutical and drug houses, and several individual donors—to a total of approximately \$225,000.

The following new appointments and promotions have been announced:

Department of Anatomy

Dr. E. Lawrence House—promoted to Associate Professor

Department of Dermatology

Dr. Herbert Spoor—appointed Research Associate (at the level of Assistant Professor)

Department of Medicine

Dr. Harry Barowsky—promoted to Assistant Clinical Professor and Assistant Attending Physician

Dr. Julius Chasnoff—promoted to Associate Clinical Professor and Associate Attending Physician Dr. Alfred L. Copley—promoted to Assistant Clinical Professor and Assistant Attending Physician

Dr. Herbert Elias—promoted to Associate Professor and Associate Attending Physi-

Dr. Harry L. Friedman—promoted to Assistant Clinical Professor and Assistant Attending Physician

Dr. A. Allen Goldbloom—promoted to Associate Clinical Professor and Associate Attending Physician

Dr. Eli Goldstein—promoted to Associate Clinical Professor and Associate Attending Physician

Dr. Arthur J. Horton—appointed Assistant Clinical Professor

Department of Neurology and Neurosurgery

Dr. Joseph Moldaver—promoted to Assistant Clinical Professor and Assistant Attending Neurologist

Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology

Dr. Maurice Rashbaum—appointed Clinical Professor

Department of Pediatrics

Dr. Paul Freud—promoted to Assistant Professor and Assistant Attending Pediatrician

Dr. Milton Grand—appointed Assistant Clinical Professor

Dr. Anthony J. Maffia—promoted to Assistant Professor and Assistant Attending Pediatrician

Dr. Joseph Schwartzman—promoted to Assistant Professor and Assistant Attending Pediatrician

Dr. Peter Vogel—appointed Associate Clinical Professor (Hematology)

Dr. Helen M. Wallace—appointed Assistant Clinical Professor

Department of Physiology and Pharmacology

Dr. James W. Benjamin—appointed Professor of Functional Anatomy and Director of the Department of Physiology and Pharmacology

Dr. Louis Hirschhorn—appointed Associate Clinical Professor

Dr. David Lehr—promoted to Associate Professor and Associate Attending Physician

Dr. Rosario Terranova—promoted to Assistant Professor and Assistant Attending Physician

Department of Psychiatry

Dr. Leonard Cammer—appointed Assistant Clinical Professor and Assistant Attending

Psychiatrist

Dr. Írving J. Rosenbaum—promoted to Assistant Clinical Professor and Assistant Attending Psychiatrist

Department of Surgery

Dr. Alexander E. W. Ada—appointed Associate Professor and Attending Surgeon

Dr. Bradley L. Coley—appointed Professor of Clinical Surgery and Attending Surgeon

Dr. Allen S. Graham—promoted to Assistant Professor and Assistant Attending Surgeon

Dr. Joseph Jacobson—appointed Assistant Clinical Professor (Thoracic)

Dr. Vansel Johnson—appointed Associate Clinical Professor and Attending Surgeon

Dr. Roland L. Maier—appointed Associate
Clinical Professor and Attending Surgeon
Dr. Walter L. Marsheimer—promoted to As-

Dr. Walter L. Mersheimer—promoted to Associate Professor and Attending Súrgeon

Dr. John J. O'Keefe—promoted to Assistant Professor of Oral Surgery, Acting Head of the Service and Assistant Attending Oral Surgeon

Dr. Wilfred F. Ruggiero—promoted to Associate Professor and Attending Surgeon

Dr. John E. Sullivan—appointed Associate Clinical Professor and Attending Surgeon

Dr. John O. Vieta—promoted to Assistant Professor and Assistant Attending Surgeon

Department of Urology

Dr. Sprague Carleton—appointed Professor of Graduate Urology and Attending Urologist

Dr. Albert Goldey—promoted to Assistant Clinical Professor

Dr. Jesse G. Keshin—promoted to Assistant Professor and Assistant Attending Urologist.

Dr. Paul M. Read—promoted to Assistant Professor and Assistant Attending Urologist

Dr. Leonard P. Wershub—promoted to Assistant Professor and Assistant Attending Urologist

Dr. Thomas J. Kirwin—appointed Professor of Urology, Director of the Department and Attending Urologist

ANNOUNCEMENT

Electroencephalographic examinations are available at the Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals by appointment.—Full time technician—Readings by physician—Telephone TR. 6-5500.

CITATIONS FOR "COURAGE AND DEVOTION BEYOND THE CALL OF DUTY"

In looking through copies of the Chironian issued during the War Years, and noticing the frequent mention of citations of which our graduates in the armed forces were recipients, the thought arose that it might be of interest to list same under the above heading.

JOSEPH H. FOBES, M.D., '01,

Editor

- Major Thomas G. Di Brizzi, M.C., U.S.A. '20 Received two Commendations.
- Colonel Marcus D. Kogel, M.C., U.S.A. '27 American Defense Service Medal, and several Campaign Medals, with two battle stars.
- Major William C. Calvert, M.C., U.S.A. '29 The Soldier's Medal for Heroism in Belgium.
- Colonel David McCullagh Mayer, M.C., U.S.A.
 '32
 American Defense Service Medal, various
 Campaign Medals and World War II Victory Medal.
- Captain James S. Hammerling, M.C., U.S.A. '33 Bronze Star.
- Commander Emil Edward Napp, M.C., U.S.N.
 '33
 Bronze Star, Silver Star, Navy and Marine
 Corps Medal, Purple Heart and Presidential
 Unit Citation.
- Captain William Kropf, M.C., U.S.A. '33
 Meritorious Achievement with military operations at Luzon, Philippine Islands. Purple
 Heart with Cluster, Arrow Head and Battle
 Stars
- Major Frank A. Guarino, M.C., U.S.A. '34 Army Ribbon for Meritorious Service as Base Surgeon, and certificates of citation.
- Captain Edward J. Doherty, M.C., U.S.A. '34
 Purple Heart and Silver Star for heroic action in France.
- Major Thomas La Barbara, M.C., U.S.A. '34 Three Unit Citations, and Bronze Star Medal. (49th Field Hospital.)
- Lieut. Col. Sidney E. Wanderman, M.C., U.S.A. '34
 Soldier's Medal and 13 Combat Stars.
- Captain Dominick A. Zurlo, M.C., U.S.A., '34 Six Battle Campaign Stars, Arrowhead Medal and Bronze Star Medal. Meritorious Citation.

- Captain Charles S. D'Avanzo, M.C., U.S.A. '35 Purple Heart, Wounded while administering medical treatment to wounded soldiers in the Philippines.
- Captain Michael De Marco, M.C., U.S.A. '35 Purple Heart, Bronze Star and Four Battle Stars for Heroic Service.'
- Captain Thomas E. Lee, M.C., U.S.A. '35
 Oak Leaf Cluster to Bronze Star, for Heroic
 Service in connection with military operations in Europe.
- Lieutenant Joseph D. Cuono, '36 Citation for Meritorious Service at Guam.
- Captain Paul S. Ingrassia, M.C., U.S.A. '36 Bronze Star Medal and Five Battle Stars.
- Lieut. Colonel Irving S. Shiner, M.C., U.S.A. '36 Bronze Star Medal and Five Battle Stars and others.
- Lieut. John E. Annitto, M.C., U.S.N. '37 Legion of Merit for Amphibious Assault on West Coast of Italy.
- Captain Harry R. Chinigo, M.C., U.S.A. '37 Air Medal and Oak Leaf Cluster.
- Captain William J. Martin, Jr., M.C., U.S.A.

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 Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service, military operations in Europe.
- Captain Nicholas A. Novalis, M.C., U.S.A. '37 Bronze Star and Three Battle Stars for heroic action on D Day.
- Captain George P. Schwab, M.C., U.S.A. "37 Silver Star and Bronze Star with two Oak Leaf Clusters, for Gallantry in action in Germany.
- Colonel Herman Reinstein, M.C., U.S.A. '37 Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, French Croix de Guerre, various Campaign Medals and World War II Victory Medal.
- Captain Leonard R. Rubin, M.C. U.S.A. '37 Legion of Merit for New Methods in Plastic Surgery.
- Major Louis V. Angioletti, M.C., U.S.A. '38 Six Bronze Stars, Chief of Surgery on Hospital Ship "Arcadia."
- . Major V. James Giardina, M.C., U.S.A. '38 Bronze Star Medal.
- Captain Bernard A. Roberts, M.C., U.S.A. '38 Bronze Star Medal and three Battle Stars.
- Lieut. Col. Andrew R. Hicks, M.C., U.S.A. '39 Bronze Star for Meritorious Service in France, Luxembourg and Belgium.
- Major Carl E. Maffeo, M.C., U.S.A. '39 Silver Star.

- Major Vincent A. Spinelli, M.C., A.U.S. '39 Army Commendation Ribbon.
- Lieut, Ćomdr. Robert W. Barnett, M.C., U.S.N. '40
 - Four Combat Stars and Commendation for work at Anzio.
- 1st Lieut. Charles W. Marsh, M.C., U.S.A. '40 Cited for bravery under fire in the Georgian Islands.
- Lieut. j.g. Elias Stoller, M.C., U.S.N. '40 Navy Unit Commendation, Philippine Campaign Ribbon and Asiatic-Pacific Ribbon.
- Major William H. Hewes, M.C., U.S.A. '41 Bronze Star for Meritorious Service on Okinawa, also Combat Medical Badge.
- Captain Charles Margulies, M.C., U.S.A. '41 Purple Heart and Presidential Citation.
- Captain John F. Schlechter, M.C., U.S.A. '41 Soldier's Medal for Heroism at St. Dizier, France.
- Captain Milton M. Wilner, M.C., U.S.A. '41 Bronze Star Medal.
- Comdr. Edward M. Wurzel, M.C., U.S.N. '41 Silver Star, for administering aid to wounded Marines on Bougainville.
- Captain George G. Bruzza, M.C., U.S.A. '42 Silver Star and Purple Heart for Gallantry in action, and wounds received in action in France.
- Lieut. Berwyn R. Force, M.C., U.S.N. '42 Commendation for Outstanding Service during combat.
- Lieut. Paul H. Koren, M.C., U.S.N. '42 Silver Star for Conspicuous Gallantry during invasion of France.
- Captain William P. Magee, M.C. U.S.A. '42 Bronze Star Medal for Meritorious Service in Southern France.
- Captain William E. King, M.C., U.S.A. '3/43 Bronze Star Medal.
- Captain John B. Reddy, M.C., U.S.N. '3/43 American Theater, Pacific Theater and Philippine Theater Ribbons, also Victory Medal.
- Lieut. j.g. William T. Loehmann, M.C., U.S.N. '12/43

Bronze Star Medal.

Captain Irving Mond, M.C., U.S.A. '44 Army Commendation Ribbon.

DR. SCHMAHL'S ADDRESS

To the many friends and admirers of Dr. Schmahl, who recently left New York to settle in California, we are pleased to advise that his present address is:

Dr. Philipp J. R. Schmahl, 1386 Tourmaline Avenue, Mentone, Calif.

PERSONALS

Please send personal items to the News Editor, 1 East 105th St., N.Y.C. 29.

1894

Dr. Joseph M. Purcell, Mechanicville, N. Y., graduate of our College, class of 1894, together with Dr. G. Worden Crissey and Dr. William Doren, whose total years of public service as "family doctors" are 165, were recently honored at a dinner reception in Troy, N. Y.

1895

Dr. Carl H. Wintsch, Sc. D. admitted as a Fellow of the American Proctologic Society, a testimonial that he is qualified in the Art and Science of Proctology.

1901

Dr. Joseph H. Fobes announces the removal of his offices to the Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals, entrance on 105th Street, at 5th Avenue, Room 144, and 125 Gates Avenue, Apartment 28, Montclair, N. J. (All mail for Dr. Fobes should be addressed to the Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals address—Telephone Lehigh 4-1480.)

1903

Frank P. Ekings, formerly of Paterson, N. J., sent the following letter dated July 28, 1949.—"Upon driving from Paterson, N. J. to Altadena, Calif., to take up our residence here, I at once set out by plane to several Central and South American Countries to visit mission fields. Returned in six weeks, arriving in California the second week in February, 1949. Have remained at our new address, 1744 No. Craig Ave., Altadena, Calif. ever since, and am busily occupied every day, and all day. Fruit, flowers, food, recreation, and real results, helping thousands of boys from 15 to 30 years of age to get properly adjusted to their environment. The work of Chaplain in the largest county jail in the world is an inspiration difficult to equal.

Always glad to receive the Chironian. My former friends, and the College, are still very close to me. Walter Nichols, '03, (Pasadena, Calif.) and I have met several times. Walter is retiring from active medical practice in favor of his M. D. son, who is a fine young and promising doctor, and very well accepted in and about Pasadena."

Dr. and Mrs John S. Gaines 2nd, hospitalized at Flower-Fifth Avenue since June 26th, due to severe right pelvic hip injuries suffered in an automobile collision, returned home September 12th and September 30th, respectively. Both are still recuperating and progressing in their recovery, but are still greatly incapacitated and under nursing care. They desire to thank all Friends for the generous "Fan Mail" and expressions of good wishes sent them.

A FANTASTIC REPORT

During August while hospitalized, Dr. Gaines received a small legacy (about \$50.00) from Culpeper Va. Court from the estate of William Strother

Wallis, (who lived about 1730 to 1780) six generations and 200 years ago during Colonial days, both of legal interest and quite a fantastic story.

1906

Rupert S. Day, New Milford, Conn.—The following letter from Dr. Rupert S. Day, dated July 20, 1949, and addressed to Dr. Fobes, was received at that time.

"Enclosed are clippings about our new hospital. We raised \$400,000. and the Government grants us \$250,000. The hospital (The New Milford Hospital) will be the latest in hospital construction, with running water, toilets, etc. in every room. A far cry from my house where we started."

One of the clippings mentioned above showed the recent ground breaking ceremonies, with five of the hospital officials, among whom was Dr. Rupert S. Day, chief founder of the hospital.

The other clipping showed the architects drawing of the new hospital. It will be a beautiful, modern, three story with pent house, structure, containing 42 beds and 11 bassinets.

1909

Horace E. Ayers, professor of obstetrics and gynecology, was the guest of honor at the annual faculty dinner at our college.

1916

William H. Kober, Lima, N. Y., is now industrial physician with the Pennsylvania R. R. at Harrisburg, Penna.

1921

Byron D. St. John, Port Washington, L. I., N. Y. wrote an article entitled "Papillary Cystadenocarcinoma of the Ovary" which appeared in the Journal of the American Medical Association, issue of April 16, 1949.

1924

W. J. Hallock—On the afternoon of Saturday, June 11th 1949, at Summit, N. J., the families of two alumni were joined, when Janet-Ann Hallock, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Wilton Johnson Hallock of Summit, N. J. and Donald Bailey Reed, son of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Bailey Reed of Newburgh, N. Y. were married. Dr. Reed is of the class of 1915 and Dr. Hallock of the class of 1924. Both are members of Alpha Club and A.K.K. Fraternity. Their children met at Syracuse University from which they were graduated.

1931

Harry Barowsky was elected secretary to the New York Chapter of the National Gastroenterological Association for 1949-50. Dr. Barowsky has contributed the chapter on Gastroscopy to Modern Surgical Technic, 2nd Edition, by Max Thorek, released during September, 1949.

Leo Birnbaum advises that he is now at the Veteran's Hospital at Lyons, N. Y., being transferred from the Veteran's Administration, White River Junction, Vt. on April 17, 1949. "Practising, Psychiatry with psychiatric patients involves considerably more than was necessary with the patients at my previous station. Have a fine staff here, including a number of New York Medical College Alumni. Enjoy working with them."

1932

Abner I. Weisman—The second edition of Weisman's "Supermatozoa and Sterility" is scheduled to appear early in 1950. The publisher is Paul B. Hoeber Co., Medical Department of Harper and Bros.

1933

Jack Fishman announces to the CLASS OF 1933 that there will be a seventeen year class reunion held in 1950, as was voted upon at our last reunion. Plans will be underway shortly, and a further announcement will be made in this column.

Harry Goldberg announces the removal of his offices to 1475 Townsend Avenue, Bronx 52, N. Y.

1936

Morton A. Jacobson wishes to announce his marriage to Edith Bromberger on June 25th 1949. Also wishes to announce change of office to Professional Building, 27 Ludlow Street, Yonkers, N. Y., for the practice of diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat.

Dr. and Mrs. Louis Arthur Perillo are pleased to announce the arrival of twins, Gary Arthur and Gail Ann, on June 3, 1949. Peter Allen is now two and one-half years old. The practice of pediatrics in Perth Amboy, N. J. is going very nicely, thank you. Recently was appointed assistant attending pediatrician at Perth Amboy General Hospital.

1937

Dr. and Mrs. Wilbur B. Brett announce the arrival of Erika Amy, sister of Theodore Arthur. Dr. Brett maintains an office in Forest Hills, N. Y., and is opening a second one in the Professional Building, Fresh Meadows, Flushing, N. Y.

1938

Pasquale Ciaglia, Utica, N. Y., received his fellowship certificate at the 15th annual meeting of the American College of Chest Physicians, held at Atlantic City, N. J., in June.

Joseph A. Mellow was certified by the American Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology in May, 1949. Dr. Mellow was also promoted to Assistant Attending in Obstetrics and Gynecology at Metropolitan Hospital, January, 1949.

1939

George J. Mastellone having completed residencies in Obstetrics and Gynecology at Harlem and City Hospitals, is opening his office for the practice of Obstetrics and Gynecology at 164 Clinton Street, Brooklyn, N. Y. He has been appointed on the Gyn. staffs of City Hospital, N. Y., and St. Peter's and Holy Family Hospitals, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Eric G. Norrington, announces the removal of his office from 40 Madison Avenue—to—40 East 61st Street, New York 21, N. Y.

1940

Clifford J. Tichenor announces the birth of a second child, Charlotte Lorraine, on July 16, 1949. Dr. Tichenor would like to hear from Wally Marsh, Roger Sherman and Hunter Harris.

1941

Merrill Grayson, of New London, Conn. has become a diplomate of the American Board of Ophthalmology on June 24th 1949.

1942

Jacob L. Oberman announces the opening of his office for the practice of Internal Medicine at 2 Sutton Place South, (57th Street) New York City.

MARCH, 1943

John D. Angelides announces the removal of his office for the practice of Obstetrics and Gynecology to 46 West 95th Street, New York, N. Y.

Herbert G. Cohen—After finishing a fellowship in Orthopedic Surgery at the State University of Iowa under Dr. Arthur Steindler, and a residency in Orthopedic Surgery at Metropolitan Hospital, and also a residency at the Hospital for Joint Diseases, Dr. Cohen has been awarded a fellowship for the study of Cerebral Palsy under the world famous Dr. Winthrop Phelps, at the Children's Rehabilitation Institute, Cockeysville, Maryland. Upon the completion of this fellowship, he will open his office with his brother, Dr. Samuel S. Cohen, '37, both doing Orthopedic Surgery, at 45; West 54th Street, New York, N. Y. Dr. Cohen would like to hear from his associates at the Medical College. Write him at Children's Rehabilitation Institute. Cockeysville, Md.

J. Robert Martin—A daughter, Patricia Jane, was born July 12, 1949 to Adeline Weirich Martin, '12/43 and J. Robert Martin '3/43 at the Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals. Patricia Jane is the third daughter.

A paper entitled "The Biological Effects of Ionizing Radiation" was read before the Spring Session of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers by J. Robert Martin.

DECEMBER, 1943

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur T. Koenig announce the birth of their second child, and first son, Arthur Thomas Koenig, III, on June 17, 1949, at Boston, Mass. Dr. Koenig is completing his surgical training at Cambridge City Hospital, and was appointed Chief Resident on July 1, 1949.

Arthur H. Mernit announces the opening of his offices for the practice of Obstetrics and Gynecology at 25 Central Park West, New York, 23, N. Y., and at 43-06 Bell Boulevard, Bayside, N. Y. Dr. Mernit is a clinical assistant in Obstetrics and Gynecology at the New York Polyclinic and Flushing Hospitals.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert N. Rickard of Beverly Hills, Calif., announce the birth of their third child, first daughter, Gwendolyn Marie, on July 22, 1949.

Emanuel Salzman advises that he has been appointed Radiologist to the Denver General Hospital, West 6th Ave. and Cherokee Street, Denver, Colorado, and plans to assume the duties of that appointment on September 15, 1949.

I. Walter Grycz writes:—"Having recently completed the Basic Science Course in Graduate Surgery under Dr. Fobes' able direction, I wish to announce my appointment to a Fellowship in Surgery at the Cleveland Clinic and Hospital for the year beginning September 1, 1949. Hoping to hear from some of my old classmates, and with best wishes to all, I am, Sincerely, I. Walter Grycz, M. D."

Dr. and Mrs. George P. Potekhen announce the arrival of a daughter, Tatiana Jean, on June 10th 1949. Their address is 1232 Park Avenue, Plainfield, N. J.

Siegfried Scherl—Having completed the required residency training for the Boards in Internal Medicine, Dr. Scherl has opened his office for the practice of medicine at 2350 Valentine Avenue, Bronx 57, N. Y.

Martin L. Stone announces the opening of his office for the practice of Obstetrics and Gynecology at the New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals, 5th Avenue and 106th Street.

Chester S. Svigals announces the opening of his office for the practice of Internal Medicine at 44 East 67th Street, New York City.

Charles Varga writes the following:—"Several important developments have taken place since my last note to the Chironian. My wife and I were blessed with a son last November. My practice (of pediatrics) is now located in the University Hospital (formerly the New York Post Graduate Hospital) at 303 East 20th Street. I have received several appointments to the newly organized New York University-Bellevue Medical Center. 1.—Instructor in Pediatrics in the Post Graduate Medical School (full-time), 2.—Assistant Attending Pediatrician in the University Hospital, 3.—Assistant Attending Pediatrician in Gouverneur Hospital.

1945

Blaise Pasquarelli advises that after three years of training in Psychiatry in the U. S. Public Health Service, he resigned in July, 1949, to accept an appointment as Research Associate in Psychiatry, College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University. Dr. Pasquarelli also advises that he has opened his office for the practice of Psychiatry at 815 Park Avenue, New York, N. Y.

1946

David Bradstreet, Los Angeles, Calif.—We learn from a letter written to Dr. Frank Borrelli by Dr. Bradstreet, that it was through the teaching and experience he had while in our X-Ray department he became "Chief" of radiology with the Air Force during the period he served on Guam and Japan. He most certainly would like to come back to Flower for further X-Ray training, but his mother recently suffered a cerebral hemmorthage and remains partially paralyzed, therefore his desire to remain in Los Angeles for the present. He has made application for a residency under Dr. Carter at the Los Angeles General Hospital. Dr. Bradstreet's address is:—11919 Mayfield Avenue, Los Angeles 24, Calif.

Ralph J. Kahana who has been in the Army since September, 1947, advises that he was released on August 14, 1949, and at present is resident physician, Department of Psychiatry, Cincinnati General Hospital, Cincinnati, Ohio. 1947

A. Edward Blackmar is the new Resident Physician at The Peddie School, Hightstown, N. J. Dr. Blackmar interned at Grasslands Hospital, and has practiced in Plattsburg, N. Y. During the summer months he is Director of Camp Forestcraft, Upper Saranac Lake, N. Y.

John T. Boyle writes: "I am now practicing in Garrison, No. Dak., a small town of 2,000 in the Heart of the wheat belt. I am in partnership with a fellow I met while interning. At present I have been here only a month, but like it very much. I hope I can say the same next year, as the winters out here are sometimes terrific."

John M. Rehberger advises that he has just been appointed by the Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania, assistant instructor in Otolaryngology at the School of Medicine of the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Rehberger completed a year of graduate study last year at the Graduate School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania, and is now on the resident staff at the Hospital of that University.

Ian M. Thompson writes: "After a year of rotating interneship, and a year of surgical interneship at City Hospital, in New York, I have begun the first year of a three year Urologic Residency at the Charity Hospital in New Orleans—on the Tulane Service."

1948

Arthur L. Chambers, 2nd, is studying basic science in Ophthalmology at Post-Graduate Medical School, and will follow that with a residency at New York Eye and Ear Infirmary. Dr. Chambers has just finished three months as Chief Resident in Anesthesia at Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals.

Morris Halper is serying a residency in medicine at the Morrisania City Hospital, Bronx, N. Y.

William D. Melosh was recently married to the former Gurlie Geraldine Johnson, R. N., a graduate of Augustana Hospital in Chicago. Dr. Melosh expects to go into general practice in Utah.

Peter K. Maybarduk, M. D. who has been with the Metropolitan Hospital since 1932, recently re-

ceived the following appointment.

"On the recommendation of the Executive Committee of the Medical Board of Goldwater Memorial Hospital, you are hereby appointed Visiting—in Charge of Neuro Psychiatry, second division, effective May 18, 1949."

Dr. David Lehr, Associate Professor in Pharmacology delivered a lecture on "The Importance of Pharmacological Research and Standardization in the Development of New Drugs", at a recent meeting of the executives and division heads of the Schering Corporation at the Glen Ridge Country Club, New Jersey. Dr. Lehr also accepted an invitation to present an exhibit of his studies with sulfonamides at the Annual Convention of the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States at the Hotel Statler, Washington, D. C., in November of this year.

At the annual dinner of the Good Samaritan Hospital, Suffern, N. Y., held on June 7th, 1949, Dr. Paul Ingrassia, class of '36, of Nanuet, N. Y., was elected vice-president and Dr. George Unsworth, class of '14, of Suffern, N. Y., was elected to the executive committee.

IN MEMORIAM

SHERMAN, DR. IRVING PRESCOTT, Brimfield, Mass., was born in New York City on December 10th, 1872, the son of Elijah J. and Catherine M. Sherman. As a boy Dr. Sherman attended the Berkeley Military Academy in New York, graduating at the age of 17. After attending the University of New York for three years, he decided to enter the profession of medicine and entered the New York Homeopathic Medical College, where he graduated from in 1894, when he was 22 years of age. He began his training as an intern at the Flower Hospital, and then opened his office for private practice in New York City, where he remained until 1919. During his residence in New York, Dr. Sherman was for nearly 20 years affiliated with the New York State National Guard. After leaving New York in 1919 he moved to Brimfield, Mass., and was the only resident physician in Brimfield for thirty years. Dr. Sherman was a practicing physician for more than half a century, and in 1944 received his Gold Diploma from our College, in recognition of fifty years of medical service. He was a member of numerous medical societies. Dr. Sherman died at his home on May 6th, 1949, at the age of 76. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Alice (Decker) Sherman.

BAILEY, DR. LEROY HARRISON, Los Angeles, Calif., was graduated from the New York Homeopathic Medical College in 1913. He was a staff physician in the city schools of Los Angeles, and served in the U. S. Army during World War I. Dr. Bailey died of hypertension and dissecting agrata aneurysm on July 5th, 1949, at the age of 59.

KENNEDY, Dr. VERNER, New Hartford, N. Y., was born in Riverside, Conn., on February 22nd, 1890. He graduated from the Stamford, Conn. High School, and received his M.D. degree from the New York Homeopathic Medical College in 1913. After serving an internship at St. Mary's Hospital, he completed a course at the Cook County Post Graduate School, Chicago, Ill., Dr. Kennedy was a specialist in the Thyroid Gland, both medical and surgical, and served as Surgeon at the Utica Memorial Hospital. He was a member of the American Institute of Homeopathy; the Homeopathic Medical Society of the State of New York; Oneida County Homeopathic Medical Society; Twin Ponds Country Club; Mohawk Valley Golf Club; Honorary Life Member V.F.W.; Life Member D.A.V. and the Utica Chamber of Commerce. Dr. Kennedy died on September 27th, 1949 of a heart attack, age 59. Physicians

said Dr. Kennedy never fully recovered from the beating given him by three masked robbers on December 13th, 1948, who entered his home and took several hundred dollars in cash.

VAN AMBURGH, DR. EARL R., Pine Bush, N. Y., was graduated from the New York Medical College in 1915, and practiced in Pine Bush ever since. He was a past-president of the Orange County Medical Society; served as health officer for the Town of Crawford for twenty years, and was physician for the central school district. He was a member of the Orange County Medical Society; the New York State Medical Society and the American Medical Association. Dr. Van Amburgh died at his home on August 7th, 1949, at the age of 58.

WEIL, DR. HENRY L., New York, N. Y., son of the late Moses Weil and Harriet Lehman Weil, brother of Elsie Weil, and nephew of the former Governor of the State of New York, Hon. Herbert H. Lehman, died on August 28th, 1949 in his 72nd year. Dr. Weil graduated from our College in 1915, and was formerly on the medical staff of the College and Hospital. He was a member of the Medical Society of the State of New York; The Academy of Medicine, and the Homeopathic Medical Societies of the State and County of New York. Dr. Weil was unmarried.

WEINTRAUB, DR. DELLA, New York, N. Y., was born in Springfield, Mass., on May 5th 1896. She graduated from Morris High School, and took pre-medical study at Hunter College. Dr. Weintraub graduated from the New York Medical College in 1921. Upon graduation she became connected with the New York State Department of Labor, and for many years served as a Medical Examiner. Dr. Weintraub died on July 21st, 1949 of a coronary thrombosis, aged 53. She is survived by a sister, Dr. Anna Weintraub.

BERKOVSKY, DR. MAX, born July 18th, 1901. He received his preliminary education at the DeWitt Clinton High School and his pre-medical work at the College of the City of New York. He graduated from the New York Medical College in 1926. He spent his internship at the Cumberland Hospital, 1926-27, after which he started medical practice in the Bronx, and later in Manhattan. Dr. Berkovsky served his country during the war years of 1942-1945 as a Major in the U. S. Army in the European Theatre. He was Consulting Dermatologist at the 189th U. S. General Hospital in France. He was a member of the American Medical Society, New York State

Medical Society, American Academy of Dermatology and Syphilology, and a former Vice-President of the Bronx Dermatological Society. He was Associate Dermatologist at the Metropolitan, Flower-Fifth Avenue, and the Bronx Hospitals and had also been associated with Mount Sinai Hospital. He was instructor of Dermatology at the New York Medical College. Dr. Berkovsky died of coronary thrombosis on September 3rd, 1949, at City Island. He leaves his wife, Terry, and three children, Fredrik, Allan and Paula Faye, his father, Morris, and two brothers, Herman and Ralph, and a sister, Mrs. Tillie Baker.

RUBIN, DAVID A., was born in 1904, and received his education at the Freehold High School, and his B.S. degree at the New York University, class of 1926. He graduated from the New York Medical College in 1930, and interned at the Monmouth Memorial Hospital. He later joined the Cardiology Staff of this hospital and specialized in Internal Medicine. He was a member of the American Medical Society, Monmouth County Medical Society and New Jersey Heart Association. He was city physician of Asbury Park, and a member of the Asbury Park Board of Education. He was a past president of the Exchange Club, Y.M. H.A., and Bnai Brith of this city. Dr. Rubin died on August 9th, 1949, at his home, 401 First Avenue, Asbury Park, N. J., of a coronary thrombosis. He is survived by his wife, Rose, a son, Joseph, and a daughter, June, a brother, Dr. Samuel H. Rubin, and two sisters, Mrs. Abe Linky and Mrs. Abe Rosenberg.

PRICE, DR. JOSEPH, New York, N. Y. was a graduate of the College of P. & S. '15. Dr. Price was formerly on the Obs. and Gyn. staff of the New York Medical College. He was also on the staff of the Gouverneur and Lutheran Hospitals, and was medical consultant for the Consolidated Edison Company and the Bendix Aviation Corporation. He retired from active practice in 1947. Dr, Price died at Morgan, Utah, on July 12th, 1949, aged 57. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Helen Price, a son, three daughters, a brother, and three sisters.

Dr. Marcus D. Kogel, New York City Commissioner of Hospitals, announced that a completely isolated tuberculosis unit has been established in Manhattan General Hospital, 307 Second Avenue, for the care of 150 patients to relieve the present acute shortage of beds for the treatment of that disease in City institutions.

Dr. James S. Edlin is Medical Director of the new unit. Dr. Samuel A. Thompson heads the Surgical Division.

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CLASS OF 1930

It is with deep regret and sorrow that we mourn the loss of our esteemed colleague, Adrian David Rubin, who died on August 9th, 1949.

He gave greatly of himself to his community. He was a busy practitioner, working to the last, under the great handicap of a failing heart. He was city physician, a member of the Asbury Park Board of Education and an influential and inspiring figure in local communal and charity matters.

He was imbued with a congenial personality and a genuine class spirit. He showed great interest and enthusiasm in the affairs of our class and classmates.

The memory of Dave will forever be engraved in our hearts. To his family we extend our sincere sympathy.

Dr. Saul A. Schwartz

MEDICAL MILITARY SCIENCE

The faculty and students of the school will regret the absence of Lt. Colonel W. W. Hiehle, M.C. during the coming year. His two year tour of duty as Professor of Military Science and Tactics having expired, Lt. Colonel Hiehle asked for and received an assignment to Headquarters, U. S. Army Section, Joint Brazil United States Military Commission, Rio De Janeiro, Brazil. In a recent letter he seemed to be pleased with his new duties.

The position of PMS & T will be held by Lt. Colonel Harold W. Glascock, Jr., M.C. for the next two years. This officer comes to the school from the Education and Training Division, Office of The Surgeon General, Department of The Army where he served as Chief of the Professional Branch. While in that position he was primarily concerned with the establishment of Medical ROTC units and with the initiation and operation of the Army's intern and resident training program.

In addition to his ROTC duties, Lt. Colonel Glascock will take courses in the administration of higher education at Columbia University Teachers College and will serve as an administrative intern under Dean J. A. W. Hetrick.

Everyone will be pleased to know that Sergeant First Class Ernest E. Bora will remain in his present assignment for at least another year. He will be ready and willing to assist all students with their Military problems in his usual cheerful and obliging manner.

NURSING SCHOOL

Word has been received from the National Committee for the Improvement of Nursing Services that the Flower-Fifth Avenue School of Nursing of the New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals has been placed in Group I of the 1949 Interim Classification of Institutions offering Basic Programs in Nursing. This means that our School of Nursing is among the top 25% of the Nation's Basic Programs in Nursing and that this classification has been approved by the boards of the six national nursing organizations.

The classification was based on the report of the schools to the committee, supplemented by data on educational facilities published by the United States Office of Education, and by data on hospital facilities published by the American Hospital Association and the American

Medical Association.

May I, as the Director of Nursing, express my deep appreciation to the Dean of the Medical School, to the Assistant Dean, to the Assistant to the President for Hospital Administration and to the entire Faculty for their continued and concerted support. This has made it possible to attain this standing and will, I am sure, make it possible to maintain it.

HELEN M. DAUM, R.N.

Director of Nursing

CONTIN SOCIETY

The Contin Society, honorary scholastic organization of the New York Medical College, is entering its twenty-sixth year as the 1949-1950 academic session opens. Comprised of the upper ten percent of the Senior class, the group is guided by Dr. I. S. Kleiner and Dr. James Benjamin, faculty advisors.

Included in the program for the coming year will be monthly informal meetings at which members of the Society present original papers for discussion. Those alumni members who are interested in attending the monthly meetings, which are held on the last Wednesday of the month from 5 to 6 p.m., in the student

lounge, are welcome to attend.

The climax of the Contin Society's yearly plans is the Annual Contin Banquet at which new members are officially inducted. Last spring, at the Twenty-fifth Anniversary Dinner, the Society elected Dr. George Pack to honorary membership. Dr. Pack spoke on "The Influence of Disease on History". Dean J. A. W. Hetrick spoke of the long and honored history of the Society. Dr. Leonard Paul Wershub served as Master of Ceremonies. The Society hopes for an equally successful banquet this

year, inasmuch as there are now over two hundred active alumni Contin members.

58 STUDENTS ENROLL IN NURSING SCHOOL

The following students enrolled in Flower-Fifth Avenue School of Nursing September 21st, 1949.

Miss Alexandra Brach has been appointed their faculty advisor.

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Anderson, Sallie Barnard, Nancy Ann Carcova, Virginia Chernook, Dorothy Ciaffone, Margaret Dederick, Barbara Dette, Mary E. DiDomenico, Antoinette Dolan, Isabelle Drury, Carol Elder, Jeanne Fitzpatrick, Marianne Fitzpatrick, Virginia Ford, Margaret Forgione, Rose Franklin, Clare Free, Mary Lorette Gale, Catherine Graham, Martha Granzo, Edith Gronska, Regina Hanafin, Maureen Hanna, Joan Herr, Betty Jackson, Jeanne Keller, Virginia Lee Kenny, Barbara Kurzhals, Thelma Leonard, Mary Elizabeth

Luedtke, Dolores Mills, Elizabeth Miranda, Florentine O'Bymachow, Grace Olovitsh, Inge Osborne, Carol Pagliaro, Josephine Patrizzi, Emily Pennachio, Joan Rappe, Audrey Riloff, Olga Rose, Jacquelyn Ruckgauer, Joan Rumore, Frances Ryan, Phyllis Scott, Mary E. Sempowich, Marilyn C. Skorny, Lucille Sofield, Dorothy Stamas, Sylvia Tabram, Patricia Tomasulo, Rose Marie Voris, Leona Wagner, Mary Dawn Walsh, Doris Ware, Joan Wecsey, Dorothy Weller, Helen G. Wolf, Eleanor

PEDIATRICS AND THE "NEW LOOK"

Dr. Lawrence B. Slobody, Director of Pediatrics, has moved his offices to the Department of Pediatrics, which is on the second floor of the hospital building.

The offices of the Department of Pediatrics have a new look. Extensive renovations have been made. The offices have new flooring, new

furniture and very attractive draperies.

The number of beds available for Pediatrics in the hospital has been extended to fifty-two. The Pediatric floor has a new look too,—its equipment, beds, wallpaper and surroundings make it a pleasant place for the youngster who is ill.

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To quote from a paper compiled by the President of the Greater New York Association of Medical Record Librarians, Eleanor P. Kirwan, Misericordia Hospital, New York City and the Publicity and Education Committee, Miss M. Egan, formerly of the Flower-Fifth Avenue Hospital, New York City, now with the Veterans Administration Hospital, Oteen, North Carolina and Mr. S. Henkin, Marine Hospital, Staten Island:

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NEW PATIENTS' LIBRARY! NEW VOLUNTEER OFFICE!

The above two services are now combined in Room No. 541 of the hospital which you are cordially invited to visit any time between 10:30, A.M. and 3:30 P.M., Monday through Friday. Don't forget that we still need RUMMAGE for the hospital thrift shop, which can be sent to Room 541 or to Everybody's Thrift Shop, 922 Third Avenue, New York City—marked plainly for Flower & Fifth Avenue Hospitals and with your name and address as donor so that you can be sent a receipt for the donation for tax purposes. Here are some suggestions for rummage:—

Old suits, dresses, underwear, any type of clothing, Household articles, China-glass, Bric-a-brac, Kitchen utensils, Furniture, Rugs, Old silver, Costume jewelry.

Remember the tax receipts you will receive. There are real dollars in your waste paper baskets and closets. Don't miss them! And welcome to our new quarters in Room 541.

Dr. Marcus D. Kogel, New York City Commissioner of Hospitals, has announced the arrangement of a teaching affiliation in the field of pulmonary diseases between Seton Hospital, Bronx, N. Y., and the New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals. Graduate training will be undertaken at first, and later under-graduate instruction may be added.

ALPHA EPSILON IOTA

The Alpha Delta Chapter of Alpha Epsilon Iota held its annual reception for Freshman women in the Barnard Club at the Hotel Barbizon on Thursday evening, September 29th. The entire freshman faculty, Miss MacGrady, Miss Yohannan, Mr. Gay and all women students were present.

The reception is held each year in an effort to acquaint the new women students with their professors, instructors and friends, and thereby to make them feel at home at New York Medical College.

The Fraternity's current officers are:

Rita Girolomo	President
Lauretta Azzaretti	Vice-President
Alma Dotto	Secretary
Genevieve Ney	Treasurer
Dr. Lois Lillick	Faculty Adviser

DINNER FOR DR. CARLETON

A testimonial dinner was rendered to Dr. Sprague Carleton on September 30th, 1949, at the Yale Club, by the members of his staff of the Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals and the Metropolitan Hospital. Every member of the department was present and Dr. Wershub, who was master of ceremonies, called upon each one, who delightfully responded with anecdotes concerning Dr. Carleton and the Department of Urology. Dr. Paul Read, on behalf of the staff, presented to Dr. Carleton a silver cocktail shaker with appropriate engraving. Dr. Carleton retires as Director of Urology after many years of loyal and faithful service. The new Director of the Department of Urology, Dr. Thomas Kirwin, was present at the dinner as well as several of the graduate students in Urology, who have taken the graduate course under Dr. Carleton. Telegrams from former students now practicing Urology in remote and distant sections of the United States were received with regrets that because of distance. they could not attend. Dr. Carleton has been appointed Professor of Graduate Surgery.

FOUR SISTERS, FOUR M.D's.

Among the 1949 graduating class of the New York Medical College, held at the New York Academy of Medicine on Wednesday, June 8th, 1949, were two Puerto Rican sisters, Marisa Castro and Carman Castro. Carman is married to Jose F. Saurez, also a Puerto Rican and who also graduated from our College on the same day. After completion of the graduation exercises, there was a re-union between Marisa and Carman and two other sisters, Celeste and Providencia, who are already practicing physicians. All four Castro sisters are the daughters of a Puerto Rican farmer, Enrique Castro. Marisa will interne at Arecibo District Hospital, Puerto Rico, while Carman and her husband will interne at Municipal City Hospital, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

The First Annual session of the Maryland Academy of General Practice was held in Hagerstown, Md., on Wednesday, September, 29, 1949. Dr. Thomas H. McGavack was a guest speaker; the title of his subject was "Management of Hyperthyroidism."

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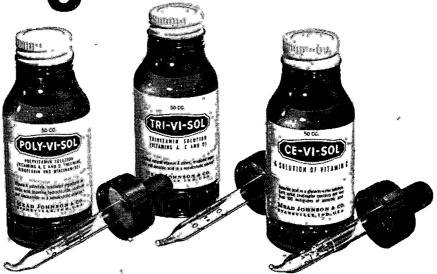
"MARDI GRAS" comes to New York Medical College on Friday Evening, November 11, 1949, as the theme of the biggest and best carnival ever. There will be dancing to Bud Laird's fine orchestra, variety acts between dances, games of skill and chance, door prizes, prizes for costumes, and a bar well stocked with refreshments.

As in past years, the festivities will begin at 8 p.m. at the College. Come and see your Alma Mater transformed into a colorful playground of fantasy and mayhem. Come and have the grandest, the zaniest evening of your life—and remember, ALL proceeds of this fifth annual carnival are for the benefit of the STU-DENT LOAN FUND.

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