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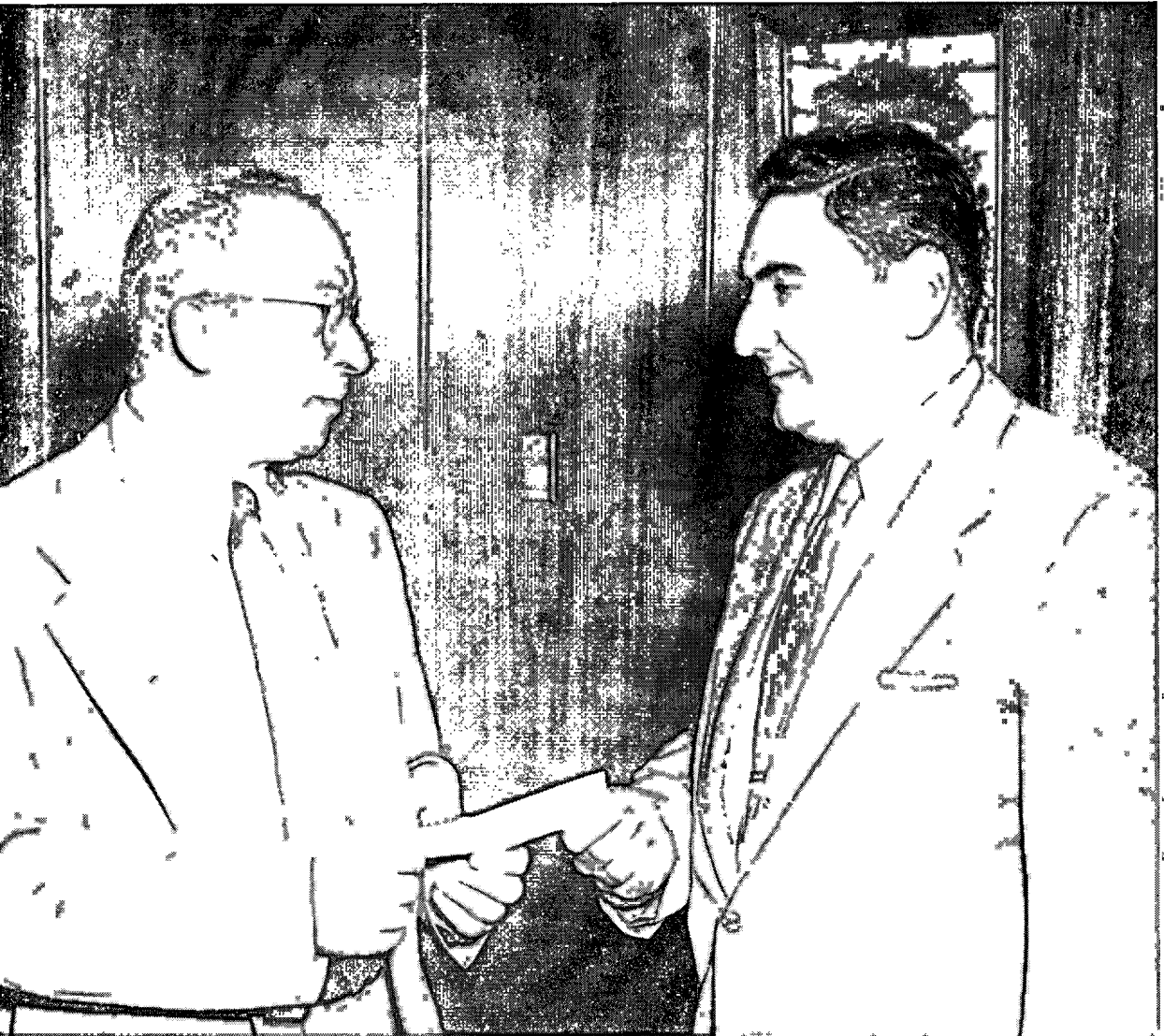
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SPEECH CORRECTION CLINIC FOR RETARDED CHILDREN

A new speech correction clinic for retarded children will open at New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals this month, and a check for \$4,100, was presented by the Lena Invalid Aid Society to aid in establishing this clinic. The check donated through the Association for the Help of Retarded Children, was presented by Nathan Feder, president of the Association, and was accepted by Dr. Marcus D. Kogel on behalf of his alma mater, the New York Medical College.

Miss Doris Trepel has been appointed supervisor for the new speech clinic, and Miss Ann M. Smith has been appointed therapist for the clinic, to assist Miss Trepel. Work in the clinic is under the direction of Dr. Lawrence B. Slobody, head of the department of pediatrics for the college and hospital. A grant of \$6,000 to aid in establishing the Speech Clinic was made by the Lena Invalid Aid Society through the Association for the Help of Retarded Children.

Dr. Kogel, Commissioner of Hospitals for the City of New York, paid high tribute to the work being done by the college and hospital through its Retarded Children's Clinic in operation since March. He declared that there are a number of neglected fields in medicine, but the greatest among them is the retarded child.

"The Retarded Children's Clinic at Flower & Fifth Avenue Hospitals is one of the finest developments in medicine in this country and fills one of its greatest needs," Dr. Kogel declared on accepting the check. "The speech clinic for the diagnosis and treatment of speech deficiencies will be a valuable adjunct to the original clinic. It is particularly important that this work is being conducted at a medical college, since it means a wide dissemination of knowledge as it develops. Delegations of doctors and others interested in the field will undoubtedly visit the clinic for information from all across the nation and from other countries."

Dr. Kogel was chosen the outstanding graduate of the year on Alumni Day at New York Medical College in June.

COLLEGE OPENING

The New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals, opened its 92nd session on Monday, September 18, 1950, with old and new students attending classes. One hundred and twenty-eight freshmen have been registered for the year. A list of their names is shown below. They were selected from among 3,157 applicants. The total enrollment of 482 medical students, an increase over last year, includes fifty-three women, eight of whom are freshman.

Dr. J. A. W. Hetrick, dean, greeted the new students who assembled at the college the Friday before opening day. He stressed their obligations in being accepted by the medical college at this time of national and international crisis. He advised them on problems they would encounter, and outlined briefly the history, objectives, and philosophy of the institution.

The Freshman Class

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| Aden, Ralph H. | Esposito, Wm. Jos. |
| Ajemian, Edward P. | Farrell, Henry F. |
| Alexander, Manfred | Farrell, Walter J. Jr. |
| Anderson, Norman E. | Feigenbaum, Jerrole M. |
| Anzel, Sanford H. | Feinerman, Burton |
| Appelbaum, Jerry J. | Ferguson, Matthew J. |
| Appleton, Jude Márc | Fisch, Richard |
| Barry, Wm. Eugene | Flynn, Wm. Ronan |
| Batzdorf, Ulrich | Frederick, Wm. Curtis |
| Berger, Samuel H. | Geary, John Jos. |
| Berk, Marvin S. | Gilford, Robert Jay |
| Bernstein, Chester M. | Goldberg, Stanley |
| Beyrouty, Raymond A. | Goodenough, Robin W. |
| Bisca, Basil | Gregoratos, Gabriel |
| Blanchett, Carl | Gribetz, Irwin |
| Bora, Frank Wm. Jr. | Grimaldi, Richard D. |
| Brancucci, Peter P. | Hans, Marvin S. |
| Burns, John F. Jr. | Harris, Barton A. |
| Burrows, Stanley B. | Henry, Ian Edward |
| Burtan, Bruce M. | Hirsch, Bob |
| Byron, Herve M. | Horan, Edward Leo |
| Campbell, Arthur S. | Houlihan, Robert K. |
| Carey, Alice T. | Isaacs, Norman Jack |
| Cerier, Wm. Irving | Jorgensen, Grace G. |
| Christakis, George J. | Karlin, David B. |
| Cline, John F. X. | Katz, Irving |
| Cogger, Wm. Alfred | Keers, John Bruce |
| Cole, Herbert L. | Kellert, Albert J. |
| Conte, Harry C. | Knauff, Edward F. |
| Cooke, Katherine W. | Krag, Jean Anita |
| Corley, Judson A. | Lawrence, Clinton E. |
| Cronin, Wm. F. | Lee, James Earl |
| Curran, Alton J. | Lewis, Richard L. |
| Davis, Nancy DuMond | MacGrath, Walter B. |
| DeBlasi, Henry P. | MacLean, Malcolm D. |
| Deduk, Valentine | Mandel, Perry R. |
| Donahue, Joseph E. Jr. | Mangano, Joseph A. |
| Donaldson, John F. | Manogue, Robert S. |
| Dowling, Jean Marie | McGrath, Robert Wm. |
| Duff, John F. | McKittrick, John R. |
| Duvoisin, Roger C. | Mellion, Anson J. |
| Edberg, Sanford H. | Milstein, Joseph |
| Edwards, Clifford J. | Moore, John F. |

Murphy, John L.
 Murphy, Joseph J.
 Newman, Walter Z.
 Nonkin, Paul M.
 Norchi, Charles H.
 O'Keefe, Edward R.
 Palmer, Paul R.
 Pitkin, Richard W.
 Rabinowitz, Martin
 Rains, Helen Claire
 Rayhill, John Leo
 Reilly, Peter P.
 Rizzi, John N.
 Scharfman, Melvin
 Schear, William A.
 Schleussner, Robert
 Schmidt, Arnold P.
 Sherman, Alan M.
 Siegler, Stanley
 Silverman, Arthur
 Small, John

Smith, Robert E.
 Solon, Lorraine S.
 Steinberg, Harold
 Stoltmann, Henry F.
 Sullivan, William M.
 Susca, Louis A.
 Taylor, David R.
 True, Alvin C.
 Voulo, Raymond J.
 Watson, William N.
 Weatherwax, Robert
 Weber, Thomas J.
 Weigers, Edward W.
 Westlin, William F.
 Westney, Howard J.
 Wicoff, David N.
 Wolke, Margaret
 Wood, George K.
 Wood, Harry T.
 Wooley, Charles F.
 Young, Lewis J.

SCHOOL OF NURSING

Forty student nurses registered at Flower-Fifth Avenue School of Nursing on Wednesday, September 27th 1950 for the three year basic course in nursing to prepare themselves to be licensed professional nurses. These students came from five different states, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Connecticut and Iowa.

A three day orientation program including formal registration, conferences with members of the Faculty, tours of the Hospital and College, buffet supper and theatre party aided these young students to have a sense of belonging to the New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals.

Names of students who entered are:

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| Joyce Benyo | Jamaica, N. Y. |
| Marion Black | Milford, Penna. |
| Jacqueline Boyce | Queens Village, N. Y. |
| Helen Calaceto | Lynbrook, N. Y. |
| Joan Clayton | Neptune City, N. Y. |
| Mary-Jayne Copans | Newburgh, N. Y. |
| Joyce Crane | Westbury, N. Y. |
| Irene Ferry | Brooklyn, N. Y. |
| Betty Gagen | Avon, N. J. |
| June Gluck | Monticello, N. Y. |
| Mary Goulden | Clinton, Iowa |
| Virginia Hall | Allendale, N. J. |
| Harriet Halm | Brooklyn, N. Y. |
| Constance Hand | Cape May, N. J. |
| Joan Hasson | Staten Island, N. Y. |
| Carol Jaeger | Dumont, N. J. |
| Marie Kennedy | New York, N. Y. |
| Anita Kurzenhauser | New York, N. Y. |
| Barbara Leininger | Woodside, N. Y. |
| Jane Madsen | Staten Island, N. Y. |

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| Marilyn Maier | New York, N. Y. |
| Dolores Mattei | New York, N. Y. |
| Marlene Monahan | Thomaston, Conn. |
| Mary Noble | Bronxville, N. Y. |
| Gwendolyn Phillips | Port Washington, N. Y. |
| Dorothy Pinto | Middletown, N. Y. |
| Jane Powell | Greenwich, Conn. |
| Beverly Price | Rahway, N. J. |
| Joyce Roche | Chester, N. Y. |
| Joan Rothaug | Lynbrook, N. Y. |
| Mary Louise Ryan | Clifton Heights, Pa. |
| Jane Schellinger | East Hampton, N. Y. |
| Carolyn Spinnler | Tafton, Penna. |
| Gertrude Torres | New York, N. Y. |
| Doris Van Sise | Huntington, N. Y. |
| Joan West | Brooklyn, N. Y. |
| Joan Whiting | Mahopac, N. Y. |
| Louisa Yost | Cape May, N. J. |
| Nancy Young | East Norwalk, Conn. |
| Sarah Young | East Norwalk, Conn. |

HELEN M. DAUM, R.N.

Director of Nursing

PICTURE THE PATIENT

For Study, Reference, Teaching and Record

The Department of Medical and Clinical Photography was established in the New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals to serve the needs and requirements of all Departments. It is with this thought in mind that this paper is written, and also as a means of introducing our services to you. Physicians in more and more hospitals, clinics, and private offices are emphasizing the use of photography as a routine procedure, for photography registers visual impressions as notes and memory never can.

Medical Photography is a mere child in comparison with the other branches of Medical science, in fact its use is still somewhat in an experimental stage. Yet of all the means at hand in making a visual record for study, reference, teaching and record, it alone has shown more advancement than any other field in this line.

It is our strong desire to promote the use of Medical Photography for these reasons and already steps have been taken along these lines, for example: It is now the policy of the Department, whenever a patient is photographed, for whatever the cause, first to get a copy of the photograph on his chart as quickly as possible, so that the doctor will have this information at his fingertips when he needs it most. This is so true if a change due

to surgery or any other cause takes place, and as I mentioned before "photography registers visual impressions as notes and memory never can."

Is Medical Photography expensive? Definitely no. I must emphasize this fact. Medical Photography is not expensive, and if the proper attitude is taken regarding its use it will be found to be one of the most inexpensive items in a hospital; yet its use will prove invaluable to the doctor and nurse and patient.

According to a late survey (Medical Radiography and Photography, Vol 24, No. 3) "The majority of medical photographers make about 150 exposures per month; however, one sixth report 500, making the average 235." The average number of Medical Photographic exposures (including lantern slides) for this institution is only 67 per month. The first figure mentioned were for an average 400 bed hospital. (Nationwide) From these facts it can be clearly seen that Medical Photography in this hospital is not being used to its fullest extent. None of the averages quoted above include publicity or other non-medical photography.

How can this Department serve best is a problem deserving considerable thought because there are so many features both pro and con. One means of increasing the clinical value of the photographic department is closer patient relationship, or educating the patient that photography is an important function in recording their progress or assisting the doctor in diagnosis. This can be satisfactorily accomplished by the fullest cooperation of the attending and staff physician, in other words the doctor must be "picture conscious" and should use the facilities of the photographic department as much as possible. In reference to this many types of cases should be photographed as a routine procedure, for example; before and after pictures where plastic surgery is involved, squints, certain types of dermatology, posture and other orthopedic problems and many others.

In medicine the scope of photography is wide. It may approximately be divided into the following classes:—

1. Photographs of the whole or more often the part of the living subject to show the nature, extent and course of a disease, deformity or condition.
2. Photographs of surgical operations or the method of administration of specific forms of treatment together with "before" and "after" pictures to demonstrate the effects or results achieved.
3. Biopsy and autopsy specimens for records or investigation.

4. Reproduction of radiographs, cardiographs, explanatory diagrams, charts, etc., as auxiliary data to clinical photographs or separately.
5. Photographs of that which may be seen under the microscope.
6. Demonstration of equipment and instruments.
7. Propaganda work for reassuring the relatives of patients or for securing funds or aid.
8. To provide teaching and lecture material.

There are other factors which enter into the smooth operation of the department, most of which are administrative, and will most probably take a little time to adjust, and action has been taken at the time of this writing to survey these problems and try and find a workable solution.

We have for use some of the finest equipment available, and I am very happy to report that some new equipment of the latest design is now on order and should be set up and in use by the time this is in print. Yes, some changes have been made, more are expected and it is hoped that everything done in the future will be to serve the College and Hospital in a better capacity.

The present staff consists of one trained medical photographer and one photographic technician, both are graduates of recognized photographic schools and accredited colleges and hold membership in the National and local chapters of the Biological Photographic Association, which organization is composed of the majority of Medical photographers throughout the nation and some foreign countries as well. Through the Journal published quarterly and through monthly meetings and annual conventions, this institution is advised of all the latest techniques and procedures.

Let's "Picture the Patient . . . for study, reference, teaching and record." The Department of Medical and Clinical Photography is here to serve your needs; please feel free to use its services.

DENIS A. STEVENS, B.P.A.

NIGHTCAP!

Officer:—"I thought you said your locker contained nothing but old clothes. What's this whiskey, here?"

Private:—"Oh, that's just my old nightcap, sir."

ALUMNI FUND of the NEW YORK MEDICAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITALS, INC. 1 EAST 105TH STREET NEW YORK 29, N. Y.

November 1, 1950

Dear Fellow Alumnus:

Our college has made tremendous strides forward during the past ten years. If this pace is maintained, we shall continue to be one of the very best in the country. The Endowment Fund can help this growth and development.

In all the better colleges, such Funds function with the realization that by helping the College, Alumni help themselves. I do hope you will join with us in contributing and getting others to promote this Fund. At regular intervals, we shall report to you on the progress of your Alumni Fund, in *The Chironian*.

With kind regards,

Sincerely yours,

LAWRENCE B. SLOBODY, M.D.

AUTHORIZED TO GIVE D. D. S.

New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals, has been authorized to grant the degree of Doctor of Dental Surgery, according to an announcement by Dr. J. A. W. Hetrick, dean of the college. Steps will be taken to expand facilities, increase the faculty and make such changes as will be necessary. Dean Hetrick emphasized that this action by the Board of Regents is a confirmation of the belief that dentistry is a special phase of medicine and should be taught as such. He anticipated that this may eventually lead to the combined degree of Doctor of Medicine and Doctor of Dentistry.

ENDOWMENT RECEIVED

The Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology of the New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals, received an endowment of \$250,000. in June from the Nelson Cromwell estate. The college board of trustees has designated this sum as a special endowment for the department of obstetrics and gynecology. The income will be used to partially cover cost of medical education in this field. Dr. Leon S. Loizeaux is director of the department.

DEPARTMENT OF GRADUATE SURGERY

Another academic year presents itself to the Graduate School of Surgery at our College, and on October 2, 1950 we welcomed the new group of earnest "Knights of the Scalpel."—They are:

- Jack August, M.D. West Orange, N. J.
New York Medical College '3/43
- Mervin L. Binder, M.D. West Orange, N. J.
Marquette Medical School '48
- Paul Brochu, M.D. Quebec City, Canada
Laval University, '41
- Frank DeFurio, M.D. Auburn, N. Y.
Syracuse College of Medicine, '30
- Michael A. DiGiacomo, M.D. New York, N.Y.
Royal University, Italy, '39
- Alfred E. Greenwald, M.D. Hackensack, N. J.
New York Medical, '47
- Paul E. Labbe, M.D. Quebec City, Canada
Laval University, '49
- Edgar L. Latimer, M.D. North Dighton, Mass.
Medical Evangelists, '45
- Joseph T. Pedulla, M.D. New York, N. Y.
New York Medical College, '47
- Osoth Ratanakanaka, M.D. Bangkok, Siam
Aurora University, Shanghai, '47
- Edwin T. Ricketts, M.D. Flushing, N. Y.
Duke Medical School, '36
- Laurence M. Rivkin, M.D. Forest Hills, N. Y.
University of Louisville Med. School, '48
- Harry A. Schwartz, M.D. Long Island City, N.Y.
L. I. Medical College, '29

The first class in post-graduate study of surgery began in 1939, and from that time to the present time, there have been 166 physicians graduated to become specialists in surgery.

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| Class of 1949-50 | 22 | Graduates |
| Class of 1948-49 | 23 | Graduates |
| Class of October, 1947 | 12 | Graduates |
| Class of March, 1947 | 12 | Graduates |
| Class of May, 1946 | 12 | Graduates |
| Class of 1946-47 | 30 | Graduates |
| Class of 1945-46 | 18 | Graduates |
| Class of 1944-45 | 4 | Graduates |
| Class of 1943-44 | 5 | Graduates |
| Class of 1942-43 | 5 | Graduates |
| Class of 1941-42 | 11 | Graduates |
| Class of 1940-41 | 6 | Graduates |
| Class of 1939-40 | 6 | Graduates |

TOTAL—166

JOSEPH H. FOBES, M.D.

Director

A QUESTION OF THE HEART

Like many another hardheaded businessman, Abell H. Bernstein was hard driven by his own restless energy. The stocky president of Bernstein Bros. Pipe and Machinery Co. of Pueblo, Colo. thought nothing of working 18 or 20 hours a day, seemed never to tire. But then he began to suffer from dizzy spells and shortness of breath. Specialists told him that he had coronary artery disease, advised him to quit work and take things easy.

Abe Bernstein ignored the warning and kept on working, but without the old zip and zest. Last May he had a real heart attach—a shut-down in a branch of the artery which feeds the heart muscle. He recalls that after he went back to work, "when I went to sleep I wasn't sure I'd wake up. I lived in fear." So far his history had paralleled that of hundreds of thousands of U. S. victims of coronary disease.

Then Bernstein heard that Manhattan's Dr. Samuel Alcott Thompson had developed an operation which quickly retored people like himself to useful, active lives. It sounded too good to be true: the surgeon just dumps talcum powder into the heart sac in a 20-minute operation. Satisfied that it had worked well on other patients, Bernstein had the operation in July. Last week, at his company's Philadelphia plant, 50-year-old Abe Bernstein put in a nine-hour day, hefted 100-lb. crates with no visible harm. Said he: "The only time I feel lousy now is when I overeat."

The operation that put Bernstein back on his feet had been performed by Dr. Thompson on more than twoscore patients since 1938. Of them, 70 % were still living after several years; all but four reported themselves vastly relieved. (Most had been coronary cripples, in much worse condition than Bernstein.)

As Dr. Thompson describes it, the operation works this way: the heart sac is slit open, then two drams of especially fine talc are spread on the inside of the sac membrane. Fine as it is, the talc acts as an irritant. The sac becomes inflamed and much more blood courses through it; then it adheres to the heart muscle, and its blood-gorged vessels throw out branches into the muscle. These branches increase the muscle's blood supply and, hence, its power to keep the heart beating.

The talc stays there the rest of the patient's lifetime. Technically it is a constant irritant, but the patient is unaware of it. All he knows is that he feels better. Most who have had the

operation have been relieved of the agonizing spasms of angina pectoris and the paralyzing fear. Many have gone back to work—one from a wheelchair to loading trucks.

Why has this operation been so little used? One objection offered by some surgeons is that while it increases the heart muscle's blood supply, the increase is not strong enough. Cleveland's noted Heart Surgeon Claude Shaeffer Beck invented a powder operation using ground-up beef bone or asbestos instead of talc, then put it aside in favor of a more radical job—revamping the heart's plumbing system by an arterial graft (Time, June 28, 1948).

In his easy North Carolina accent, Dr. Thompson calls Beck's arterial grafting "a magnificent surgical feat." But, he contends, it takes a highly skilled surgeon and a two to five-hour operation (more than many patients can stand). In many cases, he believes, almost as good a result can be had from the shorter, simpler operation. He argues that there is room for both techniques. Of 15 other surgeons using the talc method, says Dr. Thompson, most report good results.

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Dr. Samuel Alcott Thompson is Associate Professor, and Attending Surgeon in Charge of Thoracic Surgery Service at Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals.

MEDICAL RECORD LIBRARIANS

Through the kindness of Dean J. A. W. Hetrick the Joint Meeting of the Connecticut, the Greater New York, and the Westchester Association of Medical Librarians, which was held in the College Auditorium on Saturday, October 14th, was a memorable one. The Westchester Group acted as Host. Hospitals represented were: Connecticut 4—Westchester 4—Greater New York 28. Attendance 100.

PROGRAM—Presentation of the current topics and procedures concerning the problems of the Medical Record Librarian.

PURPOSE—To stimulate the interchange of ideas and to increase the general knowledge of the various procedures administered in a Medical Record Department.

NOTE: The Greater New York Association contemplates expanding their program further to include additional educational facilities for all the members of their group.

HELEN G. DIXON, R.R.L., *Director*,
Medical Record Department, Flower-
Fifth Avenue Hospitals

A SURGEON'S PRAYER WARTIME

God of Battle, grant that the wounded may swiftly arrive at their hospital haven, so that the safeguards of modern surgery may surround them, to the end that their pain is assuaged and their broken bodies are mended.

Grant me as a surgeon, gentle skill and intelligent foresight to bar the path to such sordid enemies as shock, hemorrhage and infection.

Give me plentifully the blood of their non-combatant fellow man, so that their vital fluid may be replaced and thus make all the donor people realize that they, too, have given their life's blood in a noble cause.

Give me the instruments of my calling so that my work may be swift and accurate; but provide me with resourceful ingenuity so that I may do without bounteous supplies.

Strengthen my hand, endow me with valiant energy to go on through day and night; and keep my heart and brain attuned to duty and great opportunity.

Let me never forget that a life or a limb is in my keeping and do not let my judgment falter.

Enable me to give renewed courage and hope to the living and comfort to the dying.

Let me never forget that in the battles to be won, I too must play my part, to the glory of a great calling and as a follower of the Great Physician. Amen.

X-mas Night, 1941

John J. Moorhead, Col., M.C.

Tripler General Hospital

Honolulu, T. H.

PHI LAMBDA KAPPA

Phi Lambda Kappa Fraternity announces the creation of an annual award to be known as the Phi Lambda Kappa Annual Award. This award, consisting of \$250.00 and a certificate, will be presented each year to that member of the graduating class of the New York Medical College who, during his four years of study at the College, submits to the office of the Dean before May 15, 1951, the most original paper or completed research problem. The recipient of the prize will be chosen by a committee representing the faculty, purely on the basis of the submitted papers.

All senior students are invited to participate for this award.

PERSONALS

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

1915

Cassius Lopez de Victoria, M. D., 10 Columbia Avenue, Hartsdale, N. Y., was made a diplomate of the American Board of Physical Medicine at its recent meeting held at the Harvard Medical School.

1914

Harry S. Whitaker, M. D., formerly of Brooklyn, N. Y., advises that he has retired from practice and that his addresses in the future will be—beginning June 1st until October 1st—Woodland Valley Park, Woodland, Ulster County, N. Y.—and beginning October 1st until June 1st. Madera Road, De Barry, Florida.

1926

Samuel L. Saltzman, M. D., has been appointed on the Committee on Grants-in-Aid of the National Council to Combat Blindness. This committee is composed of eminent ophthalmologists, and has for its purpose the allocation of funds for research in ophthalmology.

1927

Marcus D. Kogel, M.D.—At a Special Emergency Meeting of the Medical Society of the County of N.Y. held at the New York Academy of Medicine on September 27, 1950, Commissioner Kogel, who is Chief of the Medical Emergency Division of the Office of Civilian Defense for New York City, discussed the organization and functions of the new Medical Emergency Division, and explained the plans for medical care and evacuation in event of disaster to New York City. All physician members of the Medical Society of the County of New York will be an integral part of these medical plans.

1930

Dr. and Mrs. Patrick C. Rizzo and children, Camille, Francis and Eugene, returned from Europe on the Queen Mary on August 28th. During a two months Pilgrimage tour they visited Italy, Switzerland, France, England and Ireland.

Dr. and Mrs. Saul A. Schwartz announce the arrival of Marilyn Ruth on August 16, 1950, weight 8 lbs. 5 ozs.

1931

Henry W. Eisfelder, M.D. has moved his office and is now located at 143-06 Barclay Avenue, Flushing, N. Y. Dr. Eisfelder was chairman of the Division of Modern Medicine at the Southern Homeopathic Medical Convention held in Chicago on October 19-20 and 21.

1932

Michael J. Fisher, M.D., has been elected an Associate Fellow of the American Proctologic Society, at the annual meeting in Los Angeles, where he read a paper on "Foreign Bodies in the Rectum." This paper will be published in the American Journal of Surgery.

Alexander Richman, M. D. has recently been appointed Adjunct Physician for Gastroenterology to the Mount Sinai Hospital, New York, and is also Attending Physician in Gastroenterology at Fordham

Hospital, New York. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Internal Medicine and Gastroenterology, and a Fellow of the New York Academy of Medicine. Dr. Richman is married to Dr. Charlotte Yudell, '33, and they are the parents of four children. Dr. Richman practices at 1111 Park Avenue, New York, and lives in New Rochelle, N. Y.

1934

Joseph Hahn recently received appointment as Assistant Clinical Professor of Dermatology and Syphilology on the staff of Post-Graduate Medical School, New York University-Bellevue Medical Center.

Irving Rapfogel has opened an office at 34-60 Bowne Street, Flushing, N. Y. for the practice of proctology.

1935

William Bloom, M. D. advises that he is practicing internal medicine at 30 East 40th Street, New York City. He is a Diplomate of the American Board of Internal Medicine, 1945, F.A.C.P. (Assoc.) and an associate attending physician at City Hospital, and on the staff of French Hospital.

1936

Paul S. Ingrassia, M. D. was elected president of the Good Samaritan Staff in Suffern, N. Y.

1937

John Abajian, Jr., has been selected as medical director of the Red Cross Blood Center in Burlington, Vermont. The center will serve all of Vermont and the northern part of New Hampshire.

Lydia Verbarg Shaughnessy, M. D. writes:—"Where was the class of 1937 during the A. M. A. convention in San Francisco? I met Lucy Ozarin '37 (who is doing herself proud in the Veteran's Administration). She had an exhibit for the V. A.—and it was very good, and won a prize. She and I had a wonderful time catching up on news, and seeing a little bit of this part of the country. We scanned registrations each day at the convention, but found no one else of our class. Incidentally, my home is in Atherton, close to San Francisco, and my husband, my three year old daughter Ruth, and I, will be glad to see anyone of my former classmates coming our way. Look us up in the phone book. Incidentally, I am working part time for our Country,—Health Department."

Lucy D. Ozarin, Washington, D. C. writes: "I was in California recently and visited my classmate Lydia Verbarg Shaughnessy who lives near Palo Alto. Lydia is practicing part time with the Public Health Department. She has a three year old daughter, Ruth, a fine husband and a new house. I had not seen Lydia for six years and we had a grand reunion.

I attended the A. M. A. meeting in San Francisco, and looked in vain for classmates. Where is the class of '37 keeping itself? I was co-author of an exhibit on Schizophrenia which was given an Honorable Mention Award at the meeting.

Last spring Regina Gabler Greenberg visited Washington from Atlanta. Jean is being very successful in her practice of Obs. and Gyn. She is as pretty as ever, and a wonderful person besides.

If any classmates come to Washington, D. C., I hope they'll call on me."

1939

Charles J. Grubin, M. D. announces the removal of his office for General Practice to 123 Hillside Avenue, Hillside, N. J.

1940

Reilly, John Joseph. We learn that Dr. Reilly, who served as Lieut. Comdr. in the U. S. Navy during World War II has been called back into service.

1941

Joseph A. Padalino, M. D. announces his appointment as "Associate Surgeon" to the Surgical Staff of the Troy Hospital, Troy, N. Y.

Jerome Samuel, M. D., writes: "I am happy to announce that I was certified by the American Board of Ophthalmology earlier this year. Following my residency in ophthalmology at Kings County Hospital. I opened an office at 602 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, N. Y., for practice devoted exclusively to ophthalmology. My wife and I expect our first child any day now. I'd like to hear from my classmates. Best regards."

Léo H. Schwartz, M. D. writes: "After five years in the Army and three years of residency training, I have finally opened my office for the practice of ophthalmology at 405 North Bedford Drive, Beverly Hills, Calif. I would enjoy very much hearing from Joe, Wool, Bob Burnham, Jerry Samuel, Milt Brown, the Cramers, Gene Bliss etc. Married but no children yet; however hopeful for some prospective Flower medicos."

1942

Dr. and Mrs. George P. B. Lanfranchi announce the birth of a baby girl, their first child, on June 12, 1950. The baby's name is Angela Elizabeth.

Melvin E. Lea, M. D. writes: "Just to bring you up to date.

1946 Discharged from Army after three years war service.

1946-49 Resident in Surgery, Myers Clinic Hospital, Philippi, W. Va.

1949-50 Ass't Surgeon, Myers Clinic.

March, 1950 American Board of Surgery, Part 1.

August, 1950 Re-called to active duty with U. S. Army but am being allowed to serve as civilian in Panama Canal Zone for the time being. We sail from New York City aboard S. S. Panama on Sept. 13th. Assigned as surgeon at Colon Hospital, Cristobol. Canal Zone. Would like to hear from Biv, Wally, Al, Marge et al."

John Malgieri, M. D. had been appointed as an assistant medical director of the N. Y. Life Insurance Company. Following his internship at Misericordia Hospital, Dr. Malgieri entered the Army and served with the Air Corps in the China-Burma-India theater. Following his release from the Army as a captain, Dr. Malgieri in October, 1946, became a part time member of New York Life's medical department, and two years ago he became a full time member, and was recently appointed as an assistant medical director.

Sidney, Stahler, M. D. announces the opening of his office at 422 Beacon Street, Boston 15, Mass., for the practice of Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Morris Zelman advises that he has entered private practice and has located his office at 470 Ocean Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y. He is restricting his practice to Thoracic Surgery.

1943

Joseph M. Lubart, M.D., announces the opening of an office at 986 Fifth Avenue, New York. Practice limited to Psychiatry.

Joseph A. Manganaro, M. D. announces the opening of his office for the practice of general surgery at 8316—4th Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y. on July 1, 1950. Dr. Manganaro has passed Part 1. of the American Boards of Surgery.

Eugene Lusardi, M. D., Brooklyn, N. Y., was recently married. He is finishing a residency in Surgery.

Philip C. Reilly, M. D., having completed a three year residency in Internal Medicine at St. Vincent's Hospital, has opened his office for the practice of same at 25 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

Dr. and Mrs. Sidney Zuckerman announce the arrival of a daughter, Elaine Denise, on Sunday, June 4th, 1950 at the Horace Harding Hospital, New York City.

1944

John J. Castronuovo writes the following:—"I have completed my surgical residency training at Paterson General Hospital and am starting the practice of general surgery at 466 Park Avenue, Paterson, N. J. Also have completed Part I of the American Board of Surgery examinations. In addition to all this good news, I want to remind you that we have a son, and would like to show him off to anyone interested. Our home address is 14-31 Chandler Drive, Fair Lawn, N. J. Please stop in if you are over here. Good luck to all."

Kurt Elias, M. D. announces the opening of his office for the practice of internal medicine at 1082 Park Avenue, Suite 3B, New York City. He has completed all the requirements for the Medical Specialty Boards except for the practice upon which he is now embarking. "Nina and I are always glad to get the Chironian and hear about old friends. No addition to our three year old son, Peter."

Henry M. Kaplan, M. D. was married on June 25, 1950 to Miss Rhoda Lee Baskin, of New York City. Miss Baskin is a graduate of Hunter College, '47. Dr. Kaplan at present is resident in obstetrics and gynecology at Hospital of St. Raphael, New Haven, Conn., and resides at 366 Edgewood Avenue, New Haven, Conn.

Jerome M. Kummer, M. D. writes:—"Much has taken place since my last communication. Our four and one-half year old twin daughters now have an eight month old sister, Darleen Gail. In addition to my private psychiatric practice, I have recently started a psychiatric clinic at the Santa Monica Hospital. I became a Diplomate of the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology this past June in San Francisco, where Syl and I met, and had a grand time with the Steve Fromers. (Steve took his exam. for Fellow of the American College of Chest Physicians.)

After the convention, the Fromers came down to Santa Monica and were our guests for a few days.

Have spoken to Janine Landau Lauterbach on the phone recently; she has a three year old daughter and is practicing pediatrics in Hollywood. I believe that Janine and I are the only ones of our class in the Los Angeles area. If there others, I would most certainly like to hear from them."

Janina Lauterach, M. D. (formerly Janina S. Landau, M. D.) is now practicing pediatrics at 6381 Hollywood Boulevard, Hollywood, 28, Calif. She has a three year old daughter.

Thomas F. X. Lenihan writes: "On June 30, 1950 I completed 18 months as Assistant, then Chief Resident in Pediatrics at University Hospital—N.Y.U. Bellevue Medical Center. I will open my office after August 15th at 292 Broadway, in Paterson, N. J. My wife and I are residing at 25-03 Fairlawn Avenue, in Rathburn, N. J. On June 9th I completed the written examination for certification by the American Board of Pediatrics, and expect to take the oral part in Chicago this October. I am now on the attending staff at University Hospital, 303 East 20th Street, N. Y. City. (old Post-graduate)"

John L. Vigorita, M. D., Brooklyn, N. Y. is taking his last year of preceptorship for surgery at Columbus Hospital, New York City.

1945

Eugene Adelson, M. D. at present is connected with the Veterans Administration Hospital, Bath, N. Y.—His home address is 5 Fowler Street, Bath, N. Y.

Robert Freedman, M.D., writes: "Still in training, education, research—completed another year at University of Penna. Graduate School of Medicine in Otolaryngology, and am now Fellow on Mayo Foundation. Great pleasure meeting fellow alumni at both places; they certainly get around." Dr. Freedman's present address is 1503½ 7th Avenue. N. W., Rochester, Minn.

Edward H. Mandel, M.D., New York, N. Y., advises that he has received a fellowship in the Department of Dermatology and Syphilology in the New York Bellevue Medical Center. The work is being done in the New York Skin and Cancer Unit of the University Hospital. In addition to this he has been asked to lecture on the Superficial Mycoses in a special course which is part of the special course in Tropical Diseases being given at the Medical Center. The matriculates are full time physicians representing the Veterans Administration Hospitals throughout the country. There will be seven weekly lectures.

Jules S. Terry, M. D., announces the opening of offices for the practice of Obstetrics and Gynecology at 144 Golden Hill Street, Bridgeport, 3, Conn.

1946

William V. Beshlin, M.D., writes: "I wish to say Hello to all my classmates. Have been in general practice since April, this year, at 7 Lee Place, Paterson, N. J."

Frank M. Pollack announces the opening of his office for the practice of General Medicine at 9005 Kings Highway, Brooklyn, 12, N. Y.

1947

Elbert L. Close, M.D., enlisted in the U.S.N.R. on September 12, 1950, and on October 15th he was notified to report to the Portsmouth Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, Va. Until the time he enlisted, Dr. Close had completed a 15 month's residency in Anesthesiology at Temple University Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.

William John A. Ford, M.D. After serving a residency at St. Joseph's Hospital, Ann Arbor, Michigan, Dr. Ford was recently notified to report to Marine Camp, La Jeunne, North Carolina.

Donald Gribetz, M.D., writes "After having completed two years at the Jewish Hospital of Brooklyn as straight interne, assistant resident and chief resident in pediatrics, I am beginning (as of Oct. 1, 1950) a fellowship in pediatric endocrinology at Massachusetts General Hospital and Harvard Medical School under Dr. Nathan B. Talbot." Dr. Gribetz also advises that he has changed his address to 61 Wave Way Avenue, Winthrop, 52, Mass. Also, that his younger brother, Irwin, has just entered the freshman class at Flower.

Walter T. Hausheer, M. D. advises that his first child, Walter C. was born on December 13th, 1949. at St. Vincent's Hospital, N. Y. City. "Papa has finished two years residency in medicine and is now in a pathology residency at Halloran Veteran Admin. Hospital, Staten Island."

Shirley Kussner, M. D., Milford, Conn. has been appointed acting health officer of Milford, to act on a part time basis until a permanent appointment is made. Dr. Kussner opened an office for the practice of medicine in Milford last November.

Adrian F. Persico, M.D. who recently opened his office for general practice at 249 West Merrick Road, Freeport, L. I., and who lives at 494 South Ocean, Ave. Apt. 3N. Freeport, writes: "If you see any men of the class of 1947 tell them to stop in to see me if they are out this way. This part of the Island is excellent for swimming, fishing, etc."

1948

Harold Ranson Cottle, M. D., Brooklyn, N. Y. was married during July to Dr. Betty Jane Lowell, also of Brooklyn. Dr. Lowell is a graduate of the New York University School of Medicine. The bride's father, the Rev. Robert A. Lowell, performed the ceremony. Dr. Cottle is a resident and Dr. Lowell an intern, both at the Methodist Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y.

John H. Coughlin, Jr., M. D., advises the opening of his office for general practice at 443 First Street, Troy, N. Y., and that he has become engaged to Miss Doris Cokely of Schenectady. He enjoys reading The Chironian and looks forward to its arrival.

Dr. and Mrs. Vincent L. deCiutiis wish to announce the arrival of a baby girl on July 4th, 1950, at Metropolitan Hospital, Welfare Island, N. Y., where Dr. deCiutiis is chief resident in Anesthesiology beginning July 1st, 1950.

Charles A. DeLaney, Captain, M. C., U.S.A.F. writes: (letter received July 24, 1950.) "I just completed a tour of duty with the U. S. Air Force in Alaska having been stationed at Fairbanks and on The Aleutian Chain as Base Surgeon. At present I am on terminal leave at 10 New Jersey Avenue, Palmyra. N. J., but will return to practice in Southern California this fall. I would like to express my best wishes to all of my classmates."

Donald L. Duerk, M.D., announces the birth of a son, Donald L. Duerk, Jr., on July 10, 1950 at Fukuoka, Japan.

Bruce J. Ebbels, M. D. was married on July 3, 1950 in San Francisco, Calif., to Miss Shirley Cooley, a medical technologist, Flint, Michigan. They are living at 1060 Bush Street, San Francisco, while Dr. Ebbels, (a Lieut. j. g.) in the U. S. Naval Reserve is on active transport duty in the Pacific. His permanent home address is 26 Norcross Street, Rockville Center, L. I., N. Y.

Edward E. Eklund, M.D., writes: "Recently I have been appointed Medical Director of Butte County Hospital, Oroville, Calif. Now have two daughters ages 2½ years and 7 months. I send my regards to fellow classmates."

Robert C. Flipse, M. D. writes:—"I have moved to Miami, Florida, where I have joined my uncle and brother at the Flipse Clinic. The clinic is primarily a medical group. Hope to stay here for two or three years and then resume hospital training. However, my Naval Reserve affiliation makes my position precarious. Ran into Bill Pollen '48 at the Jackson Memorial Hospital in Miami, where he is resident in Orthopedic Surgery after an internship at the Jackson, and then a year of rural practice in Florida. For those of our friends who do not yet know, Margaret and I wish to announce the birth of a son Robert Charles, Jr., on April 20, 1950. This makes the second child, a daughter, Barbara Jeanne, born on November 8, 1948. Would like to hear from any old friends or classmates who take a Miami vacation or feel inclined to write. Address is 305 Huntington Building, Miami 32, Fla."

Arthur J. Fusco, M.D., is Lt. j.g. M.C., U.S.N.R., and at present is located at the New York Naval Ship Yard Dispensary, Brooklyn, N. Y.

William H. Keeler, M.D. has abandoned the practice of medicine to become a Trappist monk, which is one of the severest religious orders in the world. He has been accepted as a postulant at the Abbey of Our Lady of New Malleray, near Dubuque, Iowa, and intends to study for the priesthood at the monastery. Before attending medical school, Dr. Keeler enlisted with the 6th Marine Combat Division and saw action on Guadalcanal. For the past year he had been practicing medicine in Meridan, Conn.

Walter M. Kovach, M. D.—"Having completed a year of voluntary extended active duty with the Navy, part of which was spent as medical officer in Pediatrics, U.S.N.H., St. Albany, N. Y., part as medical officer on an attack transport in the Caribbean, announces the opening of his office for the practice of general medicine at 68-52A Cloverdale Boulevard, Bayside, N. Y."

Robert L. Sherman writes:—"As of this date (August 1, 1950) I have been assigned to the Far East Command, Yokahoma, Japan. I do not yet know

my address or assignment, but will let you know in the near future. I am now being indoctrinated at Fort Sam Houston, Texas."

Captain David M. Tormey is back again with the Brooke Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, after having been stationed in Europe. He was in Stuttgart for six months, and while in Germany was fortunate in being able to see the Passion Play at Oberammergau. He also saw the Pope while on a visit to Italy.

1949

Murray L. Dorfman, M.D., has opened his office for general practice at his residence, 422 Earlington Road, Havertown, Pa. He has been appointed to the staff of the Hahnemann Hospital in Philadelphia, and has been appointed assistant instructor in medicine at Hahnemann Medical College.

Robert T. Dunn, interning at St. Vincent's Hospital, was married on August 28th to Margaret Moran, connected with the Mountainside Hospital, Montclair, N. J.

Joseph J. Voytek, M.D., writes: "Since July 1, 1950 am now stationed at Philadelphia Quartermaster Depot Dispensary. Have also changed my home address to 211 West Springfield Road, Springfield, Penna. where I may eventually open up for general practice. P. S.—Was formally graduated from Walter Reed General Hospital Intern program along with Massoneau and Nelson. Massoneau is staying on in the Army, change of station to Fort Myer. Nelson is taking a residency in Mancy, Indiana."

Dr. Thomas H. McGavack, professor of clinical medicine at the New York Medical College, has been named a member of the detection committee of the American Diabetes Association.

Arthur A. Michele, '35 and Dr. Frederick J. Krueger wrote an article which appeared in the November 1, 1950 issue of the New York State Journal of Medicine, entitled "Patella Advancement for Spastic Flexion Contracture of the Knee."

Dr. Dora M. Tolle graduated from the New York Medical College for Women in 1918. The Medical Board of Willard Parker Hospital and friends honored Dr. Tolle on June 23 at an official ceremony in the office of Dr. Marcus D. Kogel, commissioner of Hospitals of New York City. Announcement was made at that time of Dr. Tolle's retirement on July 1, 1950 as medical superintendent of the city's Willard Parker Hospital for communicable diseases. Dr. Tolle had been associated with the hospital for 31 years and had been medical superintendent since 1930.

Following an invitation by the Board of Directors of the 6th National Chemical Exposition, Drs. Kurt Lange and Linn J. Boyd exhibited their work on "The Use of Heparin in Frostbite" in the section called "Chemical Trail Blazers" at the meeting of the American Chemical Society in Chicago in September, 1950.

Dr. Kurt Lange was invited to read a paper before the Sullivan County Medical Society on "Newer Concepts on the Pathogenesis Treatment of Acute and Chronic Glomerulonephritis".

IN MEMORIAM

BROADNAX, DR. MARY ETHEL, Montclair, N. J. graduated from the New York Medical College and Hospital for Women in 1905. She formerly practiced in Newark where she was on the staff of Presbyterian Hospital; served on the staff of the East Orange General Hospital. Dr. Broadnax died on July 10, 1950, aged 67, of chronic nephritis.

COHEN, DR. SIDNEY JOSEPH, Kentfield, Calif., was born in Scranton, Penna., on April 4th, 1916. He graduated from Yale University in 1938, and received his M.D. degree from our College in December, 1943. He served his internship at Montefiore Hospital, Bronx, N. Y. During World War II Dr. Cohen served as Captain in the Okinawa and Western Pacific Campaigns. He had been certified by the National Board of Medical Examiners. At the time of his death he was a resident at the Langley Porter Clinic-Hospital, San Francisco, Calif. Dr. Cohen died suddenly on June 1, 1950 of coronary infraction, at the age of 34.

DENNISON, DR. IRA WARREN, Washington, D.C., was born in Mystic, Conn., in 1865. He was graduated from the New York Homeopathic Medical College in 1890, and in 1940 received his gold diploma in recognition of fifty years of service in the medical profession. He served two years of internship at the National Homeopathic Hospital, Washington, D.C. and was a staff member of that hospital until his death. Dr. Dennison was a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, the Colonial Wars, St. Margaret's Episcopal Church, the Dennison Society of Pequot-Sepos, Connecticut, the District of Columbia Medical Society and the American Institute of Homeopathy. Dr. Dennison died on August 28, 1950 at his residence in Washington, D.C., in which he had maintained his office. He saw patients daily through the three weeks of his final illness at 85 years. He is survived by his wife, Margaret Trent Dennison. He was the last living member of the class of 1890.

DEUEL, DR. JACOB BETTINGER, Rochester, N. Y. was born in Piqua, N. Y. in 1887. He graduated from St. Lawrence University, and received his M.D. degree from the New York Homeopathic Medical College in 1915. He served in the Army medical corps in World War I. Dr. Deuel was a pioneer in radiology

in that area of New York State, and was connected with the Monroe County Infirmary and the Park Avenue Hospital, both in Rochester. He was a past national president of the Phi Alpha Gamma Medical Fraternity, and served two years as president of the Rochester Kiwanis Club, and was also chairman of the public affairs committee. He was a member of the Rochester Radiology Society; the Monroe County Medical Society; the Medical Society of the State of New York, and the American Medical Association. Dr. Deuel died on May 31, 1950 at the age of 62.

DEXTER, DR. HARRIET ELMA, Bayonne, N. J. was graduated from the New York Medical College and Hospital for Women in 1895. She was a member of the American Medical Association. Dr. Dexter died in Peekskill Hospital, Peekskill, N. Y., on August 18, 1950, aged 76, of pneumonia.

GEE, DR. WILLIS WYANT, Liverpool, N. Y. was born in Newburgh, N. Y. on October 13, 1909. He graduated from Syracuse University and received his M.D. degree from our College in 1944. He interned at Genesee Hospital in Rochester. After serving three years in the U.S. Army, Dr. Gee began his practice of medicine in Liverpool, N. Y. in May, 1947. He was a member of the Onondaga County Medical Society, Lions Club, American Legion Post 188, and the Elks Club. Dr. Gee died suddenly on August 27, 1950 at the age of forty. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lillian Mahoney Gee; two daughters, Kathy Jean and Karol Joan; his mother, Mrs. Watson Gee; two brothers and several nieces and nephews.

GETMAN, DR. VOLKERT L., Gloversville, N. Y. was born in Johnstown, N. Y. on August 11, 1865. He received his M.D. degree from the New York Homeopathic Medical College in 1904, and served internships at Lying-in Hospital and the Flower Hospital. He started practice at Oneonta, N. Y., and in 1909 moved to Gloversville where he practiced until about one year ago when he retired due to ill health. He was a member of the Fulton County Medical Society, the American Medical Association, the American Institute of Homeopathy and the Homeopathic Medical Society of the State of New York. Dr. Getman died on July 20, 1950 at the age of 84.

IVES, DR. NATHANIEL HOLMES, Mount Vernon, N. Y. was born in Yonkers, N. Y. on July 3, 1873. He graduated from the local schools and received his M.D. degree from the New York Homeopathic Medical College in 1895. He interned at Grace Hospital, New Haven, and the Cumberland Street Hospital, Brooklyn, and opened his office for medical practice in Mount Vernon in 1896. Dr. Ives was on the staff of the Mount Vernon Hospital, and became an honorary member of the board of managers of that hospital. He was a specialist in Geriatrics. He was a member of the American Institute of Homeopathy, the Homeopathic Medical Society of the State of New York, the American Medical Association, and the New York State, Westchester County, and Mount Vernon Medical Societies. Dr. Ives was Director of the Mount Vernon Trust Co., for 28 years; Senior Warden of the Church of Ascension for 42 years; a member of the Dunham Club, Siwanoy Country Club and the Monterey Country Club. Dr. Ives died on October 8, 1950, aged 77 years. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Alice J. Whitestone of Bronxville, and Mrs. Eleanor Ives Johnson of Mount Vernon. His wife, the former Flora Thomson Ives, died in 1945.

MACK, DR. GERTRUDE GRISWOLD, New York, N. Y., graduated from the New York Medical College for Women in 1897. She devoted many years of service to the activities of our Hospital, College and Medical Societies, and was a member of the American Institute of Homeopathy and the Homeopathic Medical Societies of the State and County of New York. Dr. Mack died on August 31, 1950 at her summer home in Woodland, Ulster Co., N. Y.

OGURI, DR. KANZO, Brooklyn, N. Y. graduated from our College in 1920. He did clinical work at the hospital before opening his office in Brooklyn, N. Y., where he continued his practice until the time of his death. He was a radiologist at Brooklyn Cancer Hospital and was on the staff of Prospect Heights Hospital. During World War II Dr. Oguri was chairman of the Japanese-American division of the Red Cross, and chairman of the Japanese-American Division of the United War Fund Drive. He was a leader in the community activities of Japanese-Americans. Dr. Oguri died on October 24, 1950, age 58. Surviving are his wife. Mrs. Augusta Oguri, two sons, and five daughters.

PERRY, DR. MABELLE JEANNE, Norwalk, Conn., was graduated from the New York Homeopathic Medical College for Women in 1903. She was the first woman doctor in Norwalk, and practiced there for 45 years. Dr. Perry served on the Norwalk Board of Health, and was affiliated with the Norwalk Hospital, where she died of cerebral hemorrhage on May 17, 1950, at the age of 72. There are no immediate relatives.

ROBINSON, DR. SOLOMON M., Spring Valley, N. Y. graduated from the New York Homeopathic Medical College in 1918. He formerly practiced in Brooklyn and Forest Hills, N. Y. Dr. Robinson died on July 26, 1950 of arteriosclerosis and heart disease, aged 73.

ROGERS, DR. HARRY, South Orange, N. J., was born in New York City in 1877. He received his M.D. degree from our College in 1899, and last year (1949) received his gold diploma in recognition of 50 years as a physician. Dr. Rogers began practice in South Orange, N. J. in 1901, continuing for 45 years in that town until 1946, when he retired from active practice. He was Senior Physician at the East Orange General Hospital and Pathologist at Essex County Hospital. He was a member of the American Institute of Homeopathy and the Homeopathic Medical Society of the State of New Jersey; the Hope Lodge, F. & A. M.; the Essex Country Club; the Newark Athletic Club and the New England Society of the Oranges. Dr. Rogers died on August 10, 1950 at the age of 73. Surviving are his son, Captain Harry Rogers of the U.S. Air Force; two stepdaughters, Mrs. William Leach and Mrs. Jean Lebilly, and a sister, Mrs. Mary Walmsley.

PEDRICK, DR. FRANKLIN BURCHE, Washington, D. C., was born in Washington in 1886, the son of the late John Carder Pedrick and Fannie Harkness Pedrick. After graduating from the Western High School, Washington, Dr. Pedrick received medical training at Johns Hopkins University, and later came to the Flower Hospital and College where he received his M.D. degree in 1913. During his entire medical career he resided at 1736 Columbia Road, N.W., where his offices were situated. He was a member of the staff of the National Homeopathic Hospital for many years; a member of the American Medical Association, and the District Medical Society. Dr. Pedrick served as a lieutenant colonel in the Army Medical Corps in World War I, and was a

German prisoner for ten months. Dr. Pedrick died at the Veteran's Hospital, Oteen, North Carolina, on November 7th, 1950, after a long illness, aged 63. His nearest surviving relative is a first cousin, Miss Fannie Harkness.

MACY, DR. MARY SUTTON, New York, N. Y., was graduated from the New York Medical College for Women in 1904. She did post-graduate work in Vienna, Paris, Zurich and London, and in 1906 was a member of the Yale University medical faculty as instructor in physical training. Dr. Macy was lecturer on physiology and hygiene at the New York Medical College for Women, 1909-1910, and later was medical examiner for the Penna. Mutual Life Insurance Company. Dr. Macy died on October 15, 1950 at the age of seventy. She was never married.

JANIFER, DR. CLARENCE SUMNER, Newark, N. J., was born in Newark, on March 13, 1886. He graduated from the Newark High School, and the Syracuse University, and received his M.D. degree from our College in 1915. He interned at Mercy Hospital, Philadelphia, and later became a specialist in Pediatrics. Dr. Janifer was among the first Negro physicians appointed to the City Hospital of Newark. He received a B.A. degree from Upsala College in 1929 and a M.A. degree from the New York University in 1933. He served in the Newark Health Department in various departments since 1921. He had served in World War I in the medical unit of the 372nd Infantry Regiment and was awarded the Croix de Guerre. He was a member of the Essex County Medical Society, the American Medical Association, and was a fellow of the American Academy of General Practice. He was a 32nd degree Mason. Dr. Janifer died on November 13, 1950, aged sixty-four. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Una M. Staunton Janifer, a son, Clarence S. Jr., and a brother, George W. Janifer.

NEW DIRECTOR— DEPARTMENT OF MEDICAL MILITARY SCIENCE

Appointment of Captain Irvin C. Plough as director of the department of medical military science of the New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals, has been announced by Dr. J. A. W. Hetrick, dean of the college. Captain Plough succeeds Lt. Col. H. W. Glasscock, Jr., who has been assigned

by the Army as commanding officer of the Eleventh Evacuation Hospital, at Fort Hood, Tex.

Born in Amherst, Mass., Captain Plough was graduated from Amherst College and the medical school of Columbia University. He interned at Bellevue Hospital and then served with the Army in the United States and Philippine Islands for two years. He was resident physician in medicine at Goldwater Memorial Hospital, Welfare Island, under the Army civilian resident training program.

PRENTISS LIBRARY

It is with pleasure that we announce the receipt of the books listed below. Members of the graduating class of 1950 presented these volumes as a gift to the College.

- Albright, F.—The parathyroid glands and metabolic bone disease, 1948.
- Associated Research in Nervous and Mental Diseases, Multiple Sclerosis and demyelinating diseases, vol. 28, 1950.
- Barsky, A. J.—Principles and practice of plastic surgery, 1950.
- Blakiston's—New Gould medical dictionary, 1949.
- Bockus, H. L.—Postgraduate gastroenterology.
- Cantor, M. O.—Intestinal Intubation, 1949.
- Custer, R. P.—An atlas of the blood and bone marrow, 1949.
- Davidoff, L. M.—The abnormal pneumoencephalogram, 1950.
- Diethelm, O.—Treatment in psychiatry, 2d ed. 1950.
- Evans, F. T.—Modern practice in anesthesia, 1949.
- Freud, S.—Collected papers, 5 vols., 1950.
- Friedberg, C. K.—Diseases of the Heart, 1950.
- Glasser, O.—Medical physics, vol. 2, 1950 (vol. 1 in library).
- Harvey Lectures—1946-47 and 1947-48
- Ivy, A. C.—Peptic Ulcer, 1950.
- Jolliffe, N.—Clinical Nutrition, 1950.
- Kasanjian, V. H.—The surgical treatment of facial injuries, 1949.
- Regan, L. J.—Doctor and patient and the law, 1949.
- Tauber, R.—Gynecologic diagnosis, 1949.

MAXINE ANN WEISS, *Librarian*

NEW DIRECTORY

At the last meeting of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association it was decided that the Association publish in June, 1950, a directory of all physicians who have received the degree of M.D. or M.S.C. from the New York Medical College. When the directory is ready, a copy will be sent gratis to all alumni. The listing is to be arranged both geographically and alphabetically, giving name, address, year of graduation, and specialty.

The Directory Committee already possesses the necessary data concerning graduates of the last five years, who, incidentally, will be presumed not to qualify as specialists. To all other graduates reply post-cards will be mailed in the near future. They are earnestly requested to fill in and return the cards at once. Any delay may cause errors in the directory.

J. CLIFFORD HAYNER, M.D.

Chairman, Directory Committee

DR. LEHR LECTURES IN EUROPE

In August of this year Dr. David Lehr visited, by invitation of Scandinavian friends, many research laboratories and hospitals of the Medical Schools of Stockholm, Lund and Copenhagen. He presented a paper on "Experimental Arteriosclerosis" before the 18th International Physiological Congress and attended the Annual Meeting of the Scandinavian Pharmacological Society. Both meetings were held in the Danish Capital. Next Dr. Lehr proceeded to Switzerland where he had occasion to inspect the elaborate, up-to-date research laboratories of "Sandoz" and "Ciba" in Basel. From there he continued to Paris, early in September, where he attended the First World Congress of Cardiology at the Sorbonne and lectured on "Sulfonamide Mixture Therapy" before the First International Congress of Internal Medicine at the Medical Faculty of the Paris University.

Dr. George A. Bochow, '30, Mount Vernon, N. Y. announces the birth of a second son, fifth offspring, at Mt. Vernon Hospital, on August 23rd, and Dr. Bochow delivered the last three himself. Name of the newest arrival, Brian Quentin. Dr. Bochow is Co-Author (with the late Boardman M. Bosworth) of "Embolic Metasis of the Inferior Vena Cava" which appears in the November, 1950, issue of the American Journal of Surgery.

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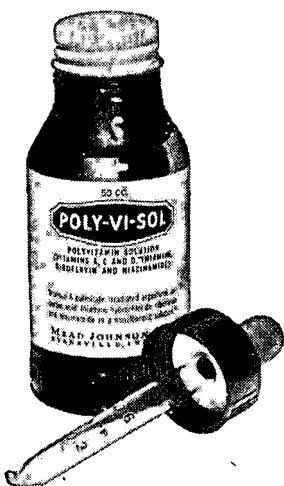
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