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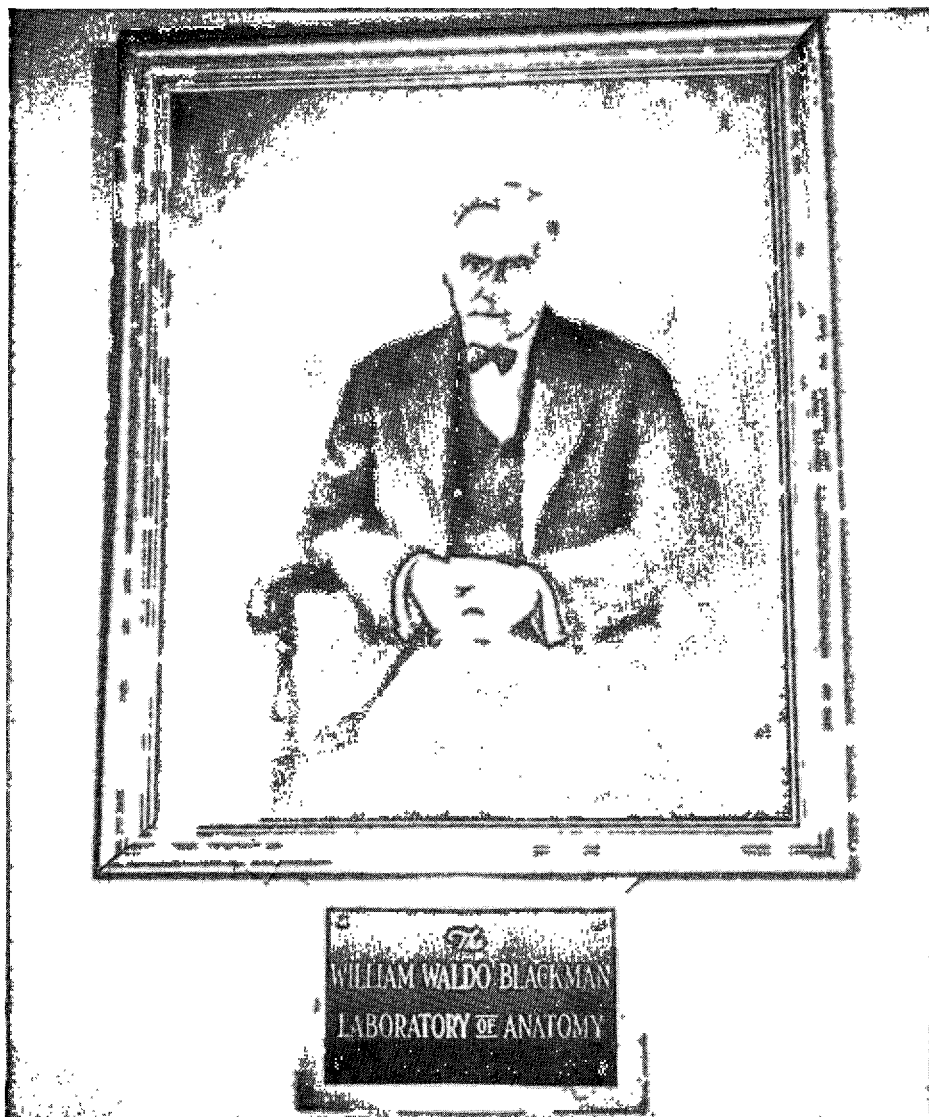
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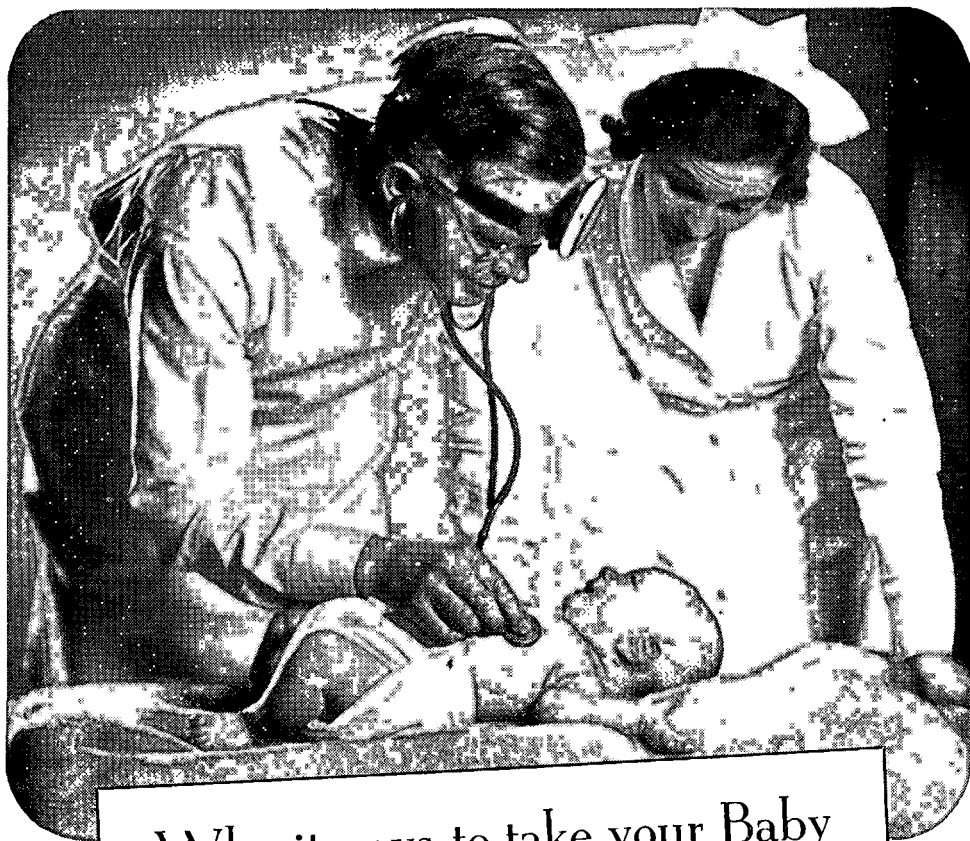


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THE WILLIAM WALDO BLACKMAN LABORATORY OF ANATOMY

The formal occasion of designating the Department of Anatomy of our College as the William Waldo Blackman Laboratory of Anatomy will take place on the evening of November 19th. For this occasion Professor William K. Gregory, Curator of Comparative and Human Anatomy of the American Museum of Natural History will speak on the subject "The Evolutional Causes of the Misery of Mankind." (Dr. Gregory was recently voted one of the ten outstanding scientists of America.)

Dr. William Waldo Blackman, in whose honor this occasion is inaugurated, is a graduate of our College in the class of 1877. After graduation he began the practice of medicine in Brooklyn where he still "carries on" after sixty three years of service to his community.

During the early years of his practice Doctor Blackman was associated with the Department of Anatomy of our College. His enthusiasm, scholarship, and ability as a teacher brought him rapid promotion to full-professorship and headship of the Department. His former students characterize him as a dynamic teacher whose interests extended beyond the walls of his laboratory. He not only built up the efficiency of the Department of Anatomy, but was also a loyal alumnus who championed in a quiet and unassuming way all movements that were for the upbuilding of the College. This loyalty soon

won recognition in his election to the Presidency of the College and membership in the Board of Trustees, of which he later became Vice Chairman, a position he still holds as an active member.

Throughout his professional career since giving up his duties as a teacher in 1896 to devote full time to his ever-increasing practice, Dr. Blackman has maintained a keen interest in Anatomy and the welfare of the Department. An artist by nature, one of his hobbies has been to draw and paint various anatomic subjects for use in the class room. To date he has made two hundred and fifty large drawings and paintings covering almost all phases of human anatomy. They are excellent reproductions and constitute the best single collection of such charts in an American Medical College.

Few people have lived to see the fruition of their efforts as has Dr. Blackman. When he joined the Faculty in 1882, the College was located on the upper floor of the old New York Ophthalmic Hospital at 23rd Street. He migrated with it in 1889 to the then new quarters at 64th Street, and finally in 1939, he saw the occupation of our new and modern plant at Fifth Avenue and 105th Street.

To one looking back over this growth period of our College, its development seems almost phenomenal. However, like

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all growth curves it had its ups and downs and there were some very dark days. On at least one of these occasions, Dr. Blackman was the sole individual who prevented the college doors from being closed permanently. On all occasions of emergency he was found shoulder to shoulder with the other loyal supporters of the college.

Dr. Blackman's sphere of influence was not limited to our College. His prestige in the community in which he engaged in private practice was such that in 1905 he was made Chief of Staff of the Prospect Heights Hospital, a position he still holds, honored and respected by his patient and fellow practitioners alike.

All higher institutions of learning have, among their roster of Alumni, outstanding men who have by example built up tradition for their Alma Mater, men who loom out on the horizon of the students perspective as an ideal and an inspiration worthy of emulation. Indeed, institutions owe their prestige fully as much to the lives and accomplishments

of such characters as they do to the noteworthiness of other scholastic achievements. They have not lived their professional lives under the reflected glory of their Alma Mater, but have led careers of such exemplary achievement that their Alma Mater may well strive to be more worthy of such sons. No educational institution may pretend to live unto itself alone. The measure of its right to be is what it does for man, and more especially for the mass of men who never darken its doors. Our medical College finds its ultimate goal in affecting the lives of those beyond its pale, through the influence of such alumni as Dr. Blackman, who have devoted their lives to the physical, moral and spiritual uplift of their community.

In honoring Dr. William Waldo Blackman, it is not only out of gratitude for what he has done for his Alma Mater, but beyond this we feel that his service, example and influence among men of all walks of life has been a living justification of the continued existence of our Medical College.

CONRAD E. THARALDSEN
Professor of Anatomy



Anatomical Charts by Dr. William W. Blackman

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

No doubt readers of the Quarterly are always interested in problems involving personnel of the Faculty and Staff. Each summer changes necessarily take place in the various departments. This year an unusual number of important appointments have been made.

The retirement of Dr. Frederick M. Dearborn as Professor and Head of the Department of Dermatology is noteworthy. Dr. Dearborn served successively from a young assistant following his graduation in 1900, through the various advances to Professor and Head of the Department of Dermatology, which department his illustrious father developed in the early years of the College. Doctor Dearborn has distinguished himself as teacher, author and administrator. He will continue as Emeritus Professor of Dermatology and as Consulting Dermatologist to the Flower-Fifth Avenue and Metropolitan Hospitals. On his recommendation, Dr. Van Alstyne H. Cornell, who has served for many years, succeeds him as Head of the Department.

Dr. Henry B. Safford, who since 1928 has successfully carried on the work of Head of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, has resigned from that position although continuing as Professor. Dr. Leon S. Loizeaux has been appointed Professor and Head of the Department. Doctor Loizeaux has served in the College since 1905, from internship through the various advancements in rank on Faculty and Staff.

The development of graduate work has placed an unusual burden on the Department of Surgery. In order to carry on graduate courses in Surgery and at the same time continue the high standard of teaching in undergraduate Surgery, the Board of Trustees has appointed Dr. Joseph H. Fobes as Head of Graduate Surgery and Dr. Louis René Kaufman as Head of the Department of Undergraduate Surgery. Doctor Fobes has spent his professional life as teacher, clinician and administrator. He is especially qualified in the field of Graduate Education in Surgery, in which he has a particular interest. Doctor Kaufman, who has shown un-

usual ability as a teacher both in the classroom and at the bedside, is given an opportunity to devote his entire attention to the Department of Undergraduate Surgery in the College. These appointments have been well earned and will no doubt be welcome news to the readers of the Quarterly.

In addition to the above appointments, the following is a list of new appointments and promotions in title through the rank of Instructor:

New Appointments

Will Cook Spain, B.A., M.D., F.A.C.P.
Asso. Prof. of Med. (Allergy)

Herbert Elias, M.D.
Asst. Clin. Prof. of Med. (Metabolism)

Peter K. Maybarduk, M.D.
Asst. Clin. Prof. of Neurology

Savas Nittis, M.D., M.S. (Int. Med.)
Asst. Clin. Prof. of Med. (Hematology)

Margaret R. Reynolds, A.B., M.D.,
F.A.C.P.
Asst. Clin. Prof. of Pediatrics

Frances E. Shields, M.D.
Asst. Clin. Prof. of Obs. & Gyn.

Lydia G. Giberson, M.D.C.M.
Lecturer in Psychiatry

Oscar Auerbach, M.D.
Instructor in Pathology

Francis A. Echlin, M.D.C.M., M.Sc. (Med.)
Instructor in Neurosurgery

G. Everett Gaillard, M.D.
Instructor in Medicine (Allergy)

Joseph H. Gast, A.B., B.S., M.S., Sc.D.
Instructor in Physiol. & Biochem.

Lois C. Lillick, A.B., A.M., Ph.D.
Instructor in Bacteriology

I. M. Tarlov, A.B., M.D., M.Sc. (Med.)
Instructor in Neurosurgery

Harrison R. Wesson, B.S., M.D., M.S.
(Surg.)
Instructor in Surgery

Lewis R. Wolberg, M.D.,
Instructor in Psychiatry

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Promotions

- H. Dawson Furniss, M.D., LL.D.,
F.A.C.S.
Prof. of Obs. & Gyn.
- Herbert C. Chase, M.D., F.A.C.S.
Prof. of Surgery
- Edward J. McCabe, Ph.B., M.D.,
F.A.C.S.
Asso. Prof. of Surgery
- C. Michael Witzberger, B.S., M.D.
Asst. Prof. of Pediatrics
- Girsch David Astrachan, M.D.
Asst. Clin. Prof. of Dermatology
- John George Mussio, M.D.
Asst. Clin. Prof. of Obs. & Gyn.
- George L. O'Grady, A.B., D.D.S.
Asst. Clin. Prof. of Oral Surgery
- John J. O'Keefe, D.D.S.
Asst. Clin. Prof. of Oral Surgery
- Carl C. Salzman, M.D., F.A.C.S.
Asst. Clin. Prof. of Obs. & Gyn.
- David Ulmar, A.B., M.D., F.A.C.P.
Asst. Clin. Prof. of Med. (T.B.)
- Garrett Dalton, M.D.
Instructor in Obs. & Gyn.
- A. Allen Goldbloom, M.D., F.A.C.P.
Instructor in Medicine
- John H. Harris, M.D.
Instructor in Dermatology
- Harry L. Hermes, M.D., F.A.C.S.
Instructor in Obs. & Gyn.
- Paul Robert Kline, M.D.
Instructor in Dermatology
- Albert Lesser, M.D.
Instructor in Surgery
- Isaiah Libin, M.D.
Instructor in Medicine
- Kenneth J. Loder, B.S., M.D.
Instructor in Neuropsychiatry
- Clyde M. Longstreth, B.S., M.D.
Instructor in Obs. & Gyn.
- Kenneth S. MacLean, M.D.
Instructor in Obs. & Gyn.
- Louis M. Palermo, M.D.
Instructor in Surgery

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LETTER FROM

Mr. Charles D. Halsey,

Chairman of the Board of Trustees

The inauguration of a joint committee made up of the Alumni and Trustees which was formed this year has great possibilities, we believe.

It is the feeling of most of the members of the Board that for some time we have not had the proper interchange of ideas between these two groups. This Committee was not formed with any idea of it having any executive or administrative authority, but it was felt that it could be a great help to the Board of Trustees, and possibly to the Alumni, to have this group a purely advisory one which would bring up suggestions from time to time and also keep itself informed of what was going on.

The meetings held thus far, in our opinion, have been most helpful and if we continue to discuss problems, keeping one thing in mind, I am sure it will be of increasing value. This one thing is what is best for the present and future of our institution without regard for personalities on either the Board, the Faculty or the Staff. This has been the motivating spirit within the Board of Trustees, and it is my personal feeling that if we deviate from this, we are not fulfilling the obligation of trust which is ours by virtue of our position.

During the past year, the College and Faculty have been in an almost constant state of turmoil. We realize, as will everybody, that the kind of work we want to do at the College cannot be done under these circumstances. It is our fervent hope, therefore, that this year will be a year of accomplishment in the fields of educational, research and hospital work. Let us all try with one accord to accomplish this.

The Board is most anxious to have the Faculty and Alumni realize that it has no ulterior or selfish motives of any kind; that it is working for the good of the institution, days, nights and Sundays, and with the help and cooperation of the Staff and Faculty, our institution will continue to increase in stature.

BRIEF HISTORICAL NOTES

ON

MEAD'S CEREAL AND PABLUM

HAND in hand with pediatric progress, the introduction of Mead's Cereal in 1930 marked a new concept in the function of cereals in the child's dietary. For 150 years before that, since the days of "pap" and "panada," there had been no noteworthy improvement in the nutritive quality of cereals for infant feeding. Cereals were fed principally for their carbohydrate content.

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That the medical profession has recognized the importance of this contribution is indicated by the fact that cereal is now included in the baby's diet as early as the

third or fourth month instead of at the sixth to twelfth month as was the custom only a decade or two ago.

In 1933 Mead Johnson & Company went a step further, improving the Mead's Cereal mixture by a special process of cooking, which rendered it easily tolerated by the infant and at the same time did away with the need for prolonged cereal cooking in the home. The result is Pablum, an original product which offers all of the nutritional qualities of Mead's Cereal, plus the convenience of thorough scientific cooking.

During the last ten years, these products have been used in a great deal of clinical investigation on various aspects of nutrition, which have been reported in the scientific literature.

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GRADUATE EDUCATION in New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals

For some years past our College has observed the trend on the part of the various specialty boards and the American Medical Association toward more rigid requirements in graduate training for qualification in the various clinical specialties, and with our increased facilities have felt the necessity of offering such graduate training. With this in view, our Board of Trustees in 1935 secured from the State Legislature a change in charter enabling them to grant the degrees of Master of Science in Medicine (M.Sc. Med.) Doctor of Science in Medicine (Med.Sc.D.) and Doctor of Public Health (D.P.H.) in addition to the degree of Doctor of Medicine (MD).

A special Faculty Committee was then appointed to make a survey of Graduate Specialty training as offered by American Medical Colleges, and also to make a comparative study of the requirements of the various Specialty Boards and the recommendations of the Committee on Medical Education of the A.M.A. Utilizing this information a plan was submitted for such training to be offered by the New York Medical College.

Following the Committee's report the Faculty Council adopted the following program for Graduate Medical Education:

1. To provide three year curricula of graduate training in each of the recognized clinical specialties leading to the degree of Master of Science in Medicine (M.Sc. Med.)
2. To present a variety of short courses (without academic credit) to provide opportunity for the practicing physician to keep abreast of new knowledge.

The organization of these graduate education projects is carried on by the Graduate Education Committee which is a subdivision of the General Education Committee of the Faculty Council, thus coordinating all the educational activities of the college in one general medical program. The general administration of these graduate projects is under the

President of the College and each specialty curriculum is in turn administered by the Head of the Department concerned.

During the first or basic science year of each of the clinical specialty curricula the student physician is known as a Non-Resident Fellow. The aim of this period of study is to lay a foundation appropriate to each of the clinical specialties in the correlated basic medical sciences and in the theoretical and clinical principles and practice of the specialty. This period of study is given at the College and involves one academic year of from 1000 to 1200 hours.

The second period of study is for the purpose of providing intensive guided special clinical experience and to stimulate clinico-scientific investigation in the field of the specialty. This year is spent entirely in residence in the hospital.

The purpose of the third year of study is to build up and round out the clinical experience so that the physician may be expected to face the various problems on his own responsibility and judgment. During this year he is also expected to complete a major problem of clinico-scientific research.

Each year of training is independent of the other. The second and third years of residency may be at any hospital that has an approved residency in the specialty, but no academic credit is given unless the research is under the direct supervision of the Faculty of the College.

These specialty courses were first offered in the fall of 1939, when twelve students were registered for the basic year. They were distributed as follows: six in Surgery, two in Medicine, two in Otolaryngology and two in Gynecology.

This fall, 1940, a total of fourteen students have registered in the basic year; six in Surgery, two in Medicine, two in Otolaryngology, one in Anesthesiology, one in Radiology, and two in Gynecology. They are as follows:-

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ANESTHESIOLOGY:

Dr. Milton J. Marmer
Brooklyn, N. Y.

M.D. University of Michigan Medical
School 1937

Internship Bronx Hospital, 1938-1940.

GYNECOLOGY-OBSTETRICS:

Dr. Raphael Roy Charters
Riverhead, L. I.

M.D., Hahnemann Medical School
1930

Internship St. John's Riverside Hos-
pital, 1930-1932

Dr. Edwin Foster Gouldman
Colonial Beach, Va.

M.D., University of Maryland Medical
School 1929

Internship Gallinger Municipal Hos-
pital, 1929-30

MEDICINE:

Dr. Edward Philip Gelvin
Brooklyn, N. Y.

M.D., University of Vermont College
of Medicine 1938

Internship Bronx Hospital, 1938-1940

Dr. Theodore Clifton Jones
San Jose, Calif.

M.D., University of Southern Cali-
fornia Medical, 1938

Internship Santa Clara County Hos-
pital, 1937-1938

Residency San Jose Hospital, Calif.
1938-1939

OTOLARYNGOLOGY:

Dr. Edward Gordon Bell, Jr.,
Bronxville, N. Y.

M.D., University of Virginia Medical
School, 1938

Internship at Flower 1938-1940

RADIOLOGY:

Dr. Meyer Nimaroff
Irvington, N. J.

M.D., Temple University Medical
School, 1926

Internship York Hospital, Pa., 1926-
1927

SURGERY:

Dr. Harvey Kenneth Guth
Waupun, Wis.

M.D., College of Medical Evangelists,
1933

Internship St. Agnes Hospital, Fond
du Lac, Wis. 1932-1933

Dr. Elias D. Lawrence
Paterson, N. J.

M.D., University and Bellevue Hos-
pital Med. College, 1929

Internship Barnert Hospital, Paterson,
N. J., 1929-1930

Dr. Norman Harold LeTourneau
Brooklyn, N. Y.

M.D., Boston Univ. School of Medi-
cine, 1938

Internship, Flower 1938-1940

Dr. Carroll C. Lupton
Burlington, N. C.

M.D., Temple Univ. School of Medi-
cine, 1932

Internship U. S. Marine Hospital,
1932-1933

Dr. Lyman J. Spire
Syracuse, N. Y.

M.D., New York Medical College 1938

Internship Flower 1938-1940

Dr. Jacob Milton Teske
Lodi, Calif.

M.D. College of Medical Evangelists,
1937

Internship St. Joseph's Hospital, San
Francisco, 1937-1938

The importance and timeliness of this graduate project is shown by the fact that the American Medical Association and the Specialty Boards have in practically all cases placed 1942 as the dead line beyond which no physician may secure certification in the specialties without having previously had a graduate course of training, similar in principle to that adopted by our Faculty. It is gratifying to note that this institution is one of the first to adopt a three year graduate program leading to advanced degrees in the clinical specialties.

The College has for a number of years offered short courses without academic credit in various phases of Medicine, Surgery, and Anatomy. In addition to these courses, plans are now in progress for a course in Tuberculosis and another in Gastroscopy to be offered this year.

C. E. THARALDSEN

Chairman,
Graduate Education Committee

Student Activities

There are 305 students enrolled in the New York Medical College this year; 67 Seniors, 79 Juniors, 75 Sophomores and 84 Freshmen. The majority of the students come from the Metropolitan area, but there are also representatives from 14 other states, including such distant states as California and Washington. Members of the Freshmen class come to us from the following schools:

University of Alabama
Western Reserve University
Barnard College
Columbia University
Cornell University
College of the City of New York
Fordham University
Holy Cross College
Johns Hopkins University
Lafayette College
Long Island University
Manhattan College
University of Michigan
University of Minnesota
Newark University
New York University
Ohio University
Otterbein College
University of Pennsylvania
Radcliffe College
Rutgers University
St. Lawrence University
St. Peter's College
University of Southern California
Syracuse University
Tufts College
Union College
Vassar College
University of Vermont
Villanova College
University of Washington
Wesleyan University
University of Wisconsin
Yale University

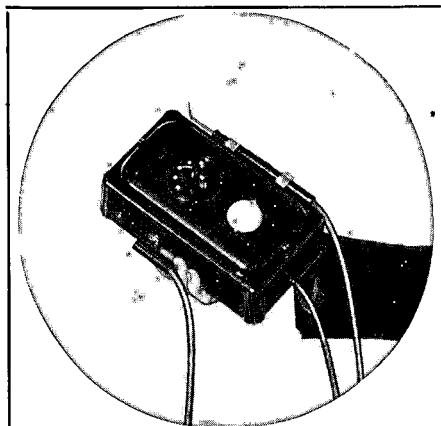
The Student Council plans to make a concerted effort to secure passes on the Welfare Island Ferry, and they also propose to write a new constitution governing their own body and student activities. Election of officers for the Council will be held at the next meeting early in October.

Under the enthusiastic leadership of Ray Tokar, '42, the new Chairman of the Medical Students' Club, this organization within the student body has out-

lined and planned a variety of extra-curricula activities for the coming months. In addition to the usual activities promoted by the Club, such as basketball, dances, art exhibits and noon lectures by prominent speakers, several new projects are being planned. For the first time in several years arrangements are being made to form a College Glee Club composed of student and faculty members.

Succeeding Bill Wood, who has served so capably as Executive Secretary for the past three years, is Bill Cheney, who took up his new duties on September 1st. He is a graduate of Springfield College and has had two years of graduate study in the field of Sociology at Yale and New York University. Bill was formally introduced to the student body and faculty at the first student assembly, where he was enthusiastically received. With his genial disposition and attractive personality, the support of the student body should not be difficult to obtain, and we feel sure that the program will be given a new impetus with him on the job.

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PERSONALS

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BENSON, Reuel A. '03, was married to Mrs. Ann B. Dusenberry, of New York City, on September 23, 1940. Dr. Benson is Director of the Pediatrics Dept't. at the Metropolitan Hospital.

GAINES, John S. 2nd. '03, has succeeded to the practice and records of the late Dr. Arthur L. Chambers, class of 1911.

CROISSANT, Charles A. '05, announces that his son, 1st. Lieut. Raymond B. Croissant, M.D., Hahnemann Med. Coll. '37, is now stationed with the Regular Army Medical Corps, Panama, Canal Zone.

ECKARDT, Remick C. '07, was appointed a Diplömate by the American Board of Otolaryngology. Dr. Eckardt has been Attending Otolaryngologist for twenty years at the Carson C. Peck Memorial Hospital and the Prospect Heights Hospital in Brooklyn.

JACOBSON, William C. '20, was recently appointed Attending Physician in Gastroenterology at the Jewish Memorial Hospital. He has also written an article entitled "The Medical and Dietary Management of Cholecystectomized Patients" for the Medical Record, July 17th, 1940.

CANTWELL, Alan R. '28, and family made an automobile trip to California this past summer. Motion pictures were taken of the many points of interest along the route.

WANDERMAN, Daniel N. '31, has been appointed Adjunct Attending Gynecologist and Obstetrician at Sydenham Hospital. His son, Walter Lewis, just celebrated his first birthday. Dr. Wanderman is practicing at 110 Bennett Ave., N.Y.C., where his next door neighbor is Dr. Gus Adler, also of the class of 1931.

WILENSKY, Nathan D. '31 is co-author of "Peripheral Vascular Diseases, Diagnosis and Treatment". He has been identified with vascular disorders

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and has devised the "Intermittent Venus Occlusion Apparatus". He has also described the "Venus Filling Time Test" and written numerous articles which have appeared in the literature.

CUMMINGS, Alton G. '32, writes:- Mrs. C. was with me during my four years in New York City, so we both have memories, and hope to make our first return visit there this fall. Am practicing in Cleveland, and am a member of the visiting staff, Dep't. of Obstetrics, Huron Road Hospital. Am also Director, O.P.D. at the same hospital. Have two children, Barbara Jean, Age 8, and Alton G. 2nd, Age 4 years.

GORDON, Saul '32, announces the birth of a daughter, Gloria Frances, on August 20th, 1940. His son, Michael, is 17 months old.

SNOW, Irving, '33, has been appointed Medical Inspector in the Child Health Clinics of the Department of Health of the City of N.Y.

GRIMES, Robert R. '35, has been practicing for the past four years at Teaneck, N. J. He is Associate Attending Physician, Holy Name Hospital, Teaneck, and Attending Anesthetist, St. Mary's Hospital, Hoboken, N. J.

MICHELE, Arthur A. '35, has been appointed Chief of the Orthopedic Service at the U. S. Marine Hospital, Stapleton, S. I. The service takes care of the Orthopedics, Fracture and Traumatic Cases, and occupies an entire floor of the new 1000 bed hospital.

MOSES, Arthur S. '35, had a three year internship and residency at Coney Island Hospital, and did Post-Graduate work at Stanford University. For a time he was connected with the U.S. Veteran's Bureau in California and Maryland. He is now practicing in Brooklyn, and has received the appointment of Assistant Visiting Otolaryngologist at Coney Island Hospital.

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ROSIELLO, Louis E. '35, has been appointed a Diplomate of the American Board of Otolaryngology.

BARR, Harry R. '36 is a member on the staffs of the Huron Road and Grace Hospitals, Cleveland, Ohio.

HEIMLICH, Chester S. '36, Commissioner of Health of Seneca County, Ohio, has been re-elected vice chairman of the Seneca County chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, Inc.

INGRASSIA, Paul S. '36, announces the arrival of a baby boy on June 3rd.

SWARTWOUT, John A. '36, of 4817 - 14th St. N.W., Washington, D.C., is organizing the 5th Reunion of the Class of 1936, next June. Come on, Class of 1936, see what you can do.

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Hospital Changes

For the past five years, many of us have been disturbed by the intermingling of staff and private patients and their visitors. The situation was helped by the completion of the new college building and dispensary last year which gave us a staff elevator and enabled us to move the out-patient department from the hospital building.

This summer marks the completion of the program of segregation. The entire third, fifth, sixth and seventh floors of the hospital are now devoted to private patients. All staff patients including clinical maternity are now located on the second floor.

The advantages of this change are obvious. The disadvantage lies in a slight reduction of the number of staff beds. After a good deal of consideration and planning, it was found possible to devote an entire corridor to pediatrics, another to clinical obstetrics, a third to male medicine and male surgery and the fourth to private pediatrics and female medicine and female surgery.

A clinical maternity delivery room is being prepared in what was formerly the dental clinic on the second floor. This will eliminate the necessity of transporting staff patients to the sixth floor for delivery and will enable the latter to be used exclusively for private patients.

On July 1st the ambulance service ceased. During recent years, due to the change in our ambulance district, the service had deteriorated largely into the answering of numerous sick calls, many of which were unnecessary. In effect, we were using the ambulance for extern service which was of little benefit to the educational program of our interns and of value to the hospital too small to be compatible with the cost of the service.

The Alumni may be interested to know that during the past three years the income from patients in the hospital has increased 21½%. Income for the year ending June 30, 1937 was \$507, 141.93 while for the year ending June 30, 1940 it was \$616,960.35.

The new class of 39 students of the nurses training school reported early in September. To an increasing degree, applicants to the school have had college training. The educational record of the entering class this year is as follows.

- 4 students have had one year of college
- 6 students have had two to three years of college
- 6 students have bachelor and master degrees.
- 4 students have had post graduate high school training
- 19 have had a high school education.

Alumni who visit the institution at meal times may purchase their luncheon or dinner in the cafeteria on the second floor of the college building which is used by members of the Faculty, medical students, nurses and institutional employees. A complete meal is served for a charge of \$.35.

In addition, off the main rotunda of the hospital we have a soda fountain, tearoom and hospitality shop which is open from 8:30 in the morning until 10:30 in the evening. The tearoom will seat comfortably 78 either at the fountain or at tables.

Many members of the staff as well as visitors have found the tearoom a great convenience and of equal importance to the institution is the fact that a substantial profit (equivalent to the annual income on \$200,000 of endowment) accrues to the institution for the care of the sick poor.

DAVID Q. HAMMOND,
Director of Hospitals

In Memoriam

BERGER, Harry, '14, Trenton, N. J., on the staff of the McKinley Hospital; aged 51; died, July 21, of injuries received in an automobile accident.

GANNETT, George J. '00, Syracuse, member of the Homeopathic Medical Society of State of New York; aged 63; died, July 20th, 1940, when the automobile in which he was driving was struck by a train.

CHAMBERS, Arthur L. '11, died on August 15th, 1940 of a heart attack; he was found dead in bed.
(see below)

Arthur L. Chambers, M.D., F.A.C.S.

Dr. Arthur L. Chambers, graduate of the New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals, 1911, passed away during his sleep on August 15th, 1940. He was born in Fall River, Mass., in 1888. His preliminary education was received at West Hoboken, N. J. and New York City. He interned at the Metropolitan and Hahnemann Hospitals, and later took a post-graduate course at the New York Ophthalmic College. In 1926 he received the degree of Oculi et Auris Chirurgus. His clinic work was done at the Metropolitan, Flower and Fifth Avenue, and Ophthalmic Hospitals. At the time of his death he held the title of Surgeon and Professor in the New York Ophthalmic College.

After nine years as assistant to the late Senator Royal S. Copeland, M.D., he became his partner in 1923. He was also connected with the Consolidated Edison Company for over 25 years, in the care of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat patients.

He married Miss Alice Uhthoff, and is survived by his wife and two children, Arthur L. Jr., and Alice T.

Dr. Chambers was most active and highly esteemed in the practice of his chosen specialty, Eye, Ear, Nose and

Throat. He was a member of the following societies: — American College of Surgeons; Diplomate of the American Board of Ophthalmology; New York County and State Homeopathic Medical Societies; American Institute of Homeopathy; Medical Societies of the County and State of New York; American Medical Association; Clinical Club; Alpha Club; Alpha Sigma Fraternity; (A.K.K. Frat.)

Dr. Chambers served in the army during the World War. He was a commissioned First Lieutenant, M.R.C., U.S.A., and was honorably discharged on December 10th, 1918. He was a member of the Caduceus Post, American Legion. He retained a commission in the Medical Reserve Corps of Captain, and was a member of the Base Hospital No. 48 organization.

We was an active Mason and Past Master of Park Lodge F and A.M., No. 516, also Amity Chapter, Palestine Commandery, Mecca Temple and Edison Square Club.

May his rewards equal his efforts in the relief of his fellow-man, and may his family find comfort in a loving memory.

JOHN S. GAINES, 2nd, M.D. '03

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CRUMP, John H. '37, is beginning the practice of medicine at 2485 Pacific Avenue, Long Beach, Calif. He was resident physician at Orange County Hospital, Orange, California.

GIORGIO, Douglas J. '37, is practicing at 8901 - 187th Place, Hollis, L.I., N.Y. He is the proud father of an eight months old baby girl.

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The membership committee is planning a drive for new members. A quota of 75% of all graduates of the College, as members of the Alumni Association, must be reached by 1941. An application card, already filled out, will be sent to all non-active members for their signature within the next two weeks.