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## ALUMNI DAY

Owing to the accelerated program of medical training now in force at the New York Medical College, Alumni Day was observed on Monday, March 15th, 1943. This is almost three months earlier than has been the custom for many years, (usually early in June) due to the new college regulations arranging for four academic years in three calendar years. In spite of traveling difficulties, a number of our out-of-town Alumni were present, as well as many of our nearby Alumni. The scientific program was arranged by Dr. Stephen P. Jewett, chairman, assisted by Dr. S. Thomas Glasser. The topic of the scientific session was "New Ideas and Research in the Various Branches of Clinical Medicine and Surgery: including the Relationship to War Medicine." The heads of each department discussed the progress of their department during the year, especially in reference to research work in progress and its relation to war medicine. In the College Lobby there were Demonstrations and Exhibits also concerned with the same topics. The attendance at both the lectures and exhibits was very good.

The annual business meeting was held in the Auditorium at 2:15, Dr. Joseph H. Fobes, presiding. The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved. Dr. Fobes then introduced Dean Hetrick. In addressing the meeting, Dr. Hetrick said that many changes had recently been made in the institution. Because of the need for more doctors, he explained that the new class beginning March 29th numbered one hundred students, and in order to take care of the additional number, enlargements had to be made in many departments. He announced that a new department for Blood Bank and Plasma had been created under the leadership of Dr. Francis D. Speer. He also announced the receipt of several large donations to the institution. He said that a recent request for the use of microscopes in the college had been generously responded to.

Dr. Fobes, as president, advised there had been five meetings of the Board of Directors since last June 4th. He said that 384 of our Alumni were in the armed forces of our country; that the Association had purchased a \$500.00 war bond; that Dr. Harold A. Foster had resigned as Alumnus Trustee and that Dr. Charles McDowell was elected in his place; that the lay secretary had earned an increase in salary, which was granted; and that as a temporary measure the annual dues in the association would be raised to \$3.00 to offset the deficiency in income left by our members in the armed forces. The constitution and by-laws of the Alumni Association had been revised and passed upon by the Board of Directors. It was moved, seconded and passed that this constitution, as revised, be adopted.

### COMMITTEE REPORTS

Dr. Cornell, treasurer, reported a balance of \$2,799.63 on March 15th, 1943.

Dr. Van Gilluwe, necrologist, read the names of 21 of our Alumni who had died since June 4th, 1942. (These have appeared in detail in the last three issues of the Chironian.)

Dr. Borrelli, reporting for the membership committee advised that 473 members had paid their dues for 1942, this in spite of the large number in service. About twenty members were re-instated to good standing during the year. Almost the entire class of 1943 became members of the Alumni Association.

Dr. Howard, Editor of the Chironian, reported that the cost to the association had been raising slightly, but because of the interest shown in the Quarterly, the Board of Directors voted to continue its publication.

The Nominations Committee, Dr. Philipp J. R. Schmahl, chairman, reported the election of the following officers for the ensuing year:

President	Joseph H. Fobes, '01
First Vice-President	Frank J. Borrelli, '33
Second Vice-President	Ralph W. Thompson, '08
Third Vice-President	Milton J. Wilson, '18
Recording Secretary	Byron D. St. John, '21
Corresponding Secretary	Robin Hood, '15
Treasurer	Leonard P. Wershuh, '27
Necrologist	George H. Van Gilluwe, '18
Executive Officer	Donald E. Brace, '14
Directors	Campbell Howard, '16
(without opposition)	P. J. R. Schmahl, '11
	John E. Tritsch, '18
	E. Wallace MacAdam, '07
Directors	Milton J. Raisbeck, '16
	Earl H. Eaton, '16

Meeting adjourned — 3:15 p.m.

## BANQUET

The annual banquet was held in the evening, at the Colonnades of the Essex House. There were one hundred and sixty-two guests present. Of the ten living graduates of 1893, the fifty-year class, two were present. They were: Dr. Harry R. Sackett, of St. Petersburg, Fla., and Dr. William H. Marcy, of Buffalo, N. Y. Twenty-two members of the class of 1918, the twenty-five year class, were present. At the speakers' table were the Rev. Dr. Roelif Brooks, Rector of St. Thomas' Church, and Ex-Chaplain of Base Hospital, No. 48; Dr. Edward M. Bernicker, Commissioner of Hospitals, New York City; Mr. Charles D. Halsey, Chairman of the Board of Trustees; Dean, J. A. W. Hetrick; Dr. Alexander W. Kruger, Medical Superintendent, Metropolitan Hospital; Mr. Homer Wickenden, Director of the Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals; and Dr. Joseph H. Fobes, President of the Alumni Association, who acted as Toastmaster. At 8:30 p.m., the graduating class, numbering 68, marched to their places. Dr. Fobes then asked all to stand, and take part in the singing of the National Anthem. After dinner was finished, Dr. Fobes spoke for the Alumni Association. He stated that 384 of our Alumni are in the armed forces of our country at this time. Dean Hetrick told of some of the important happenings in our institution. Mr. Halsey spoke for the Board of Trustees. The Rev. Dr. Brooks gave a very interesting talk on some of his experiences during World War I. During the evening there were several other addresses. Howard B. Rasi, president of the graduating class, advised that "the 1943 Fleur-o-scope had not been dedicated to a man or a group of men, but to an idea; an idea of a new world shorn of ignorance and intolerance, a world dedicated to the furtherance of truth and freedom, a world governed not by force but by reason, and in which heir to expression be common to the poor as well as the rich, the weak as well as the strong—a world worth fighting for." Dr. Harry R. Sackett spoke for the class of 1893. This was a very interesting talk, and was appreciated by all. Dr. Charles McDowell, one of our most beloved graduates, class of 1878, who has been active in our institution all those sixty-five years, spoke to us so interestingly that we reproduce here the substance of his remarks.

I wish to remind us that we are living in the most wonderful and progressive period in the history of mankind, and that we can, in a small way, realize that great upward movement, as shown in the growth of our college during the sixty-five years since the graduation of the class of '78. At that time the college owned no real estate, had no endowment or other funds, depending on the fees of students to pay the rent of the two upper floors of the New York Ophthalmic hospital, and for the other expenses of operation. There were no laboratories unless we class the dissecting room as a laboratory. Neither bacteriology nor preventive medicine were taught in this or any other college.

We did not know the causes of tuberculosis, or diphtheria, or pneumonia, or other communicable diseases; nor had we any conception of modern aseptic surgery. The peritoneum was opened on rare occasions, only for ovariectomy, while appendicitis was not understood and not operated. But our professors aroused in us enthusiasm for the great advances in medicine and surgery, making note of the new clinical thermometer, the stethoscope, the hypodermic syringe, the aspirator and other very modern inventions; at the same time pointing out the brilliant prospects for the future, the foundation of which were even then being laid by Pasteur and Lister. That was the horse and buggy age for the doctor, and for everybody the horse car age, for there were no trolley cars, no elevated railways, no subways and of course no automobiles, no telephone or electric light or electric motors, no motion pictures, no radio or airplanes, no x-rays, or many other wonders which have revolutionized our modern life.

I soon managed to get a foothold on the faculty, and for about twenty years I taught in the College, which like the rest of the faculty, I at the same time practiced medicine. Then I found that I could afford to give all my time to teaching; and teaching proved to be easier and pleasanter than practice. The students helped out by enduring me with admirable patience. After fifty-three happy years on the teaching staff, I resigned, and discovered that it was a delight just to be alive in this growing world, to watch the continuing advances, not only in medicine and surgery, and in discovery and invention, but most important of all, to observe the ever increasing gains in human betterment, in public health, in higher standards of living for all, in the upward climb toward the high destiny of man, freedom and justice. At present this upward movement is suffering a temporary setback. A few able but morally defective men have led the German people into a fatal adventure of cruelty, murder and pillage, so that I find comfort in looking forward to the sure finish of Hitler and Hitlerism. The United States have a weapon the Nazis and the Japanese do not possess, namely, the everlasting power of righteousness, the moral principle of the Ten Commandments, that priceless heritage of both Jew and Christian. This moral force was voiced by the first president of the board of trustees of our college, the poet William Cullen Bryant, in his poem "The Battle Field." He used these words:

"Truth crushed to earth, shall rise again,  
The eternal years of God are hers;  
But error, wounded, writhes in pain,  
And dies among his worshippers."

Were William Cullen Bryant living today, he would rejoice that the men and women of his college are helping in every way in this great war against evil, nearly four hundred of the faculty and alumni being already in the armed forces of the nation, the others are doing their share in whatever way possible in order to bring us nearer to the golden age of humanity, the age of righteousness, justice and liberty, "on earth peace, good will toward men."

## COMMENCEMENT DAY

The eighty-third annual Commencement exercises of the New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals, were held on Tuesday, March 16th, 1943, at Hosack Hall of the New York Academy of Medicine, 2 East 103rd Street. Sixty-eight graduates of the College, of which four were women, received the degree of Doctor of Medicine from Charles D. Halsey, Chairman of the Board of Trustees and J. A. W. Hetrick, President and Dean of the College. Dr. Joseph Francis Rooney received the degree of Master of Medical Science in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

The Trustees prize was awarded to Elliot Charles Polinger, and the Faculty prize was awarded to Ralph Joseph Adleman. Fifty-three members of the graduating class hold commissions as Second Lieutenants in the Medical Administrative Corps, Army of the United States, five hold commissions as Ensigns, HVP, Medical Department of the United States Naval Reserve, and one holds a commission in the United States Public Health Service.

The ten surviving members of the class of 1893 received gold diplomas, commemorating fifty years of medical service. They are: Dr. Elmer Humphrey Copeland, Northampton, Mass.; Dr. Charles Frederick Crane, Forest Glen, N. Y.; Dr. William Berrian Davis, Alhambra, Calif.; Dr. George I. Forbes, Burlington, Vt.; Dr. Frank Mead Hallock, Orange, N. J.; Dr. Frank T. Harvey, La Jolla, Calif.; Dr. William Henry Marcy, Buffalo, N. Y.; Dr. George Louis Nichols, Stafford Springs, Conn.; Dr. Harry Robert Sackett, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Dr. Theodore Sureth, Scranton, Penna.

The Commencement address was given by Reginald Fitz, A.B., M.D., F.A.C.P., member of the Council on Medical Education of the American Medical Association and a member of the Department of Medicine of Harvard University Medical College. The Convocation and Benediction was given by the Right Reverend John Insley Blair Larned, D.D., Suffragan Bishop of Long Island.

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## COLLEGE NOTES

The Eighty-fourth session of the New York Medical College opened on March 25th. This is the second class to be admitted to the College under the accelerated program which started on last July 1st. As previously reported in the Chironian, students under the accelerated program will complete four years of work in three calendar years. The entering class numbers one hundred students of which six are women. It was selected from over one thousand applicants. Thirty-eight different colleges have contributed from among their graduates to this Freshman class with Columbia, Cornell, Fordham, Dartmouth,

Colgate, and the College of the City of New York contributing the largest numbers of students. The majority of students come from New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut, but, in all, eleven different states are represented in the class.

There are three sons of Alumni entering with this Freshman class: Forris Beecham Chick, son of Dr. Forris Ensor Chick, '18; Louis Imperiale, son of Dr. Rocco Imperiale, '18; and J. Campbell Howard, Jr., son of Dr. Campbell Howard, '16, and grandson of the late Dr. Clarence C. Howard, '84, being the third generation to study medicine at this College. Clarence C. Howard was professor of materia medica at the College. Several new members have also been added to the upper classes. Miss Janina Landau has transferred to the Junior class from the University of Krakow. Mr. Chester Roy Deitz and Mr. Walter William Kelley have transferred to the Junior class from the University of North Dakota. The general quality of the new students is excellent. As the war progresses, the note of added seriousness which was observed with the last class, continues to be apparent. There has been a general tightening of Pre-medical standards in the undergraduate colleges. Competition for admission to medical schools has shown a marked increase with the result that almost all applicants have higher general averages than those of former years. It is hoped that these gains will be apparent in the Medical College as well as in the undergraduate college.

College opened on Thursday, March 25th, with a three-day orientation program for the new students under the direction of Roger C. Gay, Assistant to the Dean, and Helen L. Baker, Director of Student Personnel. These College officers were assisted by a committee of students headed by Elias K. Stoller, executive vice-president of the Student Government Association. The upper classmen were able to do much to get the Freshmen settled in the College and to learn their way about with a minimum of confusion. On Friday, March 26th, the Convocation of the Freshman class was held in the College Auditorium. Dr. Milton J. Wilson, '18, Assistant to the Dean, gave the address of welcome to the incoming class on behalf of Dean Hetrick who was unavoidably detained from attending the meeting. Dr. Joseph H. Fobes, '01, President of the Alumni Association, spoke to the class on "The Traditions of the College." The Convocation was followed by a Tea Dance under the joined sponsorship of the Student Associations of the Medical College and the School of Nursing, which also opened a new session that same week.

On Saturday, the Student Government Association called the first formal meeting of the Freshman class. Mr. Stoller presided at the meeting and Mr. Gay spoke to the Freshmen on, "The Responsibilities of Self-Government in the Medical College." At this meeting the students also saw the excellent color motion picture, "The Training of the Physician at the New York Medical College." Following the Orientation week-end all regular classes throughout the College began on Monday, March 29th.



## 1943 GRADUATING CLASS AND INTERNESHIPS

- ADLEMAN, Ralph Joseph  
Beth Israel Hospital, N. Y. C.
- ANGELIDES, John David  
Queens General Hospital
- AUGUST, Jacob  
Newark Beth Israel Hospital
- BAGDASSAROFF, Armen  
Lincoln Hospital
- BASS, Morris Louis  
Newark Beth Israel Hospital
- BLACK, Maurice M.  
Kings County Hospital
- BLISS, Eugene Lawrence  
Kings County Hospital
- BOSHACK, Malcolm  
Morrisania Hospital
- BOVE, Joseph Michael  
St. John's Riverside Hospital
- BRUNO, Salvatore John  
Worcester City Hospital, Worcester, Mass.
- CAMPION, George M.
- COHEN, Herbert George  
Hospital for Joint Diseases
- COLBY, Raymond George  
Morrisania City Hospital
- DALLIO, Salvatore Vincent  
Hackensack Hospital
- DAMASK, Harold  
Morrisania Hospital
- DAVIDMAN, Howard  
Morrisania Hospital
- DAY, Richard Gough, Jr.  
Flower-Fifth Avenue Hospital
- Di MARCO, Beatrice  
Lincoln Hospital
- ELLIS, Ralph Waldo  
Lenox Hill Hospital
- FAZIO, Anthony Nicholas
- FOX, Ann Margaret  
Post Graduate Hospital
- GELFAND, Daniel Elliot  
Morrisania City Hospital
- GENTILE, Ernest Richard  
St. Mary's Hospital, Rochester, N. Y.
- GORDON, Harold M.  
Newark Beth Israel Hospital
- GOTTESMAN, Abraham Harold  
Cumberland Hospital
- GUTHORN, Peter Jay  
Internship in U. S. Navy
- HUMPHREY, Marvin A.  
Ellis Hospital, Schenectady, N. Y.
- KEREKES, Ernest Stephens
- KERR, Benjamin Geoffrey  
Kings County Hospital
- KING, William Everett  
Metropolitan Hospital
- KRAININ, Joseph M.  
New Rochelle Hospital
- LENGYEL, Emile  
Cedars of Lebanon Hosp., Los Angeles, Cal.
- LEUZZI, Anthony P.  
Fordham Hospital
- LEWIS, Ruth Phyllis  
Lincoln Hospital
- LOIACONO, Richard A.  
Bridgeport Hospital
- LUBART, Joseph Murray  
Internship in U. S. Navy
- MacGUIGAN, John Frederick  
St. Vincent's Hospital
- MAIORANO, Joseph Francis, Jr.  
Hospital of St. Raphael, New Haven, Conn.
- MANGANARO, Joseph Andrew  
Columbus Hospital
- MARTIN, John Robert
- McCRAE, Spencer Charles  
Swedish Hospital, Seattle, Wash.
- MELICKER, Martin Carl  
Morrisania Hospital
- MESTICE, P. Francis  
Columbus Hospital
- MUELLER, Clarence John  
Henry Ford Hospital, Detroit, Mich.
- O'BRIAN, Etienne Raymond  
Muhlenberg Hospital
- O'ROURKE, James Joseph  
Lenox Hill Hospital
- POLINGER, Elliot Charles  
Morrisania City Hospital
- PORTNOFF, Clifton Lew  
Mt. Sinai Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.
- RASI, Howard B.  
Kings County Hospital
- REDDY, J. Bernard  
Internship in U. S. Navy
- REDMOND, Edwin Thomas, Jr.  
El Paso City-County Hosp., El Paso, Texas
- REDA, Peter Louis  
Columbus Hospital
- RICCARDI, John D.  
Queens General Hospital
- RIORDAN, William Darling  
Hospital of St. Raphael, New Haven, Conn.
- RUBIN, Tobias Martin  
Morrisania City Hospital
- SCIORSI, Mario Edward  
Christ Hospital, Jersey City
- SENIKOWICH, Michael Alexander  
Fordham Hospital
- SHEPPARD, Herman Leonard  
Morrisania Hospital
- SOLA, Salvador Felix  
Metropolitan Hospital
- SOLANTO, Gregory Albert  
Welfare Hospital, N. Y. C.
- SULLIVAN, Cornelius John  
Internship in U. S. Navy
- TARTAGLIONE, Ciro S.  
Metropolitan Hospital
- TAURCHINI, Mario Francis  
Harlem Hospital
- TOTO, Anthony Nicholas  
Christ Hospital, Jersey City
- TYLER, John Lawton  
Good Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati, Ohio
- VANNI, Frank Lewis Joseph  
St. Joseph's Hospital, Baltimore, Md.
- VERGES, Val Carl
- WILLNER, Albert  
Newark City Hospital

## STUDENT ACTIVITIES

The Annual Hobby Show was held during the week of February 23rd, and there were numerous exhibits submitted by the faculty, students and employees. Dr. Schmahl, Professor van de Wall, Peter Guthorn and Miss Helen Louise Baker were the judges and they awarded the alumni trophy for the best exhibit of the show to Mrs. Milton Wilson, wife of Dr. Wilson. This exhibit was an oil painting, by Mrs. Wilson. Following the prize awards a concert was given by the college and nursing school Glee Club under the direction of Constantine Callinicos. Later in the evening there was a dance in the auditorium.

Instead of having separate dances given by each class, this year the entire student body combined their social functions and held the New York Medical College First Annual Ball at the Essex House on January 29th. It was a huge success and was attended by most of the students and many members of the faculty.

Owing to the accelerated college program it was not possible to complete the schedule of the Inter-city Medical College Basketball League and the alumni basketball trophy will not be awarded this year. Our team won 5 and lost 4 games. The scores are as follows:

Cornell Med. -----	25	New York Med. College ---	28
Cornell Med. -----	52	New York Med. College ---	38
Long Island Med. -----	29	New York Med. College ---	26
Long Island Med. -----	24	New York Med. College ---	36
P. & S. Med. -----	33	New York Med. College ---	32
Bellevue Med. -----	28	New York Med. College ---	38
Bellevue Dental -----	41	New York Med. College ---	36
Hahnemann -----	13	New York Med. College ---	34
Hahnemann -----	26	New York Med. College ---	41

Elias Stoller, of the senior class, is serving as president pro tem of the Medical College Student Government until re-election of the new officers. He represented the student body in the indoctrination program for the incoming freshmen.

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The following prizes have been awarded to members of the senior class by the Department of Pediatrics.  
First Prize — \$25.00

“Report of a Case of Osteomyelitis”  
Elliot C. Polinger

Second Prize — One Year's Subscription to the Journal of Pediatrics.  
“A Case of Bacterial Endocarditis”  
Eugene L. Bliss

Honorable Mention:—William E. King and Anthony N. Fazio.

## HONOR ROLL

The following are the names of our graduates in the armed forces of our Country received since the last (January, 1943) issue of the Chironian. At the present time this total is 388.

- Barsky, Arthur J., '26, Major, M.C., U.S.A. Med. Service, Wash., D.C.  
Bauer, Marshall A., '33, 1st Lieut. M.C., U.S.A., 100th Evac. Hosp.,  
Camp Breckenridge, Ky.  
Beiser, Max, '29, Captain, M.C., U.S.A. Station Hospital, Camp  
Ethan Allen, Vermont.  
Bornemann, Carl, '40.  
Buscicchi, Emile J., '33, 1st Lieut. M.C., U.S.A. Mayo Foundation,  
Rochester, Minn.  
Cione, Lindo, '41, 1st Lieut. M.C., U.S.A. Air Force Officers Train-  
ing School, Miami Beach, Fla.  
Deyoe, George W., '40, Lieut. j.g., M.C., U.S.N.  
Fisher, Joseph, '33, 1st Lieut., M.C., U.S.A., Camp Sutton, N. C.  
Fishman, Jack, '33, Lieut., M.C., U.S.N.R.  
Gorbea, Ricardo L., '32, Lieut. S.G., M.C., U.S.N., Bklyn, Navy Yard  
Hammerling, James S., '33, 1st Lieut. M.C., U.S.A., Camp Jos.  
Robinson, Ark.  
Kline, Paul R., '30, Lieut. M.C., U.S.N., Newport, R. I.  
Lord, John C., Jr., '35, 1st Lieut. M.C., U.S.A., Medical Field Service  
School, Carlisle Barracks, Penna.  
Malinash, Louis, '41, 1st Lieut. M.C., U.S.A., Station Hospital,  
Camp McCain, Miss.  
Matilsky, Isidore, '31, Captain M.C., U.S.A., 21st Field Hospital,  
Camp White, Oregon.  
Muster, William J., '41, Captain M.C., U.S.A.  
O'Brien, John J., '36, Captain M.C., U.S.A. Instructor, Dept. Military  
Tactics, Carlisle Barracks, Pa.  
Rottner, Mark H., '41, 1st Lieut. M.C., U.S.A.  
Schwartzman, Joseph, '30, Captain M.C., U.S.A., La Garde Hospital,  
New Orleans, La.  
Stacy, Harold G., '41, 1st Lieut. M.C., U.S.A., 81st Armored Med.  
Bn., 11th Armed Div. A.P.O. 261, Camp Polk, La.  
Steinholtz, Samuel, '28, Captain M.C., U.S.A., Carlisle Barracks, Pa.  
Thom, Charles H., Jr., '41, 1st Lieut. M.C., U.S.A.  
Wecksell, Irving, '40, 1st Lieut. M.C.; U.S.A. Air Corps, Hamilton  
Field, Calif.  
Zorn, Eugene L., '41.

## In Memoriam

STORM, Walter E., '77, Wilmington, North Carolina. Dr. Storm was a member of the Medical Society of North Carolina. He died on November 12th, 1942, at the age of 87.

CANDEE, J. Willis, '79, Utica, New York, died on February 15th, 1943 at the age of 87.

STODDARD, Le Roy R., '00, New York, N. Y. Dr. Stoddard was the son of the late S. R. Stoddard, author, artist and publisher. He graduated from the New York University, and from the New York Homeopathic Medical College in 1900. He was the first of our graduates to become a plastic surgeon. In 1917, Dr. Stoddard was married to Alice Neilson, grand opera star, but was divorced a few years later. He died suddenly in his room at the Emerson Hotel, Baltimore, Md., on March 18th, 1943. He is survived by a brother, Charles H. Stoddard of Philadelphia.

BISHOP, William Howes, New York, N. Y., was born at Lockport, N. Y., the son of the late David Fowler Bishop and Lydia Howes Bishop. He was graduated from the Hahnemann Medical College, Philadelphia, in 1889. He came to New York in 1893 and became associated with our College. He was professor of Surgery for twenty years. With Dr. Helmuth, they started the ambulance service at our institution. In recent years he had been a member of the Todd Shipyard Corporation. He entered the Army Medical Corps in 1917 as a Major, but was advanced overseas to Lieutenant Colonel and later to Colonel. Before going to France in the First World War, Dr. Bishop was a member of a committee at Columbia University which raised the funds and built General Hospital No. 1, U. S. Army, at Williamsbridge, N. Y. He became the hospital's first head surgeon, and for a brief period with the A.E.F. held the rank of Commanding Officer. He was chief surgeon of the Base Hospital at Orleans, France, which attained a capacity of 6,000 patients, for which achievements he received the Distinguished Service Medal and the Legion of Honor from France. He was a consultant to the New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals; Doctors Hospital; and the White Plains Hospital. He was a member of the American Medical Association, and a member of the New York State and County Medical Societies; Fellow of the American College of Surgeons; New York Academy of Medicine; and the Homeopathic Medical Societies of New York and Philadelphia. Dr. Bishop died at his home on March 9th, 1943 at the age of 76. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Kate Bishop.

## PERSONALS

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

BLACKMAN, William Waldo, '77, is recovering rapidly from a very severe illness. Dr. Blackman is an Alumnus Trustee of our College. He was for many years Professor of Anatomy of the College. The Department of Anatomy of the College was formally designated The William Waldo Blackman Laboratory of Anatomy at a special meeting held in his honor on November 19th, 1940.

WILLIAMS, Frank F., '83, writes as follows: "On March 15th, 1883, there were forty-seven graduated from the New York Homeopathic Medical College. All but six of that class are known to have departed this life. Those living are: Drs. Ayers, Luscomb, Warner, Irving Lane, Charles E. Lane and myself. Three of the class taught at their Alma Mater (Drs. Shelton, Wilson and McMichael). Dr. Palmer was a teacher at the Ophthalmic Hospital, and Dr. J. W. Ward at San Francisco. Dr. Ward was also a past president of the American Institute of Homeopathy. I have been just a country doctor. I hope to be present on Alumni Day, March 15th, 1943."

*Note:—Dr. Williams was present at the Alumni Day activities during the day, and at the Banquet in the evening. He comes from Canton, N.Y., which is close to the Canadian border.*

CRUMP, Walter G., '95, was the principal speaker at a meeting of the Spanish-American Medical Association held in the Pithian Temple on Friday, January 22nd, 1943.

CRUMP, Walter G., '95, was one of the late Dr. George Washington Carver's most intimate friends. He collaborated with him in much of his scientific work on plants and flowers, writing for him the medicinal sides of edible weeds.

DUCKWORTH, Roy D., '15, of White Plains, N.Y., has been elected President of the New York Roentgen Society.

EATON, Earl H., '16, is perfectly recovered from a recent operation for displaced intervertebral disc. His son, Earl, Jr., is a member of the sophomore class. Another son, Walter, is serving overseas with the U. S. Army.

RAISBECK, Milton J., '16, has been appointed on the following committees of the N. Y. Academy of Medicine: Committee on Medical Education; Sub-committee of the United Hospital Fund of the Academy; and the Sub-committee of the Bureau of Clinical Information.

ECHTMAN, Joseph, '18, writes that "he has been training Physical Therapy to the students of the College since June, 1942, being associated with Dr. Samworth. He is also chief of the Physical Therapy service at Beth David and Stuyvesant Polyclinic Hospitals. For ten years he was in charge of a very large physical therapy clinic at the Mount Sinai Hospital."

HAYNER, J. Clifford, '19, received his Fellowship in the American College of Surgeons this year.

SALZMAN, Carl C., '24, Major Salzman, who is being transferred from Camp Shelby, Miss. to Carlisle Barracks, Penna., has been to the college for a visit.

ZIPRIN, Joel L., '27, Captain Ziprin, who is being transferred from Bowman Field, Ky., to Carlisle Barracks, Penna., has been to the college for a visit.

BOCHOW, George A., '30, writes as follows: "Many thanks for the January 'Chironian.' Very proud of the large enlistment in the forces of the Alumni as a whole, and of the class of 1930 in particular. I am now with the First Auxiliary Surgical Group, Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, after a course in Anesthesia at Walter Reid Hospital, and a training course at Carlisle Barracks."

BRODIE, Nathan N., '30, has been promoted to assistant surgeon at the Kings County and Israel Zion Hospitals, both in Brooklyn, N. Y.

LUBOWE, Irwin I., '30, writes that he would like to hear from classmates. He is overseas, in North Africa with the 61st Station Hospital; is chief of Dermatology, Venereal Diseases, and chief of Pharmacy. Address is: Lieut. Irwin I. Lubowe, 0312459, % 61st Station Hospital, A.P.O. 700, % Postmaster, N. Y. C.

SCHWARTZ, Saul A., '30, has been certified as a Diplomate by the American Board of Pediatrics. He is associated with the Bronx, Metropolitan, and Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals, and is on the teaching staff of the Pediatric Department of the College.

LEVY, Matthew Z., '31, was made a Diplomate of the American Board of Radiology at its last meeting in Nov. 1942. Dr. Levy has also been appointed instructor in the Department of Radiology at the New York Polytechnic Medical School and Hospital.

ROTHMAN, Theodore, '32, became a Diplomate in Neurology of the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology in December, 1942.

BUSCICCHI, Emile J., '33, who has been stationed with the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command at Kearns, Utah since August, 1942, is at present at the Mayo Foundation, Rochester, Minn., having been selected for a three months course in anesthesia.

LIPNICH, Louis, '33, in service in the Medical Corps of the U. S. Army, was promoted to Captain on December 18th, 1942. Captain Lipnich is chief Radiologist at the Station Hospital, Camp Chaffee, Arkansas.

SNELL, Elsie K., '33 and her husband, Dr. C. H. Snell, formerly of Cleveland, Ohio, have moved to Amherst, Ohio, for the practice of general medicine. They have two children, Susan, aged 3, and Carlisle, Jr., aged 1.

MICHELE, Arthur A., '35, has been certified as a Specialist in Orthopedic Surgery by the American Board of Orthopedic Surgery.

CALHOUN, Edward J., '36, 1st Lieut. M.C., Army Air Corps, following a six weeks training period, is now stationed at the Amarillo Field Station Hospital, Amarillo, Texas.

COHEN, Samuel S., '37, has been promoted to Captain, and is located at Fort Church, R.I. Dr. and Mrs. Cohen announce the birth of a son, Matthew Frederick, on February 27th, 1943.

MERSHEIMER, Walter L., '37, Lieut. Mersheimer has been home on leave from Norfolk, Va. He visited the college and attended the Alumni Banquet on March 15th. Dr. and Mrs. Mersheimer are anticipating an addition to the family.

SCONZO, Lawrence J., '38, is now stationed at Indiantown Gap Military Reservation, Penna. He is Battalion Surgeon for the 23rd Armored Engineering Battalion of the Third Armored Division. Captain and Mrs. Sconzo are the parents of a son, 13 months old.

CARDONA, John C., '39, in service in the medical corps of the U. S. Army, has been promoted to the rank of Captain. He is on duty in the Medical Corps at the Oakland Branch of the San Francisco Port of Embarkation.

DEUEL, Ellsworth S., '39. Dr. and Mrs. Deuel announce the birth of a son, Geoffrey Jacob, on January 17, 1943.

KIMBALL, Cyril V. W., '40, writes that he is somewhere in Australia. He is recuperating from a case of jaundice, not malaria, and has one month to rest up. Aside from first-aid, has had no other medical experience so far. He has been out of the States just one year. He has seen E. E. Napp, '33, several times at Guadalcanal. Hopes to be back by Christmas to see his wife and daughter. He sends his best regards to all at the College, and says "We Will Keep Them Fighting."

MOORE, Samuel B., Jr., '40, writes that he is located at an isolated post in Iceland. "There are two other medical men up here with him, but, up here, 'three is not a crowd.' Food is plentiful, but a preponderance of starches, and as there is very little work of any kind, we must be careful of our weight."

CAPALBO, John Louis, '41, Lieut. j.g. of the U. S. Navy is now located at the Amphibious Training Base, Fort Pierce, Florida.

CRAMER, Sidney L., '41. Dr. and Mrs. Cramer announce the birth of a daughter, Dale Tecla, on February 27, 1943.

SCHOENBUCHER, Albert K., '42, was married on September 12, 1942 to Miss Alice Thompson of Westerleigh, Staten Island, N. Y.

HALBERSTAM, Charles A. Major Halberstam of the Medical Corps, U. S. Army, and a member of our Surgical Staff, was at the College and Hospital for a visit on March 9th.

GAILLARD, Richard A., '41, Lieut. j.g. U.S.N. Following an 8 weeks course in Tropical Medicine at the Bethesda Naval Medical School and Hospital, is stationed at Pensacola, Florida, where training is being continued in Aviation Medicine and the operation of an airplane.

QUINN, Edwin J., '42, was married on January 18, 1943 to Amelia H. Lipton, also of the class of 1942, at Norfolk, Va., where Dr. Quinn is interning at the U. S. Marine Hospital.

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