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QUEENS GENERAL HOSPITAL

During the past month Dean J. A. W. Hetrick and Commissioner Edward M. Bernecker, Department of Hospitals, have jointly announced that a teaching affiliation has been established between the College and Queens General Hospital.

The hospital, located at 82-68 164th Street, Jamaica, has for several years previously offered necropsy training to our students. Now, however, extensive clinical facilities for clinical clerkships in all of the major fields will be available exclusively to our students.

This new hospital, one of the finest in New York, was built in 1935. It has 757 beds which include 115 reserved for contagious diseases. In 1945 there were 12,470 admissions or an average daily census of 575 patients. During the same period, 1,067 babies were born in the hospital. The hospital also maintains a very

active out-patient department which last year served 76,860 patients. The institution is an "acute" general hospital and rounds out our clinical facilities to the point where they may be considered as among the best to be found anywhere in the world.

Doctor Marcus D. Kogel, who has recently returned from military service, has resumed his position as Medical Superintendent at Queens. Doctor Henry I. Fineberg is the Deputy Medical Superintendent. By this affiliation the faculty of the College will be augmented by over 100 well-qualified clinicians. The present President of the Medical Board is Doctor Henry Reisman.

ALUMNI DAY

Alumni Day was celebrated on Thursday March 21st, 1946. Out of town alumni began gathering about noon, and many friendships of former years were renewed. Also among this group were many of the younger men recently released from the armed services. They were overjoyed to again be among their classmates and friends at their Alma Mater. About one o'clock we all gathered in the Auditorium where a wonderful luncheon, given by the Board of Trustees of the College and Hospital, was served. We want to thank the Board of Trustees, and to congratulate Dr. J. Moss Beeler, Hospital Administrator, and Miss Byrnes, Dietitian, for their fine selection and efficiency in handling the luncheon. There were 110 present. Soon after the luncheon the annual business meeting took place, Dr. Frank J. Borrelli, president, presiding. Forty-six remained for the meeting. The minutes of last year's annual meeting were read and approved. The president then addressed the meeting:—He spoke of

1. The fine co-operative spirit which prevails between the Alumni Association and the Board of Trustees of the College and Hospital.
2. The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Hospital had a fund of approximately \$6,000. which they have asked the Alumni Association to keep in trust for them, in a separate account, with the following considerations: That this fund would be for sick and

needy doctors, and that a committee from the Alumni Association and a committee from the Ladies' Auxiliary meet and pass on such cases as they may appear. This offer had already been passed upon and accepted by the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association, and under New Business, will be put before this meeting to be acted upon.

3. According to our records 734 of our graduates have been in the armed services, and to date we have been advised that 285 of these have been released from active service. As a directory of our alumni is being planned, he asked that all men released from service advise the Alumni office to this effect, and to give their present address. He also asked all our graduates to co-operate to this end, so that the information given in the directory may be correct.

In the absence of Dean Hetrick, who regretted he could not be present, Mr. Roger C. Gay, assistant to the Dean, spoke for him. Mr. Gay advised of the great strides our College has made in the past few years. He spoke of the many letters of congratulations from prominent people all over the country which had been received, showing that our College has taken its rightful place among the leading Medical Colleges of the United States.

Dr. Borrelli then called upon Dr. Fobes to give a report on the Chironian. Dr. Fobes said that the present cost to the Alumni Association to publish the Chironian, for each issue, is just about \$200. Due to the fine comment and the many nice letters we are receiving from our alumni, especially from the boys in the service, he thought the added expense was justified.

Officers Reports:

The recording secretary, Dr. Lawrence B. Slobody, reported that three meetings of the Board of Directors were held during the year. That the number of living graduates, including the class of 1946, is 2275. We have had two casualties during the war, they are:—Lieut. Arthur L. Rich, class of 1942, who died from wounds received at Remagen Bridge, and Major Louis P. Kasman, class of 1928, who was killed at the Battle of the Bulge. There are fourteen surviving members of

the class of 1896, who will receive their golden diplomas tomorrow. A number of these men will attend the banquet this evening. Dr. Ralph I. Lloyd, class of 1896, was recently appointed an Alumnus Trustee on the Board of Trustees of the College and Hospital. Dr. Samuel B. Moore, class of 1901, is our other representative on the Board of Trustees.

The Treasurer, Dr. Leonard P. Wer-shub, reported a balance of \$1,463.50 on March 1st, 1946.

The Necrologist, Dr. E. Wallace Mac-Adam reported thirty-one deaths since the annual meeting on May 1st, 1945, all of which have appeared in the Chironian.

Dr. Lawrence B. Slobody, Chairman of a Committee on Re-locations for returning veteran alumni, reported he has been able to find locations for a number of our returning alumni, but that the situation in New York City is difficult. Outside New York City there are still some desirable spots available.

Dr. Martin L. Stone, Chairman of the Banquet Committee, reports a large attendance is expected at the banquet this evening.

New Business—A motion was made by Dr. Walter G. Crump, which was seconded and passed by unanimous vote.

The Alumni Association accept the offer of the Ladies' Auxiliary to keep in trust for them a Fund of approximately \$6,000. to be kept in a separate account, and to be used only in cases of sick and needy doctors. A committee of the Ladies' Auxiliary and a committee of the Alumni Association to pass upon such cases.

Meeting adjourned at 2:55 p. m.

Banquet:

The Banquet was held in the evening at the Murray Hill Hotel, 41st Street and Park Avenue, and was very well attended. There was a special table for the class of 1896, the fifty year graduates, who with their friends, numbered seventeen. There was also a special table for the class of 1921, the twenty-five year graduates, who had a splendid representation of thirty. On the Dais were Dean Hetrick, Dr. Edward M. Bernecker, Dr. Frank J. Borrelli, Dr. Lindsley F. Cocheu, Dr. Joseph H. Fobes, and Dr. Leon S. Loizeaux. Dean

Hetrick was the first speaker, giving a short resume of College and Hospital affairs. Dr. Ralph I. Lloyd representing the fifty years class and Dr. Herman H. Ofseur representing the twenty-five year class, also made short addresses. Dr. William Deyo, class of 1946, Editor of the Fleur-o-scope spoke of the class year book. He said it would be ready shortly, and would be dedicated to Dr. Francis D. Speer, who was called upon for a speech. Dr. Speer responded by thanking the class of 1946 for this honor. At this time Professor Karl Wagner was introduced to deliver a lecture on "The Intricacies of Psychiatry." It turned out that the Professor was no professor at all, but a professional humorist and imitator. However, his spluttering and garbling of the different medical terms, and his clever imitations, brought roars of laughter from those present.

We are sure everyone had a good time.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

The Eighty-seventh commencement exercises of the New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals, was held at Hosac Hall, New York Academy of Medicine, on Friday afternoon, March 22nd, 1946 at 3:30 p. m. The Rev. John Henderson Powell, Jr., officiated at the Invocation, which was followed by the Introductory address by Dean Hetrick. The commencement address was delivered by Dr. Frank N. Dealy, Director of Surgery, Queens General Hospital. The Hippocratic Oath of the Physician was administered by Dr. Joseph H. Fobes, Director of Graduate Surgery. Dr. Hetrick, President of the College, conferred the Degree of Medical Doctor to the ninety-five members of the class of 1946. He was assisted in the hooding ceremony by Dr. Samuel B. Moore. The degree of Master of Medical Science in Surgery was awarded to Dr. Helen I. Heiman, of New York City. Following in order was the presentation of the Gold Diplomas to the fourteen living members of the class of 1896.

Herbert C. Allen, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Frank, H. Barnes, Stamford, Conn.
 William A. Boies, Knoxville, Tenn.
 Raymond, C. Conklin, Mount Dora, Fla.
 Edmund M. Devol, New York, N. Y.
 George H. Dowkontt, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 George E. Evans, New Haven, Conn.
 David Edgar Francisc, Los Angeles, Calif.
 Ralph I. Lloyd, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Ward R. Noyes, Brattleboro, Vt.

Carl H. Ohly, Germany
 Rudolph F. Rabe, Morristown, N. J.
 Herbert A. Roberts, Derby, Conn.
 Harry Zeckhausen, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. James M. Hills, Secretary, Board of Trustees, made the following awards:
 Trustee Prize—Irving Alfred Shey.
 Faculty Prize—Frank L. Polack.

After the Benediction by the Rev. John Henderson Powell, Jr., the Recessional was played by C. A. J. Parmentier, Mus. D., A. G. O.

CLASS OF 1946

Maxwell Arnold Abelman
 George Downey Anderson
 Anthony Peter Balchunas
 Vladimir Basil Bensen
 Ednita P. Bernabeu
 William Vahè Beshlin
 Leonard Biel, Jr.
 Victoria A. Bradess
 David VanHorn Bradstreet
 Theodore Robert Brand
 James Augustus Brice
 Joseph John Buckley
 Joseph Jerome Cameron, Jr.
 Myron Charlap,
 Ferris Beecham Chick
 Stephen Alexander Chilian, Jr.
 Robert LaHuis Coith
 Warren William Daub
 Wayne Hawkins Decker
 Ralph DeNicola
 William Benjamin Deyo
 Joseph William Donovan
 John James Dudasik
 Hans Erasmus Einstein
 Elisabeth Morris Fisher
 Philip Remington Gale
 Eugene Edward Gaudet
 Stanley Joel Geller
 Albert Lewis Goodman
 Wilbur Henry Hansen
 Hilliard Harris
 Jerome Jay Hoffman
 Kenneth Wise Horne
 John Joseph Houlihan
 John Campbell Howard, Jr.
 Louis E. Imperiale
 Henry Francis Jacobius
 Harry Carl Jelstrom
 Edward Emanuel Julien
 Ralph Jonah Kahana
 Herbert Gelfand Kantor
 Russell Vincent Karlen
 Wallace Stanley Karutz
 Frank Charles Keil
 Frank Vincent Kreske
 C. Donald Kuntze
 Paul Lucian Livingston
 Harry Ellis Lcree, Jr.
 Alfred Edgar Mamelok
 Abraham H. Margolis
 Robert Guion Maxfield
 Martin Francis McGowan
 Donald Henne McLean
 Walter Menaker
 Robert Stephen Minnick
 William James Nelson
 Niels Neustrup

Thomas Matthew O'Grady
 Louis Garcia Ortega
 Hobart Crist Parkhurst
 Sidney Jan Peck
 Dominic Pellillo
 William Frank Petersen
 Richard John Phalen
 Louis John Piro
 Joseph Orlando Piscetta
 Frank L. Pollack
 Daniel Prager
 Robert Godfrey Randall
 Andrew Samuel Ranier
 Gladys Fleischman Raskin
 Marjorie Rittwagen
 Francis John Romano
 Salvador Rossello
 Jerome Arthur Schack
 Raymond Edgar Schipke
 Harry Eugene Seanor
 Irving Alfred Shey
 Harold Shub
 Harold Lloyd Siegelbaum
 John Leopold Soelling
 Harry Franklin Sproat
 Harold Stangel
 Julius J. Stein
 Solomon David Sternberg
 Philip Charles Suriano
 Morton Paul Svigals
 James Joseph Thorpe
 William Clifford VanGelder
 Lesley Martin Warshaw
 Edward Wasserman
 John Stuart Wheeler
 Bertram Murray Winer
 Barbara Ann Wood
 Harold Stewart Wright, Jr.

PEDIATRIC AWARDS

Each year The Department of Pediatrics offers a first prize of \$25. and a second prize, a subscription to The Journal of Pediatrics for the best case report or research problem in pediatrics, submitted by a member of the senior class.

The first award this year goes to Marjorie Rittwagen, Francis J. Romano, Morton Paul Svigals, "A Study On The Incidence Of Allergy In Children With Rheumatic Fever."

The second prize is awarded to Jerome J. Hoffman and Alfred E. Mamelok for, "Two Cases Of Waterhouse-Friderichsen Syndrome In The Same Family, One With Recovery Under Penicillin Therapy."

Honorable mention goes to the following:

Harold S. Wright, Jr., "Hodgkin's Disease In Infancy and Childhood."

Wilburn H. Hansen, "Amaurotic Family Idiocy (Tay-Sachs' Disease) The Infantile Type."

S. David Sternberg, "Congenital Cystic Fibrosis of the Pancreas". Report of two cases in identical twins. A review of the literature.

Victoria Abraitys, "Myiasis."

Marjorie Rittwagen, "A Case Of Still's Disease Successfully Treated With Prosigmine."

All articles are submitted to The Archives of Pediatrics and if accepted will be published in that periodical.

DIAGNOSTIC CLINIC

For the past year the College and Hospital has been quietly experimenting with procedures and methods applicable to a Diagnostic Clinic. This preliminary period has been concluded and the Clinic is ready to accept referred patients.

The addition of the Diagnostic Clinic to the facilities of the New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals, was made possible by a generous grant from The Lillia Babbitt Hyde Foundation. The ultimate goal of the Diagnostic Clinic is to provide a place for surveying the health problems of individuals in the "white collar group."

The active staff of the Diagnostic Clinic is composed of representatives of the Department of Medicine and Surgery. A consulting staff has been formed among the senior members of all clinical departments in the hospital and college.

Only ambulatory non-hospitalized patients are admitted to the clinic. No patients are accepted for any therapy whatsoever. Patients will be seen by appointment only. A full report will be sent to the referring physician at the conclusion of the examination.

For the present, the fee for admission to the Clinic has been set at forty-five dollars. This charge covers all examinations, laboratory tests and X-ray studies ordered by the examiner. In addition to the routine examination developed for the Diagnostic Clinic, the examiners have been authorized to make any studies they deem necessary for the individual patient without additional cost.

Appointments for examinations can be made by calling the Diagnostic Clinic at Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals.

NURSING SCHOOL GRADUATION

On Friday evening, March 15th, 1946, the graduation exercises for the 1946 March and September Classes of the School of Nursing were held in the college auditorium.

Miss Bessie A. R. Parker, acting Dean of Cornell University, New York Hospital School of Nursing, addressed the graduates, following the invocation by the Reverend Matthew A. Tobin.

Miss Helen M. Daum, Director of the School of Nursing presided and presented the school pins after Mr. James M. Hills, Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the New York Medical College, made the presentation of the diplomas to the following members of the graduating class:

MARCH, 1946

Elinor Bowman
Elaine Irene Burden
Dorothy-Anne Callahan
Grace Veronica Donaghue
Mary Lourdes Finegan
Clara Elizabeth Foster
Virginia Edythe Greve
Gertrude M. Jakat
Margot Jennie Kallenberg
Patricia Maureen Kenny
Virginia Lee Keough
Jeanette Lawrence
Gertrude Elizabeth Leclard
Leona Grace Logan
Jeannette A. Morrison
June Alice Miller
Mary Elizabeth Olmstead
Inez Elizabeth Padron
Betsy Sears Payne
Marion Ruth Rounds
Janet Capelin Schmidt
Edith Jeanne Smith
Lillian Solar
Patricia Mary Wildenberg

SEPTEMBER, 1946

Madeline Bernene
Josephine Mary Brillos
Betty Brown
Alma Joyce Bruzza
Barbara I. Budnik
Constance L. Nace Campbell
Lucille M. Carey
Virginia Marie Carlucci
Irene Lorette Champagne
Charlotte Emilie Cremer
Doris Jennie Decker
Elda Delia
Julia Patricia Dobbins
Mary C. Dolan
Patricia Anne Dorsey
Clara K. Ertling
Kathleen L. Gryczka
Marion Corinne Hamilton
Anne Virginia Higgins
Eleanor Marie Jensen
Alice G. Lehn

Vivian Myra Lewis
M. Jeanne McCausland
Marguerite Elizabeth Mackenrow
Marie Frances Mascaro
Emmy Marie Pavlik
Jeanne M. Rado
Johanna Josephine Schaefer
Margaret Ann Slattery
Jean Ethel Tcwer
Ann J. Vogel

Virginia Lee Keough and Mary C. Dolan, respectively, were awarded the first and second prizes presented by the Board of Trustees for the most outstanding accomplishments in the Art and Science of Nursing.

The Women's Auxiliary presented a special award to Elinor Bowman for proficiency in nursing practice. Gertrude Leonard received the prize for outstanding professional attitude, presented by the Flower-Fifth Avenue Alumnae Association. For outstanding performance in the operating room, Ann J. Vogel received an award from a member of the Flower School of Nursing Alumnae Association. Grace V. Donaghue received the Student Government Association gift in appreciation for leadership.

Four of the twenty-four members of the 1921 graduation classes of the Fifth Avenue and Flower Hospitals were present to receive the silver diplomas awarded for their twenty-five years of nursing service.

A musical selection was rendered by the School of Nursing Glee Club.

Winifred G. Hallier,
Science Instructor.

Locations For Alumni

Since the last issue of the Chironian, we are pleased to advise that we have been able to find locations for many of our returning alumni outside of New York City. There are still many desirable spots obtainable. The situation here in New York City, however, is very difficult. Some of our graduates cannot find office space. If any of our graduates located in New York City can possibly help alumni veterans until this situation rights itself, kindly contact Dr. Lawrence B. Slobody, New York Medical College, who is in charge of our Location Committee.

PROFESSOR HELMUTH'S LECTURE

(Reprint from the *Chironian*, March 1st, 1889)

A large audience was gathered in the college amphitheatre to listen to Dr. Helmuth's yearly lecture to the students and their friends. It is needless for us to say anything in regard to the character of the lecture, since he who delivered it is so well known. Suffice it to say, sound advice was given to the class about to graduate, as only our Professor Helmuth can give it,—advice that was stored up as food for thought in days to come as the students leave the college to go out to their life work.

Dr. Helmuth, in closing, said as follows:

"By the course I have thus endeavored to portray, you will be able to rear for yourselves lasting reputation, and acquire a competency sufficient for your declining years, and as those days draw on, the calm and happiness of the evening will spread about you. You will have had the three great pleasures of life—That of anticipation in your youth; that of realization in your manhood; that of retrospection in your old age. Let me put the sentiment in verse for you."

I

A student once beginning life,
A noble end to gain,
Fought bravely in this world of strife,
Endured its pangs and pain,
And dauntless through the gliding years,
Press'd onward through the vale of tears,
Unmindful of its joys or fears,
Nor sought the prize 'in vain.
And oh! what happiness it brought
To reach at last the goal he sought.

II

A Doctor then: hair flecked with gray
As Autumn boughs with rime,
Who had not cast his youth away,
Or wasted precious time,—
Enjoyed with quiet manly grace,
The blessings of the time and place,
For he had won them in life's race,
And now in manhood's prime,
Was happy in the victory won,
His conscience bright, his duty done.

III

With sunlight on his silver hair,
And wistful tender gaze,
An old physician in his chair,
Sits thinking of past days.
A flash of light beams in his eyes,
As thoughts of times long past arise,
When he had fought and won the prize,
And gained his meed and praise.
And sweet to him though near the grave
It was to feel, he had been brave.

Sent in by DR. HERBERT W. FOSTER, '91

UNDERGRADUATE NEWS

FRESHMAN CLASS

One hundred and twenty-eight eager and expectant faces brightened the lobby on September 3rd. They belonged to the freshmen, among whom were 23 women, the largest number of girls ever to be taken in a class at the New York Medical College. We were soon to find out what was to follow—"Study and more Study." However a little spare time was found, and the freshmen were eager supporters of both the Fall Roof Dance and the School Carnival. Tom Santilli, a freshie, walked off with the main prize of the evening, a liquor basket.

The class elections resulted in the following: President, P. C. Zabger; Vice-President, Bob Broadbend; Assemblymen, Bill Bradley and Joe Roat; Treasurer, John Egan and Secretary, Marion Puszez.

Getting a little better acquainted we learned that our newly-weds were, Murray Herman and Joe Vaytek, and that we also have two proud "daddys"—George Palebicky and Joe Roat. Clem Prokeschu, who has done research on poison ivy, wrote an article for the *Journal of Pharmacology* concerning the action of enzymes on poison ivy.

After the Christmas holidays, wedding bells were still ringing in Bill Woodward's ears, because he had been married on December 29th to the former Elaine Mitchell. Among the engaged are: Murray Dorfman, Hank Reinhardt and Jack Loeffler.

—Marion Puszez.

SOPHOMORE CLASS

The past year has seen the advent of a busy Sophomore Class along scholastic and social lines. First of all, credit should be given to President Lou Murdock and his committee for the effort they put forth in making the Student Loan Drive one of the outstanding successes of the year by their ingenious idea of a "carnival."

Extra-curricular activities were put on a new footing when quite a number of our men decided to leave the folds of so-called blessed batchlorhood. But before going further, we extend congratulations to Larry Oot and his wife on the birth of a son, Lawrence Joseph, born May 31st.

On December 16th Richard Siegal, A.S. T.P. and Elise Becker exchanged vows. Congratulations, Dick.

The navy also entered in with announcements of engagements. On December 25th Miss Emily Fenelon, a graduate of St. Lawrence Academy, announced her engagement to Raymond Lawrence. Miss Evelyn Purton of Salt Lake City, Utah, became formerly engaged to William Melosh on May 1st. The engagement of Miss Sophia Pappas to Tony Uasilas was announced on August 19th.

Not to be outdone, the civilians came to the fore. Miss Susan Kalfus, a senior at Wisconsin University became engaged to Peter N. Ballen on December 22nd. The engagement of Miss Mollie Maassen of Seattle, Wash., to Ed. Eklund has also been announced. On June 13th Miss Norma Helen Kuskin announced her engagement to Jerry Strachman.

This, then brings up the end of the list of social doings of the Sophomores. But just to make the list complete, we extend belated congratulations to the two people married during our Freshman year: Miss Judith Singer to Cpl. Bernard Mausner. Miss Sonia Lukan to Warren Schoetzau.

—Alice Brown.

JUNIOR CLASS

Late in November we welcomed our sailors into the civilian ranks and for several days a true Esquire Fashion Show was enjoyed by all.

The members of the Junior class contributed about twenty-five dollars toward the fund raised to bring Christmas toys to the children of the Metropolitan Hospital.

Under the auspices of the Inter-Fraternity Council led by Clayton Weed, a Junior and Robert Hidey, many students and some faculty members enjoyed "a night at the Waldorf."

All one hundred and seventeen of us are working hard for our M.D.'s, yet some of us have found time to pick up an MRS., or MR., on the way.

Those who made the grade:

Murray Adler
Richard Bagg
Ed. Bowen, father of two boys
John Boyle, father of one girl
Max Cohen
J. Ehringer
Myron Freedman
Thelma Golub

Russell Johnson
Beatrice Katz
Bill Kishman
Peter Laderman
Carver Livingston, father of one boy
William Reid, father of one boy
Bela Reiger
Bob Taymor
Wilson Webb
Jerry Wheaton

Those on the approved list:

Elbert Close
Richard Colfax
Paul Entmacher
Alfred Greenwald
Walter Hausheer
N. Holowach
James Smith
Ray Swann
Clayton Weed
Robert Wedemeyer
Robert Weisenseel

HONOR ROLL

The following are the names of our graduates in the armed forces of our Country received since the last issue, January, 1946. The grand total now is 754. To date we have been advised that 320 of the above total have been released from active duty.

Abjian, John Jr., '37, Major, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.

Abers, Bernard D., '38, Captain, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.

Biffer, Louis, '34, 1st Lieut. M. C., A.U.S., Discharged.

Billman, Dallas E., '44, Lieut. j.g. U. S. N. R.

Bloom, Morris J., '30, 1st Lieut. M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.

Bottalico, Michael A., '37, Captain, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.

Bushman, John G., '41, Captain, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.

Casale, John B., Jr., '45, 1st Lieut. M. C., A.U.S.

Commings, Saul, '40, Captain, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.

D'Alecy, Louis A., '38, Senior Ass't. Surg. (R) U.S.P.H.S. Discharged.

Dobbins, Richard F., '45 Lieut. j.g. U.S.N.R.

Enders, Joseph B., '41. Discharged.

Feit, Louis '34. Discharged.

Flaque, Albert V., '38. Discharged.

Fortunoff, Saul A., '28, Major, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.

IN MEMORIAM

Goldberg, Morris M., '30, U.S.P.H.S. Manhattan Beach Hospital, N. Y. C.
 Grilibas, Morris, '31, Captain, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.
 Hirsch, Solomon, '29, Captain, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.
 Hoffman, Sidney, '37, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.
 Horner, David B., '44, 1st Lieut. M. C., A.U.S.
 Hubner, Edmund H., '21, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.
 Karver, Abraham, '32, 1st Lieut. M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.
 Kay, Saul, '39, Captain, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.
 Kopp, Ernst A., '45, 1st Lieut. M. C., A.U.S.
 Libin, I. E., '29, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.
 Loizeaux, Theodore, '44, Lieut. j.g. M. C., U.S.N.R.
 Mahoney, Joseph P., '45, 1st Lieut. M. C., A.U.S.
 Morgenstern, David M., '28, Captain, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.
 Nevins, Robert, '35, Surgeon (R) U.S. P.H.S. Discharged.
 Palazzo, Philip J., '45, Lieut. j.g. M. C., U.S.N.R.
 Pappalardi, Felix A., '37, Captain, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.
 Potekhen, George P., '44, 1st Lieut. M. C., A.U.S.
 Powell, Algerd, '39, Surgeon (R) U.S.P.H.S. Discharged.
 Riccardi, Peter, '25, Surgeon (R) U.S.P.H.S. Discharged.
 Salzman, Emanuel, '12/43, Lieut. j.g. M. C., U.S.N.R.
 Silbermann, Eugene J., '12/43, M. C., U.S.N.R. Discharged.
 Simms, Leon M., '35, Captain, M. C., A.U.S.
 Stone, Martin L., '44, 1st Lieut. M. C., A.U.S.
 Tyler, John L., '3/43, Captain, M. C., A.U.S., U.S.A. Radio Station, A.P.O. 843. c/o P. M. New York, N. Y.
 Vespignani, Pasquale, '40, Captain, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.
 Wojtycha, Bernard J., '44, Lieut. j.g. M. C., U.S.N.R.
 Zeichner, Morris, '33, M. C., A.U.S. Discharged.

Perkins, Darwin Clare, Jamestown, N. Y., was graduated from the New York Homeopathic Medical College in 1906. He was a member of the American Medical Association; a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons; specialist certified by the American Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Inc. He served as health officer of the town of Busti and the Village of Celeron, also health officer of Lakewood, where he had been a member of the board of education since 1933 and president since 1937. He recently resigned a position on the faculty of the Jamestown Business Institute. He was vice-president of the board of visitors of the Gowanda State Homeopathic Hospital, Helmuth, and was on the staff of the Jamestown General Hospital and the Woman's Christian Association Hospital, where he died on November 27th, 1945, of arteriosclerosis. He was 66 years old.

Gramsch, A. Louis, Ridgewood, N. J., was graduated from the New York Homeopathic Medical College in 1910. He was a specialist in tuberculosis. After practicing for six years in Lowell, Mass., he became superintendent of Southern Pines (No. Car.) Sanatorium for tuberculosis. He was senior resident physician of New Jersey State Sanatorium for Tuberculosis, at Glen Gardner, from 1919 to 1937, when he was appointed chief physician and assistant medical director of Bergen Pines Hospital, Oradell, N. J., and at the time of his death was acting medical director. Dr. Gramsch died on February 2nd, 1946 at the age of 65. His wife, Mrs. Elizabeth B. H. Gramsch, died last August.

Mackenzie, George W., Philadelphia, Pa., was graduated from the Hahnemann Medical College, Philadelphia, in 1893. He was a specialist in Ear, Eye, Nose and Throat, and a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons. He was a past president of the American Institute of Homeopathy and a member of many other medical societies. He was the author of over 300 medical contributions, mostly on the ear. Dr. Mackenzie died suddenly at his office in Philadelphia on August 5th, 1945 at the age of 73. With him when he died was his wife, Dr. Alice V. Mackenzie.

Gray, Earle V., Helmuth, N. Y., was born in Warren, Ohio. He graduated from the Cleveland Homeopathic Medical College in 1905. He practiced in Cleveland and taught at his Medical College until 1909, when he became a member of the staff of the Gowanda State Hospital at Helmuth, N. Y., and where he has been superintendent for the past twenty-two years. Dr. Grey died at the Buffalo General Hospital, Buffalo, N. Y., on April 22nd, 1946, at the age of 64. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ethel Greaves Gray, and a daughter, Mrs. Jean Trapp.

WANTED

Good opening for a homeopathic medical man to take over practise of elderly physician in Vancouver, British Columbia. City of 300,000 inhabitants. Mild climate. Write to: Dr. Ernest P. Fewster, Suite 902. Dominion Bank Bldg., Vancouver, B. C. Canada. For further particulars, see Dr. T. H. McGavack, New York Medical College.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

HOBBY SHOW: The Ninth Annual Hobby Show was held during the last week of March. On Friday night, April 1st, the Medical College Glee Club under the direction of John Sindmak, sophomore, gave a concert. Dr. Taub in the Department of Pathology, gave a Magic Show. Professor Van de Wall, a judge of the show, awarded the following prizes and ribbons. Bert Covert, Freshman, won the Hobby Show Cup and certificate for best exhibit. His hobby is "Birds of Prey". He exhibited "Monk" a live barn owl.

Paintings: 1st Prize — Daniel Jeffrey; 2nd Prize—Mrs. I. M. Tarlov; 3rd Prize —Ludwig Strohmeier.

Drawing: 1 Lecture Notes — Robert Stoll; 2 Still—Leo Nolan; 3 Study—Jerome Huffman.

Collections: 1 Mrs. Berry—Battle Collection; 2 Dr. Speer—Butterflies; 3 Ernest Purcell—Arrowheads.

Sculpture: 1 Angels—Maria Gallopin; 2 Head—Alice Witkowski.

Photography: Arthur Chambers, Portrait.

Handcraft: 1 Dr. Cocheu—Miniature; Furniture; 2 Grace Stuart—Needlepoint; 3 Mrs. Chambers—Needlepoint.

A dance was held in the Auditorium (following the Hobby Show). Gilmore Wagle and Jon Wilson, juniors, were co-chairmen of the show. Dr. Schmahl, Professor Van de Wall, Gilmore Wagle, Miss Whitman, Dr. Hirshorn and Miss Baker were judges.

LECTURE:—Dr. Israel Kleiner gave an illustrated lecture on "The Life of Dr. Beaumont" in March, in the College Auditorium. **NURSING SCHOOL BALL:**—The Nursing School Student Government gave a Ball at the Hotel Pierre in honor of the graduating Senior Class, whose graduation was held in the Auditorium on March 15th. **COLLEGE ANNUAL BALL:**—The Fifth Annual College Ball was held in the Plaza Hotel on March 15th. A large number of students from all classes, and faculty members attended the dance. **NURSING SCHOOL ORIENTATION:** — The Nursing School held its orientation period for the incoming preclinical class in March. Thirty-two students entered at that time. **CONCERT:**—The Nursing School Students Glee Club will give a concert on May 10th to aid in raising funds for the Students Rompus Room on the fourth floor nursing residence. **CIRCUS PARTY:**—A Circus Party will be held at Madison Square Garden on May 4th. 77 students and faculty members plan to see the Big Show.

SUMMER DIARRHEA IN BABIES

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PERSONALS

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1998

Dr. James M. Gates, formerly anaesthetist at the Flower and Fifth Avenue Hospitals for many years, retired from practice on December 31st, 1945, and now resides on a farm at Route No. 1, Statesville, North Carolina.

1906

Dr. Crawford R. Green, Troy, N. Y., was married on February 12th, 1946 to Miss Janet Greenhill Parker, also of Troy. The wedding service took place in the Manse of Memorial Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Charles C. Caddick, sister of the bride, was the matron of honor, and Dr. Green's uncle, Lansdale Boardman Green served as best man. Dr. and Mrs. Green will reside at 25 Second Street, Troy, N. Y.

1911

Dr. Irving L. Farr of Montclair, N. J., announces his retirement from the practice of medicine on May 1st, 1946.

1914

Dr. B. Edgar Spiegel has been appointed Director of the Department of Allergy, and attending Allergist to Midtown Hospital, New York, N. Y.

1915

Clarence J. Janifer, attached to the Newark Health department since 1920, was appointed as acting assistant in the pediatric service department of the Newark City Hospital. The appointment was made by the hospital's medical board. Dr. Janifer is the second negro to be appointed to the City Hospital staff. Dr. E. Mae McCarroll was appointed to the medical staff on January 3rd, 1946. Her appointment climaxed a civic campaign to win negro representation on the staff.

1917

Earl LeRoy Wood recently became a civilian again after serving as a Colonel in the Army Medical Corps since 1942. He commanded hospital units in California and in New Guinea, and saw service in the Philippines soon after Leyte was secured. He has opened a New York City office at 40 East 61st Street, where he specializes in Otolaryngology. His Newark, N. J. office is at 533 Mt. Prospect Avenue.

1927

Louis H. Harris who held the rank of Major in the Army has been discharged, and has resumed his position as Deputy Medical Superintendent at Bellevue Hospital, New York City.

1929

Dr. Philip Polatin delivered a paper on "Pre-Senile Psychosis" at the meeting of the New York Society for Clinical Psychiatry on March 14th, 1946. Dr. Polatin is at present Associate Clinical Psychiatrist in charge of the female division at the New York State Psychiatric Institute and Hos-

pital, and Associate in Psychiatry on the staff of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University. In May of this year, he will report at the New York State Medical Society Convention on "The Effects of Combined Insulin (Subcoma Doses) and Electro-shock Therapy in the treatment of the Schizophrenic Ambulatory Patient," and he will also address the American Psychiatric Association Convention on "The Diagnostic Evaluation of Early Schizophrenia."

Major William C. Calvert of West Orange, N. J., was recently awarded The Soldier's Medal "for heroism near Antwerp, Belgium, on February 23rd, 1945. When a flying bomb landed in a village near his headquarters, Major Calvert with three enlisted men immediately went to the scene to administer medical aid. On arriving they discovered that a child was trapped in the wreckage of a house. Completely disregarding his own safety, Major Calvert crawled into the cellar despite the danger from an overhanging mass of cement and steadily rising water from a broken main and held the child's head above water for nearly three hours until she could be removed to safety. Major Calvert's coolness, courage and devotion to duty reflect the highest credit on himself and the Army of the United States."

1930

Major Morris M. Goldberg is still surgeon (R) in the USPHS Hospital Division now stationed at the Manhattan Beach Hospital. He is Chief of Urology and V.D. there. For two years he was M.O.C. of the Waco Rapid Treatment Center, (Riverside Hospital) in Waco, Texas. He hopes to be discharged on or about April 1st, and plans to restrict his practice to Urology and the rapid treatment of the venereal diseases at his office, 1907 Avenue R, in Brooklyn.

Major Henry Greenberg advises that he has been separated from the service, and has resumed practice at 229 North Wellwood Avenue, Lindenhurst, L. I., N. Y.

Dr. C. J. Loffredo has returned to Schenectady, N. Y., after serving as a full time Resident Doctor on the surgical staff of St. Francis Hospital of the Sisters of the Poor, N. Y. C. He will resume the practice of medicine and surgery in Schenectady, shortly.

Major Irwin I. Lubcwe has been released from the Army, and has opened his office at 241 Central Park, West, New York 24, N. Y., for the practice of Dermatology and Syphilology.

Irwin Paul Train has recently been promoted to the position of Associate Surgeon at Kings County Hospital. He is a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons and a Diplomate of the American Board of Surgery. Dr. Train, who has an office in Brooklyn, N. Y., has also opened an office at 7 West 81st Street, New York City.

1931

Major Barnet Halperin has been honorably discharged from the army, and has resumed practice at 26a Woodbine Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Lewis L. Julien, after serving as Captain in the Army, announces that he has resumed the practice of medicine and surgery at 605 Lincoln Road, Miami Beach, Fla.

Nat Kanner is Associate Editor of the I.P.A. Voice, a pharmaceutical monthly journal, besides being actively engaged in the practice of medicine and surgery at 929 Marcy Avenue, Brooklyn.

1932

Major Robert L. Rein writes: "After three and one-half years in the service, in the United States and the E.T.O., as chief of section of Dermatology and Syphilology in U. S. Army General Hospitals, have resumed private practice limited to Dermatology at 108 Rugby Road, Brooklyn, N. Y."

1933

Major Alexander Robbins '33 and his brother, Major Bernard L. Robbins, '34 have both been discharged from the U. S. Army Air Corps. They have reopened their office at 1100 Drexel Avenue, Miami Beach, Florida. Dr. Ralph Robbins, graduate of the University of Virginia Medical School, 1945, will join the above upon completion of his internship.

1934

George R. Nagamatsu, Associate in Urology at the College, has been elected to Fellowship in the American College of Surgeons.

Major Lawrence E. Viola was discharged from the army on November 23rd, 1945, after almost five years of service. Thirty-two months of this time was spent overseas, in New Guinea and Manila. He has re-opened his office at 3974 Amboy Road, Great Kills, Staten Island, limiting his practice to obstetrics and gynecology.

Captain Dominick A. Zurlo has resumed practice in Glens Falls, New York. He served almost three and one-half years in the army; thirty-one months of which being overseas, in Africa and Italy. Directing a general surgery team, he was with an initial invasion unit, going ashore in Italy on September 9th, 1943, and until September 15th, 1945 he accompanied divisions of General Mark Clark's Fifth Army throughout Central and Northern Italy. Dr. Zurlo holds six battle campaign stars, an Arrowhead Medal for D-Day invasion of Salerno, and a Bronze Star Meritorious Citation.

1935

Fred F. Senerchia has been promoted to Lieutenant Colonel and is stationed at the Percy Jones H. C. Conv. Hospital, 0-481699, Fort Custer, Mich.

Captain Leon M. Simms is now stationed at the Newton D. Baker General Hospital, Martinsburg, W. Va., as Chief of Neurology, and Assistant Chief of the Neuropsychiatric Service. Dr. Simms was certified by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology in both Psychiatry and Neurology in December, 1945.

Sander V. Smith was transferred to the Coney Island Hospital from the Queens General Hospital, on January 10th, 1946, in the same capacity, (Deputy Medical Superintendent.)

1936

Captain Francis X. DiFabio writes: "I thoroughly enjoyed every issue of the 'Chironian' which Mrs. DiFabio faithfully kept me supplied with during my three seemingly endless years of overseas duty. Fortunately I was an anesthetist with a surgical team in an 'Auxiliary Surgical Group', whose mission was to perform chest and belly surgery on the non-transportable casualties at Field Hospital platoons. The work was truly interesting with many varied experiences—and at times quite rugged and a bit trying on our corporals, but most of us came through unscathed. I am once again back in the saddle doing anesthesia on the civilian front."

Julius Dobkin, recently discharged from the army, has open his office at 2550 University Avenue, Bronx 63, N. Y.

Arthur J. Linden writes: "Just a few lines to let the boys know that I'm just starting my terminal leave (3/5/46) after being in the army 42 months. As a Major I was chief of the E.N.T. department at the General Dispensary, Washington, D. C. Now that I'm discharged, I intend to set up practice in Arlington, Va., along ENT lines. Regards to the class of '36 and others who may remember me. Please keep me on your mailing list." Address: 3422 South Stafford Street, Arlington, Va.

1937

Commander Wilbur B. Brett, is completing his terminal leave, and has resumed practice at 455 Fort Washington Avenue, N. Y. C.

Captain Michael Bottalico has been discharged from the Army. We learn that while in Australia he married an Australian girl.

Allan S. Graham writes that his "personal" in the January issue was slightly incorrect. In the first place, he was a full Commander, not a Lieutenant. In the U.S.N.R. And again, the address given, 1243 California Road, Tuckahoe, N. Y. is his home address, but he is not practicing from there. He is still looking for an office in Westchester, especially around White Plains, and asks:—"Does any other returning Veteran want to open joint offices?"

Sidney Hoffman has been released from the Army, and at present is Resident in Dermatology at the Kings County Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Thomas F. Lynch wishes to announce that he has resumed the practice of Medicine and Surgery at 2769 University Avenue, New York City, after serving in the Army since July, 1941. Dr. Lynch attained the rank of Lieutenant Colonel prior to returning to inactive status.

William J. Martin, Jr., writes "Since my discharge from service, after four years, I have settled in Troy, N. Y., where I have been appointed Anesthesiologist to the Troy Hospital. "Dr. Martin's home address is 26 Pawling Avenue, Troy, N. Y.

Captain George P. Schwab was discharged from the Army Medical Corps on December 28th, 1945. He was awarded the Silver Star Medal, the Bronze Star Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters, and saw service in Africa, England, France, Holland, Belgium and Germany. He has resumed the practice of medicine at 7914 Hudson Boulevard, North Bergen, N. J.

Lieut. Colonel Irving S. Shiner has been released from the Army. He served with the 58th Evac. Hospital for 2½ years in the Pacific area as Thoracic Surgeon and Chief of Surgical Service. He spent time in Australia, New Guinea, Admiralty Islands, Philippines Islands and Japan, participating in the invasion of Admiralty Islands, Leyte and Cebu. He received the following decorations and ribbons: Bronze Star Medal—American Campaign Medal — Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal with arrowhead and 4 battle stars. World War II Victory Medal—Meritorious Service Unit Plaque (2) and Philippine Liberation Ribbon with 2 stars. At present Dr. Shiner is practicing Surgery and Thoracic Surgery in Manhattan.

1938

Edward M. Coe, recently discharged from the Army, has opened an office at 104 Manhattan Avenue, Jersey City, N. J.

Lieut. Colonel John J. Hamley has been honorably discharged from the Army Air Corps after serving four and one-half years, two years of which were in foreign service, in Burma, China and India. At present have re-opened my office for general practice in Elizabeth, N. J.

Colonel Robert D. McKay writes:—After 4 years and 8 months Army service, my terminal leave expired on Christmas Day, 1945. Have served as Assistant Surgeon XV Corps, and took command of the 54th Field Hospital as it went to the Continent with General Patton a month after D-Day. Later followed Patch's Seventh Army through Germany and Austria. Now I'm back in Brooklyn, (233-87th St.) in practice and recently was appointed as Medical Assistant on Staff of Norwegian Hospital. Received a belated promotion to Colonel in the Army since my discharge.

Captain Joseph A. Mellow has been discharged from the Army, and is now resident at the Metropolitan Hospital.

1939

Sylvia Levine, who is now the wife of Dr. Joseph Gennis, is Resident in Psychiatry at the Psychiatric Institute, New York, N. Y. Dr. Joseph Gennis is still in the army.

Dr. and Mrs. Bernard Rothbard announce the birth of their second son, Richard Dale, on January 13th, 1946. Dr. Rothbard is still in practice at 9000 Kings Highway, Brooklyn, and would be glad to hear from any of his classmates.

1940

Lieut. Comdr. Robert W. Barnett is on terminal leave from the U. S. Navy, after serving four years, two of which were spent in the European theatre. Early in the war he was stationed in Africa, and proceeded from there to Sicily, Italy and France. In Africa he was the medical officer of a group of Army and Navy men in charge of bringing supplies to Allied Armies. While clearing the harbor of Ferryville, Tunisia, it was this group that found thousands of Axis medals in the hold of a sunken Italian ship which were to be given to the Italo-German troops when they triumphantly entered Alexandria and Cairo. The plans for a reception and military review by Axis leaders were

also revealed when the fall of Egypt was imminent. Dr. Barnett flew the Atlantic Ocean to join this group, and subsequently flew more than 25,000 miles carrying out assignments with them. Marshall Montgomery and General Eisenhower personally lauded them. He is entitled to wear four combat stars for amphibious invasions and was commended for his work at Anzio. Last year he flew home from France and was stationed at the National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md., and later at Lido Beach, Long Island, where he was in charge of the department concerned with heart and lungs. (Press release) Dr. Barnett intends to open offices for the practice of medicine in Asbury Park, N. J. in the near future.

Jerome J. Goldstein advises that instead of being in general practice as the last issue of the Chironian stated, he has devoted himself exclusively for the past year to the practice of Ophthalmology.

Ernest H. Khoury has opened his office at 90-23 153rd Street, Jamaica, N. Y., where he is specializing in Urology.

Clifford J. Tichenor writes the following: "Finally came out of Army air force a Lieut. Colonel Flight Surgeon, coming off terminal leave February 17th, 1946. Started residency in Pediatrics, probably for two years, at The Children's Hospital, Washington, D. C. Undecided where to practice pediatrics, and still in the single columns. Lieut. Comdr. Wally Marsh, my old roommate, is at the U. S. Naval Training and Distribution Centers, Shoemakers, Calif., and about ready to be separated from service."

Captain Irving Wecksell has been discharged from the Army, Dr. and Mrs. Wecksell announce the recent arrival of a baby girl, Eileen. They also have a son seven years old.

1941

Lieut. Comdr. John L. Capalbo is now serving in the Navy as senior medical officer aboard the U.S.S. Amphion, a large newly commissioned auxiliary repair ship attached to the Atlantic Fleet. Previously Lt. Comdr. Capalbo was attached to the First Beach Battalion as combat medical officer and made the 'D' Day initial assault landings at Sicily, Salerno and Anzio beachheads. After returning from the Mediterranean theatre of operations, Dr. Capalbo spent a pleasant year at the U. S. Submarine Base Naval Dispensary, New London, Conn., before being attached to the U.S.S. Amphion. Lieut. Comdr. Capalbo would like to hear from friends and classmates—Address: Lt. Comdr. John L. Capalbo, senior Medical Officer—USS Amphion AR-13 Fleet Post Office, New York. He anticipates separation from the service by July 1946, after which he would like to take post-graduate training in Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Joseph Cramer is a Resident at Bellevue Hospital.

Dominic A. Giammette served three years with the Army in the South Pacific. He was recently discharged, and will start a residency in obstetrics at the Harlem Hospital on April 1st, 1946.

Merrill Grayson is Resident in Ophthalmology at Bellevue Hospital. He has been certified by the American Board in E.N.T.

Major William H. Hewes is home on terminal leave until April 10th, when he plans to open an office in Adrian, Michigan. "Dr Hewes and his young daughter Jean, 21 months old, have formed a mutual admiration society and are friends already."

Milton Kramer has been discharged from the Army, and is now Resident in Obs. and Gyn. at the Cumberland Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Major Louis Malinash has been discharged from the Army, and is now completing his Residency in Psychiatry at the Psychiatric Institute, N. Y. City. He is also on the staff of the Veterans Rehabilitation Clinic of the Presbyterian Hospital.

Dr. Joseph A. Padalino announces the opening of his office, since September 1st, 1945, at 2168 Fifth Avenue, Troy, N. Y. He has completed four years of hospital training at the Troy Hospital, the last three of which were spent in the surgical department. He has recently been appointed to the surgical staff of the Troy Hospital.

Lieut. Comdr. Edward Wurzel writes that Dick Gaillard is also stationed at Quonset Point, R. I. He is Lieut. Comdr. M.C., U.S.N. "Dick is married and has two children. He's a good bit ahead of me there—all we have is two French Poodles."

1942

Victor Altchek is a Resident at Bellevue Hospital.

Charles Dusenberry has been honorably discharged from the Public Health Service and the Coast Guard, and is now associated in group practice with the Thomas Davis Clinic, 130 South Street, Tucson, Ariz.

MARCH, 1943

Benjamin G. Kerr was recently released from the Army, and has opened an office for the practice of medicine at 543 East 21st Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Captain William E. King. The following is a copy of a news article from the "UP FRONT REVIEW", Weiden, Germany, January 19th, 1946.

"NEW REGIMENT SURGEON"

"With the homeward departure of Captain Wise on an emergency furlough, Captain William E. King has been appointed Regimental Surgeon, thus becoming a member of the Regimental staff, and Commanding Officer of the Medical Detachment.

Captain King joined the regiment in August, 1944, at Fort Dix, N. J., coming from the 327th Medical Battalion. He has since, and all through Combat, served as battalion surgeon for our Third Battalion. Capt. King is among the most well liked officers in the Regiment, and his skill and patience in the treatment of his patients and the men of the detachment who work with him, have won him the faith of everyone with whom he has come in contact with." Dr. King also holds the Bronze Star Medal.

This News Item was sent in by Dr. King's Mother, who says she is sure he would appreciate hearing from any of his classmates or friends at the College. Address:—Captain William E. King, M.C., A.U.S. 0-440242, Med. Det. 405 Inf. Reg. A.P.O. 102, c/o P.M., New York, N. Y.

John D. Riccardi is somewhere in Germany. His address is:—Captain John D. Riccardi, M. C. A.A.F., 368th Fighter Group, A.P.O. 374, c/o P.M., N.Y.C. He would like to hear from classmates.

Captain John L. Tyler writes the following:—"Was very glad to receive the January issue of the Chironian, my first in over a year. Have been overseas one year now, and ten months of it has been in Asmara, Eritrea, at the U. S. Army Radio Station. This is a lovely post, the best in Africa, and the climate ideal the year round. I am the only doctor on the post and we have excellent medical facilities. Have done quite a bit of surgery and general medicine, and at the present am busy examining returning Italians who were employed in Dhahan, Arabia, by the U. S. Army. I have no idea as to how soon I'll return to the U. S., but if it isn't for another year I hope to have my wife and little daughter here with me. Was pleased to read the news about Bill Hewes, Richard Day, Phil Reilly and several of the others. It was my pleasure to make friends with during my very enjoyable years in medical school. I'm sure my wife, the former Marjorie Welch, joins me in wishing our friends the best, and may we all meet again in the not too distant future. Sincerely, Address:—Captain John L. Tyler, M.C. U. S. Army Radio Station, A.P.O. 843, c/o P.M., New York, N. Y.

DECEMBER, 1943

Captain Philip C. Reilly has been transferred overseas. His address is: 0-1718511 Casual Squadron A2—A.P.O. 19901-A c/o Postmaster, N. Y. City.

Lieut. j.g. Emanuel Salzman writes the following:—"During the five months I've been in the Navy, I've hurried from North Carolina to wait in San Francisco, and from Frisco to wait in Sasebo Japan. I've recently been transferred to the hospital ship "Samaritan" which is sitting in Sasebo harbor, and where I'm chief of the X-Ray department. Sasebo is Japan's third largest naval base—but very primitive according to our standards. The old fashioned equipment, poor roads and lack of sanitation make us all wonder how the Japs fought as effectively as they did. I've had the opportunity to visit the major Jap cities including Tokyo, Kyoto, Osaka, Nagasaki and Hiroshima. The last two were atomic bombed, and the destruction was not exaggerated by the newspaper accounts. Am anxiously awaiting orders to the States—but not enough points—yet." Address is:—U.S.S. Samaritan, A.H. 10 c/o Fleet P. O., San Francisco, Calif.

Captain George F. Verdone writes the following: "Greetings to all my classmates from Seoul, Korea. Entered the Army in Oct. '44 and after Carlisle Barracks, and very short stays at Fort Bragg, Percy Jones G. H., and Camp Beale, California, found myself overseas in the Pacific, where I have remained for the past fifteen months. We hit Oahu, Hawaii, Saipan and Okinawa in short order. We assigned to the 145th Field Artillery Bn., and participated in the Okinawa campaign. In September we took part in the initial occupation of Korea and have been stationed in Seoul, Korea ever since. Our outfit was deactivated in Dec. '45, and I was assigned to Hdq. as the 7th Inf. Div. Artillery Surgeon. I received my first overseas copy of the Chironian only recently, and devoured it avidly. Would appreciate and relish any news of my classmates and colleagues, and of their activities. Address: Capt. George F. Verdone, M. C. O-477378, Surgeon, Hdq. 7th Inf. Div. Artillery, A.P.O. 7, % P.M., San Francisco, Calif.

1944

First Lieut. David B. Horner writes to say that he is attached to the Armored training center, and that he would like to hear from classmates and friends. His address is:—1st Lieut. David B. Horner, M.C., A.U.S., Armored Replacement Training Center, Fort Knox, Ky.

Theodore Loizeaux of Plainfield, N. J., was married to Miss Cecily Wright Flanagan of New York City and Rye, N. Y., on April 5th 1946, at the Church of the Heavenly Rest, N. Y. City. Dr. Loizeaux will enter the Navy sometime during April.

Lieut. Gregory S. Slater writes the following: "I would like to receive the Chironian. Please send it to my home, 515 Highland Road, Ithaca, N. Y. Life certainly plays funny tricks: About five weeks ago I stopped in at the Flower-Fifth and visited with my classmates of the 1944 class, who have residencies there. At that time I was bound for Paris. Now I am on the Isle of Capri. I am the only medical officer on the island. It is mountainous and rocky but very beautiful, and a great deal of money has been spent to enhance the natural beauty. The two main hotels have been taken over by the United States Army and are used as rest camps for American soldiers. The medical installation that I operate is a dispensary located in a confiscated villa. My living conditions are absolutely luxurious. They have me billeted in the Quisisana Hotel, and my quarters consist of the typical oversized bathroom lined with Italian tile, and an immense bedroom with its French doors opening out onto a private terrace that overlooks the Mediterranean, some six hundred feet below.

Being a rest camp, the hotel provides breakfast in bed, hostesses, string music with lunch and dinner, and drinks for seven cents each. This all sounds fantastic, and I realize that many of my friends will find it all hard to believe, but it is true nevertheless, and I defy any of those old V-12 admirals to come forth with a better job. Italy is now in a chaotic state both politically and economically. This has led to many conditions that are to say the least unusual. It is now unlawful for anyone including Americans to possess United States money. This is because there is an active black market in money. The allied government has arbitrarily fixed the worth of the dollar at two hundred and twenty-five lire, but if you surreptitiously buy something with a dollar, you get four hundred lire worth. Well, I certainly wish all my classmates have as good a job as I have, and good luck to them all." Address:—0-416176 —300th General Hospital, A.P.O. 782. c/c P.O. New York, N. Y.

1945

Lieut. j.g. Richard F. Dobbins is interning at Naval Hospital, Marine Base, Quantico, Va.

Drs. Janice H. Tulchin and Edward J. Nightingale, both graduates of the class of June, 1945, were married at the home of the bride, Norwalk, Conn., on February 10th, 1946. They enjoyed a wonderful honeymoon at Chateau Frontenac, Quebec, Canada. Dr. Tulchin has a residency in contagion at Willard Parker Hospital, upon completion of her internship at Brooklyn Jewish Hospital. Dr. Nightingale will enter the Navy about April 1st.



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