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## Dr. Glantz Revamps Urology Program

Dr. Wesley Glantz, Des Moines Graduate of 1941, Professor of Proctology and Urology on the College Staff, recommended extension of this phase of the osteopathic curriculum. Proctology and Urology have previously been given as a two hour course for one semester. Dr. Glantz proposed that a two-hour course be given in Proctology alone, to alternate semesters with Roentgenology. Urology, he suggested should constitute a two hour course through the year.

These recommendations were made after careful thought, in consideration of both the requirements of the Bureau of Education of the A.O.A. and of the students. The changes have been approved by the Dean, and will be put in force in September of this year. An interim is requisite for the completion of the transition.

### Background

Dr. Glantz was graduated from Union College at Lincoln, Nebraska, in 1929, with the aim of entering the teaching profession. He accepted a position on the faculty of the Shelton (Neb.) High School, in which he continued until 1933 when he entered the field of business. Dr. Glantz, while in the teaching profession persistently sought additional training which would better suit him for the task. He pursued work toward his Master's degree at the University of Nebraska in the summer of 1929; during the summer of 1930 and the spring of 1932, he was engaged in further graduate work at Kansas State College in Hayes.

Dr. Glantz's businesslike attitude and keen interest in the job at hand continued to be reflected during his studentship at the Des Moines Still College. As a result of his outstanding scholarship he was elected to Psi Sigma Alpha, osteopathic honorary scholastic society. Following his graduation from the Des Moines College in 1941, his application for internship was accepted at the Des Moines General Hospital. Retention of Dr. Glantz on the Hospital staff is indicative of the professional respect extended Dr. Glantz by his colleagues. At present, he fills the post of anesthetist on the Hospital Staff.

### College Association

Dr. Glantz accepted a part-time lectureship on the college faculty in 1942. His studious habit, in-

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## College Curriculum Is Revised and Expanded

Coincident with the remodeling of the fourth floor and the installation of new laboratories, a sweeping change has been made in the curriculum, expanding by approximately 500 hours student requirements.

### Hourly Schedule

Classes are held on an hourly basis, rather than the previous 45 minute basis, necessitating a reduction in the number of class periods in the morning from five to four. Classes start on the hour and run for fifty-five minutes, and meet 3 times per week in lieu of the five meetings previously held.

The new schedule exceeds by 600 hours the minimum of the A.O.A. Bureau of Colleges and Professional Education. Shortages existing in the previous schedules are more than accounted for in the change.

### Courses Expanded

The Anatomy courses, including Histology and Embryology, comprise a total of 772 hours. The courses include Gross Anatomy (Dissection), two courses in systemic anatomy, applied anatomy Histology and Embryology. Dr. Kimberly, Chairman of the Anatomy Department, also offers a course in Surgical Anatomy, consisting of practice in basic surgical principles and technique.

The department of Surgery has undergone the greatest expansion of the several divisions of the curriculum. A third semester has been added to the previously two-semester course in General Surgery; the time allotted to orthopedics is doubled; the time for Otolaryngology is doubled; and the proctology and urology course is tripled in time required.

A new course, designated Technique IV, is offered by Professor Laycock in the Department of Osteopathy. This course will supplement the Technique III previously offered, and will be offered to Senior A students.

In the department of Preventive Medicine a Sophomore course is offered in Parasitology. The course consists of 3 lectures per week with 6 hours of laboratory, weekly.

Nervous and Mental Diseases, offered previously as a 3-hour course, is increased to 4 hours.

### Clinic

The plan for student training in the clinic is not altered ap-

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## A.O.A. Begins Over-All Campaign

### Dr. Golden Pledges Support of State Society For National Campaign

Dr. Mary E. Golden, Chairman of the Campaign Committee of the Des Moines Still College Foundation, Member of the Board



Dr. Mary E. Golden

of Trustees of the A.O.A., and President of the State Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons of Iowa, expressed enthusiasm for the National Campaign of the A.O.A. Dr. Golden respects both the efforts and intention of the National Association and promises to rally the support of her constituents behind this gigantic effort.

She urges each physician to peruse carefully the literature recently released from the office of Dr. Tilley and support generously the nationally planned, overall campaign. Said Dr. Golden, "Osteopathic education is not a College affair, not an A.O.A. affair; it is the heart and soul of each one of us. Today is the most crucial period of osteopathic education in the history of our profession. We must all support our colleges now. Tomorrow, yes—tomorrow may be too late."

### Dr. McGill Suddenly Stricken Ill

Dr. R. O. McGill, Director of the Obstetrical Clinic, was recently forced to leave that position for a short time because of an acute attack of appendicitis. Dr. McGill is recovering rapidly under excellent care at the Des Moines General Hospital.

### Gives Active Support To College Drives

On January 18, Dr. R. McFarlane Tilley, Chairman of the National Board of Sponsors of the **National Osteopathic Progress and Public Service Fund**, announced the beginning of the Fund drive which was for "the expansion of all of the approved Osteopathic colleges and hospitals affiliated for teaching."

Dr. Tilley adds, "The profession and the colleges are now united in one great movement. We, therefore, urge you to give all that you can, at once . . . to the college of your choice or to the National (Overall) Fund!" Concluding his letter to the profession, Dr. Tilley cautions, "Remember! This is the greatest challenge ever faced by Osteopathy, and each of us must do his part."

### The College Campaigns

Five of the Osteopathic Colleges in June, 1943, embarked upon individual campaigns, each with a specific goal in mind. These campaigns have been successful. The Osteopathic Profession has rallied behind the cause of education in grand style. Now the five colleges who are completing their alumni campaigns and are about to embark on public campaigns are joined by the sixth approved college, in Kirksville. Simultaneously with

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## Campaign Contributions Continue for Fund

Dr. Mary E. Golden, Chairman of the Campaign Committee of the Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation, expresses gratitude for the continued new pledges. Recent new names which have been added to the list of Contributors are:

Dr. Calvin J. Houpt of Orlando, Fla.  
Dr. E. S. Honsinger, Ames, Iowa  
Dr. E. H. Lodish, Detroit, Michigan  
Dr. A. P. Warthman, Detroit, Michigan  
Dr. Reginald Platt, Houston, Texas

These men are all members of the 500 Club, who have contributed from \$500 to \$1000 to the Educational Fund.

## CURRICULUM

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precipably. Students still serve in the clinic for 3 semesters. Reducing the number of class periods from five to four in the morning has required that additional lectures be given in the afternoon. Surgery lectures are offered at 1:00, three days per week. Urology will be offered on the alternate two days. Additionally, Proctology and Roentgenology will be offered at 2:00, Tuesday and Thursday, in alternate semesters. Clinic presentation remains, as previously, Thursday at 3:00.

Under conditions of the revised curriculum, therefore, students will have 702 afternoon hours (exclusive of evening and morning calls and obstetrical attendances) for treatment of patients. Requirements are currently 600 treatments; therefore each student will have approximately one hour and ten minutes per treatment. This is considered ample by the clinic staff.

## Hospital Training

In spite of the fact that the number of hours of instruction has been increased, the revised curriculum has moved lecture courses back in the student's program. The result is that he has a minimum of courses in his Senior A semester, and is therefore free for hospital instruction 18 hours per week. It is planned to devote this time to instruction in hospital routine, major and minor surgery, X-ray diagnosis and therapy, fracture care, obstetrics, pre- and post-operative care, clinical laboratory work and familiarization with acute, hospitalized cases of various conditions.

## Individual Initiative

The last semester in the student's program is intentionally left quite free of required time. The remaining hours which are not spent in class will be used very largely at the discretion of the student. Good students will use them in training himself to be a physician with the cooperation and supervision of the hospital and clinical staff. A poor student will, as always, seek to avoid the thing for which he paid his tuition. That situation cannot be corrected by a "schedule." It is not a panacea, but it is a vast improvement over the older schedule.

## Faculty

Faculty response to the change has been very favorable. In changing from the program which required meeting classes each day to one which requires only three meetings per week, and in moving courses back toward the freshman year, it is obvious that there must be sacrifices on the part of the Staff, even to the point of duplicating courses during the transition. Faculty members have been most cooperative in facilitating the

Dr. Emil Braunschweig  
At Ft. D. M. Hospital

Dr. Emil Braunschweig who saw more than a year of active service in the Southwest Pacific area has returned to Des Moines for a 30-day furlough.

Currently Dr. Braunschweig is hospitalized at the Fort Des Moines Hospital, following recurrence of malarial symptoms. Visiting hours are Tuesday and Friday at 1:15 p.m.

After expiration of his furlough, Sgt. Braunschweig will return to Camp McCloskie, Temple, Texas.

The Spirit That Builds  
A Strong Profession

Dr. G. A. Kerr of Metropolis, Illinois, who was graduated from the Des Moines College in January, 1907, sends the following letter:

"Dr. Golden  
Des Moines Still College of  
Osteopathy  
Dear Doctor:

"I'm sorry that I don't know you personally, but I have a fine knowledge of you and your activities in behalf of Osteopathy. I have been out of active practice 20 years. Nine years ago I broke my hip in a fall. One year ago I froze my toes, and Diabetes and Cystitis followed my hip fracture. Yet I seem to be O.K. from my maxillaries up.

"I get great pleasure from reading and continue my interest in Osteopathy. I appreciate what you are trying to do there, and though I am by no means rich, as you can imagine, I am making my contribution a dollar check, enclosed."

(Signed) G. A. KERR  
S.C.O., January, 1907

Dr. Golden, Chairman of the Campaign Committee, expresses for the Des Moines Still College Foundation sincere gratitude both for the contribution and the spirit which prompted it.

change. Adjustment to such a drastic change supports our contention that we have a live-wire group who are anxious to make the most of educational opportunities for the students.

## Students

Students, faced with an increasing amount of work, feel that the change is in the right direction. Earnest and serious-minded, they have made the adjustment to the revised system with a minimum of complaint. Chief complaints among those which were voiced pertained not to the expansion of the curriculum, but to the interference with part-time work. They have sought, and are succeeding, in making this change. Their attitude is most commendable.

## OVER-ALL CAMPAIGN

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the entrance of Kirksville into the expansion program, the A.O.A. announces its National or Overall campaign. The Osteopathic Profession is determined to go forward, and it is going forward in the direction of greatest professional advancement — EDUCATION.

## National Plan

Every Osteopathic Physician in the United States has recently received two blanks, on one of which he may subscribe to the Overall Fund, which will be divided equally among the six colleges. On the other blank (Plan B) the physician may specify that his money go to the school or schools of his choice.

Regardless of which blank you choose, be sure that you do it immediately. Mail your check now, and indicate your plan for completion of your total pledge. If you have previously contributed one of the College campaigns, you may add to that pledge through the A.O.A. office, or you may contribute to a different College, or you may contribute to the General Fund which will be divided equally among the colleges.

## Bond Drive

A large number of osteopathic graduates have not contributed to any campaign. Many feel that they have not done their patriotic duty in loaning money to the government through War Bonds. NOW YOU MAY COMBINE YOUR PATRIOTIC AND PROFESSIONAL OBLIGATIONS BY MAKING YOUR BONDS PAYABLE TO THE COLLEGE OF YOUR CHOICE. If you feel that you cannot support both the bond drive and your college fundraising campaign, kill two birds with one stone by turning the bonds over to your College Campaign Committee, or the National Committee, headed by Dr. Tilley.

Polk Group Joins Wilden  
In Preparation Parleys

The Polk County Osteopathic Society voted without objection at their January 14 meeting to meet monthly with the Wilden Hospital Staff for a series of lectures on War Medicine.

The proposal came from Dr. Verne Wilson, co-founder of the Wilden Hospital. The program, in the hands of Dr. John Woods, is undertaken for the purpose of familiarizing the hospital staff with physical and mental ailments which may be expected among the men who are being returned from active service.

After approval by the executive committee of the Polk County Society, the members present cast a unanimous vote for inclusion of their society in the conferences.

This Month  
Buy BondsSingleton Essay  
Contest

The annual Essay Prize Contest sponsored by Dr. R. H. Singleton of Cleveland, Ohio, is under way. The contest is open to Juniors and Seniors of the College. The topic is OSTEOPATHIC MANAGEMENT OF INFLUENZA, and the deadline is April 1.

Copies of regulations governing the contest may be obtained from Dr. Hugh Clark. Assistance in the outlining and preparation of the essay will be gladly supplied by the committee.

Hugh Clark, Chmn.  
L. L. Facto  
O. E. Owen

Hovis Heads Detroit  
Osteopathic Physicians

Dr. J. Clark Hovis, of Highland Park, is newly-elected president of the Wayne County Association of Physicians and Surgeons of Osteopathic Medicine, Inc., it was announced this week, following the annual meeting of the Association for the election of officers.

Other appointments are Dr. Neil R. Kitchen, vice president; Dr. Thomas E. Jackson, secretary; Dr. N. N. Munroe, treasurer, with Dr. Harry P. Stimson, retiring president, Dr. Robert K. Homan, president of the state association, Dr. W. L. Bradford and Dr. W. H. Baker to the Board of Trustees.

Dr. Hovis, who has been in practice fourteen years, is a senior member of the surgical staff of the Detroit Osteopathic hospital, where he served his internship, is chairman for the Convention of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons to be held in Detroit next October; is a member of the North End Lions Club; Zion Lodge No. 1 Masonic Order, and an honorary member of Sigma Sigma Phi.

Dr. Tyrus Peace Enters  
Practice in Red Oak

Dr. Tyrus C. Peace, winner of the Sigma Sigma Phi award for outstanding service to the Des Moines Still College and winner of the National Prize for his essay on the Osteopathic Care of Infantile Paralysis, has replaced Dr. Willis Crewes of Red Oak. Best wishes for success are extended to Dr. Peace by the LOG BOOK and the College staff.

Dr. Crewes relinquished his practice in Red Oak to accept an opening in Gonzales, Texas.

# The Log Book

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Osteopathy Without Limitation

## A Message of Thanks to The Alumni Association

The Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy has advanced sufficiently during the past two years that it has surprised even itself. Advances have been made in scholarship, in preosteopathic requirements, student demeanor, seriousness of purpose, program for expansion, modernization and enlargement of the library, faculty organization and enthusiasm, laboratory plan and equipment, relationship to the public, and in many ways so subtle that they escape description.

Progress does not just happen. Without a driving force progress cannot take place. There has been cooperation beyond expectations by students, faculty, college officers and friends of Osteopathy. **The driving force has been alumni organization.**

The group of alumni who formed, in 1935, the National Alumni Association could hardly have suspected that their labors would bear so richly of educational progress. It has been the aggressiveness, assiduous application to the goal of Advancement, and the intelligent perspective of this group which have brought about these creditable changes.

### National Association

The National Alumni Association under the leadership of Dr. Paul L. Park of Des Moines, has created a unity and spirit among Des Moines graduates which will force the Des Moines College to a position of leadership in professional education. Through the agency of the **Public Relations Committee** of the National Alumni Association and its financial organ, the **Still College Club**, the college has received many marks of improvement, most prominent of which is the library, which should be a point of pride for each Des Moines alumnus. **It has formed the Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation, Inc.,** a medium distinct from the College organization. (The latter body is headed by J. J. Newlin, Manager of the Pioneer Hybrid Corn Co.; Treasurer is Nelse Hansen, active and respected business man of Des Moines; Dr. P. L. Park and Dr. Ruth Paul (Secretary) and Dr. J. P. Schwartz, as president



**Dr. Paul L. Park**  
*National Alumni President*

of the College, complete the Executive committee of the Foundation. Foundation members to date total 19, the remaining fourteen members being a virtual duplication of the Public Relations Committee.) Through the Foundation, a committee was set up with Dr. Mary E. Golden as chairman, for conducting the campaign. **The campaign has yielded in alumni pledges more than \$100,000, and in cash more than \$50,000.**

Individual members of the Foundation maintain a keen and active interest in the disposal of these funds. They were contributed with the clear understanding that they were for immediate disbursement, and the Foundation is using extraordinary caution to be certain that these Alumni funds are spent wisely.

### Overall Plan

In appreciation of the great amount of time and energy which the Des Moines group has spent, individually and collectively, for College advancement no alumnus or associate of the College can deny them the credit which is due. Every alumnus of the Des Moines College owes each one a debt of gratitude.

**Any group of equal size can do as great service to the College, to Osteopathy and to themselves as this group has done.** We therefore urge you individually to organize booster clubs wherever you may be. The Alumni association can be a hundred times stronger than it is at present. The surface has just been scratched in manifestation of loyalty, activity and support for the college. **Alumni are only now beginning to realize that they are the College.** The College will develop and expand only insofar as alumni exert themselves. There can be no hocus-pocus about it. The College cannot rise in educational circles without outside support. There will be no outside support until you, personally, have supported. **The driving force of a group of fifteen alumni,**

**with the support of a fourth of the alumni body, has given to the Des Moines Still College ONE OF THE FINEST INSTRUCTIONAL LABORATORIES IN THE MIDDLE WEST.** What would the combined and unified efforts of all the alumni be able to accomplish! The possibilities are limitless.

Osteopathy and your College are driving forward and upward in a sweep that cannot be stopped—except by its own associates, except by you.

### Clinical Hospital

"What about the Clinical Hospital? I thought that this campaign was for a Clinical Hospital? When do you plan to start building?" No, alumni, the **Clinical Hospital is not forgotten.** Plans for the Hospital are quite as alive as ever. The revised College curriculum takes into account the hospital (could it not even be stated, therefore, that **the revised curriculum is a part of the hos-**



**Dr. Harry Barquist**  
*Public Relations Chairman*

pital?). In the original budget \$150,000 was allotted for the hospital; repeatedly plans have been stated to include a public campaign. Neither proposal is changed, but unfortunately, it is not possible to dictate to the public what and when to give. Our College campaign must be dovetailed with all of the requirements of the public—Bond drive, Red Cross, Income Tax, Community Chest and the host of other annual demands. No, alumni, the Hospital is not forgotten.

### Your Role

Each Osteopathic Physician, who is a graduate of Des Moines, must take it upon himself to organize a local alumni club. That group must act. Luncheon meetings and internal wrangling are not sufficient. Pull together and boost. **ORGANIZE! That is the first and most important job.**

Set for yourself a goal. **Establish a project which your group can develop.** Communicate with your national officers in order that efforts will not be duplicated. Organize now and push. Remember, **DES MOINES STILL COLLEGE IS YOUR HARVARD.**

**Buy  
War Savings Bonds**

## State Medical Library Extends Loan Service To College Library

Dr. Jeannette Dean-Throckmorton, Head Librarian of the State Medical Library, has extended to the College Library a most invaluable service in placing at our disposal a large number of periodicals to which the State Medical Library subscribes. Dr. Throckmorton has at all times been most courteous and helpful to osteopathic students and practitioners. The college expresses to her and her staff deepest gratitude for past assistance as well as this most recent fine gesture of cooperation.

The journals, which are loaned for a two week period as soon as they are received by the State Medical Library, are listed below:

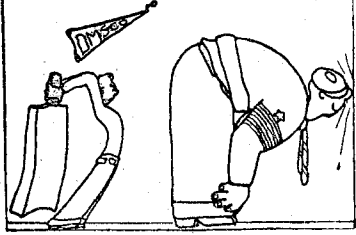
American Journal of Anatomy  
American Journal of Hygiene  
American Journal of Pharmacy  
American Journal of Physiology  
American Journal of Public Health and the Nation's Health  
Archives of Dermatology and Syphilology  
Archive of Internal Medicine  
Archives of Pathology  
Bacteriological Reviews  
Biochemical Journal  
British Journal of Urology  
Cancer Research  
Diseases of the Nervous System  
Experimental Medicine and Surgery  
Federation Proceedings  
General Practice Clinics  
Journal of Aviation Medicine  
Journal of Bacteriology  
Journal of Criminal Law and Criminology  
Journal of Experimental Medicine  
Journal of General Physiology  
Journal of Immunology  
Journal of Neurology and Psychiatry  
Journal of Pathology and Bacteriology  
Journal of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics  
Journal of Physiology  
Journal of Urology  
Medico-Legal and Criminological Review  
Review of Gastroenterology  
War Medicine  
Yale Journal of Biology and Medicine

## Dr. M. B. Landis Reports Favorably from Superior

Dr. M. B. Landis, formerly Instructor and Director of the Obstetrics Clinic at the Des Moines College, reports enthusiastically from his practice in Superior, Wisconsin. Dr. Landis and Dr. Ed Mossman, 1943 graduate, conduct a general practice jointly in that city.

The LOG BOOK joins their former colleagues and friends of Des Moines in wishing them continued success.

## FRATERNITY NOTES



### ITS

This first important business meeting of the semester was held at Dr. Sloan's office, January 12, 1944. Under his auspices installation of new officers occurred as follows:

Leo Luke, President; Roy Bubeck, Vice President; James Woodmansee, Chapter Historian; H. W. Merrill, Chapter Secretary; C. P. Christianson, Chapter Historian; John Slater, Chapter Treasurer.

Of course the meeting ended with a work night discussion of office technique and management as directed by Dr. D. Sloan.

The new officers began to make plans for the new calendar immediately.

A meeting was held January 19 at Dr. Raymond B. Kales office. The meeting proved instructive and interesting due to the active participation of those present as guided by Dr. Kale. The fraternity concluded the meeting with refreshments at Skondras.

Hal Beals dropped in to say hello to old friends last week. Hal has just completed his internship at Lamb Hospital in Denver, Colorado. Incidentally he was on his way to Jackson, Michigan, to take over an active practice. Good luck to you Hal—from the boys.

Dr. Robert Gustafson and Dr. Thomas McWilliams have received their seventh degrees and are very busy with their internship at Des Moines General Hospital. They are really enjoying the improvements that have been made.

## ATLAS CLUB

The Atlas Club, realizing the progressive changes in Des Moines Still College, is beginning the new semester with a full schedule of work nights, as well as entertainment. Plans for the work nights include lectures, open forums and applied techniques.

The first of the social functions of the semester was a dinner dance held at the Mainliner Club on the evening of January 12. Flowers and candlelight made for a friendly atmosphere for the fifty guests present. Faculty, alumni, guests and members enjoyed a pleasant evening.

## ΨΣΑ

At the close of last semester Psi Sigma Alpha was privileged to honor the following men for maintaining high scholastic averages: Paul Stern for maintaining the highest average during his freshman year, and Herbert Harris for the highest average maintained throughout his freshman and sophomore years. At the senior banquet Carl Waterbury was awarded the certificate for the graduating senior who maintained the highest average for all four years in Still College. His name has also been added to the Psi Sigma Alpha plaque which hangs in the clinic waiting room.

As we came back to the old college on January 10th, we all felt a deep sense of gratitude to the alumni and faculty members for the great job of remodeling that has been and is being done. Still College has indeed become symbolic of the rapidly advancing profession of which it is such a vital part.

## ΦΣΓ

Phi Sigma Gamma wishes to extend invitation to the new students to visit our chapter house located at 2141 Grand Ave. Officers for the present semester are: Archon, James Crane, Phulax, Howard Hattesen; Cruco-phulax, Vernon Clausen; Pronotarius, Gail Boyd; Exastase, Hoy Eakle.

Iniation of three pledges is to be held in the very near future. These men are Merle Morey, John Snyder and Robert Penner.

A work night with Dr. Della Caldwell, demonstrating and explaining osteopathic technique is planned for the next regular meeting of the fraternity. We would like to have as guests all of the new members of the student body.

We are happy to say that our recent graduates in December are all happily engaged in their respective hospitals as internes: Dr. David Heflen, Madison St. Hospital, Seattle, Washington; Dr. Marvin Hodson, Dayton Osteopathic Hospital, Dayton, Ohio; Dr. Eugene Sheldahl, Des Moines General Hospital.

Plans are already under way for general house improvements which we hope will be completed for the party which is planned in the near future for the entire student body and faculty.

—G. B.

## Correction

The December issue of the LOG BOOK inadvertently stated that the Sigma Sigma Phi award for "outstanding service to the Des Moines College" was given to Dr. Robert Patton. Actually Dr. Tyrus Peace, now of Red Oak, Iowa, was the recipient.

## The New Class

Periodically faculty members must answer a hundred times prior to registration, and afterward as well, "How does the new Class look". In past years, the answer was given in terms of numbers. Since the outbreak of the war, however, numbers have continually dropped with each new registration period. The answer is now given in terms of quality—for all those who received recently an ambiguous or evasive answer. The new class looks great.

Freshmen, enrolling in the college are David H. Sands, Texas; Robert Sedar, Iowa; Walter D. Peterson, Michigan; Wilbur T. Huls, Iowa; William G. Delahan, Ohio; Marion Thomson, South Dakota; R. M. Martin, Iowa; Keigo Hase, Nebraska.

We also welcome back Don Mack, who was forced by circumstance to remain out of school for two years, and Steve Cronen who is looking forward eagerly to completion of the osteopathic curriculum.

## Many Graduates Obtain Iowa License

Dr. D. E. Hannan, Secretary of the Iowa State Board of Osteopathic Examiners, announces that the Board has granted licenses to the following, who completed examinations before the board on December 6-7-8, 1943:

- Dr. Raymond Pinchak, Des Moines, Iowa
- Dr. Marvin L. Hodson, Des Moines, Iowa
- Dr. Mary L. Klesner, Grand Rapids, Michigan
- Dr. George F. Hirschman, Cherokee, Iowa
- Dr. Carl C. Waterbury, Des Moines, Iowa
- Dr. Richard P. Rounce, Sidney, Montana
- Dr. Robert L. Gustafson, Red Oak, Iowa
- Dr. Earl H. Laughlin, Kirksville, Missouri
- Dr. Kenneth B. Riggle, Des Moines, Iowa
- Dr. Thomas P. McWilliams, Des Moines, Iowa
- Dr. Kikuo G. Shimoda, Seattle, Washington
- Dr. Mahito Uba, Los Angeles, California
- Dr. Charles D. Heflen, Des Moines, Iowa
- Dr. Gerald A. Dierdorff, Des Moines, Iowa
- Dr. Arthur M. Abramsohn, Des Moines, Iowa
- Dr. Thomas C. Price, New York York, N. Y.
- Dr. Tyrus C. Peace, Long Island, N. Y.
- Dr. Harry L. Nelson, Hutchinson, Kansas

## NOTICE

If and when you change your address, please notify the Log Book promptly.

## Pearson Reproves Navy's Anti-Osteopathy Stand

Starting off the New Year by going to bat for Osteopathy, Drew Pearson, in his column **Washington Merry - Go - Round**, blasted the Navy in the following article:

### No Navy Osteopaths

"The 'flu' has been epidemic partly because there aren't enough doctors to care for the civilian population. This shortage of doctors could be somewhat relieved, however, if the services would commission osteopathic physicians instead of making orderlies, whose duties range from dumping bed pans to cleaning floors.

"Actually, congress has already ruled for commissioning osteopaths in the Navy, but the American Medical Association has put such pressure on Navy Surgeon General Ross T. McIntire that the will of congress has been thwarted and osteopaths are still being use frequently as orderlies.

"More than a year ago, congress authorized the Navy to commission osteopathy graduates. But no action from the Navy yet. (Pearson's bold-face.)

"Admiral McIntire contends that osteopaths are not qualified for general practice. The osteopaths contend that they are. Meantime Admiral McIntire continues to use, with his No. One patient, F.D.R., a mild form of osteopathy which he calls physiotherapy. At the end of every day, McIntire's assistant, George Fox, stimulates the president's circulation with a therapeutic massage."

## GLANTZ

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terest in student welfare and college progress, earned for him promotion to Assistant Professorship in 1943. His earnest application, efficient and lucid lecture manner and his subtle but omnipresent sense of humor rate him A-1 with his students. On the lapel of his winning personality Dr. Glantz wears the service badge of the successful instructor—kindliness, sincerity, scholarship, humor and efficiency.

### "After Hours"

Dr. Glantz cannot admit that he has one hobby—"It seems to me that I enjoy everything I do." He gets particular enjoyment, however, out of language. His training in Latin and Greek, he feels, has given him greater satisfaction than any nonprofessional phase of his experience. He reads freely French, Spanish and German, but characteristically, again, claims to be "rusty" in this respect. There can be no denial, though, of the fact that he is vitally interested in Osteopathy and its practice. The College feels a pride and good fortune in its association with Dr. Glantz; the LOG BOOK is grateful for the opportunity of passing along to its readers these few items regarding Dr. Glantz.



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## Young, Bubeck Named For Graduation Honors

Prof. H. W. Merrill, Chmn. of the Committee on Scholastic Standing, announced this week that Don Young and Roy Bubeck will be graduated in May with distinction. Basis for the selections, as defined by the rules for comprehensive examinations at the Des Moines College is "accomplishments in the two-year comprehensive examinations, general scholarship during the four years, clinical aptitude, original investigations and personality."

Mr. Young and Mr. Bubeck are the fifth and sixth men in the history of our institution to receive this high honor, and the LOG BOOK commends them for the industry and scholarship which have thus been culminated. The faculty, college officials and fellow students in the college congratulate these young men and wish them the finest success in their postgraduate plans.

## Dr. Arthur D. Becker Guest Lecturer at California College

Dr. Arthur D. Becker, former president of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, has accepted an invitation to appear as guest lecturer at the College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons in Los Angeles.

Dr. Becker will lecture during February and March on the subjects "Osteopathic Basic Principles and Their Application in Practice," "General Diagnosis," and "Cardiology."

The LOG BOOK wishes for Dr. and Mrs. Becker a pleasant sojourn in California, and hopes that they will find opportunity to visit Des Moines on their return to Lake Orion in April.

## Stano, Former Student, Now Flying Lieutenant

Eugene Stano, who was enrolled for a year at the Des Moines Still College, was graduated with class 44 B on February 8 at Brooks Field, Texas. Mr. Stano is now a Lieutenant in the Air Corps of the U. S. Army. We congratulate Lt. Stano on the successful completion of this first phase of his training.

Lt. Stano plans to return to Des Moines to complete his studies leading to the degree D.O. after the war.

## ACTIVITY AND OCCUPATIONAL BULLETIN NO. 33-6

### Subject: Educational Services—Student Deferment

*National Headquarters, Selective Service System, Washington, D. C., issued January 3, 1944, amended January 6, 1944, Bulletin No. 33-6, to take effect February 15, 1944. It constitutes confirmation, reiteration and extension of previous bulletins pertinent to Osteopathic Students, Graduates and Preosteopathic students. The Bulletin is not exclusively osteopathic in its scope, but only those portions which pertain to Osteopathy are reproduced below.*

#### C. Students, Medical, Dental, Veterinary, Osteopathic, and Theological

1. STUDENTS IN PROFESSIONAL SCHOOLS.—A registrant who is in training and preparation as a medical, dental, veterinary, or osteopathic student in a recognized medical school, dental school, school of veterinary medicine, or school of osteopathy . . . . . should be considered for occupational deferment during the period of such professional course, provided he is a full-time student in good standing, and if:

- (a) He continues to maintain good standing in such course of study, and
- (b) It is certified by the institution that he is competent and gives promise of the successful completion of such course of study and acquiring the necessary degree of training, qualification, or skill to become a recognized medical doctor, dentist, doctor of veterinary medicine, or osteopath.

2. UNDERGRADUATE PREPROFESSIONAL STUDENTS.—A student in premedical pre dental, preveterinary, preosteopathic, and pretheological fields should be considered for occupational deferment if he is a full-time student in good standing in a recognized college or university, and if it is certified:

- (a) By the institution that he is pursuing a course of study in one of these preprofessional fields and if he continues his progress he will complete such preprofessional course of study within 24 months from the date of certification;
- (b) By a recognized medical, dental, veterinary, osteopathic, or theological school that he is accepted for admission and will be admitted to undertake professional studies upon completion of his preprofessional work; and
- (c) By the National Roster of Scientific and Specialized Personnel of the War Manpower Commission that the certification of the institution as to his course of study and competence, and as to his prospective date of completion is correct to the best of its knowledge and belief, and that his deferment, if granted, will be within the quota for such preprofessional students.

3. INTERNES.—A registrant who has completed his professional training and preparation as a medical doctor, dentist, or osteopath and who is undertaking further studies in a hospital or institution giving a recognized internship should be considered for occupational deferment so long as he continues such internship but for a period not to exceed nine months.

#### D. Opportunity to Engage in Profession:

When a registrant has completed his training and preparation in a recognized college or university, or his internship, and has acquired a high degree of training, qualification, or skill, such registrant should then be given the opportunity to become engaged in the practice of his profession in war production or in support of the war effort. In many instances following graduation from a recognized college or university, or the completion of an internship, a certain period of time will be required in the placing of such persons in war production or in support of the war effort. When a registrant has been deferred as a necessary man in order to complete his training and preparation, it is only logical that his deferment should continue until he has had an opportunity to put his

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## A.O.A. Pres. Bailey Calls Emergency Conference

Representatives of the divisional societies of Osteopathy in the United States and Canada have been called to Chicago by Dr. Walter E. Bailey, President of the A.O.A., for a special session February 18-20 on matters vital to the profession.

Representing Iowa are Dr. Mary E. Golden, President of the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons and Trustee of the A.O.A., Dr. J. K. Johnson, Jr., President-Elect of the Iowa Society, and Mr. Dwight S. James, Secretary of the Iowa State Society. Dr. J. P. Schwartz, President of the Des Moines College, represents its interests at the meeting.

#### Agenda

Items for consideration at this special session are Federal Legislation, upon which Dr. Swope and Mr. Lawrence Gourley will present a Washington report. Position of the Osteopathic Profession with regard to Army, Navy and U. S. Public Health Service will be discussed, as well as the status of the iniquitous Murray-Wagner-Dingell Bill.

Discussions of State legislation will be led by Dr. James Watson of Ohio and Dr. John Wood of Michigan. The profession is becoming increasingly aware of the acuity of this problem.

Dr. Tilley, Chairman of the Overall Campaign Committee, will stress the importance of the National Campaign and pointed out ways of providing a more successful campaign in the several states. Mr. Harry E. Caylor, Campaign Counsellor, will offer a detailed analysis of the problems facing the divisional societies with respect to the campaign and offered a concrete program of procedure.

Details of the Conference will be reported in the March issue of the LOG BOOK.

Another aspect of this significant conference is discussed on page 3 of this issue. Watch the March issue for conclusions and programs which will be the outcome of this momentous, nationwide conclave of osteopathic leaders. Prepare to cooperate with the leaders of your district society in bringing all the problems outlined to a successful, osteopathically favorable, conclusion.

## Young, Honor Student, Offers Comments On Externship

*In the summer of 1942 the Des Moines General Hospital offered its facilities for the instruction of Senior Students in hospital routine and hospital procedures. The externship, made compulsory by the Board of Trustees of the College and incorporated in the Senior Curriculum at the Des Moines Still College was reviewed in the LOG BOOK, February, 1943. The two weeks spent by each senior at the Des Moines General Hospital, although exacting of the student's time and energy, have been generously appreciated by each one. Mr. Young, selected by the Committee on Scholastic Standing for graduation with distinction, offers the following observations on his personal experiences as externe.—Ed.*

### Externship

One of the most interesting and valuable phases of the Des Moines Still College curriculum has been the externship, established as a part of the Senior students' schedule. Each man feels a debt of gratitude to the Des Moines General Hospital Staff for their patient and diligent instruction in hospitals and hospitalization. Although the externship does not supersede any phase of the College Clinical training (for example, no treatment credit is given students while they are at the Hospital), it does constitute a fascinating addition. Treatment methods and care of hospitalized patients, impracticable in the College Clinic are explained, and carried out by externes during their two weeks of hospital instruction. The training gives a breadth of scope and completeness to the student training which instills in him self-confidence, familiarity with otherwise foreign, but routine care of hospitalized cases. Close acquaintance with special modalities of diagnosis and therapeutics, such as X-ray, diathermy, intravenous injections, special laboratory procedures, surgery, anesthesia, postoperative care, use of hospital charts, transportation of bed-ridden patients, are but part of the externe's program.

### Correlation

Daily contact with the variety of acute conditions culminating four years of diligent textbook, laboratory and clinical training vitalize the practice and modus operandi of the general practitioner. Repeated observation of symptoms, diagnostic methods and therapeutic measures as described in textbooks, or with variations demanded by peculiarities of the case, make a lasting and indelible impression on the

consciousness of a senior student. The externship provides a grand opportunity for correlation, comparison and correction of ideas gleaned from an incomplete, if not impersonal, study of the problems of a physician. I express the appreciation and gratitude for all the Des Moines Graduates who have gone before me for this opportunity to fill in the gaps of our osteopathic education.

### Preparation

Increasingly larger numbers of Des Moines graduates accept internships upon receiving their D.O. degree. The Des Moines General Externship should raise this proportion even higher, for compulsory hospital training makes clear the virtually unlimited advantages which can be derived from graduate study. Not only does it make a student more eager for interne's training, but also it prepares him for many of the tasks which will face him during internship. Although the schedule at the Des Moines General for externes is rigorous, it is not a sacrifice on the part of the student. It is a real privilege.

### Routine

The student reports for duty at 6:30 a.m. and is received by the head of the externe committee. He takes breakfast in the Staff dining room with other members of the staff, and following breakfast discusses with the staff the program of the day. A typical day might include the following duties. Transfer of patients to and from surgery and observation of all surgery performed. The externe accompanies the interne in charge of post-operative care and observes the technic of administration of intravenous or other postoperative therapy. Attention is called, during morning or afternoon, to emergencies as they arrive. Such cases might include orthopedic problems, x-ray, minor surgery, repair of superficial accident injuries and obstetrical deliveries.

Externes have lunch with the staff at noon, enjoy a round-table discussion of current topics and receive instruction on the afternoon program. Each man has a list of patients with instruction regarding the extent and type of osteopathic treatment which each is to receive. Question regarding specific techniques are graciously answered by staff members.

At intervals during the day when the externe's time may be free the chairman of the externe committee or the internes give detailed instruction about construction and operational details of special equipment, suturing, medical agents and their use or laboratory procedures. The average day ends between 5:00 and 6:00 p.m.

Each day is different from the others. Each day new experiences are crowded into the pattern of the student's education. Each day the student feels better prepared, more useful, more privileged that he is to be a Des Moines graduate.

—D. Y.

## Two Young Sailors Look to the Future

Dr. J. P. Schwartz, Pres.  
Des Moines Still College  
Des Moines, Iowa  
My dear doctor:

We were pretty small the last time you saw us. However, we have grown to man size. And we desire to follow Dad's footsteps.

We have completed pre-medicine at Bates College, Lewiston, Maine, lacking organic chemistry. This credit will be completed at the time of my discharge from the Navy. Consider my brother and I registered as soon as the War is over, as freshmen at Still College. My brother has taken identical courses.

Enclosed, — dollars that I wish to contribute towards endowment fund. It isn't much, but then a sailor doesn't get much either. With best wishes.

Sincerely yours,  
Herbert Parisi,  
S2/c, USNR

## A Dangerous Philosophy

The OSTEOPATHIC PROFESSION for January, 1944, carries a vital reminder to Osteopathic Physicians in the way of an article under the above title by Dr. Charles H. Kauffman of Danbury, Connecticut.

Dr. Kauffman states that "there is a dangerous philosophical conception which is eating away at our osteopathic foundations and which will destroy our identity, ruin our colleges and make futile the efforts of many years.

"It is the conception of the two professions (osteopathic and medical) getting together on a broad platform for public health. . . ."

Dr. Kauffman has succinctly stated a problem which is facing the osteopathic profession of today and needs urgent attention. Unfortunately it is not a problem which can be handled by a "board" or a "committee". It must be met by every osteopathic physician worthy of the degree D.O. The solution of the problem involves a thorough comprehension of the osteopathic principle, osteopathic philosophy and the application of osteopathic technique.

Underlying the whole osteopathic philosophy is the understanding of the factors which promote health in order that deviations from the normal condition may be remedied by correction—not by removal or desensitization. Osteopathic principle contends that the body can, if given the opportunity, protect itself against biological, physical or chemical enemies. It is the duty of the osteopathic physician to aid the body in this fight—not to hinder it by masking its own abilities behind a screen of foreign chemicals.

Dr. Kauffman uses a term for such an approach to treatment which is striking in its simplicity and accuracy. Those who resort to chemotherapy before it is urgently necessary, or because they through their negligence make it necessary, are designated "health morticians." He continues, "the glamor of relieving pain with a hypodermic or with last minute surgery seems to outshine the patient, nonspectacular work of the osteopathic physician who is ever alert to see where he can, by remedying a mechanical defect, prevent the ill of mankind from reaching the sulpha or surgical stage."

"We offer a reprieve to ailing humanity. However, if called too late, we might utilize the method of a health mortician. Our professional weakness is that we are apt to develop the mental processes of a health mortician. No physician would go into partnership with an undertaker. The position of one who would remain a member of the osteopathic profession and at the same time be a health mortician is equally incongruous."

## Dr. Sonesen Enters Perry Practice

Dr. Marshall Sonesen, House Physician at the Des Moines General Hospital for the past year, has entered practice in Perry, Iowa, with Dr. Hannan, Secretary of the Iowa Osteopathic Examining Board.

Dr. Sonesen is a graduate of the Chicago College of Osteopathy, class of June, 1941. He was selected for the Des Moines General internship for his outstanding scholarship, professional bearing and keen interest in the science of Osteopathy. His internship, beginning February, 1942, included a wide field of hospital duties. With the establishment of externships at the College, Dr. Sonesen was appointed instructor for the seniors. His patience and painstaking care with the successive groups earned for him a host of loyal friends among the recent graduates.

Upon completion of his internship in February, 1943, Dr. Sonesen was appointed House Physician at the Hospital. He has been released from this post in order that he may begin practice in Perry. Best wishes for continued success in his location are extended by the LOG BOOK for the Hospital and College Staffs, as well as for the recent alumni who have been his proteges during externship.

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Osteopathy Without Limitation

## The Overall Campaign

President Walter E. Bailey has called a special emergency meeting of all divisional societies of the Osteopathic Profession for February 18-20. Many topics of vital importance to the profession will be discussed by the professional leaders. All these problems have a direct bearing on the vital and immediate importance of the National Overall Campaign in charge of Dr. Tilley and his committeemen.

The very fact that Dr. Bailey has seen fit to call this national conference is evidence of the urgent necessity for supporting the National Campaign. If you have neglected to contribute to the individual College campaigns thus far conducted, seize upon this opportunity — the National Overall Campaign — to make amends for your previous negligence.

Bear in mind that the Osteopathic Profession is going forward rapidly. It has made its most recent strides with your financial and spiritual aid. The progress thus far made is an indication of what can be done with your continued support. Give now to the Overall Campaign.

Until that day shall come when the Osteopathic institutions receive State financial support it is going to be the burden of the Osteopathic Profession to carry these institutions forward. The public will not build up decrepit institutions, but it will readily support progressive concerns. Put yourself into the position for continuing, public aid. Give Now.

In the January issue of the LOG BOOK the suggestion was made that \$100 a year clubs be formed by alumni throughout the country for the Des Moines College. We reiterate that request. Organize now for the future. Such organization, should, in fact increase tremendously the returns from the nationally sponsored drive.

Remember! Organize Now and set for yourself a project — a project of Osteopathic advancement.

The alumni must continue the Osteopathic advancements which have led, within the past year, to federal appropriations for naval and U. S. Public Health Service Commissions, favorable Selective Service Bulletins, inclusion in the federal movement for care of service men's wives and favorable state legislation.

## Lt. Gurka Reports on Varied Army Duties

Lt. J. Philip Gurka, graduate of the Des Moines College in 1939, removed from the combat area in Sicily to an unnamed English town tells of a great variety of interesting new responsibilities. He is prosecuting attorney on a Court Martial Board and is also called upon to investigate prospective wives of men in his regiment. Of three such cases, thus far investigated, circumstances pertinent to two prevented the marriage. Lt. Gurka continues, "My latest and best job is Acting Physician, when the two staff doctors are unavailable." Mute, if not stated, approval has been given for Osteopathic methods of care by the staff physicians and the Regimental Commander. (Lt. Gurka confides, perhaps with his tongue in his cheek, that he has had responsibility for the care of the Regimental Commander!)

Among the most interesting features of Dr. Gurka's letter (to Mrs. K. M. Robinson) was the statement that he had written a letter reprimanding his representative at home for failure to support one of the Osteopathic Bills before Congress. (How many of our readers at home found themselves too busy to do likewise!). He received a courteous reply indicating a desire to know more about Osteopathy. Needless to add, Lt. Gurka is having his representative's education improved with the assistance of the central office of the A.O.A.

There is a vital lesson demonstrated in the interest which Dr. Gurka has thus demonstrated in his profession. If all Osteopathic Physicians were as keenly enthusiastic about osteopathic progress as this man at the fighting front, Dr. Gurka and the host of other D.O.'s and students would certainly return to a stronger and sounder Osteopathic Profession.

## Correction

Dr. K. B. Riggle (stated in the January LOG BOOK to have received his license to practice Osteopathy) has completed requirements for his surgery license.

Dr. Riggle has entered practice, following a year's surgical assistantship with Dr. Graney, in the office of Dr. Dan Toriello and Dr. Robert Hatchitt, Liberty Building, Des Moines. Dr. Hatchitt plans to open offices on the Des Moines east side later in the spring.

Dr. Tyrus C. Peace, stated in the January LOG BOOK to be practicing in Red Oak, Iowa, actually is practicing in Redfield, Iowa.

## Wilden Hospital to Start Expansion Program

Dr. Verne Wilson and Dr. A. W. Dennis announce the beginning of an expansion of their hospital at Capitol and E. 14th Streets, Des Moines. The Hospital at present has been approved by the A.O.A., and has a capacity of 20 adult beds and 9 bassinets. Expansion will provide for 25 additional adult beds and 5 bassinets. Other items involved in the hospital enlargement are: a complete new surgical unit, X-ray unit, basement devoted to staff quarters, including accommodations for internes.

### Reorganization

Simultaneously with the proposed physical expansion, internal reorganization of the hospital is announced. The staff is made up of 28 members; the Hospital Corporation is composed of three members; a lay manager has been engaged for administration of hospital business. The Executive Board of the Hospital is to consist of two members elected by the staff, two members elected by the Hospital Corporation and five lay members. Personnel of the Executive Board will be announced March 1.

### History

The hospital was founded by Dr. Verne Wilson and Dr. A. W. Dennis in the spring of 1942. The organization is a charter member of the Iowa Osteopathic Hospital Association. It is equipped to perform general surgery, minor surgery, obstetrics and roentgenographic service, as well as care for the usual conditions which must resort to hospitalization.

Following a policy of courtesy and generous cooperation with the local profession the Wilden institution has grown rapidly. In July, 1943, the co-founders of the hospital celebrated the first birthday of the organization with a party for staff members and their wives at the Hyperion Club in Des Moines. The celebration was a genuine success and the staff approached the new year with increased vigor.

Monthly staff meetings are held. The staff will be joined by the Polk County Osteopathic Association for the next several meetings which propose to deal with problems of physical and mental injuries of service men. The program is in charge of Dr. John Woods.

### Student Privileges

Although the Wilden Hospital is not officially connected with the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, they have generously accepted student requests to observe surgery and other hospital procedures. Students interested should contact Dr. Wilson, Dr. Dennis or Dr. Isobaker, for information regarding the surgical program for any particular day.

The Wilden Hospital helps to fill a need for Osteopathic hospitalization in Des Moines and vicinity. The LOG BOOK expresses for the large Wilden fol-

lowing in Des Moines and vicinity the best for continued success and osteopathic progress.

### Staff

Staff members of the Wilden Hospital, numbering 28, are as follows: Dr. Verne Wilson, Dr. A. W. Dennis, Dr. E. J. Isobaker, Dr. Paul Park, Dr. J. Q. A. Mattern, Dr. Robert Bachman (Honorary), Dr. Howard Graney, Dr. E. F. Leininger, Dr. Thomas Griffith, Dr. George Marston, Dr. D. E. Sloan, Dr. Beryl Freeman, Dr. Fred Campbell, Dr. Dan Toriello, Dr. Clayton Meyer, Dr. D. V. Goode, Dr. Byron E. Laycock, Dr. John Woods, Dr. K. B. Riggle, Dr. Paul O'Shana, Dr. Lester Fagen, Dr. Robert Fagen, Dr. J. R. McNeerney, Dr. Harry Barquist, Dr. Earl O. Sargent, Dr. Ray Lamb and Dr. Benny Devine.

Chief of Staff is Dr. Benny Devine; Secretary, D. E. Sloan; other members of the staff board are: Drs. Verne Wilson, Fred Campbell, D. V. Goode, Robert Fagen and Harry Barquist.

## Dean Owen in Boston Before Massachusetts Approving Authority

Dr. O. E. Owen, Dean of the Des Moines College, represented the College before the Massachusetts approving authority, following application for recognition by that state.

The hearing before the Massachusetts Board constitutes an "inspection" of the college and its facilities, examining its qualifications for training physicians.

Report on the hearing will be made in March.

## Seniors Complete Tough Week of Examinations

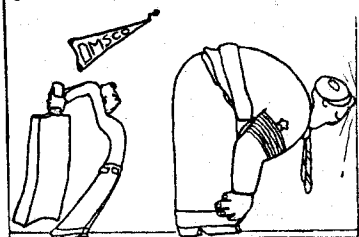
The long-suffering seniors completed on February 18 their Qualifying Examinations. Qualifying Examinations as a prerequisite for graduation are a uniform part of the osteopathic curriculum. Coming in the semester prior to graduation, they serve the two-fold purpose of a resume of college training and preparation for State Board examinations.

Students completing this milestone at the Des Moines College are: Leo Luka, Earl Small, James Woodmansee, Roy Bubeck, Don Young, Gerard Zauder, Charles Goff, Ray Sweeney. These men will be graduated in May.

## NOTICE

If and when you change your address, please notify the Log Book promptly.

## FRATERNITY NOTES



## ITS

A regular business meeting was held, on February 27, at the home of H. Roy Rasmussen. The calendar for the present semester was given serious consideration with due emphasis on their social and educational aspects.

The I.T.S. smoker was held at Benson's and proved to be an enjoyable one. Thirty-two members and guests attended. Mr. Roy Bubeck acted as toastmaster, and the program was interesting, brief and informal. A practical work night was enjoyed Tuesday, February 1, at the home of C. P. Christianson. The program of the evening consisted of a circumcision performed by Dr. Robert Hatchitt. Following was an informative discussion of cranial technique — its history, and application by Dr. Paul Kimberly. All members and guests were impressed with the clarity and manner of presentation. Refreshments were served and the meeting adjourned after a stimulating discussion of experiences of the doctors present.

—C. P. C.

## ΨΣΑ

The officers of Psi Sigma Alpha under the direction of President Don Young met at a dinner meeting at Babe's Restaurant to outline Gamma Chapter's program for the ensuing semester. A series of dinner meetings with the local alumni as guests and speakers were planned twice monthly.

The other officers for the new semester are: Lester Raub, Vice President; Roy Bubeck, Secretary-Treasurer; and Herb Harris, Corresponding Secretary. The chapter's new pledges are Hoy Eakle and Fred Lowrie.

We would like to thank the alumni of Gamma Chapter who responded so well to the letters sent out by the chapter encouraging their contributions to the Progress Fund for their fine cooperation. Let's remember that the progress made thus far is only the beginning. Can we count on you brothers who have not sent in your pledges? Gamma Chapter will appreciate it, the Progress Fund Committee will appreciate it, and most of all, the future students of our own Still College will be eternally grateful to you all.

—H. H.

**This Month  
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## O. M. C. C.

Calling all student wives! Where? To the meetings of the Osteopathic Women's College Club. Quite an interesting program has been outlined for the next six months and we do hope all who can will attend.

The new officers for the next period are: President, Ann Merrill; Vice-president, Laura Allshouse; Secretary, Miriam Raub; Treasurer, Ronnie Abbott.

We are meeting at the various homes now, which should make our get togethers the first and third Tuesday of each month more fun. Each member will receive a little book outlining the programs, and stating when the programs will be held and where they will be held. Each member should advise the hostess of her intentions about each meeting.

Our last meeting was held at the home of Ann Merrill and Gwen Taylor serving as co-hostess. Mrs. Robert O. Fagen, President of the State Osteopathic Auxiliary, enumerated the duties of a doctor's wife and her advice will mean a great deal to all of us. She concluded with a poem, "The Doctor's Wife" by Mrs. Becker, and it was enjoyed by everyone.

The next meeting will be at the home of Esther Zauder, 841 Sixth ave., at 8:00, February 22. We are looking forward to a large attendance.

—M. R.

## ATLAS CLUB

In keeping with the educational policy of the fraternity the Atlas Club held another practical work program at the office of Dr. Paul Park on January 24. Dr. Park lectured on systems of book-keeping and case history records. Other interesting work nights are planned for the near future.

The Atlas smoker was held on January 21 at Younkers Tea Room. Dr. Fred Campbell acted as master of ceremonies. Brief speeches were presented by Drs. Bachman, Barquist, Deitrich and Graney, with words of advice directed at guests, Wilbur Huls, R. M. Martin, Walter Peterson, Robert Sedar and Marion Thompson, members of the new class.

The next Atlas Party is to be held at the Y.M.C.A. on February 11; Chairman Goff has planned a very interesting program for the occasion.

We are happy to welcome back into the ranks of active members Don Mack who returns to complete his studies after an absence of two years. We are also happy to announce our newest pledge is Lawrence Abbott.

Of our December graduates, three are serving in internships: Dr. Gerald Dierdorff at the Detroit Osteopathic Hospital; Dr. Vernon Stoner at the Lamb Hospital in Denver, Colorado; and Dr. Carl Waterbury in Seattle, Washington. Dr. Robert Patton has entered practice in Michigan.

—E. Y.

professional training and skill to use in the best interest of the nation. Accordingly, following graduation in most of these professional fields or following an internship, a registrant should be considered for further occupational deferment for a period not to exceed 30 days, in order that he may have an opportunity to engage in his profession in war production or in support of the war effort. Persons graduating in medicine, dentistry, veterinary medicine, or osteopathy are required to pass a State examination before they will be licensed to practice their profession and, accordingly, to permit the completion of such examination registrants who are graduates in medicine, dentistry, veterinary medicine, and osteopathy should be considered for further occupational deferment for a period of not to exceed 60 days following their graduation. Consideration for further occupational deferment, as provided above, should be given following graduation or completion of internship, or in case of persons graduating in medicine, dentistry, veterinary medicine or osteopathy, after the taking of the State examination, only if during such period the registrant is making an honest and diligent effort to become engaged in his profession in war production or in support of the war effort.

## E. Determination and Certification of Quotas:

2. STUDENT QUOTA PREPROFESSIONAL FIELDS.—A national quota has been established for students who may be occupationally deferred at any one time by reason of pursuing course of study in premedicine, pre dentistry, preveterinary medicine, preosteopathy, and pretheology. This quota provides:

- That the total number of preprofessional students, occupationally deferred at any one time does not exceed 50 percent of the total average number of students in schools of medicine, dentistry, veterinary medicine, osteopathy, or theology, respectively, in the years 1938-39 and 1939-40, and
- The total number of students occupationally deferred at any one time who have been accepted for admission by such school does not exceed that part of the capacity of such school available for civilian students in the entering classes for which such students have been accepted.

3. FUNCTION OF THE NATIONAL ROSTER.—The National Roster of Scientific and Specialized Personnel of the War Manpower Commission will certify to requests for occupational deferment of students under this bulletin as follows:

- Request for occupational deferment of a registrant in . . . premedicine, pre dentistry, preveterinary medicine, preosteopathy, or pretheology (Part I, C, 2, of this bulletin) will be prepared by the institution in which the registrant is a student and will be forwarded to the National Roster. The National Roster will, if such is the case, certify on the request that the statements of the institution as to the course of study and competence and prospective date of completion of the registrant are correct to the best of its knowledge and belief and that the registrant's deferment, if granted, will not exceed the quota established for such students.

If the National Roster cannot truthfully make such certification, it will not certify to the request. The National Roster will return the request for occupational deferment of students, whether certified to or not, to the institution which prepared the request.

4. REQUESTS FOR STUDENT DEFERMENT.—The institution in which the registrant is a student will file requests for the occupational deferment of such student with the local board as follows:

- For a student who has reached his 18th birthday but has not reached his twenty-second birthday, in duplicate on DSS Form 42 Special; and
- For a student who is 22 years of age or older, on DSS Form 42.

## AOF

The Calvaria Chapter of the L.O.G. fraternity has again been functioning as strong as ever. We were all very overjoyed on returning to school after the holidays to find numerous wonderful changes taking place in the school. On January 9 an election was held with Fraternity members elected to office, as follows:

President, Gerard Zauder; Vice-president, Milton Miller; Treasurer, Tobias Shild; Secretary, William Stoler.

February 20, we will initiate into our fraternity the following pledges. Alfred Bookspan, Robert Daitch and Albert Kalman.

The Fraternity has been contemplating the purchase or rental of a fraternity house to build closer friendship and cooperation, and we hope to give you more news concerning this project in the near future.



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## Foundation O.K.'s New Hospital Construction for June

### Dr. R. Dean Schick Added to Faculty

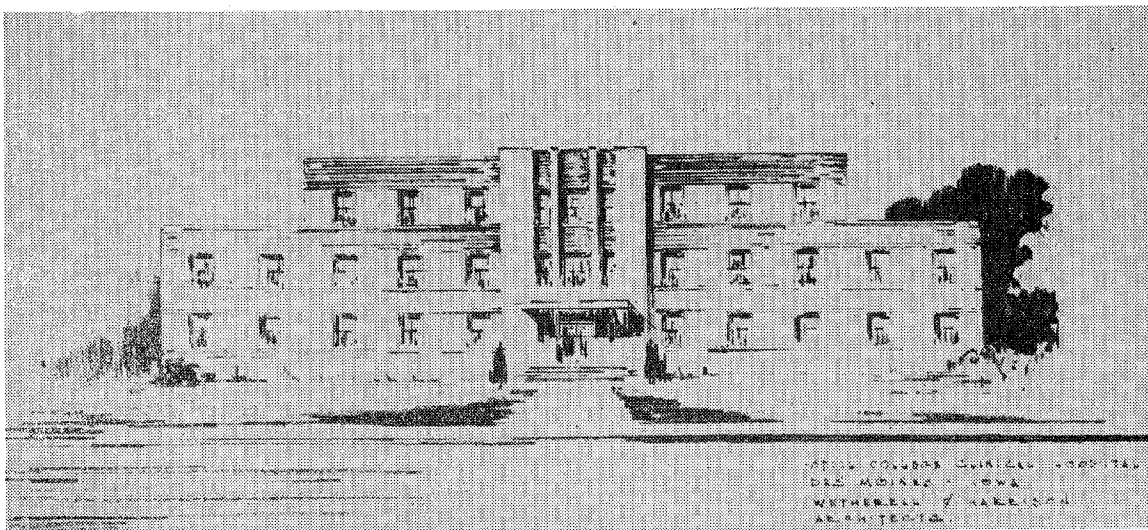
President J. P. Schwartz announced recently the addition of Dr. R. Dean Schick to the Staff of the Des Moines Still College. Dr. Schick is at present Assistant Professor of Animal Biology at the University of Oklahoma. He will join the Des Moines staff in June as Assistant Professor of Physiology, in charge of the courses in Physiology and Neurology.

#### Professional Qualifications

Dr. Schick is a native of Michigan and received his B.A., M.S. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Michigan in 1932, 1933 and 1942 respectively. While at the University of Michigan he served as teaching assistant in the department of zoology from 1934 to 1936. From 1937 to 1941 he held a graduate Teaching Fellowship in the same department. Upon completion of his work at the University of Michigan he accepted an Instructorship in the Department of Physiology of the Ohio State University Medical School. Dr. Schick left this position at the end of the 1942 scholastic year to accept his present position at the University of Oklahoma, as Assistant Professor in the Department of Animal Biology. At Oklahoma Dr. Schick

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### Complete College Remodeling; Look to Clinical Progress



### Proposed New Teaching Clinical Hospital

The Executive Committee of the Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation met on Friday night and unanimously favored immediate construction of the teaching clinical hospital. Earliest date feasible, allowing for necessary preparation for the gigantic task, is June. The Committee, consisting of Mr. J. J. Newlin, President; Dr. Ruth Paul, Secretary; Mr. Nelse Hansen, Treasurer; Dr. Paul Park and Dr. J. P. Schwartz, President of the Des Moines Still College, authorized Wetherell and Harrison, Architects, to proceed with constructional details of the project.

#### Hospital Purpose

The Hospital is designed for instruction of approximately 75 upper class students of the college in the course of their undergraduate curriculum, and approximately 50 graduate students seeking training in specialized fields. Throughout both dreaming and planning of the Hospital, the Foundation has been alert to the necessity of instruction of graduates. Graduate instruction will not be limited to surgery alone, but will include Obstetrics, Gynecology, Proctology, Ophthalmology and Optometry, Otolaryngology, Laboratory Diagnosis, Roentgenology, Manipulative and Operative Orthopedics and Pre- and postoperative care of the Surgical Patient.

It is the intention of the Foundation that the Hospital be

staffed by the most talented men which can be secured from the Profession. It is their further intention that, insofar as possible the alumni be repaid in professional training for the splendid support which has come from them for the Osteopathic Progress Fund. The need for this College service to alumni has long been recognized; the means for extending the service were not available.

At the outset, the hospital will consist of approximately 50 teaching beds and 25 private beds. Provision is made in architectural planning for expansion as needs demand at a later date. The present space available for Hospital construction is on Sixth Ave., a half-block north of the College. Hospital site has a frontage of 193 feet on Sixth Avenue and a depth of 137 feet. (For comparison, it is roughly five times the size of the present College building.)

#### Clinic

Since the present College building is overcrowded and space is not available for the size and diversity of the Clinic desired, it is proposed to include the Clinic in the Hospital Building. That aim will thus release badly needed space in the College Building and will virtually segregate the upper class instruction from that in the first two and one-half years. With the transfer of the College Clinic to the Hospital

building, it is suggested also that the Department of Laboratory Diagnosis be incorporated in that

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Detroit, Michigan  
February 20, 1944

Dr. J. P. Schwartz, Pres.  
Des Moines Still College  
Des Moines, Iowa

Dear Dr. Schwartz:

Some time ago Psi Sigma Alpha Beta Chapter there requested contributions to the hospital building fund. At that time necessary expenses consumed the small intern salary. However, some time ago I sold a pint of blood to the hospital for \$25.00 and am enclosing herewith the cash.

It's not much I know in comparison to what others are giving, but it really is in relation to my financial earning capacity at this time.

It is interesting to know the Iowa Osteopathic Program is taking good strides forward.

Most sincerely,

(Signed)

Bertrand R. Adams, D.O.

Editor's Note. — On second thought, no comment is needed.

### Drs. Deitrich, Clark on Iowa Academy Program

Dr. L. A. Deitrich, Assistant Professor of Therapeutics, and Dr. Hugh Clark, Professor of Physiology, will present papers in mid April on the program of the Iowa Academy of Science. The meetings are held annually at a College within the state, and are attended by representative men of the several branches of science from the colleges and other laboratories of Iowa. The session for 1944 will be held in Cedar Falls, Iowa.

Dr. Deitrich will present a critique of the behavior of cerebrospinal fluid with practical considerations. Dr. Clark will report on an embryological problem, particularly with reference to the embryological approach to interrelationships between animals.

# OVER-ALL CAMPAIGN IN FULL SWAY

## HOSPITAL

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building also, in order to avoid duplication of expensive equipment.

The Clinics will be expanded in the amount and variety of services offered in the new location. It is planned to include, in the revised clinical plan, facilities for diagnosis and treatment in the following specialties: Obstetrics, Gynecology, Proctology, Orthopedics, X-ray, Venereal Diseases, Nervous and Mental Diseases, Speech Correction, Cardiology, Geriatrics, Tuberculosis, Cancer and Postural Deformities. Specialists in all these fields, bringing to the Clinics the best and most recent in treatment and diagnosis, will be Osteopathic Physicians. Cognizant of the dangers of over specialization, the Foundation is insistent upon utilization of Osteopathic methods and philosophy, regardless of the nature of the disease. Clinical and Hospital staffs will be selected on the basis of special abilities, teaching abilities and abilities to utilize osteopathic methods and concepts in diagnosis and treatment of disease.

### Over-all Plan

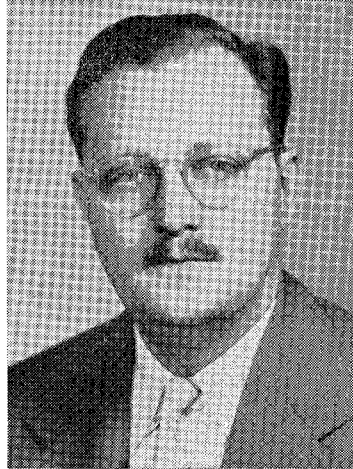
Visualization of the College future on the basis of improvements completed, those planned for the immediate future and those projected as a goal, aims toward the establishment of the Des Moines Still College as a leading medical center in the Middle West. The College instructional staff must be approximately doubled, exclusive of Hospital personnel, in order that highly trained men will be available for instruction, and also to provide each man with sufficient time to accomplish the much discussed osteopathic research. There can be no question that such a plan must eventually be put in force. There is a scarcity of investigative work from Osteopathic Colleges, and there are virtually no up-to-date textbooks for osteopathic instruction. There are no treatises in either basic sciences or clinical application, written from an osteopathic viewpoint, which are used as standard texts. These faults can be corrected but only by securing a staff large enough that each man will have time free of instructional duties sufficient to promote his special interests.

Clinical data resulting from osteopathic care of a great variety of diseases must be accumulated and assembled. These things can be done only when the clinical staff is large enough to enable the staff members to organize these items.

The Hospital must be organized and a staff created such that it can offer to graduates, as well as undergraduates, the best in spe-

## Dr. Laycock Active in Professional Meetings

Dr. Byron E. Laycock, Professor of Osteopathic Principles and Technique at the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, has been appointed by Dr. J. K. Johnson,



Dr. Byron E. Laycock

Jr., Program Chairman, to head the Section on Technique at the annual War Health Conference of the State Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons. The meeting of the State Society will be held in May, and more details of the meetings will be given in the April issue of the LOG BOOK.

Dr. Laycock will also appear on the program of the Child's Health Conference in Kansas City, April 12-15. Topics for Dr. Laycock's presentations in Kansas City have not been announced.

The Polk County (Iowa) Society was so enthusiastic about Prof. Laycock's discussion of "Chronaxie and Rheobase in the Lesion Area," that he has been requested to appear again, for the second time within a year. He will address that Society in April.

cialized, as well as general hospital training.

These goals are within easy reach, if the Osteopathic Profession, the alumni of the Des Moines Still College, want them. They cannot come tomorrow, they must be patiently planned and loyally executed. Response to the College campaign and to the Over-all campaign gives every indication that these projects can be completed in a matter of a few years. Every member of the Osteopathic Profession must, however, sincerely want to produce a center of learning, with his Alma Mater as nucleus. Every one must be vitally concerned about the future of his Profession, of his College, of himself.

## Emergency Conference Great Success

### Dr. Johnson Organizes For Iowa Campaign

Dr. J. K. Johnson, Jr., of Jefferson Director of the Iowa Program of the Over-all Campaign, has announced his district captains who will act as aids in bringing the Over-all Campaign to a successful completion.

District Captains for Iowa are as follows:

- No. 1. Dr. Byron Wayland, Cedar Rapids
- No. 2. Dr. Ronald Woods, Shelby
- No. 3. Not appointed
- No. 4. Dr. Alan Nelson
- No. 5. Dr. Harold Summers, Hawarden
- No. 6. Dr. Harry A. Barquist, Des Moines

Dr. Johnson called a meeting of these workers for Sunday, March 5, at the Hotel Fort Des Moines in Des Moines. The meeting was attended also by Dr. Mary E. Golden, President of the Iowa Society and Chairman of the Campaign Committee of the Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation, and by Mr. Dwight S. James, Secretary of the Iowa Society. The duties of the campaign workers were pointed out, and each District Captain felt enthusiastic in this new project. The group feels that the Over-all Campaign will not be easy from the point of transportation, but feels that the Iowa profession is sufficiently aware of the dangers of procrastination and negligence that they will support, to a man, the A.O.A. effort to aid the Colleges and therefore the profession.

### Why an Over-all Campaign

The Over-all Campaign, carried out through State Directors and the organizations of the divisional societies, is intended to reach every physician, acquaint him with the facts of professional need and allow him to participate in the educational progress which is sweeping the Osteopathic Profession throughout the country.

You may contribute to the College of your choice or to the Over-all Fund which will be divided equally among the Colleges. Be certain that you have done your utmost for the plan you think best.

## New Policy Initiated In Faculty Meetings

In addition to the discussion of routine business during the faculty meetings, an innovation will be made in the March meeting. Following the business meeting, each meeting beginning with March, and continuing monthly thereafter will include the presentation of a scientific paper by a faculty member.

### Chairmen Appointed Throughout Nation

The Emergency Conference, called in Chicago, February 18-20, by President Walter E. Bailey was generally regarded as an overwhelming success. It was attended by more than 200 state representatives from all parts of the country who entered enthusiastically into the proceedings.

### Legislation

Following the call to order by A.O.A. President Bailey, discussions in the three day meetings covered the situation of the profession with regard to both State and Federal legislation regarding College standards, practice rights and selective service. Reports of Dr. Chester Swope and Mr. Lawrence Gourley, Counsel for the National Society, presented the picture seriously but not gravely. The profession is making tremendous strides in the matter of recognition, but progress must continue in order to save the ground thus far gained. Support of the Over-all Campaign is the most expedient method of protecting the profession for the present.

Dr. Thomas Wood was in charge of the legislative session which also heard an excellent report by Dr. James Watson of Ohio on State law, practice rights, state "inspections" and like matters of immediate pertinence to the Osteopathic Colleges, National and State organizations and every Osteopathic Physician.

### The Time Is Now

Mr. Harry E. Caylor, Counselor to the A.O.A. in the all-out, Over-all Campaign, brought before the delegates in most striking fashion the urgency for complete cooperation by every D.O. Participation in the campaign must be unanimous, contributions must be generous. The stakes for the present effort are high; it requires the complete and unselfish support of every man who calls himself D.O. The goal for the campaign is \$1,657,900.00; of this amount approximately \$625,000.00 has been subscribed. Roughly, one Million Dollars is yet needed to satisfy the most pressing demands upon the Colleges. Let every Osteopathic Physician, therefore, consult with his conscience and then dig deep; those who have previously contributed must reconsider and decide whether it is not possible to give more. (Ed. Note—Doctors, this is not pressure propaganda; the urgency is genuine.)

### College Reports

Reports of the Campaign Chairmen of the several colleges were heard with approbation and (Continued on Page 4)

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Osteopathy Without Limitation

## \$100-a-Year Club

Your editor was recently asked, "What is this \$100-a-year Club?"

Simply stated, the \$100-a-year Club is an organization designed to enlist the needed support of alumni of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and friends of the College.

"But why is it necessary to have a \$100-a-year Club after contributing to the Osteopathic Progress Fund?" The expansion program of the College and proceeds from the National (Overall) Campaign, operating through the state societies, have

1. Extended the College curriculum,
2. Enlarged the College Staff,
3. Increased library facilities,
4. Added new equipment to the laboratories and clinics,
5. Provided for a new and enlarged Clinic,
6. Forced the issue of the long-awaited Hospital.

The increased demands on the College budget will be approximately \$40,000 (unofficial, editor's estimate). Added revenue can come from of three sources: Student tuition (now, \$300), patients (and a teaching hospital and clinic must necessarily serve primarily low income families), or alumni. Each of these groups will do its share. It will be noted that two sources of revenue are excluded — public support (state or federal) and private, lay contributions to the Foundation. These are excluded for the simple reason that we cannot "count our chickens before they are hatched." It is not unlikely that funds from one or both of these sources will come, but it is essential that the initial support for expansion and maintenance come from the profession. The public will support a growing, going organization; it rarely will aid in the establishment of the organization. In spite of our 46 years of age, we are now building, now growing, now setting our standards for public approval.

If the brunt of the burden of the self-imposed budget increase is to be borne by alumni, it obviously means that the minimum membership must be 400. That is for maintenance only. If alumni seek expansion of the clinics, of the hospital, of research, the membership must be accordingly higher. Basically the question devolves into this, **Are you per-**

**sonally interested in maintaining a standard of didactic, lecture and clinical instruction in your college, which shall be approximately equivalent to that of Grade A medical schools?"**

"What does this have to do with the Foundation?" The Foundation is bound to support the Des Moines Still College, clinical hospital, accessory buildings and interests. Funds of the \$100-a-year Club therefore would go to the treasury of the Foundation. Because of the nature of the Foundation, funds donated to it may be earmarked for special projects in which the donors may be interested.

"What is the relationship to the Still College Club," The Still College Club, a \$1-a-month Club, was organized by the Public Relations Committee of the National Alumni Association. In order to avoid duplication of effort, stationery and officers, it has been suggested that the Still College Club be used for the organization of the \$100-a-year Club. (A report of the activities of the Still College Club to date will be found on this page.)

The foregoing has been intended as a means of acquaintance of the alumni with problems of their College. Inquiries and reactions will be appreciated.

## Still College Club

### Financial Report

The Still College Club (\$1-a-month Club) of the Public Relations Committee of the National Alumni Association, has a fluctuating membership of some 200 members. Dr. Paul E. Kimberly presents the following financial report of the Club since its inception.

Total Income .....	\$3,042.10
Expenditures .....	2,810.73
Operating Expense.....	260.12
Library, Physical .....	1,116.78
Library, Periodicals,	
Books, Cataloguing .....	914.05
Lots for Hospital .....	
Site .....	512.68
Cash on Hand.....	231.47

## Exciting Week for

### Dr. Perdue of Flint

Dr. Raymond Parker Perdue of Flint, Michigan, was recently appointed examiner for the Ohio National Life Insurance Company. He has been, and continues to be, examiner for the International Harvester Company.

Most signal honor which has come to Dr. Perdue, however, is his new association with the "500 Club" of the Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation. Dr. Perdue increased his pledge to \$500.00 during the past month and joins an ever-increasing list of osteopathic notables who are giving their all-out effort for osteopathic education.

## Dr. Park, Alumni Head, Leads Citizens Committee

(The LOG BOOK acknowledges its indebtedness to the IOWA OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN for the following article.)

"Dr. Paul L. Park, Des Moines, has been elected Chairman of the Executive Committee of the recently organized Citizens Committee of Des Moines. The Citizens Committee was created to develop and adopt plans for prevention and control of youth problems. It has for its objectives the strengthening of resources needed by all children, increased protection of children especially vulnerable to delinquency, assurance of adequate services for children with problems through sound public and private social service agencies and the enforcement of control of harmful influences in the community contributing to the neglect and delinquency of minors.

"The membership of the Citizens Committee is composed of representation from all agencies engaged in youth programs. . . .

"The Executive Committee is elected by and subject to the Citizens Committee. . . ."

## Dr. Philip Reames Joins Compton Hospital Staff

Dr. Philip Reames, graduate of the Des Moines Still College in 1942, and assistant in the department of anatomy of that institution for 2 years, has become associated with Drs. Heacock, Cobb and Myers of the Compton Hospital, Compton, California.

Dr. Reames has completed graduate work at the College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons in Los Angeles and successfully completed requirements for his license to do Major Surgery. The LOG BOOK expresses confidence in Dr. Reames' success for all his Des Moines friends, and extends to him kindest regards.

## Dr. Chandler's Daughter Passes Away

Friends of Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Chandler, Jr., of Persia, Iowa, were grieved at the news that their daughter, Grace, passed away on February 27. Miss Chandler was eleven years of age. Her body was transported to South Wyndham, Maine, for burial.

Dr. Chandler is a graduate of the Des Moines College in the class of 1941, and has a very successful practice at Persia, Iowa.

## Birth

A daughter, Charlotte, was born to Dr. and Mrs. James Booth on December 31, 1943.

## SCHICK

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has been responsible for courses in Mammalian Anatomy, Principles of Physiology, Comparative Physiology and Physiology of Exercise.

### Research

Dr. Schick's principal research interests have been in the field of Endocrines and Reproduction, such as vaginal, abdominal and mammary gland changes during pregnancy. He proposes to continue this work in his new association with the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy.

### Teaching

Dr. Schick has, in addition to a practical ability in investigative work, an ardent interest in teaching. He is a student of teaching and teaching methods, and has given a good portion of his time to the creation of visual aids in teaching. (It was Dr. Schick who created the Mechanical Demonstrator for showing interrelationships between hormones of reproduction during the menstrual and pregnancy cycles. This machine has been exhibited widely at scientific meetings including the A.O.A. convention at St. Louis.) He also has made many clay and plaster models for the demonstration of anatomical structures and physiological units of larger organs.

Dr. Schick will head the Department of Physiology, replacing in that capacity, Dr. Hugh Clark who has been Chairman of the Physiology Department since 1939. His duties will include both lecture and laboratory work. He has already made preparations for enlarging the course and for the addition of equipment, both standard equipment for routine laboratory work and special equipment of his own devising for demonstrations and research. Besides a deep-seated interest in Physiology, his specialty, Dr. Schick has also a cordial respect for the principles and philosophy of Osteopathy.

### Professional Associations

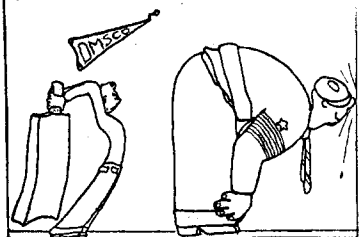
For Dr. Schick's keen appreciation of biological problems he was elected to Phi Sigma, honorary biological society, and maintains active membership in that group. He is also a member of the select honorary, scientific society, Sigma Xi, to which he was admitted for his investigations on reproductive phenomena. Needless to add he is also a member of the Oklahoma and Michigan Academies of Science.

The Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy is extremely fortunate in securing the valuable services of Dr. Schick for its Basic Science work. The LOG BOOK, speaking for the administration and faculty, extends to Dr. Schick and his family a most cordial welcome to Des Moines.

## Buy

War Savings Bonds

# FRATERNITY NOTES



## O. M. U. U.

Members of the Osteopathic Women's College Club spent an enjoyable evening at the home of Esther Zander, with Ronnie Abbott serving as co-hostess on February 22 when they exchanged favorite recipes. Now we are anxious to try all of them—if we can find time!

Most of the plans have been completed for the Bunco Party which will be held at the P. S. G. House Friday, March 24, at 8:00 p.m. All students, faculty members, and friends are cordially invited and tickets may be purchased for 25c from members of the club. There will be a door prize of \$5.00. So don't fail to buy a ticket even if you are unable to attend. There will be prizes at the party too!

We believe each member has the club booklet now outlining the meetings for the months to follow and hope the programs are to her liking. Our plan of each member informing the hostess of her intentions about the next meeting was very successful last month and we want to thank all of you for the fine cooperation.

The next meeting will be at the home of Lorna Woodmansee, 3347 Tenth at 8:00 p.m., March 7, with Jean Bubeck acting as co-hostess. We will be favored with a book review given by a student at Drake University.

—M. R.

## ΨΣΑ

The members, pledges and several of the alumni of gamma chapter of Psi Sigma Alpha had a regular dinner meeting at Lowry's Uptown Tea Room on Tuesday, February 28th. At this meeting Dr. Deitrich, alumnus of the fraternity and now a member of the college faculty, spoke to the group on "A Country Practice." Following his graduation from Still College and internship at Des Moines General Hospital, Dr. Deitrich practiced in South Dakota.

Prospective meetings of the chapter include visits to several of the local doctors' offices and a dentist's office. It is the aim of the fraternity to broaden the experience and better equip the graduating Osteopathic Student for the increasingly competitive field into which he is going.

## AOF

The Calvaria Chapter of the Lambda Omicron Gamma Fraternity wishes to inform all the alumni of the marriage of one of our active alumni namely, Dr. S. Weiss of Detroit, Michigan, to Mary Ann Kramer of Des Moines, Iowa; the wedding which is being held on March 19 at the exclusive Commodore Hotel in Des Moines.

We have received a letter from Dr. Arthur Abramson telling us of the fine position he is holding in Davenport, Iowa, and of the happiness in his choice of location.

On Sunday, March 26, the L.O.G. fraternity will hold its initiation and banquet, and the site of the banquet will be Caesar's Cafe. The members wish to extend heartiest congratulations to the pledges, Robert Daitch, Albert Kalman, and Alfred Bookspan, and welcome them into our harmonious group.

—W. S.

## ATLAS CLUB

The last regular business meeting of the Xiphoid Chapter of the Atlas Club was held at the residence of Francis Ayers. Plans were made for practical work nights and other social activities.

Members, pledges and their wives and guests enjoyed a Hamburger Social, February 11, at the Y. M. C. A. Music, dancing and games preceded the hamburgers, with trimmings, and coffee prepared by several of the members. To add to the pleasure of the evening was a talk delivered by Dr. Deitrich whose theme was "The Physician's Wife," and stressed items to be considered in the success of a small town practice.

A Practical Work Night was held on March 7, with Dr. T. Griffith demonstrating various techniques with emphasis on the management of emergencies.

The chapter is looking forward to the social events to come, among which are a party planned by the Atlas wives and a dance to be held in the spring season.

The fraternity welcomes, Marion Thompson, our newest pledge.

## ΦΣΓ

On Sunday, March 12th, the Gamma Chapter of Phi Sigma Gamma initiated Bob Penner, Merle Morey and John Snyder. The first degree was held Tuesday evening, March 7, at the chapter house. Following the initiation a dinner for the new candidates was held at Babe's restaurant. At this dinner also the chapter honored its new pledges, Bob Sedar and Wilber Huls of Davenport, Iowa.

Phi Sigma Gamma extends its best wishes to Gail Boyd, whose marriage to Miss Norma Ely, took place February 26. He was attended by three of his fraternity brothers: Herbert Harris, best man; and Richard Snyder and Vernon Clausing, ushers.

## Open House for Crews Hospital and Clinic

Dr. W. L. Crews recently left his Redfield, Iowa, practice to join his brother, Dr. T. D. Crews in Gonzales, Texas. On February 13 their Hospital and Clinic was opened for inspection.

The new hospital is located in a former residence which has undergone extensive remodeling and renovation. Offices, examining rooms and reception room are located on the first floor. Nine hospital beds are located on the second floor, as well as a sound-proof nursery. The latter is equipped with metal bassinets and an incubator contributed by babies delivered by Dr. Crews during his Iowa practice.

The hospital features inlaid linoleum throughout, venetian blinds, a modern and well-lighted operating room, fluorescent lights and other thoroughly up-to-date equipment.

Both Dr. T. D. and W. L. Crews are graduates of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and the LOG BOOK takes this opportunity to express cordial best wishes for success in their joint undertaking.

## CAMPAIGN

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enthusiasm by the delegates from the several states. Details cannot be given here of the method of utilizing campaign funds, but suffice it to say that 200 non-collegiate delegates to the conference felt more than confident that the purposes for the several campaigns were being amply fulfilled. (Watch the next FORUM for details from each college on additions completed, additions contracted for, and additions projected, by the several colleges.)

### A.O.A.

Throughout the Conference, Dr. R. MacFarlane Tilley, Overall Campaign Chairman, offered advice, direction and inspiration. Dr. Tilley, as Chairman of the Bureau of Professional Education, has been in close contact with personnel, physical plant and equipment of the Colleges. It is a privilege to the profession that Dr. Tilley has consented to grant the benefits of his experience in the direction of this campaign. Dr. Tilley led the session of campaign workers, instructing them in the modus operandi of the campaign.

Dr. R. C. McCaughan, Executive Secretary of the A.O.A., supported the efforts of Dr. Tilley, and his usual enthusiastic and perspicacious presentation of the problem from the viewpoint of the National organization, engendered a new enthusiasm in the Conferees.

### Iowa Delegation

Cognizant of the professional crisis at hand, the State Society of Iowa and the Des Moines Still College were well represented.

The Iowa delegates included Dr. Mary E. Golden, President of the State Society, J. K. Johnson, Jr., Vice President, and Mr. Dwight James, Secretary. Representatives of the College were Dr. J. P. Schwartz, President and Dr. O. E. Owen, Dean. Dr. Theodore Tueckes of Davenport was an additional Iowa representative.

### State Chairmen

To date, the following state chairmen of the overall campaign have been appointed:

Canada—Dr. E. S. Detwiler, London, Ontario  
Arkansas—Dr. C. C. Chapin, Little Rock  
Colorado—Dr. H. I. Magoun, Denver  
Illinois—Dr. H. B. Somerville, Decatur  
Indiana—Dr. J. H. McCormick, Elkhart  
Iowa—Dr. J. K. Johnson, Jr., Jefferson  
Kansas—Dr. L. A. Moore, Harington  
Kentucky—Dr. Nora Prather, Louisville  
Louisiana—Dr. V. L. Wharton, Lake Charles  
Maine—Dr. Harry J. Petri, Portland  
Maryland—Dr. Frank Tompkins, Baltimore  
Massachusetts—Dr. H. E. Beasley, Reading  
Michigan—Dr. W. P. Bruer, Detroit  
Dr. C. C. Lucas, Ann Arbor  
Dr. Robert J. McDowell, Harbor Beach  
Minnesota—Dr. C. R. Graham, Rochester  
Missouri—Dr. S. H. Leibov, St. Louis  
New Hampshire—Dr. Osmond R. Strong, Concord  
New Jersey—Dr. G. Woldemar Weiss  
New Mexico—Dr. Don H. Simpson, East Vaughn  
New York—Dr. Robert E. Cole, Geneva  
North Dakota—Dr. Georgianna Pfeiffer, Fargo  
Oklahoma—Dr. W. E. Pool, Lindsay  
Oregon—Dr. Fred S. Richards, Forest Grove  
Pennsylvania—Dr. H. C. Orth, Lewiston  
South Dakota—Dr. C. W. Millard, Lake Andes  
Tennessee—Dr. James Winn, Clarksville  
Texas—Dr. Sam F. Sparks, Dallas  
Dr. A. Garrison, Port Arthur  
Utah—Dr. Alice Houghton, Salt Lake City  
Virginia—Dr. H. S. Liebert, Richmond  
Washington—Dr. C. H. Baker, Seattle  
West Virginia—Dr. J. M. Baron, Holidays Cove  
Wisconsin—Dr. L. S. Harned, Madison  
Dr. Wiley B. Truax, Milwaukee

## NOTICE

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## Program Arranged for Week of Graduation

Final examinations will be held May 11 and May 12. Sophomore comprehensive examinations will be held May 4, May 11 and May 12. Graduating seniors, having completed requirements in the qualifying examinations, do not take final examinations at the end of their last semester.

### Senior Dinner

The College gives a farewell banquet for each graduating class. In accordance with past custom, the banquet will be held at Younkers Tea Room, the Thursday prior to Commencement day. The time is Thursday, May 11 at 6:30 p.m. Dr. Schwartz, as president of the College will act as toastmaster. Speakers at the banquet will include Dean Owen, Leo Luka as president of the Class and the faculty adviser to the class.

### Commencement

Commencement exercises will be held Friday evening in St. John's Lutheran Church in Des Moines, at 8:00 o'clock. At that time Judge Joseph E. Meyer will address the seniors and guests. The class is extremely fortunate in acquiring Judge Meyer as  
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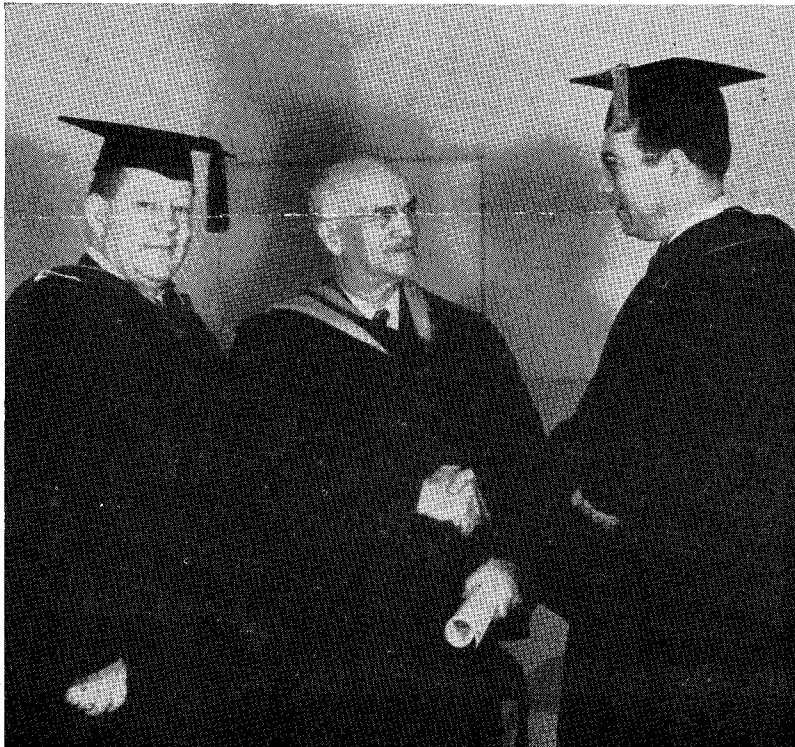
## WPB Releases Pencillin For Few Sulfa-Resistant Venereal Cases

In the interest of prevention of venereal disease by treatment of sulfa resistant gonorrhea patients, who may act as carriers of the disease, the WPB has released a limited amount of penicillin for civilian use through U. S. Public Health Service.

Three penicillin stations have been established in Iowa—Mercy Hospital in Sioux City, Broadlawn General Hospital in Des Moines and University Hospital in Iowa City. Application for penicillin administration should be made to directors of these institutions.

Treatment provided is free for cases accepted. However it is emphasized that only a limited number of cases can be accepted. In those instances where the drug has been used it has proved highly successful. Supplies of penicillin and its administration are made available through the Lanham fund.

## Dr. Arthur D. Becker Receives Honorary Degree Dr. Blackwood Pledges Urology Equipment



*Dr. Becker receiving Degree Doctor of Science in Osteopathy from C.O.P.S. President Henley, as Dr. Louis D. Chandler, who sponsored Dr. Becker, looks on.*

Circumstances surrounding the signal honor which came to Dr. Becker, former president of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, are related by Dr. H. E. Litton in the March issue of CLINICAL OSTEOPATHY.

"Dr. Arthur D. Becker, the first of the annual Still Lecturers to be called to the C.O.P.S. campus, was singularly honored—and surprised—on the occasion of the banquet given February twenty-fourth marking the end of the Post-Graduate Class in surgery. Without being forewarned of what was about to take place, Dr. W. Ballentine Henley, President of the College, conferred upon Dr. Becker the honorary degree Doctor of Science in Osteopathy. Taken completely by surprise, for once Dr. Becker was speechless.

"Certainly there is no person in the osteopathic profession more worthy of such a degree as few have rendered such valiant service in osteopathic educations as has Dr. Becker. Originally graduating from the S. S. Still College, in Des Moines, in 1903 and later from the American School of Osteopathy in 1909, Dr.

Becker put osteopathy to the test of general practice first in Preston, Minn., and later in Minneapolis. In 1922, he was called to Kirksville to be Dean of the Andrew T. Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, continuing in that capacity after that school and the old A.S.O. were combined in 1924 to form the present Kirksville College.

"Except for a few years spent in practice in Seattle, Dr. Becker continued his teaching work at Kirksville until 1936 when he became president of the Des Moines Still College from which position he retired two years ago. It would be difficult to evaluate his imprint upon Osteopathy as thousands of osteopaths have learned their osteopathic principles from Dr. Becker. In 1941, he was President of the American Osteopathic Association, which position he filled with dignity and ability. . . ."

The Des Moines Still College is justly proud of this honor which has come to it through one of its most distinguished alumni and former president, Dr. Arthur D. Becker.

Dr. W. D. Blackwood of Harts-horne, Oklahoma, who had previously made a substantial pledge to support osteopathic progress, writes of extending that support. Dr. Blackwood is sufficiently impressed with the need for urological training and the importance of Urology in diagnosis that he says, "I will, in addition to my previous contributions, make a substantial contribution toward the purchase or furnishing of equipment for this department (Urology), if and when the department is established and space available."

The College appreciates the perspicacity of Dr. Blackwood in emphasizing this field of specialization, and sincerely appreciates his pledge to put his convictions into practice.

(It will be recalled by readers of the LOG BOOK that Dr. James E. Dunham of Mansfield, Ohio, pledged a department of Otolaryngology. The college is genuinely grateful to its alumni for this progressive spirit in the expansion of the teaching Clinical Hospital.)

## Foundation Purchases Additional 6th Ave. Lots

Mr. Nelse Hansen, Treasurer of the Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation, was successful in obtaining three lots adjacent to former holdings in the 800 block on Sixth Avenue in Des Moines. The Foundation now has title to approximately a 300 foot frontage on Sixth Avenue, ample for the needs of the teaching clinical hospital and affiliated units.

Mr. Hansen deserves a great deal of personal commendation for his successful efforts in acquiring this property.

## Mrs. Elmetts Donates To Progress Fund

Mrs. Will Elmetts of Des Moines, desirous of furthering the cause of osteopathic education and equipment of the Des Moines College, presented a check for \$100 to Dr. J. P. Schwartz.

Since the campaign has not been extended to the laity, Mrs. Elmetts' interest in osteopathic development is particularly noteworthy.

## War Health Clinic Offers Topics of Timely Interest

The Annual War Health Conference and Clinic of the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons will meet at the Hotel Fort Des Moines, Des Moines on May 15 and 16. Mr. Dwight S. James, Secretary of the Society, looks for the largest attendance in the history of the annual meetings. The Osteopathic Profession has been repeatedly designated as essential to the war effort through their contributions on the home front, and it is believed that every member of the State Society will consider seriously this opportunity to familiarize himself with items of importance to the practice of his profession in war time. Dr. Mary E. Golden, President of the State Society, is enthusiastic about the possibilities of the 1944 annual meeting from the points of view of national preparedness, Osteopathic organization and advancement of the Osteopathic Profession.

The Des Moines Still College, perennial supporter of the State Convention, likewise is generously represented on the program of the 1944 Health Conference. President Schwartz will address the members of the Society on "Your Stake in Osteopathy", and will participate in a panel discussion following the address. Dean Owen will again head the section on Laboratory Technique, and will take part in the panel discussion. Prof. Laycock, Head of the Department of Technique at the College, will direct the activities of the Technique section at the Health Conference. Dr. Mary E. Golden, Professor of Pediatrics, as President of the Society will open the meetings with the President's report and will participate in the afternoon panel discussion. Dr. Bachman, Head of the Department of Obstetrics at the College, leads the Section on Obstetrics at the state meetings. Dr. Howard A. Graney, Professor of Surgery in the College will present a paper on the intervertebral disc, and Dr. Beryl Freeman will report on Malaria. The Program, as announced by Dr. J. K. Johnson, Jr., Program Chairman, is as follows:

### Monday, May 15, 1944

- 9:00 President's Report
- 10:00 Secretary's Report
- 10:30 "Selective Service," Brig. Gen. Grahl, Director, Selective Service for Iowa
- 11:15 "Socialized Medicine," Dr. L. A. Nowlin, Davenport, Chr. Committee on Socialized Medicine for I.S.O.P.S.
- 12:00 Luncheons: Des Moines Still College Alumni, Kirksville College Alumni
- 1:30 "The Herniated Intervertebral Disc Controversy," Dr. H. A. Graney, Des Moines, Iowa
- 2:15 "Penicillin," A Case His-

tory, Dr. G. A. Whetstone, Wilton Junction

- 2:30 Recess
- 2:45 "Your Stake in Osteopathy," Dr. J. P. Schwartz, Pres., Des Moines Still College. Closed meeting only for members.
- 3:30 Panel Discussion: Drs. Mary Golden, Tueckes, Owen, Schwartz, Mr. James.
- 6:30 Banquet; "Manpower Problems," Speaker Mr. George D. Haskell.

### Tuesday, May 16, 1944

- 9:00-12:00 Sectional Meetings
  - Obstetrics, Dr. R. B. Bachman
  - Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Dr. Roy Trimble
  - First Aid and Minor Surgery; Dr. L. W. Jamieson
  - Ambulant Surgery, Dr. V. A. Englund
  - Osteopathic Manipulative Technique, Dr. B. L. Laycock
  - Laboratory, Dr. O. E. Owen
- 12:00 Luncheon; Hospital Association, Society of Ambulant Surgeon
- 1:30 Control of Cancer, Dr. Edmund G. Zimmerer, M.D., Director of Cancer Control Program for Iowa
- 2:30 E.M.I.C., Dr. Hayeck, M.D., Director for Iowa
- 3:30 Malaria and Vaccinations (Films and Discussion), Dr. Beryl Freeman, Des Moines

## Dr. Campbell Presents First Aid to Seniors

Dr. F. D. Campbell was appointed by Harry F. Wheaton, Director of First Aid and Water Safety for Polk County, to present the regular and advanced courses in Red Cross First Aid to Seniors at the Des Moines Still College. Classes met three nights weekly for the regular course and the advanced course, which was completed March 31. The instructor's course was offered by a Red Cross representative, Mr. Wheeler Van Steinburg, from St. Louis upon completion of the advanced course. Red Cross First Aid training is required of all seniors, and it is further required that they obtain an instructor's certificate. The class is offered in alternate semesters to combined classes. The present class consisted of 18 members. The course was concluded April 6.

## Dr. Don Wicke Stationed At Santa Monica, Calif.

Dr. Don Wicke, graduate of the Des Moines Still College in 1938, left his Ohio practice before Pearl Harbor to enlist in the R.C.A.F. After the Pearl Harbor attack, when the United States entered the war, Dr. Wicke was transferred to the U. S. Air Force. He has been a pilot in the Air Force for more than two years and now, married, has been stationed at Santa Monica.

## Graduation Program Set For Week of May 8th

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Commencement speaker.

Mrs. Samuel B. Garton, organist for St. John's Church, will provide music for the Processional and Recessional and accompaniment for Mr. H. B. Cleveland, soloist, and St. John's choir, who will render appropriate selections. Appearance of the choir on the program is an innovation. They appear principally in tribute to Mr. Luka, class president, who is tenor soloist with the choir.

As in times past, the Invocation will be given by Dr. R. B. Bachman; following a choir selection and the address by Judge Meyer, the class is presented for granting of degrees by Dean Owen. President Schwartz then will administer the osteopathic oath and confer upon the class the degree D.O.

The class consists of Leo Luka, Des Moines; Walter Goff, Chicago; Gerard Zauder, New York; Earl Small, Portland, Me.; Ray Sweeney, Boston, Massachusetts; James Woodmansee, Algona, Iowa; Roy Bubeck, Mankato, Minnesota and Don Young, Columbus, Ohio. The two last named are to be graduated with distinction.

## Post-Graduate Plans of Seniors

Tentatively the seniors who will be graduated in May have decided on the following courses: Don Young—Internship at Doctors' Hospital in Los Angeles. Earl Small—Internship at Portland (Me.) Osteopathic Hospital.

Roy Bubeck—Internship at Art Center Hospital, Detroit

Gerard Zauder—Internship at Art Center Hospital, Detroit

Raymond Sweeney—Internship at Massachusetts Osteopathic Hospital

Leo Luka—Practice in Des Moines.

James Woodmansee—Practice in West Virginia

Walter Goff—Practice in West Virginia

## Detroit Hospitals Seek Seniors for Internships

Dr. Chase Mathews and Dr. R. S. Sinclair of the Art Centre Hospital visited Des Moines during the past week, renewing old acquaintances. They interviewed several of the prospective graduates with regard to internship at the Detroit Hospital. Tentative favorable decisions have been made by Mr. Roy Bubeck and Mr. Gerard Zauder who will be graduated in May.

Dr. J. N. Stewart represented the Detroit Osteopathic Hospital. Mr. Richard Snyder will accept internship at that institution following graduation in October.

## \$500 Club Continues To Increase Numbers

During the past month the names of several alumni have been added to the honor roll of Osteopathic Education through membership in the \$500 Club. These men are **Dr. W. D. Blackwood**, Hartshorne, Oklahoma, who increased his pledge to \$500 and earmarked a portion of it for Urology equipment; **Dr. G. A. Whetstone**, Wilton Junction, Iowa, who increased his previous pledge. **Dr. Warren J. Morrison**, West Bend, Iowa, submitted a new pledge for \$500. **Dr. F. E. Burkholder** and **Dr. James H. Cheney**, both of Sioux Falls, South Dakota are new members. **Dr. D. F. Johnson** of Seattle, Washington, enrolled in the Club with a \$500 check, and **Dr. H. B. Meyer** of Algona, Iowa, increased his pledge to \$500. **Drs. Nellie and H. H. Kramer** of Pella, Iowa, who had previously made a substantial pledge, increased the pledge to \$1000 so that each is now a member of the \$500 Club. **Dr. P. E. Walley** of Cornith, Iowa, has been a member of the \$500 Club for several months but previously public acknowledgment has not been made.

## Faculty Meetings Opened To Iowa Scientists

The next meeting of the Faculty of the Des Moines Still College will institute a new policy in their monthly sessions. Prof. H. W. Merrill will present a report on "Tropical Diseases" which is of timely interest to both the Osteopathic Profession and affiliated sciences.

It is proposed to extend invitation to the science faculties of Iowa Colleges within reasonable traveling distance from Des Moines. The initial meeting will combine the inauguration of this policy with a review of the new laboratories.

## Raub Wins Singleton Essay Contest

Lester Raub, Des Moines Still College Senior, was declared winner of the contest in the Des Moines College. The topic for the 1944 essay was "THE OSTEO-PATHIC MANAGEMENT OF INFLUENZA". The Committee, consisting of Dr. Hugh Clark, Dr. O. E. Owen and Dr. L. L. Facto, felt that Mr. Raub had compiled a scholarly essay on the subject.

Mr. Raub has earned the award of \$25.00 donated by Dr. R. H. Singleton of Cleveland, Ohio. His paper now enters competition, with the winners from the other Osteopathic Colleges, for the grand prize of \$25.00 additionally. Winner of the contest in the several osteopathic colleges is customarily announced at the National Convention in July.

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Osteopathy Without Limitation

## One Treatment a Week?

If the average physician were approached with the question, "Would your standard of living be impaired if you gave one treatment less per week?", he would unhesitatingly say no. To put the question a different way, how many physicians can tell within 20% the number of treatments they gave in the past week. There can be no question that the average Osteopathic Physician would not suffer if his income were reduced by the amount of the fee for one treatment per week.

Why, then, not put that fee behind osteopathic progress. A very simple calculation will tell the reader that we are again talking about the \$100-a-year Club. At first glance, the term \$100-a-year Club means a check for \$100. Upon reflection it means that alumni who have, perhaps, already contributed heavily to the Osteopathic Progress Fund are asked to contribute again. Upon further reflection it means simply that alumni are asked to continue to support the Osteopathic Progress which they have inaugurated by a scheme of systematic contribution.

It has been necessary to increase the budget of the College in accordance with the educational progress desired. The budget increase has come at a time of dwindling enrollment in the College. Help must come from some source. Are we justified in asking the alumni to give this help? The alumni can best answer this question themselves. In the Osteopathic Profession of sufficient personal value to them to avert professional crisis by very moderate, but systematic donations? Is the development of the school and its continued progressive role in the field of Osteopathic education of value to the Profession, as a whole? Should Osteopathic Progress continue (can it be stopped)?

The answers to these questions are obvious, but they need the written support of every alumnus of the Des Moines Still College.

## Marriage

Miss Winifred G. Powell, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Powell of Larned, Kansas, was married on March 12, 1944, to Dr. John R. Stanfield. The wedding took place at home in Lewis, Kansas.

## Can You Travel Conscientiously?

Travelling for pleasure is OUT, but travelling to secure education which may help you better to care for industrial war workers and others on the home front is ESSENTIAL. Aside from this general understanding of the necessity for professional meetings and the travel incident thereto, in a survey made by the International Association of Convention Bureaus, covering key cities of the country, it was revealed that **convention travel constitutes only one-fifth of one per cent of all travel.**

You may therefore travel conscientiously to and from Chicago to attend the War Service Conference at the Palmer House, July 14 to 18 inclusive. But you must make your hotel reservations right now, and secure travel accommodations as soon as possible, which in most instances is thirty days before the date you expect to leave.

## Dr. Wilbur Bohm Presents Research Opus to Library

Dr. Wilbur Bohm, Department of Physical Education and Athletics of the State College of Washington, presented to the College Library a copy of an exhaustive treatise on "TRAINING AND CONDITIONING PRACTICES OF COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY BASKETBALL COACHES AND TRAINERS."

Dr. Bohm has done a painstaking and masterfully compiled investigation on the topic above, principally through the use of questionnaires. His survey covers the fields of diet, methods of preparation of food for athletes, period of training previous to the athletic season, length of workouts, number of workouts per week, shower temperature, massage, treatment of pulled muscles and other soft tissue injuries, type of therapy used and length of time of application of several therapeutic measures.

Dr. Bohm is recognized among both osteopathic and collegiate athletic colleagues as a leader in the field of investigation in training methods. The College library is grateful to Dr. Bohm for an inscribed copy of his report on training methods and techniques.

## Dr. Deitrich Reports on Cerebrospinal Fluid

During the past month Dr. L. A. Deitrich, Professor of Osteopathic Therapeutics, presented a report to the faculty of the College and to the Iowa Academy of Science on the physiology of the Cerebrospinal Fluid.

The former paper was a detailed review of cranial morphology and functions of the cerebrospinal fluid. The latter was a preliminary report of experimental work, in which Dr. Deitrich pointed out variations in cerebrospinal fluid pressure dependent upon fatigue, respiration, position of the body and other factors. Investigations continue on this problem.

## Installation of Lab. Furniture Completed; Visitors Impressed

After a four months siege of remodeling and reequipping of the laboratories, heckled by government regulations, shortage of materials and labor, the laboratories are now completed.

The alumni have contributed heavily toward this phase of College improvement and photographs of the completed rooms will be available shortly. Some will be published in the next issue of the LOG BOOK. Others will be on display at several state conventions as well as the National War Service Conference. Alumni should make an effort to see, at least photographically, what has been accomplished.

Comment on the improvements from alumni who have returned to Des Moines have been unanimously favorable. Dr. Howard Sporck of West Virginia felt that he could report to his State Convention that the "money is certainly well spent." Dr. Chase Mathews of Detroit was most enthusiastic about developments in the College and was of the opinion that continued alumni support would be forthcoming if alumni could see what was being done. Dr. Hilden Blohm and Dr. Glenn Munger, both of Mich., were deeply impressed by the educational progress of the institution in the relatively short time since they were graduated. Dr. Kenneth Dirlam of Massena, Iowa, who had returned to Des Moines on business was astounded at the program of modernization. Dr. Eddie Kanter and Dr. Sydney F. Ellias of Detroit passed bouquets liberally on the new floor plan for the laboratories as well as for the equipment installed. Dr. Bertrand Adams, returning home after completing a Detroit internship was delighted with both the beauty and utility of the improvements.

There is little question in the minds of visitors who have inspected the rejuvenated College about the validity of a \$100-a-year Club. The College has

## Penicillin Successful at D. M. General Hospital

Penicillin was granted the D.M. General Hospital following application to Dr. Chester S. Keefer, Boston, Mass. (Chairman of Chemotherapeutic and other Agents, National Research Council) and was instrumental in controlling a case of streptococcal endocarditis which had resisted sulfa treatment. The new drug was administered by the hospital staff after laboratory cultures of **Streptococcus viridans** had established the diagnosis. The injections were given intramuscularly at three hour intervals for a period of three weeks in order to provide for a maximal efficiency in destroying vegetative growths which characteristically are released into the blood stream.

Although the case has been discharged from the hospital and blood cultures have been persistently negative, the possibility of regrowth is recognized.

## National Overall Campaign in Full Swing

The Overall Campaign for funds, sponsored by the A.O.A. and under the guidance of Dr. R. MacFarlane Tilley, General Chairman, and Mr. Harry E. Caylor, Campaign Counsellor, is reaching into every part of the United States. Latest report indicates that more than 40 states have sent contributions to the Fund. Coverage in those states is, however, very incomplete and the total is expected to increase rapidly within the next two weeks.

### Washington

Leading the parade of sponsors of Osteopathic Progress is the State of Washington, whose initial contribution to the Fund was more than \$9,000 contributed by 18 doctors. Washington also claims the distinction of sending the largest single pledge—\$2500 from Dr. Everett W. Pruett of Seattle.

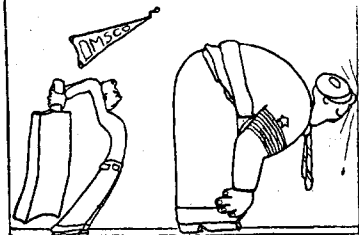
With the interest shown by other states in carrying forward the policy of Osteopathic Progress, however, Washington may well look to its laurels! After almost a year of campaigning the Osteopathic Profession shows a new enthusiasm. Get on the bandwagon — GIVE TO THE OVERALL OR TO THE COLLEGE OF YOUR CHOICE.

actively demonstrated that it is deserving of such support. Loyal alumni are planning on membership in this new and vitally essential organization.

## NOTICE

If and when you change your address, please notify the Log Book promptly.

## FRATERNITY NOTES



### O. M. C. T. C.

Our Bunco Party held on March 24 was quite a success. Over 200 tickets were sold and we especially want to commend Homer and Laura Allshouse and Helen Sherwood for doing such a good job on this. We also want to thank all the other club members for the fine cooperation both in selling tickets and serving on the various committees. Most of the crowd had never played Bunco before but found it to be a lot of fun. The door prize, won by Trudy Hoffman, was a gift certificate from Younkers amounting to \$5.00, and prizes of \$2.00 each for high man and lady were won by Professor Merrill and Helen Sherwood. Gerry Zauder won the boobie prize! The club decided to donate \$50.00 to the new clinical hospital and most of this contribution was made up of proceeds from the Bunco Party.

Our last meeting was held at the home of Aiko Kuramoto with Tama Shimoda acting as co-hostess. After the business meeting, Dr. Owen showed pictures of his travels. They were very interesting and we certainly enjoyed them.

The next meeting will be the senior banquet and all members will be informed soon as to the time and place.

—M. R.

### ΦΣΓ

Phi Sigma Gamma voted a donation of twenty-five dollars to the Foundation. As a result of the Round Robin Bowling Tournament we wish to boast of our victory over the ITS and Atlas.

Plans have been laid to give a party to initiate the new semester. Tentative plans include invitations to the faculty and student body as a whole. This will take place the first week of the new semester.

### ATLAS CLUB

On April 8th members of the Atlas Club and their wives enjoyed a dinner at the Y.M.C.A. The Atlas wives planned and prepared the dinner. Our better halves were enlightened concerning the duties of a doctor's wife in an excellent speech by Dr. Leininger.

At our last meeting, alumnus Dr. Dietrich described the handling of fracture cases in the

office and illustrated his talk with X-ray films from his own orthopedic cases.

Our Senior Banquet will be at the Kirkwood Hotel on April 27 and will honor the graduating brothers Walter Goff and Don Young. Atlas alumni are cordially invited.

The recently elected officers for next semester are: Noble Skull, Lester Raub; Occipital, Scott Heatherington; Pylorus, Fred Lowrie; Styloid, Don Mack; Sacrum, Francis Ayres.

A formal meeting and practical work night will be held on Monday, May 1, at the home of brother Scott Heatherington.

—L. R.

### ITS

Three pledges of Iota Tau Sigma received their first degree in the very pleasant surroundings of Dr. Cash's new home on the night of March 21. Iota Tau Sigma is justly proud of these three men: Wendell Taylor, James Barnett, and Paul Reichstadt. The social diversion celebrating the degree which followed the initiation will be remembered by all present. The fraternity enjoyed two student guests, Robert Martin and Bill Delahan. We are very proud to announce "Bill" as a new pledge.

**Bowling**—ITS vs. PSG. PSG won on total points, although ITS won five of the 9 games of the final series.

The last meeting was held at Leo Luka's residence, April 14. A profitable and pleasant evening was had by all.

Dr. Hilden Blohm visited Des Moines last week while taking the Iowa Basic Science examinations. He will complete his Michigan internship this week. It was a pleasure to entertain Dr. Blohm and to discuss old times again.

—C. P. C.

### Dr. Shaffer Now Member Of \$500 & \$1000 Clubs

**Dr. James R. Shaffer of Mason City**, during the past month earned the distinction of becoming the only alumnus who has earned membership in both the \$500 Club and the \$1000 Club. The College and the Foundation are deeply grateful for Dr. Shaffer's continued efforts to support progressive trends in Osteopathy.

### Correction Regarding Enrollment Dates

The last issue of the FORUM listed the next class entering the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy as of October 9. We wish to call attention to the fact that the next date of registration is May 15.

### O.W.C.C. and P.S.G. Make Gifts to Foundation

The Osteopathic Women's College Club, composed of wives of students of the College, realized approximately \$50.00 from a Bunco party held at the PSG fraternity house March 24. President Ann Merrill of that group has expressed the desire to contribute this fund "to purchase something that will be of value to the new hospital."

The PSG fraternity, contributing \$25.00 to the Foundation, have specified that the money should be applied toward exhaust fans for the laboratory.

Both Foundation and College officials are grateful for the sincerity of purpose and interest which both organizations have shown toward development of the College and Hospital as efficient teaching units.

### Dr. Jack Price Opens New Mexico Hospital

Dr. Jack Price, 1943 graduate reports that he has opened a small hospital, "Price Hospital" in Hobbs, New Mexico. Dr. Price reports very enthusiastically about Osteopathy in New Mexico, and points out two splendid openings in that state.

Eunice and Lovington, New Mexico, are without Osteopathic Physicians or Medical Physicians and a doctor in either town would serve a large area in a rich oil country.

We wish every success to Dr. Price in his new enterprise and express the hope that he is successful in attracting colleagues to his state.

### Birth

A daughter, Mary Janet, was born March 17, 1944, at Swollum Hospital, Storm Lake, Iowa, to Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Schloff.

### Dr. MacIntire Leaves Bison, South Dakota, Seeks Replacement

Dr. D. W. MacIntire writes that he is leaving his practice in Bison, S. D., to go to another city. Since Osteopathy has been firmly established in this community and the nearest doctor is 50 miles away, he is anxious that a recent graduate settle in Bison. Cordial support is given by the Commercial Club of the town and practice rights are unrestricted except as regards major surgery.

Dr. MacIntire points out that South Dakota is one of four states which have an Osteopathic Physician on the State Board of Health. Moreover, in South Dakota "any public health program sponsored by or using public funds (Federal or State) cannot be administered in a manner discriminating against any school of practice, and granting the patient free choice of doctors under such a program."

Dr. MacIntire adds that there are many other excellent locations in western South Dakota.

### Foundation Reports Campaign Total

Figures released by Dr. Mary E. Golden, Chairman of the Campaign Committee of the Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation, show that the total pledged to the campaign is now in excess of \$110,000. Of that amount \$64,000 has been paid in cash or in U. S. War Bonds.

### Dr. John S. Anderson, Mrs. Johnson See College Progress

**Dr. John S. Anderson, River Falls, Wisconsin**, paid a visit to the Des Moines College for the express purpose of inspecting the remodeled laboratories and the newly installed equipment. Dr. Anderson feels that he can become a better salesman for Des Moines and for Osteopathy, now that he has seen the progress.

Confident that both the College administration and the Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation have acted wisely and rapidly in the laboratory expansion program, Dr. Anderson was elated over the improvements which had been made. There is little question in his mind that the rejuvenated Basic Science Departments will speak for themselves before any investigating body.

**Mrs. Delbert Johnson**, visiting from Seattle, acted as special emissary for her husband to view personally changes made at the College. Her newly formed impression of the present College promises a glowing report to the Washington group and renewed enthusiasm for Osteopathic Progress in education from that state.

### War Service Conference

If we don't hang together we'll surely hang separately. Learn what your profession is doing legislatively, both Federal and state. Attend the closed sessions of the A.O.A. War Service Conference in Chicago this summer and find out for yourself.



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## Dr. Golden Honored By State Society

Dr. Mary E. Golden, retiring president of the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons was presented with a plaque in honor of her two years' tenure of office in the State Society.

While Dr. Golden was president of the State Society she led the group ably in many causes for the benefit of the public health and the protection and advancement of her profession. The society has continued its cooperation with state agencies responsible for venereal disease control and for the control of infectious diseases by preventive means among school children. Dr. Golden was instrumental in acquiring Red Cross First Aid training for physicians in Iowa and neighboring states and for instituting the Red Cross program in the senior curriculum of the College. As a result more than a hundred physicians have taken the regular, advanced and instructor's course in First Aid and have taught probably thousands of civilians the elements of emergency protection of themselves and fellow citizens.

Under the leadership of Dr. Golden the Iowa Physicians have cooperated in the administration of obstetrical care for the wives of service men and supported the appropriation bill in the U. S. Congress allowing funds for commissions in the Navy, and U. S. Public Health Service.

Dr. Golden has also provided leadership in the matter of campaigning for funds among the alumni for the Osteopathic Progress fund at a great personal sacrifice of time and energy for the permanent benefit of the Osteopathic Profession. Though Dr. Golden retires from the presidency of her State Society, she retains a sincere interest in all professional affairs and community projects. In the words of Arthur Brayton, Secretary of the Des Moines Convention Bureau, "Dr. Golden is really a golden asset to the community."

**Have You Made  
Arrangements  
to Attend the Chicago  
War Health Conference**

## Combined Curriculum Plan Adopted by Iowa Wesleyan

In a bulletin issued recently by Iowa Wesleyan College, Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, a combined curriculum plan has been announced by that institution in cooperation with the Osteopathic Colleges. The bulletin describes the method of meeting the minimum preosteopathic requirements in two years and the special program arranged whereby a student may take three years of work at Iowa Wesleyan and receive a B.A. or B.Sc. degree upon satisfactory completion of the requirements for a D.O. These bulletins are available by request from the Public Relations office of Iowa Wesleyan College.

The plan for combined curriculum has been studied for some time by Dr. Niles and Dr. R. N. MacBain, President of the American Association of Osteopathic Colleges, and Dr. R. C. McCaughan, Executive Secretary of the A.O.A. The program as worked out to the mutual satisfaction of both groups represented in the discussions is presented in the special bulletin of Iowa Wesleyan.

Although such arrangements have previously been made in the case of individuals, Iowa Wesleyan is the first institution which has openly advertised such a program for the mutual benefit of the liberal arts college and the

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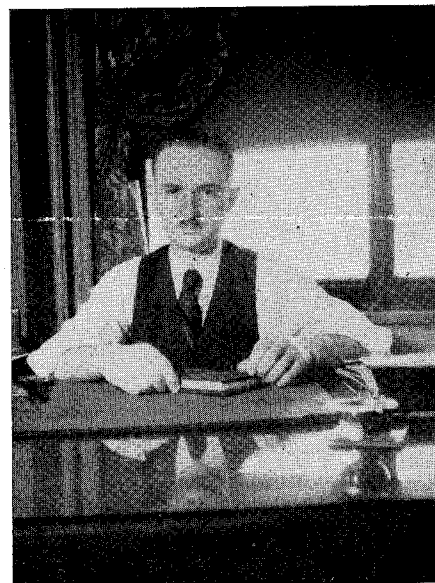
## Dr. Stanley Niles Visits Des Moines College

Dr. Stanley B. Niles, President of Iowa Wesleyan College, visited at length with President Clark and Dean Owen of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, after a sight-seeing tour through the building. Dr. Niles, in Des Moines on business of his College, seemed well-pleased with the physical plant of the College and discussed various problems of education, particularly of the postwar era, with the Des Moines College officers.

Iowa Wesleyan College has been through the years a "pioneer" college, and with an executive such as Dr. Niles they have adequate assurance that this spirit will continue. It is most pleasant from the point of view of the osteopathic college in Des Moines to have the friendly cooperation of a sister college of Iowa.

## Dr. Schwartz Resigns as President

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*Dr. J. P. Schwartz,  
who resigned from  
College administration,  
after 25 years of service  
to the College.*



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At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy on Wednesday evening, May 3, Dr. J. P. Schwartz offered his resignation from the presidency of the Des Moines College. Pressure of outside work and necessity of a full-time man as leader of the College during these times of rapid advancement were given as the principal reasons for his resignation at this time. In resigning from the presidency, Dr. Schwartz automatically relinquished his seat as member and president of the Board of Trustees. He still retains his position as Chairman of the Department of Surgery, holding the rank of Professor of Surgery.

Friends of the Des Moines College recognize in the loss of the leadership of Dr. Schwartz the creation of a new and serious problem for the College. Dr. Schwartz has served the College faithfully in the capacity of graduate student and assistant instructor in the basic sciences, Professor of surgery and Dean of the College, and finally as president since 1919.

### Kirksville Graduate

Following graduation from the Kirksville College in 1919, he came to Des Moines as a graduate student. He interned for a year at the Des Moines General Hospital under the tutelage of Dr. S. L. Taylor, and was then made House Physician of that institution. For the next five years he held a surgical assistantship to Dr. S. L. Taylor. In 1926 Dr. Schwartz was made Dean of the

College and President and Chief Surgeon of the Des Moines General Hospital. He retained his position as Dean of the College until the retirement of Dr. A. D. Becker in 1942, at which time he was elected to the presidency of the institution.

### Service

Throughout his association with Osteopathy, Dr. Schwartz has given unstintingly of both time and funds for the progress of the profession. At the Des Moines General Hospital he has maintained a surgical and general hospital training school by way of internships. Since his association with the College as President he has instituted a program of externships for the College seniors. His personal experience and that of his staff have at all time been available for aiding those who seek to learn. Without hesitancy, but also without braggadocio or fanfare, Dr. Schwartz's activities have symbolized sacrifice and altruism for the advancement of the profession of Osteopathy.

### College Record

During his tenure of office as President of the College, Dr. Schwartz has been a dynamo in the powerplant of educational progress which has served the profession. Among his accomplishments and those in cooperation with the other colleges of osteopathy, (1) He has raised entrance requirements and has raised the scholastic standards within his own institution. (2) He reorganized the faculty on a

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## Dr. Schwartz

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workmanlike basis in order to increase the efficiency of his staff for the promulgation of ideas and training in the interest of his profession. (3) He has added three faculty members of outstanding ability—Mr. H. W. Merrill in the Department of Bacteriology; Dr. L. A. Deitrich in the Department of Osteopathic Therapeutics; Dr. R. Dean Schick in the Department of Physiology. (4) He has, by cooperation with the alumni, placed the library of the College on a workable and learned basis. (5) He has reorganized the entire physical plant of the College, remodeling and equipping the basic science laboratories, as described from time to time in these pages in connection with our progress fund campaign. (6) He has given generously both in funds and time to make the osteopathic progress fund a success. Campaigning without the aid of an outside organization, the campaign total is now more than \$123,000. Through correspondence, trips, speeches, personal visits to alumni Dr. Schwartz has been responsible for no small part of these funds personally. (7) He has ably represented the opinion of the College in matters of legislation and Selective Service rulings which have been completed to the advantage of the osteopathic profession in the past two years. (8) His relationship with students has been most cordial, and in every instance possible, personal intervention to help with individual problems has been his method of aid. (9) In order to permit student expression of opinion in matters of importance to College development, he created the Student Faculty Council which has worked to the advantage of all people concerned since its inception. It is an active organization which allows the best student mind the proper mode of expression. (10) He has encouraged and actually built an alumni enthusiasm for College activities which have not prevailed since the origin of the College. (11) For the privilege of participating in this program of progress, for the privilege of devoting his time to college affairs to the detriment of his own practice, for the privilege of steering his institution in the right direction educationally Dr. Schwartz has received no financial compensation. He has received, however, a compensation which few during their lifetime can achieve: — the happiness which comes of devotion for a worthy cause; friendships which have come through his college association; respect of every man who has watched the selfless sacrifice of a true osteopathic enthusiast; admiration of all those whose privilege it has been to work with him. His activities throughout his career have carved for Dr. Schwartz an indestructible monument to the history of Osteopathic Progress.

## For Your Consideration

*Your editor publishes, for what is believed the first time, the ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE DES MOINES STILL COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHY, with a statement of proposed amendments. It is the desire of the entire organization that there be perfect understanding between the Des Moines College and the Profession. It is urged that each alumnus and others who are specially interested in the Des Moines College study both the Articles and the amendments, which are proposed. Formal action will be taken upon the amendments at the annual meeting of the corporation on June 19, at 8 p.m.*

### ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

of the

#### DES MOINES STILL COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHY

##### KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That S. L. Taylor, C. W. Johnson, D. W. Roberts, Henry Mack and D. S. Jackman, being persons of full age and citizens of the State of Iowa, have associated themselves together for the purpose of forming a Corporation, not for pecuniary profit, under the laws of the State of Iowa, with all powers, rights, privileges and immunities now or hereafter conferred upon such corporation by the laws of the State of Iowa; and to that end do hereby adopt the following Articles of Incorporation:

##### ARTICLE I.

The name of this corporation shall be "Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy," and its principal place of business shall be in the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

##### ARTICLE II.

The corporation shall have the power and the right, and its purpose and object is, to establish, maintain, operate and conduct in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, a college for the instruction and education of persons in the science of Osteopathy, and in such other sciences as may be prescribed in the course of instruction adopted. The corporation may also establish, operate, conduct and maintain in Polk County, Iowa, or elsewhere, a hospital or hospitals for the cure and treatment of persons diseased or injured; and in that connection may establish, conduct, operate and maintain a school or schools for the instruction, education and training of nurses.

##### ARTICLE III.

The corporation may confer the degree of Doctor of Osteopathy, and such other degrees usually conferred by such institutions and appropriate to its course or courses of instruction.

##### ARTICLE IV.

The corporation shall have and possess all the powers, rights and privileges now or hereafter conferred by the laws of the state of Iowa upon corporations not for pecuniary profit, and shall endure for a period of fifty years, unless sooner dissolved by a three-fourths vote of all the members thereof, or by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Iowa, or by operation of law.

##### ARTICLE V.

The members of such corporation shall consist of the incorporators above named, Charles D. Finley, J. G. Connolly, and such other persons as the members may associate with them and by a majority vote elect as members. The members may from time to time adopt by-laws not inconsistent with these Articles of Incorporation, and may repeal, alter and amend the same at pleasure. A majority of the members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of any business. Certificate of membership may be issued to members. Each member shall be entitled to vote at all meetings of members, and such vote may be cast by proxy in writing.\*

##### ARTICLE VI.

The affairs of the corporation shall be managed and conducted by a Board of Trustees consisting of not less than seven and not more than twenty-five members of the corporation. The Trustees shall be elected at the annual meeting of the members, and shall hold office for one year and until their successors are elected and enter upon the performance of their duties; vacancies in the Board of Trustees may be filled by the remaining Trustees. The officers of the Board of Trustees shall consist of a President and a Secretary, who are also the president and secretary of the corporation. The Board of Trustees shall meet twice each year, in January and May. Special meetings may be held at other times on the call of the President or any two members. The Trustees shall have power to appoint and employ such instructors and teachers and other persons and employees with such power and duties and at such salaries and compensation as they may fix. Until the first annual meeting of the members, and until their successors

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#### TO MY FRIENDS IN OSTEOPATHY:

My feelings upon retirement from the Presidency of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, after an association of more than 25 years with the College, cannot be clearly categorized. My action was prompted by two primary forces: (1) Pressure of work at the Des Moines General Hospital reduced to a minimum the time available for administration of College affairs. Now, as never before in the history of the institution, the College is in need of the complete time and abilities of an able administrator. I have the utmost confidence and sense of security that my successor, Dr. Hugh Clark, will provide educational leadership in the Profession of Osteopathy with distinction.

Secondly, Osteopathic educational programs have progressed to the point of needing a trained educator. My professional training as physician and surgeon has, of necessity, been inconsonant with these requirements. I have attempted to give to the College through the years the benefits of my experience; if these efforts have acted for the advantage of Osteopathy, I am pleased.

After 25 years of intimate acquaintance with educational problems of the College, it must be clear to my readers that my resignation from the presidency does not, and cannot, erase my sincere interest and pride in the Des Moines College. Any assistance which I can give in an advisory capacity, as a friend of the College, will ever be forthcoming.

I leave the Des Moines College administrative staff with a feeling of complete cordiality and with every confidence for the future success of the College.

Sincerely

(Signed) J. P. SCHWARTZ.

## Foundation Acquires Two Lots on 6th Ave.

The Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation announces that it has purchased an additional 66 feet frontage on Sixth avenue in Des Moines at 806-808-810 Sixth ave. As previously, Mr. Nelse Hansen, Treasurer of the Foundation, acted for the Foundation in completing the transaction. Mr. Hansen points out that we now have title to a total of 374 feet in the block north of Center street. The lots are 117 feet deep.

# The Log Book

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Osteopathy Without Limitation

## "Osteopathy First"

Your writer, signally honored by election to the Presidency of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, assumes his duties with eagerness to aid in the program of educational progress; with a sense of responsibility of obligations of the College to the profession; with a deep-rooted interest in the osteopathic profession; with a thorough cognizance of the struggles and fellowship which have brought Osteopathy to its present-day position; and with a sense of humility before the gigantic tasks that lie ahead.

The tasks are made easier by the cooperation which permeates the osteopathic profession; by the feeling of alumni support for their institution as evidenced by the current campaign for funds; by the able faculty which it becomes my duty to direct; by the alert Board of Trustees with which it is my pleasure to become associated; and by the fine reputation which the Des Moines College has earned among the laity through the 46 years of its existence.

It is my earnest hope that any abilities which I may have, or which I may develop, shall be devoted to the advancement of a great profession. Though my efforts shall suffer by comparison with those of my predecessor, Dr. J. P. Schwartz, there shall be no compromising the best which it is in my power to offer, to measure up to the standards which he has set.

Respectfully,

(Signed) HUGH CLARK.

## Acknowledgement

The LOG BOOK wishes, belatedly, to acknowledge the courtesy of CLINICAL OSTEOPATHY for furnishing the cut of Dr. Becker, used in the April issue.

## Articles of Incorporation

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are elected and qualified, the Board of Trustees shall consist of S. L. Taylor, C. W. Johnson, D. W. Roberts, Henry Mack, D. S. Jackman, Charles D. Finley and J. G. Connolly.

### ARTICLE VII.

The annual meeting of the members shall be held in Des Moines, Iowa, on the first Tuesday after the third Monday in May of each year.<sup>†</sup> Special meetings may be held from time to time upon call of any two members. At special meetings no business shall be transacted except such as may be specified in the notice of the call therefore; and notice of all special meetings shall be given in writing by mailing the same to each member at his postoffice address at least five days prior to the day of meeting, unless all the members shall by writing enter upon the records of the proceedings of the corporation, duly signed by them, consent to the holdings of a special meeting.

### ARTICLE VIII.

The officers of the Corporation shall consist of a President, a Secretary and a Treasurer. The President and Secretary shall be members of the Board of Trustees. The Treasurer need not be a member of the Corporation or of the Board of Trustees. The officers shall have such powers and perform such duties as may be prescribed by the By-Laws or by resolutions of the Board of Trustees from time to time. They shall be elected annually by the members of the Corporation at their Annual meeting. Until the first annual meeting in May 1912, and until their successors are elected and qualified, S. L. Taylor shall be President, D. S. Jackman, Secretary, and D. W. Roberts, Treasurer of the Corporation.

### ARTICLE IX.

The fund of \$50,000.00 raised and collected by subscription and donation, designated in the subscriptions thereto as the "Building, Equipment and Endowment Fund of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy," or as a fund to be used for a plant, equipment and endowment fund of Greater Still College, or so much thereof as may be collected and received, shall constitute a fund to be used only so far as necessary for the purpose of purchasing and acquiring suitable premises and building for college purposes, and the equipment thereof, and the balance thereof remaining after acquiring and equipping its said premises and buildings shall be invested by the Board of Trustees, and the income therefrom only, used for the purpose of paying any deficit in the operating expenses of the college, not including salaries to teachers or officers. Any fund or property received by the corporation by gift, donation or devise shall be held and used by the corporation subject to such restrictions and limitations as to its use as may be imposed in the gift, donation or devise thereof. §

### ARTICLE X.

The incorporators and members shall not be personally liable for any of the indebtedness of the corporation, but their property shall be exempt from any liability for any of the debts of the corporation.

### ARTICLE XI.

These articles of incorporation may be altered or amended at any annual or special meetings called for that purpose, by a majority vote of its members; provided however, that Article IX and X hereof shall not be amended or changed to alter the limitations imposed upon the use of said fund or to subject members to liability.

Witness our hands this 12th day of September 1911.

\*See proposed amendment below.

†Amended, 1925, so that meeting may be held in June.

§See proposed amendment below.

## Proposed Amendments

The Board of Trustees of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy recommend, for consideration at the annual meeting, June 19, 1944, the following amendments:

**ARTICLE V.** Amend by adding the following stipulation, "Honorary members of the corporation, without the privilege of voting, may be elected in the same manner as active, voting members."

**ARTICLE IX.** Amend by adding the following: "In the event of dissolution of the corporation, either voluntary or involuntary, its Board of Trustees and the Executive Committee of the American Osteopathic Association shall mutually determine the mode of disposition of its assets, in such manner as to promote the best interests of the Osteopathic Profession through an educational program, research program or such other means as may be mutually devised."

(Signed) HUGH CLARK,  
President.

## Looking Forward

With the beginning of the summer semester, Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy is moving forward into a new period of educational and professional advancement. To a large measure, this is due to the beneficent support of the institution by its alumni and friends. The realization of this ambition is evidenced not only in the form of new physical equipment and added facilities but in the heart of each alumnus who has found it possible to return to his alma mater and sense the new spirit of osteopathic educational progress.

Our college has been fortunate in the choice of strong and far-sighted leaders who have kept the institution abreast with the times, in the names of Dr. S. L. Taylor, Dr. C. W. Johnson, Dr. A. D. Becker and Dr. J. P. Schwartz. The new President, Dr. Hugh Clark, is no exception, entering upon his duties with a steadfast resolution to make of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy an even greater institution, one to which we may all point with pride for having played a part in its advancement.

DR. O. EDWIN OWEN,  
Dean.

## Psi Sigma Alpha Makes Honorary Awards

Psi Sigma Alpha, honorary scholastic society, at the senior banquet, May 11, presented Don Young with a certificate indicative of superior scholarship during the four-year osteopathic course. Dr. Young's average was 91.52. Runner-up was Roy Bubeck, with an average of more than 90%. Third was Earl Small whose average was 87.5%. May all three of these young doctors translate their scholastic success into professional success!

At the senior assembly, held May 5, Harry B. Elmets and H. W. Merrill received certificates for maintaining the highest scholastic average during their freshman and sophomore years, respectively.

## Birth

Mr. and Mrs. Hoy Eakle announce the birth of a son, David Lee, born May 16. Mr. Eakle is a student at the College.

## NOTICE

If and when you change your address, please notify the Log Book promptly.

## O. M. U. U.

The Senior Banquet given in honor of the graduating members was held on April 18 at the Kirkwood Hotel. Speaker for the evening was Dr. John M. Woods who pointed out the bright and dark spots of being a doctor's wife. At the close of the meeting, Laura Allshouse presented diplomas to those graduating—Jean Bubeck, Vera Luka, Lorna Woodmansee and Esther Zauder. We wish to extend our sincere congratulations and best wishes to them and hope that they will continue to attend our meetings as long as they remain in Des Moines. Esther Zauder is a past president of the Club and Lorna Woodmansee has been secretary. Jean Bubeck and Vera Luka served on committees throughout their memberships and we want to thank all of them.

The last meeting was held at the home of Alexandrine Siudara with Doris Martin serving as co-hostess. After the business meeting, we enjoyed an interesting discussion led by Martha Hattesen on Home Decorating.

The Club will meet on May 16 at the home of Miriam Raub at which time they will do war relief work. Let's have a good attendance.

—M. R.

## ΨΣΑ

Gamma Chapter of Psi Sigma Alpha was fortunate in having Dr. Cottrill, national president of the fraternity present as guest and speaker at the senior banquet held at the Hotel Kirkwood on May 4th. At this time the chapter and the alumni honored its two graduating members, Don Young and Roy Bubeck. The life membership certificates were presented on behalf of the chapter by Dean Owen with best wishes for their continued success as they leave school to enter their internships. Don Young, retiring president of the chapter, presented the gavel to Herb Harris, incoming president.

At the senior assembly as is the custom of Psi Sigma Alpha, scholarship awards were made to Harry B. Elmetts and H. Waldo Merrill for maintaining the highest averages for their freshman and sophomore years respectively.

## ITS

The Commodore Hotel was the scene of the Iota Tau Sigma senior Banquet honoring its graduating brothers Roy Bubeck, Leo Luka and James Woodmansee. Forty alumni, members and their wives were present.

The speaker of the occasion was Mr. Charles Reed, chief of the Weather Bureau for the State of Iowa.

Our congenial director of the Obstetrics Clinic, Dr. McGill presented the musical touch to the affair by rendering various modern classics on the grand piano. Other highlights of the

evening were the interchange of gavels between brother Merrill, our newly elected President, and brother Luka, graduating president. Brother Luka received a gold gavel, which is customary for ITS to present to the graduating members who have served as president of the fraternity. Brother Bubeck was honored for graduating with distinction.

We extend best wishes and continued progress in Osteopathy to Dr. Luka, Dr. Bubeck and Dr. Woodmansee.

The month of April witnessed the conferring of the second and third degrees upon Paul Reichstadt, Wendell Taylor and James Barrett, at the home of Dr. V. E. Englund and Dr. D. E. Sloan. The fraternity is proud to add to its roll men of such exemplary character.

The fraternity extends best wishes for a rapid recovery to Brother Drennan of St. Louis, Missouri, who has been confined to the hospital for some time.

## AOF

The L.O.G. fraternity, Calvaria Chapter, wishes at this time to welcome the new freshmen, and from all appearance they seem to be a very intellectual group.

On Sunday, May 21, 1944, the first meeting of the current semester was held, with our first subject the election of officers.

They are: M. Miller, president; T. Schild, vice-president and treasurer; Wm. Stoler, secretary.

We wish to welcome into our ranks Mr. Louis Picker who is a transferee from the Chicago College of Osteopathy and a sophomore. We wish at this time to announce the pledging of Mr. Sol Liebel of Columbus, Ohio.

Many interesting meetings and speakers are being planned for in the future. Our next scheduled social event is a fraternity picnic.

—W. S.

## Dr. Byron E. Laycock —Country Doctor

Dr. B. E. Laycock, Professor of Osteopathic Technique at the Des Moines College, and Country Doctor of Maxwell, Iowa, had the latter capacity called to his attention on the night of Thursday, May 18. Having completed his professional duties for the day, Dr. Laycock had every intention of relaxing at 10:30 p.m. He relates that he heard approaching "the longest freight train in history" with an unparalleled roar. It finally passed.

Shortly thereafter a Maxwell citizen roused him and informed him that a tornado had swept the town and advised the doctor, "You get all set, Doc, and we'll bring 'em in to you as fast as we can find 'em." Dr. Laycock went to the heart of the damage, where three farms had been wiped out by the storm, leaving only foundations of houses and farm buildings. He remained at his post in an undestroyed farm-

house and treated some thirty-five cases throughout the night. The injuries were various—broken bones, skull fracture, compound leg fractures, broken nose, lacerations and contusions beyond description. In the most seriously stricken area every patient brought to him had had his clothing stripped from him by the violence of the storm; some had been swept through the air by force of the wind; communications lines out of Maxwell were all disrupted so that it was impossible to call aid except by messenger.

Dr. Laycock worked all Thursday night and "most of Friday night" to care for the injured. Fortunately only two were killed, one adult and one child.

## State Convention a Marked Success

The 46th annual convention of the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons was a thoroughly successful meeting. Approximately 190 physicians registered for the meetings, and approximately 90 guests additionally were present. Keen interest in the splendidly arranged program was in evidence throughout the two-day session.

### New Officers

The new slate of state officer of the Iowa Society is as follows: President—Dr. J. K. Johnson, Jr., of Jefferson

Vice-President—Dr. G. A. Whetstone, Wilton Junction

Trustees — Holcomb Jordan, Davenport,

Ray Gilmour, Sioux City

J. Q. A. Mattern, Des Moines

Robert Forbes, Swea City

Burl D. Elliot, Oskaloosa

W. S. Edmund, Red Oak

### O. W. N. A.

The Iowa division of the O. W. N. A. elected the following officers:

President—Dr. Ruth M. Paul, Des Moines

Vice-President—Dr. Anna Slocum, Des Moines

Sec.-Treasurer — Dr. Augusta Tueckes, Davenport

### State Auxiliary

The State Auxiliary, after a most successful year, featuring generous support to the Osteopathic Progress Fund and the Des Moines Still College, elected the following officers:

President—Mrs. R. W. Westfall, Ackley

First Vice-President — Mrs. Byron Cash, Des Moines

Second Vice-President — Mrs. V. E. Englund, Des Moines

Secretary-Treasurer — Mrs. Dean Hume, Des Moines

The State Auxiliary, under its new officers promises even greater support for the College Expansion program than their predecessors. Their particular interest is the development of a pediatric clinic and ward in the proposed teaching clinical hospital. Details of their plans will be published at a later date.

## Welcome to Newly Enrolled Students

Ten students have come to Des Moines for training in the Science of Osteopathy. Of the new enrollees, eight are freshmen and two are upper classmen. The new students are:

Miss Shirley Talbott, Moravia, Iowa

Lennert Lorentson, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Norbert Heichelbeck, Louisville, Ky.

Frederick Martin, Murray, Iowa

Donald Hamilton, Pontiac, Michigan

W. A. Flannery, Columbus, Ohio

Solomon Leibel, Youngstown, Ohio

Homer Elliott, Ames, Iowa

Miss Theresa Palmer, Chicago, Illinois

Louis Picker, Chicago, Illinois

It is a pleasure to welcome these students to the fellowship of the Des Moines College and to offer them all of the advantages in the pursuit of their chosen profession at our command. The College wishes for each one the finest success and most pleasant relationship throughout their stay in Des Moines. Good luck to all!

## Combined Curriculum

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osteopathic colleges. A great deal of personal commendation is due Drs. MacBain and McCaughan for their fine work in bringing this program to successful completion. It should also be understood that the osteopathic profession owes an obligation to both Iowa Wesleyan and his alma mater in aiding the execution of this splendid program.

Iowa Wesleyan College already outranks all other Iowa Colleges in the number of graduates which they send into graduate and professional work. Osteopathic physicians can give them aid in maintaining this distinction by assisting in the plan. Iowa Wesleyan is a teaching institution; it is proud of its record in this field; its staff includes some of the finest teaching at the college level which may be had in the United States. Iowa Wesleyan has "specialized" in pre-medical and nurses' training, and now gives to Osteopathy the advantages of its years of experience in premedical training. Their action in providing a method for obtaining a bachelor's degree in three years for osteopathic students is a pioneering stand, not a gesture, for cooperation with osteopathic education. Support their program so that both they and we may continue the friendship thus established.

H. C.



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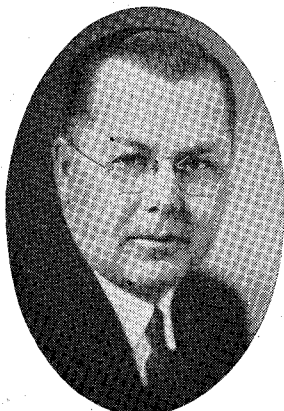
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## Dr. John Woods to Head Polk County Society

At a meeting of the Polk County Osteopathic Society, May 23, Dr. John M. Woods was elected to head the society for the coming year. Dr. Woods has been honored several times in the past with the presidency of both the Polk County Society and the Sixth District Society of Iowa. In 1938 and 1939 Dr.



Dr. John M. Woods

Woods was president of the State Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, and in 1943 was president of the Lions Club of Des Moines.

Because of ill health Dr. Woods resigned from the College faculty in March, 1943. The College congratulates the Polk County Society on its selection of such an able leader.

Other officers elected at the May 23 meeting were Dr. Beryl Freeman, Vice President; Dr. Leo Luka will be the new treasurer. Dr. Freeman is ex-officio Chairman of the Program Com-

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## Dr. Blackwood Purchases Cystoscope for Hospital

Dr. W. D. Blackwood, Harts-horne, Oklahoma, whose name has previously appeared in these columns in connection with the Osteopathic Progress Fund, has made good his pledge for special equipment for a department of Urology. Factory notice of shipment to the College of a Brown-Buerger Cystoscope with Teaching Attachment has been given.

The straightforward manner in which Dr. Blackwood has made his promise and proceeded immediately to fulfill it is commendable and encouraging. Many thanks from the Foundation and the College.

## New Members Named to Osteopathic Foundation

At the annual meeting of the Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation, held Monday evening, June 5, the following men were elected to membership: Dr. Bruce Farmer, Des Moines; Dr. R. H. Singleton, Cleveland; Dr. J. K. Johnson, Jr., Jefferson, Iowa; Dr. L. P. St. Amant, Detroit; Dr. D. F. Johnson, Seattle; Dr. Howard C. Toepfer, Grantsville, W. Va.

### Board of Trustees

Members of the Board of Trustees of the Foundation who have served previously were returned to their positions. These are Mr. J. J. Newlin, Mr. Nelse Hansen, Dr. Paul Park and Dr. Ruth Paul. Dr. Hugh Clark is a member of the Board of Trustees by virtue of his position as President of the Des Moines College. It was voted by the group to increase the Board from five to seven members; there are at present, therefore, two vacancies on the Board of Trustees.

### Public Campaign

Among other matters considered at the meeting was the public campaign for funds for the Clinical Hospital. **The date has been set for the kick-off—August 28. Intensive campaigning will continue until mid-September.** Dr. Mary E. Golden, Chairman of the fund-raising committee, which has done such a magnificent job among the alumni, will continue as chairman of the Public Campaign. Members of the foundation, acting under Dr. Golden's guidance will form a committee of the whole for completing the campaign in the shortest time possible.

## J. R. Capps Elected To Board of Trustees

Mr. J. R. Capps, Vice-President of the Central National Bank of Des Moines, was elected to the Board of Trustees of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy by the Corporate Board of that institution in its annual meeting, Monday evening, June 19.

Mr. Capps is a cordial friend of Osteopathy and of the Des Moines College and is held in most high regard by Des Moines business interests. His association with the College Board is anticipated with respect and pleasure.

## Annual College Meeting Spirited; Aims Toward Progress, Building

The annual meeting of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, represented by 39 members interested in the future of the Des Moines Still College, considered sympathetically and vigorously problems of the College.

### Treasurer's Report

Most bleak of the evening's problems was the presentation of the annual auditor's report, showing an operational deficit for the past year. Included in the statement was a reiteration of the indebtedness of the College, in the amount of \$73,104.62. It was pointed out that there is but one mortgage against College property, held by the Lincoln National Life Insurance Company of Fort Wayne, Indiana. The debt is being amortized by regular monthly payment from funds of the College treasury. It was added that there are outstanding bills in the amount of less than \$300.00.

### President's Report

Principal points brought out in the report of the president to the corporation were as follows:

1. For the tremendous show of alumni confidence and enthusiasm the College owes a debt of gratitude. Funds reaching the College through the Osteopathic Progress Fund, and allocated by the Board of Trustees of the Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation for improvement of laboratory and clinical facilities, indicate an alumni faith and a Foundation foresight which are commendable. A formal letter of appreciation has been sent to the Foundation.

2. Inspection pressure still exists and the need for continued advancement, particularly in the matter of clinical facilities is most urgent. In order to drive home this point, Dr. Clark pointed out the failure to be accepted by the Massachusetts Approving Authority. There is much work yet to be done.

3. Among the accomplishments of the past year have been:

(a) Addition of the 3 faculty men, Dr. L. A. Deitrich as a full time clinic member, and Dr. R. D. Schick as a full time man in Physiology, the former gave up a private practice to be of service to the College, the latter gave up the security of a position with a state university to join our staff (University of Oklahoma),

and R. O. McGill in the department of obstetrical clinic. Dr. McGill came to the College after completing his internship at the D. M. General Hospital.

(b) Organization, expansion and development of the library, principally through the efforts of the STILL COLLEGE CLUB and the Public Relations Committee of the National Alumni Association.

(c) Establishment of a combined curriculum plan with Iowa Wesleyan College, through the agency of Dr. George Sutton, Dr. R. N. MacBain, Dr. R. C. McCaugnan and others of the National Association staff. It was pointed out that this privilege is shared with all of the osteopathic Colleges and that several other midwest colleges are currently considering a similar plan.

(d) Elevation of student standards by installation of 2-year comprehensive examinations, and increased interest and pride in the institution of both students and faculty.

(e) Beginning of research program in the departments of Anatomy and Therapeutics, by Drs. Kimberly and Deitrich. Investigations of both men pertain particularly to cranial technique.

It was pointed out that, although the past year has been one of the most active in the history of the institution, all affairs have not progressed. Enrollment has declined and probably will not show significant increase until the conclusion of the war. Special plea for assistance in the vocational guidance program was made to each attending member.

Emphasis was placed on the role that the college and clinics can play in the matter of rehabilitation. Principal educational feature of the "G.I. Bill of Rights" was pointed out as providing a serviceman's pension plus his vocational disability compensation, if warranted, plus a maximum of \$500 per year for each year the man was in service since September 16, 1940. The College and the staff have a considerable role to play, in cooperation with the Vocational Rehabilitation Administration, in the

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## CASE REPORTS

### Cranial Technique

Case No. 169

Male, age 37

#### Complaint:

Pain present in lower jaw for five days. Pain constant with intermittent spasm which makes eating and speaking difficult.

#### Previous Treatment:

Applied heat which relieved slightly. Had dental examination, with findings negative.

#### Findings:

Pain has localized on the side of the right mandible, at the dental foramen and external rotation of the right temporal

#### Treatment:

Temporal rotation was corrected by the application of cranial technique.

#### Results:

Sharp, stabbing pain stopped immediately. Reports by telephone 5 days later that the pain continued to subside following treatment, and completely disappeared within 24 hours.

Case No. 272

Male, age 7 month

#### Complaint

Weeping eczema of the face and scalp with some slight involvement of the lower extremities since the age of 6 weeks. Sonorous breathing.

#### History:

Mother spent a stormy prenatal session which terminated at 8 months in a 48 hour labor which required the application of forceps to deliver an 8 pound 4 ounce boy. She has been told previously that the forceps were improperly applied and the baby's nose broken. Icterus neonatorum. Difficult breathing since birth. Diagnosis of pigeon chest at 4½ months and rickets at 6½ months.

#### Previous Treatment:

This child has passed through the hands of several medical practitioners and specialists, during which the child was subjected to 67 tests for allergies. The latest treatment being used was an extremely obnoxious ointment composed of wax, tar and miscellaneous ingredients.

#### Findings:

Heart rate 120. Lung sound normal. Thoracic cavity shows light depression at the lower end of the sternum and a small groove at the level of the xyphoid. Abdomen negative. Cervical glands palpably enlarged. Pharynx including tonsils negative. Eyes and ears negative. Skin shows evidences of patchy, crusted lesions which are located at the face, scalp and lower extremities. Spinal examination re-

veals extreme muscle tension and loss of motion which is greatly exaggerated in the lumbar area. The head shows a mild torsion lesion. The child has the appearance of being normal, healthy and robust, with the exception of the skin lesions indicated.

#### Diagnosis:

Osteopathic lesion pathology predominated by the sphenobasilar torsion and the lumbar lesions.

#### Recommended Treatment:

1. Spinal and cranial manipulation.
2. Use of soap and water on entire skin surface, and the discontinuance of all local medication.
3. The use of a normal dietary intake with no regard for the findings of the previous allergy tests.

#### Results:

At the end of 5 days, the lesions on the face were in the best condition they had been since their onset at 6 weeks of age. On the seventh day the face and scalp broke out in the typical herpes facialis. Treatment was continued on alternate days with a gradual improvement evidenced in the clearing of skin lesions and the increased activity of the child in all ways. Sixteen treatments were administered between February 28 and April 7, at which time the child returned home, and correspondence since that time has indicated that the return to good health has been maintained.

—PAUL E. KIMBERLY, D.O.

## Review

### Foundation

During the past four years there has been a remarkable interest in College development shown by the alumni. This has been manifested through the initial efforts of a small, but steadily growing group, to build a teaching, clinical hospital. The original lots for a hospital site were purchased by small subscriptions. Following their purchase the Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation was formed, and formal presentation of the lots was made by Dr. Fred Campbell to Mr. J. J. Newlin, President of the Foundation, more than a year ago.

### Still College Club

The same alumni group which initiated the movement toward hospital construction and the creation of the Foundation, later created the Still College Club. With the funds returning through this channel many improvements were made, including principally a redecoration and a systematization of the library facilities.

### Osteopathic Progress Fund

At the time of completion of the library project, both the Foundation and the College found itself in the midst of a campaign for funds, conducted contem-

poraneously with the campaigns of other colleges under the name of Osteopathic Progress Fund. This campaign yielded approximately \$105,000, and to all intents and purposes was concluded in March, 1944.

### Overall Campaign

The A.O.A. then began its Overall Campaign with two choices for contribution — (1) Give to the Overall, which will be divided equally among the Colleges, or (2) Give to the College of your choice. At the last report available, the Des Moines College total has been raised to more than \$120,000.

The Funds which have come to the "Des Moines College" have actually been deposited with the Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation. Improvements made in the College by way of reorganization and re-equipment of the laboratories have been made with funds donated to the College by the Foundation, which is bound by its statement of purposes, to benevolence toward the College program.

### Prospect

The history cited above, the alumni support, elevation of standards of entrance by the A.O.A. and within the College, enthusiasm among the alumni for college progress, determination to establish a research program, increasing efforts to sell, scientifically, the science of Osteopathy, the necessity of leading in the field of medical education, rather than follow,—all of these items say WE, AS A PROFESSION, ARE GOING FORWARD. If you have not yet gotten aboard the bandwagon of osteopathic success, NOW IS THE TIME.

Our position at the College is clearly stated by publication of the Articles and By-Laws; cooperation and faith in us is expressed by the donation of equipment by the Foundation. More than three hundred osteopathic physicians have expressed faith in us by contributions from \$10 to \$1600 to aid our progress. The College will justify that faith by actions which shall be for the good of the entire profession. In the future, even more than in the past, the College feels that you will be judged by the excellence of the current instruction. You have aided the College; the College is acutely aware of its obligations to you as a physician.

## Dr. Jordan Recovering From Surgery

Dr. Holcomb Jordan, twice president of the State Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons and present Trustee of that group, spent a few days recently at the Des Moines General Hospital, following tonsillectomy. Dr. Jordan, under the care of Dr. Graney, recovered easily from the minor operation and is back at work in Davenport. Best wishes for continued good health.

## Student-Faculty Council Elects Officers

The Student-Faculty council at a recent meeting elected officers for the summer semester. They are as follows: President, J. Scott Heatherington; Vice-president, Dr. L. A. Deitrich; Secretary, Gordon Sherwood; Treasurer, Dr. Paul E. Kimberly.

The organization is made up of four faculty and four student representatives who are elected by their respective classes. The faculty representatives are appointed by the Dean, each member serving as class adviser to the class with which he is most frequently associated.

## Student-Doctor Party Scheduled for June 23

The Student Activities Committee of the Faculty has arranged to combine the Freshman Reception, given each semester by the College, with a get-acquainted party for students and profession in Des Moines and suburbs. Dr. Kimberly, Chairman of the Committee, announces that the date is June 23; the time 9:30 p.m.; the place, the College Auditorium.

The party will serve the purposes of honoring the new students, including upper class transfers, who came to the Des Moines College at the beginning of the May 16 semester, and of acquainting all the college students with each other, their faculty and the alumni and friends of the College. The party will feature dancing, survey of the College for those not familiar with the new developments, and refreshments.

The gathering is sponsored by the College, the Polk County Osteopathic Society and the Public Relations Committee of the National Alumni Association. Everybody is going to be there, so save the date, and get acquainted with our student body and our faculty.

## Alumni Deaths

**Dr. James O. Humbert** of Minneapolis, graduate of the class of 1926, passed away on May 7, 1944.

**Dr. John Paul Jones** of Buckhannon, Wes Virginia, and Des Moines graduate of 1928, died on April 26, 1944. Dr. Jones was a most active alumnus and active member of both national and divisional osteopathic societies. His loss will be keenly felt by fellow-practitioners of West Virginia as well as by the Des Moines Still College.

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Editor.....Hugh Clark, Ph.D.

Osteopathy Without Limitation

## Again— The \$100-a-Year Club

Response to previous LOG BOOK notices regarding the \$100-a-Year Club has been favorable. One state has set about organization of a plan for full membership of all the physicians in the State. Others have shown an equally keen interest, but have not established the machinery of operation. Membership now in the \$100-a-Year Club will be included in the Over-all Campaign total, and we are anxious to boost that total to its peak before initiating our Public Campaign. Total alumni contributions to date are over of the \$150,000 mark.

Scarcely a member of the profession is not actually surprised by the magnificent showing of the osteopathic physicians in support of osteopathic education. Not a member of the profession who has contributed to the Campaign exists who does not feel a greater pride in his profession because of the progress made in his school. Des Moines alumni may be especially proud for the work that has been accomplished:

1. Two faculty members have been added (Dr. R. D. Schick in Physiology and Dr. L. A. Deitrich in the Clinic).

2. The Library has received approximately \$700 in books, and subscribes to approximately 30 journals which are bound annually. As a result of the improvements made in the library, the State Medical Library regularly loans to the College library 30 journals. A librarian is maintained on duty, full-time.

3. A G-E Diagnostic x-ray unit has been purchased for the clinic and is slated for delivery this month.

4. Laboratories have been re-modeled, reequipped and reorganized.

5. Iowa Wesleyan College has announced a plan for granting a Bachelor's degree after 3 years work at that institution and completion of the curriculum for the degree D.O. This is almost certainly an outgrowth of our educational expansion, and in itself constitutes one of the principle forms of educational expansion.

6. The splendid alumni showing makes it possible to approach the public for additional funds, which should exceed those contributed by the alumni. (The date for

## BY-LAWS of the

DES MOINES STILL COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHY

*Because of the interest shown in the publication of the Articles of Incorporation of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, the By-Laws are reprinted below.*

### Duties of the President

It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Corporation, of the Board of Trustees and of the Executive Committee; to announce the business of each meeting; to state properly all questions to be voted upon; to preserve order and decorum and to decide questions of order subject to appeal.

He shall be Chairman of the Executive Committee.

He shall exercise general supervision over the conduct of the College, and in the absence of any officer he shall exercise or direct the duties of that office during such absence. In the absence of the President, his duties shall be assumed by the Dean.

### Duties of the Secretary

It shall be the duty of the Secretary to keep record of all meetings, and to have custody of all papers and books belonging to the Corporation not especially under the charge of any other officer.

He shall keep the books of the college.

It shall be the duty of the Secretary or his assistant to receive money for the Clinic and for the infirmary charges, also to issue tickets for these.

It shall be his duty, pursuant to order from the Executive Committee to purchase all supplies for the college and to see that Janitor service, coal, water, gas, electricity and laundry are provided for.

### Duties of the Treasurer

It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to make out all contracts with the students, to collect all money for the same, to act as custodian of the funds of the Corporation and to deposit same in such bank or banks as may be chosen by the Executive Committee.

He shall give bond for five thousand dollars (\$5000.00) the fee for which shall be paid by the Corporation.

It shall be his duty to collect the endowment fund, to deposit it as provided for and to invest the same or part thereof in such ways as the Executive Committee may direct.

It shall be his duty to issue checks only on order from the President or Executive Committee, or endorsed by the President's O. K.; and in the absence of the President, the Secretary shall issue such orders or give his O. K. in payment of all obligations of the Corporation, and if any error be detected in such orders, it shall be his duty to call the attention of the President, or in his absence, the attention of the Secretary to the same, and in case of any disagreement the question shall be referred to the Trustees for settlement. He shall submit to the Executive Committee at the end of each month a report of all money received and disbursed and the balance on hand.

### Executive Committee

The Executive Committee of the Corporation shall consist of the President, Dean and Secretary.

It shall be the duty of the Executive Committee to meet once a month at the call of the President; to receive the reports of the Treasurer and Secretary, and to exercise discretionary powers in all matters pertaining to the conduct of the college affairs during the adjournment of the Trustees.

### General

All papers and books pertaining to the Corporation shall be kept in the safe at the college. There shall be an Auditing Committee which shall be appointed by the Corporation each year at its annual meeting in May. This Committee shall audit the Treasurer's books at such times as the Board of Trustees may direct.

the kick-off of the public campaign in Des Moines is August 28). Continued support of the College in the form of the \$100-a-year Club would assure complete success of the campaign to the public.

Additional obligations of the College brought on by the program of expansion necessitate that the College seek financial aid in order to continue educational services. Student tuition, Clinic fees and casual gifts are not sufficient to maintain the institution at its present capacity. Seven state and national "inspections" are pending. Preparation must be made for these, by

way of continuing the policy of expansion, and maintenance of high scholastic standards. Others will follow the initial surveys, and Osteopathy must consider itself to have embarked on a program of permanent, progressive development. Osteopathy must continue as a profession in the interest of public health and scientific advancement in the field of the healing arts. The Colleges must therefore exist. And in order that the colleges continue, they must have the support of alumni. We at Des Moines openly seek that support through the medium of the \$100-a-Year Club.

## Dr. John Woods

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mittee and Dr. Luka, a 1944 graduate, is Chairman of the Membership Committee. Dr. Rachel Payne was elected to be Secretary for 1944-45.

**Dr. Freeman**, 1939 graduate of the Des Moines College, was graduated from Southwestern College, Winfield, Kansas. She received her M.S. degree from the University of Oklahoma, in the Department of Zoology, in 1930. From 1933 until coming to Des Moines in 1935, she was on the staff of Okmulgee Junior College in Oklahoma. She has served since her graduation from the Des Moines Still College as a part-time instructor on the staff of the College.

**Dr. Rachel Payne** is a 1942 graduate of the Des Moines College and since her graduation has served an internship at the Des Moines General Hospital. Dr. Payne is a resident of Des Moines and did her preosteopathic work at Drake University. She is at present Associate in Radiology at the Des Moines General Hospital.

**Dr. Leo Luka** was graduated in May, 1944. He has established an office in the Fleming Building in Des Moines. During his studentship at the Des Moines College Dr. Luka distinguished himself for his clinical work.

## Foundation Studies Hospital Plans

The Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation, Inc., having approved and signed a contract with Wetherell and Harrison, Architects, of Des Moines, is cooperating with that firm in laying basic plans for Hospital construction.

Tentative plans call for a first floor with ambulant clinic and general examination rooms, kitchen, laundry, clinical laboratory for teaching and hospital service, x-ray department, storage, emergency room and waiting room. Second floor would contain general offices, waiting room, staff room and library, internes' quarters, utility rooms, pediatric ward and hospital beds. Third floor would be devoted entirely to beds and necessary utilities. Fourth floor would be devoted to surgery, delivery rooms, nursery and necessary equipment for the staff.

It is understood that these plans constitute only a working point and do not indicate the final pattern, which may actually be considerably modified from the foregoing description. However, work is going ahead rapidly on the project.

## NOTICE

If and when you change your address, please notify the Log Book promptly.

## ΦΣΓ

The main event to be reported from the Phi Sigma Gamma house is the annual spring formal last June 2. The affair was a huge success and a wonderful time was had by all. It was held at 2141 Grand ave. Arnie Lidell and his band furnished the music. We are now looking forward to our fall shuffle.

We are looking forward to a grand year under our new officers. Starting with the repainting of the recreation room in the basement, the house is being brightened up and fixed up as we get time and the money comes in.

Starting right after vacation we are planning to set up a table again and serve meals. It is a big project, but under our president, Mickey Clausung, it is shaping up in grand shape. We have phoned for Mrs. Kelly, who was our house mother before, and who some of the alumni may remember, is coming back to cook for us.

—J. S.

## O. M. C. C.

On May 16th members of the O.W.C.C. met at the home of Miriam Raub with Gerry Heatherington acting as co-hostess. After the business meeting the evening was spent making scrapbooks for the children at the hospital, and mending old clothes which they brought to the meeting to be given to the Greek War Relief.

The meeting on June 6th was quite an interesting one as the members were given a demonstration on home nursing by the Red Cross. The remainder of the evening was spent at the home of Laura Allshouse with Helen Sherwood serving as co-hostess, where we had our business meeting and refreshments followed.

Our picnic this year was held on Sunday, June 18th.

—M. R.

## ATLAS CLUB

Atlas initiation ceremonies were held June 5th. The new brothers are Larry Abbott and Marion Thompson. June 9th we held our Freshman Shaker at the King Ying Lou restaurant. Dr. Bachman was the speaker, he gave us a most interesting talk dealing with problems that confront students and doctors of osteopathy. In the current interfraternity softball series Atlas has won its first two games, the third will be played Saturday, June 17, with the PSG team.

Three weeks ago the members and the new freshmen were entertained by Dr. Barquist at his home. We wish to thank Dr. Barquist for his kindness.

—L. R.

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## ITS

The beginning of the new semester ushered in the new officers of Iota Tau Sigma. They are: President, H. W. Merrill; Vice President, C. P. Christianson; Secretary, James Barnett; Treasurer, Wendell Taylor; Corresponding Secretary, Paul Reichstadt; Historian, John Slater; Chapter Editor, H. Roy Rasmussen.

On the evening of June 7, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Cash, Iota Tau Sigma entertained the recently enrolled new members of the Des Moines College. Many outdoor activities had been planned, because of ground facilities available at Dr. Cash's home. However, rain forced us all inside. Luckily the Cashes are blessed with plenty of inside room and an enjoyable evening of conversation, cards and a delightful buffet supper served by Mesdames Slater, Christianson, and Mrs. Cash were enjoyed by all present.

Iota Tau Sigma extends its welcome to this exceptionally fine group of new students on the Des Moines College Roster. On last Saturday, the Beta Chapter of ITS defeated the LOG'S. Two more games remain to be played in the softball series. Batter up —Play Ball!

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## Faculty Group Pledges Graduate Program Support

At a recent meeting of the Faculty of the Des Moines College the problem of postwar graduate instruction received serious attention. Every member present vowed earnest effort and support for a program of specialist training and refresher work for service men returning to civilian life.

The group expressed its views specifically on topics of X-ray, Obstetrics, Surgery, Manipulative Therapy, Pathology, Parasitology and Preventive Medicine, Applied Anatomy and Basic Sciences. Formal announcement of the program will be made in the new College Catalog which is now in preparation. Details will appear in a later issue of the LOG BOOK.

## Dr. E. C. Mossman Moves To Chippewa Falls, Wis.

Dr. E. C. Mossman, graduate of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, has moved from his original location in Superior, Wisconsin to Chippewa Falls. The LOG BOOK extends to Dr. Mossman best wishes for success in his new location.

## Notice

The following letter was received by the college office.

Mrs. K. M. Robinson, Sec.  
Des Moines Still College  
Des Moines, Ia.

Dear Madam:

There is a confidence man operating in the Middle West who I think, should be exposed. He pretends to service short wave diathermy and x-ray equipment. I have been told that his name is H. R. Flake of Des Moines.

This man will "test" short wave or x-ray tubes and announce that they are only working "about half"; then will arrange to trade the doctor another tube which is undoubtedly a used one and usually the wrong size. He will charge more than the OPA ceiling price and state that he must take the old tube to get the priority. Thus he will leave much richer than when he came and is still equipped to victimize some other doctor.

The worst feature of it is that he leaves the equipment in such condition that the tubes are likely to burn out. All told, the adventure is likely to prove very expensive.

All the D.O.s should be warned of this man's methods since I have learned that he has been working this trick in this territory for many years.

Faternally and sincerely,

M. W. MYERS, D.O.

## Annual College Meeting

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program of rehabilitation through education.

A strong recommendation for future activities included increased emphasis on manipulation in the osteopathic curriculum. Emphasis should be placed not only on osteopathic principles and osteopathic technique, but also on correlation of these phases of instruction with the clinical application of them. Suggestions were cordially received by the members present, particularly by those men who are associated with the faculty.

### Amendments

The amendments to Article V and Article IX of the Articles of Incorporation of the College as published in the May issue of the LOG BOOK were passed unanimously. These amendments are repeated below.

**ARTICLE V.** Amend by adding the following stipulation:

"Honorary members of the corporation, without the privilege of voting, may be elected in the same manner as active, voting members."

**ARTICLE IX.** Amend by adding the following:

In the event of dissolution of the corporation, either voluntary or involuntary, its Board of Trustees and the Executive Committee of the American Osteopathic Asso-

ciation shall mutually determine the mode of disposition of its assets, in such manner as to promote the best interests of the Osteopathic Profession through an educational program, research program or such other means as may be mutually devised; provided, however, that such assets shall be distributed only to corporations or trusts organized and operated exclusively for scientific, educational, or charitable purposes, no part of the net earnings or income of which inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual, and no substantial part of the activities of which is carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting, to influence legislation."

### Honorary Membership

Sixteen members, previously listed as active in the Corporation chose to be considered Honorary Members, without the privilege of voting, in the future. Membership was reduced to 37 active members by these voluntary actions.

### New Members

New members elected to the Corporate Board of the College are Dr. Dewitte Goode, Runnels, Iowa and Mr. J. R. Capps, Vice-President of the Central National Bank of Des Moines. Mr. Capps was later elected to the Board of Trustees of the College. Other members of the Board of Trustees were returned to office.

HUGH CLARK,  
President.

## Dr. Facto Addresses Idaho Osteopathic Association

Dr. L. L. Facto, head of the clinical department of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, appeared on the convention program of the Idaho Osteopathic Association at Twin Falls, Idaho, on May 27 and 28.

## Dr. W. D. Andrews Elected President of Hospital Association

Officers of the Iowa Osteopathic Hospital Association elected at its annual meeting on Monday, May 15, are: Dr. W. D. Andrews, Algona, president; Dr. Verne J. Wilson, Des Moines, vice-president; and Dwight S. James, Des Moines, Secretary-Treasurer.

## Dr. E. W. Kapfer Has Moved to Creston

Dr. Edgar W. Kapfer, osteopathic physician from Burto Kansas, took over the office the late Dr. Sherman Opp Creston the latter part of April. His wife and 12 year old son joined Dr. Kapfer at the close of the recent school term.



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## Dr. Schick Accepts Physiology Position

Dr. R. Dean Schick, of Lake Orion, Michigan, has joined the staff of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy in the Department of Physiology.

Dr. Schick received his Bachelor's degree from the University of Michigan, in 1932; his Master's degree in the same institution in 1933, and his Ph.D. from Michigan in 1942. From 1934 to 1936 he was teaching assistant in the Department of Zoology and from 1937 to 1941 held a fellowship in the same department. He was on the staff of the Medical School of Ohio State University as instructor in 1941 and 1942. From 1942 to the present he was assistant professor of Animal Biology at the University of Oklahoma in Norman.

Dr. Schick is a member of Phi Sigma Honorary Biology Society, Sigma Xi Honorary Scientific Society and the Oklahoma Academy of Science. His research interests have been principally in the field of hormones of reproduction. He plans to continue this work at the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy. He has earned considerable recognition in the teaching profession for his visual aids in teaching. Most notable among these is a machine shown widely at scientific meetings for demonstration of the correlated action of the several hormones concerned with female physiology.

Dr. Schick is married, age 33, and has three children—Kay, age 9, Denny, age 7, and Derry, age 4.

## Osteopathic Teaching Looks to the Future

The present war is providing unparalleled opportunities for the entrance into this country of pathogenic agents and disease vectors that have played little or no part in our past medical history.

We must be alert in recognizing these new imported diseases in all of their stages so that they can be treated, isolated, or otherwise controlled in order to minimize their danger to us. For the post-war period we will not only be concerned with the effects of tropical diseases on our own soil, but we will take a leading role in preventive medicine throughout the world. This can mean

only one thing—that, beginning now, greater stress must be placed on the numerous subjects of this field by initiating into the curricula of our osteopathic schools those subjects now neglected and yet so vital for an understanding of post-war diseases. Opportunities for fundamental research must be provided; better training must be developed through increased teaching facilities so that we can more ably fulfill the responsibilities that will come to us as a result of our greater contacts with these less familiar diseases.

Today, when visual and audiovisual teaching aids are definitely establishing their worth, it appears that no teacher should continue to ignore so forceful a teaching medium to facilitate the learning of the new and vital subjects now being introduced in the field of preventive medicine. This method of teaching is in no sense a radical departure from the accepted and prescribed practices of teaching. Scientifically controlled research and study have revealed the effectiveness of visual and audiovisual teaching in the learning process.

It has been shown by research specialists that students using sound films in natural science learn 27 percent more than those taught by the ordinary classroom methods. Other tests have shown that motion pictures have increased the accumulation of knowledge and ideas as much as 35 percent and, retention of this knowledge, as much as 55 percent.

The film, a most valuable scientific aid to teaching, is not intended to do away with the teacher or the textbook but to make their instruction more efficient.

Our osteopathic colleges, as well as other schools of the healing art, are not availing themselves of the advantages and opportunities which visual and audiovisual instruction has to offer.

Because of the support and interest shown by faculty members of the Des Moines Still College, an attempt has been made, during the past semester, to develop a visual education program in the Department of Preventive Medicine. Greater use of charts, models, slides, still pictures and moving pictures has been undertaken. Two dozen new charts and nine dozen new 2 in. x 2 in. slides have recently been purchased.

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## The War Service Conference

From July 12th to July 18th osteopathic physicians will have a golden opportunity to acquaint themselves with recent advancements in their science and with new problems to be faced as members of the Armed Forces are discharged. Special meetings, beginning July 12th, in the various specialties of osteopathy, will provide a 20-ring circus of education. Osteopathic conventions always well attended have served through the years to promote professional interest through organizational enthusiasm, education and perfection of the individual in his special field.

This year should be the greatest of all conventions because it is a preparation for gigantic post-war problems. Each physician should make a most earnest effort to attend the convention for what may be the last pre-armistice training for the post-war period.

## 500 and 1000 Clubs Continue to Grow

Contributions continue to pour in through the agency of the Overall Campaign and the Progress Fund Committees. Members of the 500 and 1000 Clubs, not previously published, are listed below. Membership in the 500 Club now stands at 103, and in the 1000 Club at 16.

It is anticipated that the membership in both groups will take a rapid jump during the convention both in new pledges and in additions to former pledges. The plaques for both the 500 Club and the 1000 club will be displayed at the College booth in the National Convention.

New members are:

Dr. W. D. Andrews (1000)  
Dr. Carl V. Blech  
Dr. A. C. Borchardt  
Dr. Joseph W. Clark  
Dr. Howard Cook  
Dr. Donald J. Evans  
Dr. J. R. Forbes  
Dr. Thomas R. Griffith  
Dr. Milton C. Hammer  
Dr. Frederick Hecker  
Dr. Carl G. Johnson  
Dr. J. L. Koch  
Dr. E. J. LaChance  
Dr. John Q. A. Mattern  
Dr. Angela McCreary  
Dr. W. R. McLaughlin  
Dr. Robert G. Mertens  
Dr. Lowell T. Morgan

## Des Moines College Faculty Entertains Drake Men

The faculty of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy on June 23 held a seminar meeting, which was well attended by both the Des Moines College Staff and the Drake science staff. Chief features of the meeting were an illustrated lecture, "Postwar Problems of Medicine," by Prof. H. W. Merrill of the Department of Bacteriology, and inspection of



Dr. J. B. Shumaker  
Attends Faculty Meeting

the College improvements by the visitors.

Attending the meeting were Dr. Luther Stalnaker, Dean of the College of Liberal Arts; Dr. George Crossen, Dean of the College of Pharmacy; Dr. George C. Huff, Chairman of the Department of Biology and Acting Head of the Graduate Division; Dr. Leland Johnson, Professor, Department of Biology; and Dr. J. B. Shumaker, Professor, Department of Chemistry.

Both the osteopathic group and the Drake group were well pleased with Professor Merrill's discussion of a vital topic, and all were well pleased with the improvements which have been made in the physical plant.

The program, initiating a series of non-business, seminar meetings is an auspicious beginning. Announcement of the next meeting will be made in the August issue of the LOG BOOK.

Dr. Raymond Perdue  
Dr. Charles H. Potter  
Dr. Richard C. Rogers  
Dr. Robert Somers  
Dr. Homer Sprague  
Dr. A. E. Smith (1000)  
Dr. H. D. Wright

## Mechanics of the Cerebro-Spinal Fluid

Much of the physiology of the cerebro-spinal fluid is as yet unknown. The known facts are not widely appreciated or applied in general practice. This brief review is presented in the hope that it may refresh the memory, and clarify some of the symptomatology and treatment associated with cranial injuries and diseases.

Most of the cerebro-spinal fluid is formed within the lateral ventricles of the brain, by the choroid plexuses. These capillary networks appear to function much the same as the glomeruli of the kidneys, except that the control mechanism differs. The filtrate, which is the cerebro-spinal fluid, normally contains the inorganic salts and the small uncomplicated molecules in approximately the same proportion as the blood plasma; the amount of protein is normally very minute. When inflamed, the permeability of the filtering membranes is increased, and, as in the case with the glomeruli, proteins and perhaps red blood cells appear in the filtrate.

The amount of filtrate produced depends upon three factors: First, the back-pressure, or the pressure exerted upon the outside of the plexuses by the cerebro-spinal fluid already within the ventricles. When this pressure is abnormally low, large quantities of fluid may be produced. When it is high, little additional fluid is produced. Second, the amount of fluid produced depends upon the state of dilatation of the capillaries of the network. Stimulation of the cervical sympathetics results in constriction, and vagal stimulation results in dilatation of these vessels. Third, the relative concentration of the blood is an important factor. In hemodilution, formation of the fluid is increased; in hemo-concentration, formation of the fluid is decreased. These factors are important in the production of meningism of youngsters, and in the treatment of certain types of intracranial hypertension in oldsters.

Because most of the cerebro-spinal fluid is produced within the lateral ventricles of the brain, its circulation starts at that point. Newly-formed fluid constantly forces the previously formed fluid through the foramina of Munro to the third ventricle, thence through the aqueduct of Sylvius to the fourth ventricle. From here it passes through the foramina of Lushka into the subarachnoid space at the base of the brain. These multiple small openings in the roof of the fourth ventricle may become occluded by a fibrinous membrane in meningitis, resulting in a non-communicating hydrocephalus.

The subarachnoid space in the basal regions is somewhat en-

larged, forming the so-called basal cisterns. From here the cerebro-spinal fluid flows upward through the subarachnoid space to the arachnoid granulations and villi of the great venous sinuses where it is constantly being resorbed into the blood. Some fluid is probably added, and some is probably absorbed enroute.

This leaves unexplained the circulation of the fluid within the subarachnoid space of the spinal canal. Some fluid is probably produced by the capillaries of the spinal cord, and some of it is undoubtedly absorbed there. But the circulation within the spinal canal is known to be much slower, more stagnant than that of the cranial cavity. In cranial injuries and infections the protein and cell count of the spinal fluid remains elevated long after the cranial fluid has returned to nearly normal.

Functions of the cerebro-spinal fluid are:

1. Support of the intracranial and intraspinal structures.
2. Hydrostatic regulation of intracranial and intraspinal blood volume, and subsequently venous drainage.
3. Lubrication between the brain and spinal cord and their bony cavities.
4. Limited protection for intracranial structures.
5. Probable medium for exchange of metabolic materials.
6. Probable means of stabilizing blood volume and venous drainage of the inner ear.

Since very slight strain on the nerves and great vessels of the basilar area of the brain results in pain, support of a nature that does not change appreciably with shift of position is essential for the brain structures. Normally this support is attained by the flotation effect of the cerebro-spinal fluid. Basic weight of the brain is about 1300 grams. It has a specific gravity of about 1.040. Specific gravity of the cerebro-spinal fluid is about 1.007 to 1.008. Hence the buoyant effect of the cerebro-spinal fluid upon the brain is about 1260 grams, leaving slightly more than 40 grams to be supported by the non-fluid structures of the cranium. This major support is unaffected by changes in pressure alone.

The stabilizing effect of the cerebro-spinal fluid upon intracranial blood supply and drainage is commonly overlooked. But it should be apparent if we consider that the cranio-spinal vault is a closed cavity. The only functional openings normally present are those formed by the blood vessels entering and leaving the cavity. The bony walls form a fairly rigid, unyielding structure of essentially unchanging volume. Hence, any change of intracranial blood volume must be accompanied by an opposite change in cerebro-spinal fluid volume. If the amount of

cerebro-spinal fluid is increased, blood volume must decrease; if cerebro-spinal fluid is lost, blood volume must increase. Since the cerebral veins are thin-walled, without valves, and without support (other than that offered by their terminal attachments and the cerebro-spinal fluid) most of the change in blood volume occurs in these vessels. An abnormal drop in cerebro-spinal fluid pressure results in distension of these veins. A rise in cerebro-spinal fluid pressures is accompanied by partial or complete collapse of these veins. Distension of the veins may reach a point where tension upon the basal structures apparently causes headache, as in chronic loss of fluid following diagnostic spinal puncture. Collapse of intracranial veins or vessels may extend to the point where cerebral ischemia and fatal brain edema develop, as in cranial injuries with subarachnoid hemorrhage, or in intracranial infection producing effusions and edema fluid.

Intracranial arterial and venous pressures change rather markedly as a person changes position. In the upright position, venous pressures are low, in the horizontal they are somewhat higher; in the vertical head-down position, intracranial venous pressures are markedly increased. Probably comparable changes take place in the arterial system; both are due to the presence or absence of the weight of a column of blood above the pressure point. But intracranial cerebro-spinal fluid pressure appears to parallel these vascular pressures, preventing collapse of the vessels when a person is upright, and preventing distension when he stoops or stands on his head. A similar mechanism probably stabilizes the circulation of the inner ear, since an extension of the membranous labyrinth containing endolymph is enclosed between the dual layers, thereby effecting a communication of intracranial pressure changes to the inner ear.

### Summary

1. Pathological increases in intracranial pressure may disturb normal cerebral circulation. This increased pressure may be relieved therapeutically before brain edema develops by repeated spinal tap and drainage, by intravenous hypertonic solutions, or by manipulation, as indicated.

2. Pathological decrease in intracranial pressure may cause headache. This may result from cranial fracture with loss of cerebro-spinal fluid, or from diagnostic spinal tap. Treatment consists essentially of maintaining the patient in a horizontal position until the break in the arachnoid layer is healed. Injection of normal saline into the subarachnoid space in quantity sufficient to raise cerebro-spinal fluid pressure to normal, or manipulation of the cervical and cranial regions may give immediate relief, but the horizontal

## CASE REPORTS

Case No. 131

Female—29 years

Occupation—Cosmetologist

### Complaint

Continuous pressure in the right eye with some aching over the entire right side of the head. (2) Occasional periods of heavy breathing. (3) Occasional periods of gas formation in the stomach. (4) Continuous low back ache.

### History

The symptoms developed after being thrown from a horse and striking the back of the head and left shoulder at the age of 20.

### Previous Treatment

Has had osteopathic treatments over the nine year period as often as once daily and never more distant than one month. Temporary relief was offered, which lasted about twenty-four hours. Previous osteopathic diagnosis was a hypermobile sacro-iliac and occipito atlantal lesions.

### Findings

Extension of the sphenobasilar joint plus occipito atlantal, first and second dorsal, and sacro-iliac lesions.

### Treatment

Osteopathic treatments for the correction of cranial and spinal lesions.

### Results

First treatment relieved soreness in head and back entirely for two days. Second treatment relieved all symptoms for a period of five days. Third treatment relieved symptoms for ten days. An additional four treatments were administered at two week intervals in order to maintain correction until the tissues normalized. After one year, there has been no recurrence.

Case No. 154

Female 23 years

Occupation Clerical work

### Complaint

(1) Projectile type of vomiting following meals, five years duration. (2) Increasing deafness in the right ear. (3) Pain in the neck and upper back.

### History

No major illnesses. Has had tonsillectomy, and several extractions. The vomiting began fol-

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position should be maintained until the wound heals.

**NOTE:** From experiments as yet unpublished it is known that bitemporal pressure, particularly over mastoid region, measurably increases intracranial pressure. Alternate pressure and release probably serves to alter intracranial circulation temporarily. Slow drop of cerebro-spinal fluid pressure is probably one of the factors of fatigue.

—L. A. DETTRICK, D.O.

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Osteopathy Without Limitation

## Osteopathic Training For Veterans

The passage of the much discussed G. I. Bill, part of whose features includes a provision for rehabilitation through education, can be of the utmost significance in the development of Osteopathy. According to the bill, later modified, "disabled" veterans may receive, in addition to their basic pension and allotment for disablement, a maximum of \$500.00 per year for each year that they have been in the service since 1940, for a period not to exceed four years.

In order to make this program most effective from the point of view of rehabilitation and osteopathic progress, a good deal of work must be done by the osteopathic profession in cooperation with vocational rehabilitation officers. The entire plan for vocational guidance is not worked out in detail to handle the large number of men who will be dismissed from the Armed Forces at the cessation of hostilities. Currently, however, the problem is being handled by state agencies and the possibilities for a sincere osteopathic effort to help should be pointed out to the state officers. Such contact has been made with the Office of Rehabilitation for Iowa, Chief Officer of which is Mr. J. C. Johnson. The state or district rehabilitation officer should be notified by catalog, special bulletins and literature of precise plans of which any veteran may take advantage. This may apply either to young men or women who have completed preosteopathic requirements, or osteopathic graduates who will be seeking further advanced specialized training, in order to return to their civilian practices.

**More will be said on this topic as program of both the government and the osteopathic colleges are completed in detail.**

Veterans who consider themselves eligible for education and training under this act and those now enrolled in school or college should write either the regional office of the Veterans' Administration located in the territory in which they live expressing a desire to enroll as a student. Without waiting for a reply veterans may continue in the institution in which they are now studying and those not now attending school or college may enroll in an education or training institu-

tion which desires to admit them for the program of courses they wish to pursue.

## Student-Faculty Party A Fine Success

The Student-Faculty party was a splendid success, attended by 125 students, faculty and alumni in the College Auditorium. The evening became cool enough to enjoy dancing and those who attended were pleased with the program.

At intermission the group was entertained by a song by Dr. Victor Englund, two vocal numbers by Mr. H. Roy Rasmusson, a junior student, and piano selections by Dr. R. O. McGill and Mr. Robert Sedar—thus representing the students, faculty and alumni on the program.

The Program was arranged by Dr. P. E. Kimberly, chairman of the Student Activities Committee, and his committeemen, Dr. H. A. Barquist and Dr. J. Q. A. Matern. The party was specifically a freshmen reception, arranged in such a manner that alumni might also attend and inspect College improvements. All felt that the institutional changes were excellently done and feel a new sense of pride in their alma mater.

## Editorial Champions Osteopathic Commissions

*(The following piece is  
excerpted from the July  
FORUM.)*

"Many fine doctors who use only medicine in their practice recognize that osteopathy has a place in the healing art which medicine cannot supply," says an editorial appearing in the October 13 editorial column of Ohio's Bowling Green Tribune, "and on the other hand, there are in medicine elements which adjustments of the spine and other bones of the body cannot reach with the promptness of drugs. . . .

"Despite the fact that Congress has enacted laws providing for the commissioning of osteopaths in the Navy, the latter thus far has declined to accept the services of such men. But in the present great war in which the value of first aid by nurses, and by soldiers and sailors trained as pharmacists' mates is recognized, it would see that the Navy ought to avail itself of proffered services of osteopaths whose technic has added much to healing of civilians. Congress has recognized this by its law; and the Navy should do likewise."

### NOTICE

If and when you change your address, please notify the Log Book promptly.

## The George W. Sutton Scholarship

*(The following report of  
Dr. Sutton's offer of a  
scholar is an excerpt from  
the July FORUM.)*

A scholarship offer has been made by George W. Sutton, DMS, '40, Mount Pleasant, Iowa, effective beginning September 12, 1944, for three school years thereafter. The full tuition at Iowa Wesleyan amounting to \$248 each school year will be paid. This is restricted to those students who promise beforehand to take the full three-year degree course at Iowa Wesleyan. The young man or woman applying for the scholarship must submit to the selecting committee: 1. A letter of recommendation from his osteopathic physician and two other citizens who are not related to him. 2. The necessary information required by the selecting committee concerning himself and why he needs such a scholarship. 3. A 500-word letter stating why he desires to be an osteopathic physician and what his plans for life are.

The committee designated by Dr. Sutton as having full and final authority in the selection of the scholarship student is the Academic Committee of Iowa Wesleyan College. All who wish to take advantage of this offer should write immediately to Professor Harold E. Nelson, Chairman of the Academic Committee, Iowa Wesleyan College, Mount Pleasant, Iowa, for Application Blanks, as all applications must be in the hands of the committee on or before August 1, 1944. The committee plans to make its decision immediately thereafter. Any candidate desiring to interview Professor Nelson or other members of the committee may do so.

Dr. Sutton makes this offer for two reasons: 1. Because early in his life an education was made possible to him through the kindly help of an older friend and he would like to pass it on. 2. He is very much interested in stimulating the three-year training program among young people interested in osteopathy.

The first two-year preosteopathic course will begin September, 1944, the second in January, and the third in September, 1945, and the fourth in January, 1946. The three-year Bachelor degree course, called the preosteopathic degree course, consists of the two-year course with 30 additional hours, making a total of 90 hours in which there must be 15 or more in one department other than the laboratory sciences, and also 6 hours in English composition, and 6 in religion and philosophy. It is recommended that any free hours shall be devoted to abnormal psychology, foreign languages, speech literature and music.

"The Bureau of Professional Education and Colleges of the American Osteopathic Association is pleased to note the proposal of Iowa Wesleyan College, covering two alternative curricula offered by that college for preosteopathic preparatory course," according to a statement signed by Dr. R. McFarlane Tilley, chairman of the Bureau of Professional Education and Colleges of the American Osteopathic Association that appeared in the Iowa Wesleyan College Bulletin. Dr. Tilley goes on to say:

"One of the courses proposed is designed for completion of two collegiate years of approximately nine months each, and the other for completion in three college years. On successful completion of the latter course and the full course in an osteopathic college approved by the A.O.A., the college plans to grant to the student either the degree of Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Arts, whichever indicated.

"The Bureau is glad to approve Iowa Wesleyan College for these courses and to recommend that institution to all approved osteopathic colleges and to students who plan to become osteopathic physicians and surgeons."

Iowa Wesleyan is one of the three oldest colleges west of the Mississippi river, having been founded in 1842, before there was a state of Iowa. It is said to be one of the first two schools to give a degree to a woman. It is accredited by the State Board of Education, the Methodist Senate, and the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. It has eight college buildings, including two large dormitories for girls, barracks and frat houses for boys. It has one teacher for every ten students.

This announcement is of special interest to osteopathic physicians who have occasion to advise young persons aspiring to become doctors of osteopathy, and especially to vocational guidance directors and to counselors. The arrangement was completed as a result of negotiations carried on by Stanley D. Niles, President of Iowa Wesleyan College, Drs. R. McFarlane Tilley, and R. C. McCaughan for the American Osteopathic Association, and Dr. R. N. MacBain for the American Association of Osteopathic Colleges.

## Birth

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Merrill have announced the birth of a son, Halbert Waldo, born July 11, 1944. The College extends congratulations and best wishes, through the LOG BOOK, to the proud parents.

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## ΦΣΓ

In an attempt to beat the heat and gas rationing, the members of Phi Sigma Gamma, under the supervision of Brother Mickey Clausing, are beginning work on a picnic set-up with a barbecue pit in the back yard. Upon its completion, the chapter will hold an all-school weiner roast and informal dance at the chapter house.

In answer to the question, "Where shall we eat?", Phi Sigma Gamma offers the hospitality of her table to the students at Still College starting July 24th. The delay in opening was brought about by the difficulties encountered in getting the kitchen and dining room redecorated.

Contrary to the opinion that may be derived from reading this article, the Phi Sigs do think of other things besides eating. Initiation and pledging ceremonies have been scheduled for the week of August first.

—H. E. H.

## ΨΣΑ

At an initiation ceremony held in the chapel of the Hamilton Funeral Home, Gamma Chapter of Psi Sigma Alpha initiated the following men: Homer Allshouse, Hoy Eakle, Fred Lowrie, H. W. Merrill, Gordon Sherwood and Ed Yogus. To these men we extend our sincerest congratulations for maintaining their outstanding scholastic averages over the period of five semesters.

At a dinner meeting of the members and alumni, to be held during the first week following the summer vacation, a paper on a scientific subject of his own choice will be presented by one of the new initiates.

The chapter at this time wishes to welcome the new freshmen and transfer students to Still College. We urge you to strive for high scholastic averages for yourselves, your college and your profession.

## O.M.C.C.

Due to vacations during the month of July, the meeting on July 18 at the home of Helen Reichstadt has been changed to July 25 at which time there will be election of officers. We hope every member will make a special effort to attend.

—M. R.

## ATLAS CLUB

The last meeting of the pre-vacation season was held Monday night at the home of Lester Raub. The most prominent feature of the business meeting was an enthusiastic discussion of the practical work night which Dr. Bachman so graciously extended to us, to be held soon after we return from vacation.

We wish to take this opportunity to congratulate our new pledges, Lennert Lorentson and

Norbert Heichelbech. Also, we wish everyone to be having a fine rest during the holiday period.

## ΔΩ

The first meeting of Delta Omega Sorority for the new semester was in the form of a buffet supper at the home of Dr. Beryl Freeman. Miss Theresa Palmer and Miss Shirley Talbott were the guests of honor. The main purpose of the meeting was the introduction of these new women students to the alumni members.

Miss Palmer, whose home is in Detroit, Michigan, is a sophomore transfer student from Chicago College of Osteopathy, where she completed her first year this spring. Miss Talbott, who has been in close contact with the osteopathic profession for some months, being employed on the nursing staff of the Des Moines General Hospital, enrolled as a freshman. Her former home was in Moravia, Iowa.

Plans for the pledge dinner have not been completed, but it will take place shortly after the summer vacation. This will be held as a meeting with the alumni members, whose activity during the past semester has helped the sorority on its feet. We are very grateful to them.

## ITS

On the evening of June 20, at the office of Dr. Sloan, our supreme deputy, Beta Chapter held a combined business meeting and work night. Besides a fine technic demonstration conducted by Dr. Sloan, our President Merrill conducted a session in visual education by showing some fine pictures on dental care and a Walt Disney short on vaccination. We thank Dr. Sloan for the use of his office and time and Brother Merrill for an educational meeting.

At this writing the student body and faculty are enjoying a much needed vacation from teaching and studies. The most of us are, however, taking only a week of vacation, for the clinic is remaining open so that our patients may continue treatments. Brother Merrill plans on attending the war service conference at Chicago July 12, and will present the annual Beta Chapter report at the grand council meeting which is held yearly at the national Osteopathic convention.

Through this, our personal Beta Chapter column, we are asking continued support of our alumni physicians for financial support in the "Still College Progress Fund." We note with pride those of you, who appear as members of the "1000 and 500 Club" on the plaque in the clinic reception room. The dynamic force of our new president of Still College, Dr. Hugh Clark, is guiding the expansion of our college with perseverance and vision towards the production of a

greater Osteopathic institution.

Let's have more plaque members.

—H. R. R.

## Osteopathic Teaching

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chased for the department. Since May 1, 1944, twenty-eight movie films, either rented or borrowed, have been shown. Of this number, about one-half were sound films, all having been planned to correlate with the class discussions and lectures. Most of the films were used in the presentation of the public health and sanitation course.

The student response to this method of teaching has been very encouraging so far in that more student interest in the subjects has been shown. Examinations have revealed that the acquisition and retention of knowledge on the part of the student has been appreciably greater than that obtained by the previous straight lecture presentation of material.

The duration of this new teaching method has been, as yet, too short to base any definite conclusion upon the findings, but the results have far exceeded our expectations and do well justify continuation of the program on an ever-broadening and permanent basis.

The stock of all types of visual teaching aids is continually being increased in the Preventive Medicine Department, and present plans are under discussion and consideration for an extensive expansion of visual instruction in the other department of the college.

It is hoped that the near future will bring about the establishment of a film library at Still College, to be used not only for college instructional purposes, but also as a lending library for the benefit of other osteopathic institutions, physicians, and organized groups in the osteopathic profession.

The opportunity is unusually good at this time for osteopathic education, and for our school in particular, to take the lead in this new field of teaching techniques by intelligently using and increasing our supply of visual and audiovisual equipment.

H. W. MERRILL.

## Case Reports

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lowing extraction of the lower right third molar, and occurred periodically, lasting from one to two weeks and as often as three times daily. There was no warning or nausea.

### Previous Treatment

This patient has been through the hands of several medical doctors, each of which used some type of medication and finally gave up without results.

### Findings

A side bending lesion of the

sphenobasilar point to the left, upper dorsal extension lesions, loss of lumbar index and a flexion of the right sacro-iliac.

### Treatment

Instructions for proper sitting and osteopathic treatments twice weekly for correction of cranial and spinal lesions.

### Results

Vomiting occurred once following the first treatment. Hearing was noticeably improved following the second treatment. The pain in the neck and upper dorsals disappeared following the third treatment. Improvement in the hearing was continuous to a complete normalization at the end of a three months periods, at which time a recheck demonstrated an absence of the previous findings and treatment was discontinued.

### Remarks

This patient had been vomiting once or twice daily for two weeks prior to examination. Following four treatments applied during a period of 11 days, this patient left town for one month. Treatment was continued upon her return for a period of two months in order to maintain correction. Following this the patient became pregnant and suffered from some nausea and vomiting. The vomiting was entirely different from her previous attacks. These symptoms cleared at the end of the first trimester and after one year has had no recurrence.

—P. E. KIMBERLY, D.O.

## Dr. Hannan Leaves Iowa State Board

On July first, Dr. D. E. Hannan of Perry, Iowa, completed his eighteenth year as a member of the Iowa State Board of Osteopathic Examiners and because of ill health was not a candidate for reappointment to the Board. His first appointment was made by Governor John Hammill on July first, 1925, and for fourteen years has served the Board as Secretary-Treasurer.

In commenting upon Dr. Hannan's decision not to again become a candidate for reappointment, Governor B. B. Hickenlooper of Iowa states,

"I am indeed sorry to learn that the condition of your health will not permit you to be a candidate for reappointment to the State Board of Osteopathic Examiners this year.

"May I take this opportunity to thank you for the outstanding contribution you have made as a member of that Board. I appreciate your service very much personally and I hope that you experience the fine satisfaction which comes from a job well done."

Dr. Marvin Green of Storm Lake, Iowa, will succeed Dr. Hannan on the Board.



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## Alumni Elect National Officers

The National Alumni Association of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy have chosen for their leaders during 1944-45 a particularly strong group of men. Dr. Russell Wright, of Detroit, was named President; Dr. Frank Spencer, of Columbus, Ohio, was elected Vice-President; and Dr. Charles C. Auseon, of Hillsdale, Michigan, was named Executive Secretary. These men have been extremely active in alumni affairs previously and they have supported the educational campaigns during the past year. A brilliant year of alumni activity is anticipated under their guidance in cooperation with the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy.

## Public Relations Note

The Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy would like to call attention to a rather interesting letterhead which came to its attention through correspondence with its alumni secretary, Dr. C. C. Auseon. Above the identification of Dr. Auseon's institution (Hillsdale Osteopathic Clinic) Dr. Auseon has inscribed "Endow Osteopathic Colleges — Six Fine Institutions." Such unsolicited support of osteopathic education is most noteworthy. The fact that it calls to the attention of all of Dr. Auseon's correspondents our colleges is most commendable. Perhaps the ingenuity of other alumni will enable them to carry still farther the spirit signified by Dr. Auseon's gesture.

## Dr. Saul Klein Donates Atlas to Library.

Dr. Saul Klein, active member of the Legislative Committee of the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons for several years and alumnus of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, last week presented to the library a fine set of Spalteholz' 3-volume Atlas of Human Anatomy. The college deeply appreciates Dr. Klein's thoughtfulness in the presentation of this masterpiece for student reference. Dr. Klein, victim of a heart ailment which incapacitated him for several months, we are pleased to report is in much better health and is practicing at Clear Lake, Iowa, with Dr. E. E. Chappell.

## Des Moines Alumni in Leadership Roles

Dr. Sherwood J. Nye of Pontiac, Michigan, past president and former trustee of the Michigan Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, was re-named to the Board of Trustees after an absence of three years. He was named for this office by Dr. Robert K. Homan and the appointment was confirmed by the board on June 17th. Dr. Robert K. Homan was elected to trusteeship of the American Osteopathic Association during the annual meetings in Chicago. Dr. Homan also holds the post of Chairman of the Department of Professional Affairs, including Professional Education, of the Michigan Society.

Dr. C. C. Auseon, of Hillsdale, Michigan, addressed the general sessions of the A.O.A. Convention on the topics "Osteopathy and Industry" and "Women in Industry." Dr. Auseon also was elected, at the meeting of the Des Moines Alumni during the War Service Conference, to the important office of Executive Secretary of the National Alumni Association.

## Dr. Englund Relected Head Ambulant Surgery Society

Dr. V. A. Englund, Des Moines, and Dr. R. E. Brooker, Grinnell, were reelected President and Secretary, respectively of the Iowa Osteopathic Society of Ambulant Surgery at its annual meeting on Tuesday, May 16. The membership voted to raise the annual dues to the sum of \$2.00.

Members of the organization, in addition to those above named are: Drs. M. A. Biddison, H. H. Bobenhouse, A. W. Clow, N. A. Cunningham, A. W. Dennis, W. S. Edmund, B. D. Elliott, Preston L. Etter, B. M. Gotshall, M. E. Green, S. A. Helebrandt, C. F. Howe, R. W. Jack, J. K. Johnson, Jr., Holcomb Jordan, H. H. Kramer, R. R. Lamb, J. R. Mc-Nerney, C. O. Meyer, Paul Park, R. R. Pearson, E. H. Phillips, C. K. Risser, J. I. Royer, R. W. Schultz, B. A. Wayland, C. E. Worster and H. D. Wright.

## Owen Resigns Deanship; Warner Assumes Duties in Des Moines, Oct. 9

### Dr. Owen to Head Pathology Department

Dr. O. E. Owen, Dean of the college, has submitted his resignation from that office. Dr. Owen has previously had charge of the Department of Pathology and the Laboratory of Clinical Diagnosis as well as instruction



### Resigns as Dean

in Pharmacology and Immunology. Dr. Owen will remain as Chairman of the Department of Pathology and Director of the Laboratory of Clinical Diagnosis.

### Training

Dr. Owen took his Bachelor's degree at Penn College at Oskaloosa, Iowa, in 1929 and obtained his Master's degree in 1931 from the University of Missouri in the Department of Zoology. For the year following he was acting head of the Department of Biology at Berea College. He came to Des Moines in 1933 and was graduated in 1937, was retained on the faculty as Professor of Pathology, for which he took a summer of special work at the University of Michigan under Professor Weller. In 1940 he was made Assistant Dean of the Des Moines college and in 1942 Dean, coincident with the election of Dr. Schwartz to the presidency.

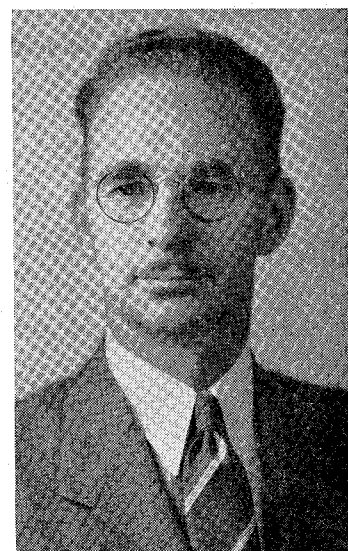
### Pathology Board

Dr. Owen is Vice Chairman of the American Osteopathic Board of Pathology and it is felt that his gesture in confining his work in the college to the teaching of pathology is an important factor

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### Dr. Warner Resigns As Kirksville Dean

Following the resignation of Dr. O. E. Owen from the deanship in the Des Moines college, the Board of Trustees feels particularly fortunate in obtaining Dr. M. D. Warner to fill that vacancy.



### Dr. M. D. Warner, Dean

Dr. Warner was graduated from high school in Cadillac, Michigan in 1913 and received his B. A. degree from the University of Michigan in 1917. During 1918-19 he was with the Army of the United States, filling a special assignment in the Medical Corps. After release from the army Dr. Warner enrolled in the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, from which transferred in 1924 to the American School of Osteopathy. He received his D.O. from the latter institution in 1925. For several years Dr. Warner engaged in general practice in Michigan and Florida.

### Graduate Study

He returned to the University of Chicago for graduate study during the summer of 1933 and to the University of Michigan for graduate study in Chemistry during the summer of 1938. At this time Dr. Warner accepted a position with the Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery as Head of the Department of Chemistry and Associate Director

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**BUY BONDS!**

## Alumni Hear Harmon on Educational Problems

The National Alumni Association was particularly fortunate in obtaining for its annual banquet meeting during the War Health Conference Dr. Henry G. Harmon, President of Drake University, as principal speaker. Dr. Harmon gave a stimulating and reassuring talk on the role that alumni might play in educational development. He pointed out three categories of alumni, which could be identified — the "ancient adolescents," who are those who seek to regain the spirit and activities of their college days at the annual homecoming, unfailingly without success; the group of alumni who give lip service to their Alma Mater and whose efforts go little beyond the figurative slap on the back and good word; the third group which, form the backbone of the alumni structure, are those relatively few men who feel a moral obligation to advance the cause of education through their own institution. Complimenting the Des Moines college alumni that they had shown evidence of belonging to the last group, Dr. Harmon encouraged the alumni body to persist in their strengthening educational efforts.

### Professional Education

He pointed out that our professional education, because of the fact that it required extensive laboratory and clinical work, as well as a strong library, was far more expensive than the average Liberal Arts education.

Dr. Harmon has shown himself in the past to be a strong supporter of osteopathy and he has previously given lectures before osteopathic groups. Dr. Harmon spoke at the 50th Anniversary of Osteopathic Education in Des Moines two years ago. He also gave the A. T. Still Memorial Address before the general sessions on Sunday afternoon during the War Health Conference.



Dr. Henry G. Harmon

## What Do You Think?

*The following article was written by Dr. Halladay some three years ago. Virg would be pleased to see how far the Alumni have gone toward accomplishing "the impossible."* —Ed.

The perpetuation of any organization that offers a public service depends upon a number of factors. In the first place its product must be something that is in demand by a large percent of the people. This product must be delivered to the public by trained men and women who are enthusiastic and sincerely anxious to spread the benefits of its use. It must be produced in sufficient quantity to supply the demand and in the highest quality in order to maintain the demand. The turnover in personnel must be anticipated in order that skilled workers will be available to cover new territory and to replace those who are removed by retirement, death and other causes. This is business and the osteopathic profession is certainly a business.

### Osteopathy

Returning to the subject matter above we have the answers to these business needs. Osteopathy is a product that is in demand. Time has approved it and its most flattering compliment has come from the opposition, who have, from the beginning, improved every opportunity to try to destroy it. Organized osteopathy has been in the frying pan since 1874 but the fire has been hotter lately. It is certainly time now to begin to use something in the way of extinguishers.

### Difficulties

The business of training men and women in the art of delivering osteopathy has been difficult. It would seem impossible for a man to push himself up hill in his own wheelbarrow but osteopathy has done that. **We have never had all that we needed in the way of training facilities. With no endowments and no public aid from tax money we have had to produce osteopathic physicians at the cost of their tuition only.** It is a well known fact that the cost per student in securing the medical degree averages about ten times the cost of producing a graduate in osteopathy. The difference is made up by endowments and state taxes. The paradox in this is that in spite of the difference in cost of education the osteopathic physician has been on the average more successful than the average doctor of orthodox medicine. These facts are known to us and at the same time we have appreciated the fact that we should make provision for more adequate training facilities. But, as an American people we are individually selfish and habitual procrastinators. It usually takes a definite shock to

bring us out of our lethargy to the point of putting our talk into action. That shock has been administered and our reaction to it will definitely determine whether or not our science will be trampled under foot perhaps to rise again but if so under different management, or maintained under our own control in the way that we want it developed.

### Facilities

The factors of quality and quantity are determined also by the facilities for production. We have never been able to meet the demand one hundred percent. At our rate of replacement and placement in the past we could not meet this demand and this has been due largely to our own lack of organization in selling our product to the younger generation. The quality of our product depends entirely on our leadership in college and in our organizations. Agreed policies in administration must be carried out and unity of thought on basic ideas must be made paramount. **Our quantity must be increased and our quality must be improved.**

The few pointed statements above are merely condensations of many articles and talks that have been before you for years. Seven years ago we tried to impress you with these same ideas. A few in Des Moines aided by a few alumni outside of Iowa worked until we were exhausted both in mind and body trying to bring you the facts. It is not too late now but at this time it means that more has to be done in less time and more money has to be available.

Several years ago we talked of a new building and the various departments needed for adequate teaching. The Anatomical Department had plans that were laughed at and not because they were impractical but because they were impossible. We wanted \$50,000.00 for that department alone. We wanted a separate anatomical lecture room adjacent to a modern air cooled and ventilated laboratory. This laboratory to be equipped with refrigeration for the specimens and a separate laboratory for research from an osteopathic standpoint. We wanted a library room for that department alone with all reference books and charts together with prepared specimens for study and we wanted time for the presentation of this important subject so that we could train not only osteopathic physicians in anatomy from a manipulative standpoint but also provide special courses in surgical anatomy. This can be done yet and not only in the department of anatomy but in the others also but it will take money to provide the facilities for such an ideal teaching unit.

Osteopathy will not and cannot assume its rightful place until its colleges are provided with every modern means for complete training. Our degree of utility is now being measured in more ways than one and if we

## Alumni Gifts to College

Dr. A. E. Smith, of Youngstown, Ohio, during the last week, presented the college with a skeleton which can be used for teaching purposes and makes a creditable addition to the instruction materials of the Department of Anatomy.

Dr. Robert G. Hatchitt has donated to the college an osteopathic treatment table. Dr. Hatchitt has recently opened a new suite of offices in the Liberty Building in Des Moines, enlarged and nicely appointed.

The interest of Dr. Hatchitt, Dr. Sutton and Dr. Klein (elsewhere noted) in making useful gifts to the college is genuinely appreciated. Equipment, which is now both expensive and difficult to buy, makes one of the finest ways in which alumni may show their interest and affection for the Alma Mater.

Add to these the splendid gestures of Dr. Bachman, Dr. Pauline Brown and Dr. Bos, indicating the continuing spirit of alumni generosity. **Moreover a peculiar type of warning was received—the library was asked not to buy a specific book which will be released in October because "I want to present it to the library."** (Dr. Della B. Caldwell).

## Dr. Bachman Presents Journals to Library

The library was enriched during the past week by approximately twelve volumes of the **American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology**, many years of the **A.O.A. Journal and Clinical Medicine and Surgery**. Dr. Bachman has shown not only interest, but a true sense of values in presenting these works so that students may profit. The library is grateful for Dr. Bachman's contribution.

## Dr. Anderson Presents Colorimeter to Lab.

Dr. John S. Anderson, of River Falls, Wisconsin, who has already contributed \$1250.00, this last week offered to the college a new photoelectric colorimeter for use in clinical laboratories. Such continued and faithful interest in the welfare and development of the college merits for Dr. Anderson the gratitude of the college and the respect of his fellow alumni.

cannot meet the standards set we will be graded accordingly. **If we wish osteopathy to continue into the future as such we must provide the way now for that perpetuation. As an American institution of proven value we certainly want it to live and serve. It is our obligation and our contribution to the American way of life.**

(Signed) VIRG HALLADAY.

# The Log Book

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Osteopathy Without Limitation

## Effects of War on the Des Moines College

Recently a report was prepared for another reason on the effects which the war has had on the various aspects of the Des Moines college. During the course of the Osteopathic Progress Fund Campaign attention has been repeatedly called to the necessity for educational advancement. Items expanding and improving our educational system have been stressed. We have boasted justifiably about the renovation of the library and the laboratories. **The compilation of the effects of war on our institution merely serve to accentuate the extreme significance of these several projects because they have been done at a period in our history when they have been most difficult to accomplish.**

### Enrollment

Enrollment has decreased to approximately 30% of our normal total, indicating that our income from student tuitions is at an extremely low point. The faculty, because of the accelerated program, is overburdened and, relative to financial returns from private practice, is underpaid. **The alumni owe a great debt of gratitude to those men and women who are giving part of their time to instruction on an insignificant salary in our colleges.**

### Clinic

The number of students treating in our clinic has decreased from approximately 90 to 24. In spite of the fact that we have only a quarter of the number of students in the clinic, the number of new registrations in the clinic last year showed a decrease of only 350. Although only one-fourth the usual number of students are treating, they are handling more than three-fourths of a normal clinic load. The alumni owe a great debt of gratitude to the student body now enrolled for maintaining a clinic service to the City of Des Moines at so nearly "par".

In spite of our unduly heavy war time schedule of classes, the college has felt an obligation to provide instruction also in First Aid. This has added to both the burden of the students and to the burden of the private practitioners who have assumed responsibility for this instruction.

Although the foregoing does not constitute the complete report which was filed, it will serve to

point out to some extent the stress under which the osteopathic colleges are operating during war time.

### Applicants

The added duties of the Dean in maintaining proper relations with the Selective Service System, necessitating reams of correspondence, is too obvious to need emphasis. The number of our applicants, who have applied for admission, paid a matriculation and were then forced to join the Armed Forces, is large enough to be significant—larger by 300% than the number of students we have lost to the Selective Service System.

The foregoing facts merit your consideration and the educational institution from which you graduated, perhaps in better times, merits your continued support. If you have not contributed to one of the educational expansion funds, do not wait longer to be solicited. The colleges are pursuing a straight course toward excellence over a rocky road.

## OSTEOPATHY

### Principles

It is a matter of legislative record that the question of the future of Osteopathy has been of vital concern to both Osteopathic and Medical physicians. It will be freely admitted by Osteopathic Physicians and by those Medical Physicians who have given Osteopathy intelligent consideration that by "Osteopathy" is meant the Osteopathic personnel, and not those physiological principles of healing which have been developed under the name "osteopathic."

Those principles announced by A. T. Still and supported by his followers, namely, **immunity and intrinsic ability of the body to recover from deleterious effects of adverse environmental agents, are merely natural law — irrefutable, irrevocable and immutable.** The art of manipulation, of giving direction and assistance to a human body in a less fortunate position to combat disease, is osteopathic.

### Philosophy

Fully 80% of the osteopathic student's curriculum must duplicate in content that of the medical student. Each is going to see, diagnose, and treat the same diseases. The approximately 20% difference between osteopathic and medical curricula is the reason for the existence of the Osteopathic Colleges.

Unfortunately the physiological and pharmacological philosophies toward healing are antithetical. This means that, in spite of the institution of "courses" in manipulative therapy in medical schools, "Osteopathy" cannot be borrowed from its proponents. If this were not true organized medicine would not have spent in the past 50 years their physical and financial energies in legislative attempts to curb a com-

peting group. They would have recognized the validity of the osteopathic principle, adopted it, taught it and would then have left the six, or four, or two schools of Osteopathy without a purpose for existence.

So persistent has been the refusal of allopathic institutions to recognize not alone the profession of Osteopathy but even the principles of Osteopathy that it has become the moral responsibility of the osteopathic profession to perpetuate these principles. (And, paradoxically, substantiation for the osteopathic concepts is drawn generously from journals of medicine and more abstract biological science.) Exclusion of the D.O. from utilization of facilities supported by public monies necessitates the existence of Osteopathic Hospitals. Exclusion from the minds of Medical Pedagogues of the physiological approach to healing demands separate schools. Dissemination of information within and outside the profession, direction of unified effort for the public health and refutation of both subtle and open calumny require national, state and local osteopathic organizations. Hence, two professions exist in competition for the desire to serve humanity.

### Art

Moreover, two professions will continue to exist until the medical profession shall have recognized osteopathic concepts, until it shall have subscribed to the philosophy which prompted the establishment of these concepts in therapeutics, until it shall have incorporated, in its student curriculum, training for the execution in practice of these principles. Such will be a tedious task, requiring virtually a revolution of Osteopathy.

## Dr. W. P. Kelsey Of Remsen Marries Elnora Klein

Dr. William P. Kelsey and Miss Elnora Klein of Remsen were united in marriage at St. Mary's church in that city by Rev. L. P. Friedman on Wednesday, June 14.

Miss Kathleen Klein attended her sister as bridesmaid and Dr. E. D. Parry of Merville served as best man.

## Dr. Walley to Hot Springs, N. M., Dr. Bennett to Corwith

Dr. P. E. Walley, Corwith, moved to Hot Springs, New Mexico, on July 5 where he is associated with Dr. Sherman W. Meyer, formerly of Algona, who operates the Virginia Ann Hospital in that city.

Dr. R. D. Bennett, formerly of Luverne, has located in Corwith where he has taken over the practice of Dr. Walley.

## Dr. Bachman to Leave Obstetrics Department October 6

Dr. Robert Bachman, Head of the Department of Obstetrics and Supervisor of the Obstetrical Clinic of Des Moines Still College, has submitted his resignation effective at the close of the present semester, October 6th.



Dr. R. B. Bachman

Dr. Bachman has been a member of the Des Moines college staff for 27 years and during that time has built for the college a strong osteopathic clinic and a widely known Department of Obstetrics. Dr. Bachman is recognized as one of the foremost obstetricians in the osteopathic profession and it is with great regret that the Des Moines college relinquishes the obstetrical direction which Dr. Bachman has given through the years.

Dr. Bachman will accept an obstetrical post at the Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery. Applications are currently being received to fill the vacancy created by Dr. Bachman's resignation.

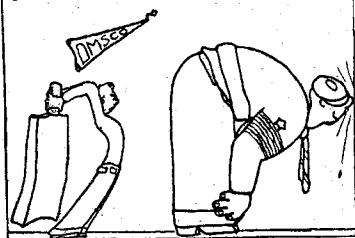
## The Passing of a Friend

"Thomas," college handyman, has passed away. Recent graduates remember affectionately Charles Thomas, cordially called by everyone "the old man." The old man finally succumbed, after years of faithful service to the Des Moines college, to a heart condition. His death occurred on Sunday morning, August 13th. The worth which Thomas did for the college as faithful handy man is ephemeral in nature. But the spirit of co-operation and loyalty to the college, which he spread among the students and friends, will long be remembered.

## OWEN

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in building a strong Department of Pathology. Dr. Owen is planning an enlargement of the museum of pathology and a greater diversity in microscopic slides of pathological tissues. He will engage in part time practice with Dr. John Q. A. Mattern of Des Moines.

## FRATERNITY NOTES



### ITS

A rare treat was afforded the Des Moines Alumni and student members of Iota Tau Sigma at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Steffen the evening of July 22nd. The occasion being Dr. Steffen's birthday. Dr. Steffen is a practicing physician in Des Moines. Prior to this he was a member of the faculty of Des Moines Still College. This position he maintained for ten years. At present he is a member of the Des Moines Still College. This position he has maintained since its founding. His years of association with the Osteopathic Profession, both from teaching and practicing experience, coupled with his keen intellect makes him a most interesting conversationalist. In addition, Mrs. Steffen with her years of teaching experience in China, afforded all present with an educational and pleasant evening.

A business and educational evening for Beta Chapter was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reichstadt, July 28th. Professor Merrill, who was present at the Grand Council banquet and business sessions in Chicago, reported on fraternity business enacted in that session. Following this, a recent visual educational film on Obstetrics, as practiced in a major hospital, was shown to Alumni, actives, pledges and friends. The treat of the evening, however, was the delicious chocolate cake and ice cream served by Mesdames Reichstadt and Slater.

Iota Tau Sigma joins in welcoming a new member into the fraternity and school, by the recent transfer of Mr. Harry Fontenova from the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy.

Lastly but not least, the Merrills are the proud father and mother of a husky 7½ pound boy born at Des Moines General recently.

—H. R. R.

## ATLAS CLUB

No meetings were held over the summer vacation since most of the members were at home for a rest. A meeting was called at the home of brother Martin on August 27th and plans for a practical work night were discussed. Brother Martin set our refreshments after the business meeting. The next gathering of Xiphoid Chapter was held at the home of Brother Conrad on August 11th.

—L. R.



The August meeting of Delta Omega Sorority was held August 6th at 6011 Hickman Road, the home of Dr. Rachel Woods.

The meeting was preceded by a buffet supper, served by Dr. Woods. The business meeting which followed was called, in order to pledge the two new women students at the college: Miss Theresa Palmer and Miss Shirley Talbott. The initiation dinner for the women will be held at the beginning of the next semester. Mrs. Hugh Clark took the oath as an Honorary Member of the sorority.

Further business included a discussion of the project for the coming semester, which will be disclosed at a later date. There was also a report on the Beta Banquet at the National Convention.

The sorority wishes to extend its heartiest welcome to Mrs. Hugh Clark, Miss Palmer and Miss Talbott.

—G. H.

## O.M.C.U.

At the meeting held on August 25th in the home of Helen Reichstadt, who had as co-hostess Norma Boyd, the following officers were elected for the next period: President, Laura Allhouse; Vice President, Alexandrine Siudara; Secretary, Doris Martin; Treasurer, Gwen Taylor. An interesting program has been planned. Success will, however, depend upon the attendance of each member. Meetings will again be held in the homes of the members.

The Club extends a hearty welcome to the following new members: Marjorie Conrad, Annella Leibel and Joyce Griffith.

## WARNER

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of Clinics. He was appointed Dean of the Kirksville college in 1940, which position he has held until the present.

### Activities

Throughout Dr. Warner's professional experience he has been recognized as a leader, both in professional matters and civic affairs. He is currently Vice-Commander of the Kirksville Post of the American Legion and is President of the Kirksville Rotary Club. He is Past Master of the Ivanhoe Lodge F. & A. M., Lakeview, Michigan. He is a member of Phi Sigma Gamma, Alpha Phi Omega and Sigma Sigma Phi.

Dr. Warner, in addition to his duties as dean at the Des Moines college, will also teach pharmacology and Immunology and will serve as general clinician in the college clinics one afternoon a week.

## NOTICE

If and when you change your address, please notify the Log Book promptly.

## Dr. Hovis Named To Civil Service

The appointment of Dr. J. Clark Hovis, of 52 Beresford avenue, senior member of the surgical staff of the Detroit Osteopathic hospital, as a member of the Civil Service Commission was announced by Mayor Norman J. Patterson at Council meeting Monday night. Dr. Hovis succeeds Claude E. Campbell, who resigned his position on the Board in May to accept an appointment as City Commissioner.

President of the Wayne County Association of Physicians and Surgeons of Osteopathic Medicine, Inc., Dr. Hovis has been in practice in Highland Park for the past 14 years. He is also a member of the North End Lions club, the Zion Lodge No. 1 Masonic Order, and an honorary member of Sigma Sigma Phi.

Dr. Hovis is married and has two children, Patricia, 12, and James, seven years old.

## Student-Faculty Council Meets

The Student-Faculty Council continues its more than ordinary activities and uses more than its average energies to meet at 7:30 in the morning. The group has shown itself to be successful by expressing student opinions in an institutionally cooperative manner. The Student-Faculty Council is made up of four faculty members and a representative from each of the four classes. Monthly recommendations are made to the faculty by this body.

## Dr. Pauline Brown Starts College Loan Fund

Dr. Pauline Brown, of Belvidere, Illinois, at the A.O.A. Convention presented the college with a check for \$50.00 for the express purpose of starting a Student Loan Fund. Dr. Brown's understanding of educational problems of our college, as shown by this gift, is commendable. The college is sincerely grateful for Dr. Brown's contribution, which it confidently hopes will be the first of a long series of such contributions.

## Births

Dr. and Mrs. Stanley C. Pettit, of Cleveland, Ohio, announce the birth of a son, James Robert, born July 7, 1944.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert G. Hatchitt, of Des Moines, are the parents of a son, Dennis Leroy, who was born July 22nd.

Dr. and Mrs. John I. Royer, of Woodward, Iowa, announce the birth of a daughter, Sara Kathleen, born at Des Moines General Hospital July 14th, weighing 6 lbs. 3 oz.

Dr. and Mrs. O. E. Rose, of Des Moines, are parents of a daughter, Penelope Louise, born at Des Moines General Hospital August 7, 1944.

## Dr. Blohm Honored

Dr. Hilden Blohm, 1943 graduate, was honored by colleagues and friends of the Muskegon Osteopathic Hospital in Michigan. Dr. Blohm shortly will complete his internship at this hospital and will enter practice in Wheeling, W. Va. Approximately 65 guests attended the party in Dr. Blohm's honor prior to his departure for West Virginia.

## F. A. Davis Company Gives Encyclopedia To Library

Through the agency of Dr. Myron E. Bos, who completed arrangements and recommended the donation of an unclaimed set of the F. A. Davis Company Encyclopedia of Practice, the library has been enriched to that extent. Both the library and the college are deeply grateful to the F. A. Davis Company for this donation and to Dr. Bos, of Keota, Iowa, both of whom have kept our best interests in view.

## Dr. George Sutton Visits College

Dr. George Sutton, of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, who initiated the negotiations with Iowa Wesleyan College culminating in the combined curriculum plan between that institution and the osteopathic colleges, returned to Des Moines for a brief visit last week. Dr. Sutton will also be noted as providing funds to the Iowa Wesleyan College for the Sutton Scholarship for pre-osteopathic study.

## Dr. James N. Fox Visits Alma Mater

Dr. James N. Fox, 1942 graduate of Des Moines, returned for a brief visit to renew acquaintances, examine college improvements and obtain professional advice. Dr. Fox interned at the Detroit Osteopathic Hospital and retains his association with their staff in the field of roentgenology. Dr. Fox proposes to continue specialization in this field.

## Study Course in Cranial Technique

On Wednesday, August 16th, a group of interested Iowa physicians met at the Des Moines Still College in order to review and discuss problems in cranial manipulation. The group also formulated a program for continued studies. The following were included in the group: Drs. Paul E. Kimberly, Faye Kimberly, Beryl Freeman, O. E. Owen, L. A. Detrick, Bertrand Adams, Glenn Baird, Della B. Caldwell and Augusta Tueckes.



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## Dr. Harry J. Marshall To Return in October

Dr. Harry J. Marshall, who has been ill for approximately the past year, will return to Des Moines in Mid-October to resume



Dr. H. J. Marshall

his practice and hospital duties. Dr. Marshall has been resting and recuperating, from asthmatic attacks, in Texas and more recently at Lake Okoboji. Friends and colleagues of Dr. Marshall are pleased to know that his health is sufficiently stable that he may again engage in his osteopathic practice.

## Dr. Mary Toriello Visits College

Dr. Mary A. Toriello, who completed her internship at the Bashline-Rossman Hospital in May, visited at the college briefly on her return from a vacation period in California. Dr. Toriello plans to open practice in Oil City, Pennsylvania next month.

## Merrill and Clark to Attend Mich. Convention

Professor H. W. Merrill, of the Department of Preventive Medicine, and Dr. Hugh Clark, President of the college, will speak on the program of the Health Service Conference of the Michigan Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons. Professor Merrill will address the body on the subject of "Malaria" and Dr. Clark on "Osteopathic Education." The meetings are to be held October 24th to 26th.

## Surgeons to Meet In Detroit

The American College of Osteopathic Surgeons will hold its 1944 Annual Clinical Assembly at Detroit, Michigan, October 15 to 19, inclusive. The American Osteopathic Hospital Association and the American Radiological Society will convene jointly with the College at that time.

### Organization

A.C.O.S. President Richard A. Sheppard, of Cleveland, has appointed Dr. Anton Kani, of Detroit, as General Chairman of Convention Arrangements, with Dr. J. Clark Hovis co-chairman in charge of Publicity and Dr. Lloyd A. Seyfried co-chairman in charge of Functions. Dr. H. Willard Sterrett, of Philadelphia, is Program Chairman. Host organizations are the million-dollar Detroit Osteopathic Hospital, with Dr. J. Donald Sheets, chairman; its newly-opened Riverside Osteopathic Hospital division, with Dr. V. H. Dierdorff chairman—and the imposing new Art Centre Hospital, with Chairman Dr. A. C. Johnson.

### New Developments

Papers on "What's New" in the field of surgery, anesthesia, radiology and pathology will be presented in an interesting and well-balanced program arranged by Dr. Sterrett, Program Chairman. Operative clinics will be held at the three host hospitals, under direction of Dr. R. A. Biggs, general chairman of Clinics. Dr. M. L. Axelrod, of Detroit, is chairman of Anesthesia and Dr. C. J. Karibo, of Detroit Osteopathic Hospital, chairman of Radiology.

### Surgery Board

Throughout the general sessions program numerous color films will be shown, depicting the newest advances in surgical technic. More than 30 exhibitors will present and demonstrate their products, which promise to be of utmost interest to the membership and guests. Details of the program will be published at a later date.

**The Board of Surgery will conduct examinations for specialty certification on Friday, October 13, at 9:00 A.M., according to announcement made by Dr. Ralph Baker, chairman.**

## Dr. Niles to Address Seniors At Commencement October 6

### Senior Class Plans To Interne

Seven of the eight graduates, who will receive their degree on October 6th, have completed arrangements to assume internships shortly after that date. James Crane will interne at Detroit Osteopathic Hospital, William Crotty at the Tulsa Osteopathic Hospital, Herbert Harris at Madison Street Hospital, Seattle, Washington, Scott Heatherington at Detroit Osteopathic Hospital, Lester Raub at the Bashline-Rossman Hospital, Grove City, Pa., Richard Snyder at Detroit Osteopathic Hospital. Mr. Kuramoto has not yet made a clean cut decision and Mr. Paul Emmans will enter practice immediately in Wellman, Iowa.

### Crotty Recovering From Auto Accident

Mr. William Crotty, graduating senior at the college, was injured August 14th when he was struck by an auto at Ingersoll and 21st Street in Des Moines. Mr. Crotty suffered a fractured tibia, fractured rib, sternocostal separation of three ribs and puncture wound in the chest. He has been under the care of Dr. Roger Anderson of the Des Moines General Hospital staff. Mr. Crotty's injuries have sufficiently healed that he is able to attend classes regularly.

### Dr. Anderson Assistant To Dr. Marshall

Dr. Roger B. Anderson, 1942 Des Moines graduate, will be associated with Dr. Harry J. Marshall October 1st. Dr. Anderson will maintain an office in the Taylor Clinic during the afternoons and will serve at the Des Moines General Hospital during the morning. Dr. Anderson will also assist in Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Department at the later institution.

The graduation ceremonies of the forthcoming senior class will be held October 6th at 8:00 P.M. in St. John's Lutheran Church in Des Moines. The commencement speaker will be Dr. Stanley B. Niles, President of Iowa Wesleyan College at Mount Pleasant. Dr. Niles has selected for his topic "Growing Up." President Niles has a distinguished record of educational achievement and the present senior class feel privileged indeed to have the benefit of his advice upon graduation.

A feature of the Des Moines graduation program, hitherto not practiced, will be the hooding ceremony whereby each of the graduates will be vested with the hood symbolic of the osteopathic degree granted by the Des Moines college. Vestments emblematic of academic attainment will be worn by the faculty, which will add both color and dignity to the commencement exercises. Organ music for the processional and recessional will be provided by Mrs. Samuel B. Garton and appropriate vocal selections will be rendered by Mr. H. M. Cleveland. Choral music will be offered by the Roosevelt High School Choir, under the direction of Miss Laura Duncan.

### Senior Banquet

The senior banquet will be held on Thursday evening, October 5, at 6:30 P. M. at Younkers Tea Room. It is customary at the senior banquet that the class advisor present the main after dinner speech. The class has selected for this banquet Dr. L. A. Deitrick. Additional speakers will be Dr. O. E. Owen, Dean, and Mr. Herbert G. Harris, Class President. Dr. Hugh Clark, President of the College, will preside and will announce the Psi Sigma Alpha high scholarship awards at that time.

### Iowa State Board Examinations

Dr. Marvin E. Green, member of the Iowa Board of Osteopathic Examiners, announces that the examinations given by that board will be held October 9, 10, 11 at the State House. Basic Science examinations will be given October 10.

# NEXT CLASS ENROLLS OCTOBER 9

## G. I. Bill of Rights

Repeatedly different divisions of the osteopathic profession have called to the attention of osteopathic physicians certain provisions of the G. I. Bill of Rights. Let us summarize some of the pertinent information in this regard.

(1) The G. I. Bill of Rights (Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944) contains specific provisions for the education of returning veterans.

(2) The ex-serviceman must have served a minimum of ninety days after September 16, 1940, **OR**, if the service was less than ninety days, must have been discharged because of an injury or disability incurred during his period of service.

(3) If the veteran is more than 25 years of age, he must have proof that his education was interrupted by the war. **Exception**—A refresher course of one year or less will be provided for men over 25 if they so desire.

(4) Each veteran over 25 years of age, whose education was interrupted, or any veteran under 25 years of age, may seek educational benefits from the G. I. Bill of Rights by application through the Veterans Administration. If you are in doubt as to the location or address of the Veterans Administration Field Station in your area, you may obtain that information from your nearest osteopathic college.

(5) Each veteran approved by the administration is entitled to government support for one year year plus the period of active service after September 16, 1940. A maximum of four years training is allowed. Maximal support for tuition, books and supplies is \$500.00 plus living expenses, which vary according to number of dependents and absence or presence of disability.

(6) The veteran must make application not later than two years after discharge from the service.

(7) The veteran may make his application to the Veterans Administration directly, or through the osteopathic college of his choice. He may actually be enrolled in the college before filing his application with the Veterans Administration.

(8) Veterans Administration Offices are located as follows:

Albuquerque, New Mexico  
Atlanta, Georgia  
Baltimore, Maryland  
Batavia, New York  
Bay Pines, Florida  
Boise, Idaho  
Boston, Massachusetts  
Brecksville, Ohio  
Bronx, New York  
Cheyenne, Wyoming  
Columbia, South Carolina  
Dayton, Ohio  
Dearborn, Michigan  
Denver, Colorado  
Des Moines, Iowa  
Fargo, North Dakota  
Fayetteville, North Carolina  
Ft. Harrison, Montana  
Hines, Illinois  
Huntington, West Virginia

Indianapolis, Indiana  
Jackson, Mississippi  
Jefferson Barracks, Missouri  
Kansas City, Missouri  
Lexington, Kentucky  
Lincoln, Nebraska  
Little Rock, Arkansas  
Los Angeles, California  
Lyons, New Jersey  
Manchester, New Hampshire  
Minneapolis, Minnesota  
Montgomery, Alabama  
Murfreesboro, Tennessee  
Muskogee, Oklahoma  
Newington, Connecticut  
New Orleans, Louisiana

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
Portland, Oregon  
Providence, Rhode Island  
Reno, Nevada  
Roanoke, Virginia  
Salt Lake City, Utah  
San Francisco, California  
Seattle, Washington  
Sioux Falls, South Dakota  
Togus, Maine  
Tucson, Arizona  
Waco, Texas  
White River Junction, Vermont  
Wichita, Kansas  
Wood, Wisconsin

(9) Further questions regarding the G. I. Bill of Rights will be gladly answered by the Dean of any of the osteopathic colleges.

(10) Public Law 16, approved March 4, 1943 (not the G. I. Bill of Rights) provides for vocational rehabilitation of veterans whose employability has been lost because an injury incurred during service. In this case, the veteran must have been in active service after December 6, 1941, must have an honorable dis-

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## SYLLABUS OF COURSE IN CRANIAL TECHNIQUE

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*The student who is preparing himself for cranial technic must have a vivid mental picture of the entire skull, its articulations, and its relationships. The meninges, the dural venous channels, and the known physiology of the cerebrospinal fluid are also essential when we consider cranial lesions.*

#### WEEK OF OCTOBER 16

Anatomy and Physiology of the Skull—Drs. Kimberly and Deitrick

In order to maintain proper continuity, this work has been divided as follows:

Monday A.M.—The external morphology of the skull except the base.

Monday P.M.—The internal morphology of the skull including the attachments of the dura.

Tuesday A.M.—Construction of the orbit and nose and the external morphology of the base.

Tuesday P.M.—Review.

Wednesday —A detailed study of the occiput, the sphenoid, and the ethmoid.

Thursday —Temporals, parietals, and frontals.

Friday —Maxillae, palatine, vomer, malar, and lacrimal.

Saturday A.M.—Inferior turbinates, nasals, and mandible.

Saturday P.M.—Review.

#### WEEK OF OCTOBER 23

Cranial Technique—Drs. Sutherland, Arbuckle and McVicker

Review of diagnosis and correction of cranial lesions in theory and practice. Demonstrations of diagnosis and technique on patients.

#### INFORMATION

Tuition —\$100.00 total, or divided as follows: \$25.00 for week of October 16, and \$75.00 for week of October 23.

Registration—Applications should be placed immediately and accompanied by a matriculation fee of \$25.00, payable to the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy. Upon arrival at the college, register with Mrs. K. M. Robinson, Secretary. The number will be limited.

Inquiries —Dr. Hugh Clark, President.

# The Log Book

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Osteopathy Without Limitation

## Vocational Guidance

### The Colleges

Why should a message on Vocational Guidance be repeatedly addressed to the osteopathic profession, when it is obvious that the problem is one for the colleges and not for the profession at large? The answer is quite simple. There are six osteopathic colleges which are recognized in the United States and the total full-time personnel staffing these organizations is hardly more than a hundred. It is the task of the colleges to reach young men and women who have made no decision regarding a professional career. It is the task of the colleges to provide vocational counsel for these hundreds of thousands of young men and women. That obviously is an impossibility. Therefore, the colleges attempt to enroll all of the osteopathic profession as vocational guidance counsellors. Patently ten thousand interested and energetic members of the profession can make a more thorough coverage than the limited college staffs. We, therefore, eagerly seek the cooperation of every member of the profession in this tremendous problem.

### Rehabilitation

Let us not be deluded by the almost ubiquitous contention that the student problem in the osteopathic profession will be settled by the armistice. It is true that many of the prospective osteopathic students have entered the Armed Services. It is true also that many of those will seek admission to the osteopathic colleges upon their return. Great numbers of these will have their entire professional education subsidized by the government, but keep in mind that there are many professions in which they may choose training besides osteopathy. **YOU INDIVIDUALLY ARE DUTY BOUND TO ADVISE EACH RETURNING VETERAN OF YOUR ACQUAINTANCE OF THE OPPORTUNITIES WHICH OSTEOPATHY OFFERS.** That is virtually the only way by which the veterans may be interested or be made aware of osteopathy.

### Veterans Administration

Many times the writer has been asked whether the college was in touch with divisional branches of the Veterans Administration. The answer is "yes". Where possible they have been contacted personally, otherwise they have been contacted by mail. What can these offices do? They can help

the limited number of veterans, who seek their counsel, select a profession. It is their duty to provide individual security for the returning veterans in whatever enterprise they feel the veteran will succeed. Those men who come from the Veterans Administration would undoubtedly be good men—**BUT FEW.**

### U. S. E. S.

Through the filtering screen of the United States Employment Service, with its local and divisional branches throughout the country, there is and will be a redistribution of man power. Those thousands of young men and women, who we are told have chosen lucrative employment during war rather than pursuit of a profession, will be eligible to continue an **osteopathic** education, for example. You may help to persuade these men and women and help the U.S.E.S. in its task of distributing man power to the most suitable vocations.

### High Schools

High school boys and girls are still impressionable. There has been a tendency to decide among the profession that the two years of college required for entrance into osteopathic colleges preclude vocational guidance in the high schools. I should like to call to the attention of the reader that now, even more than ever, high school personnel should be apprised of the professional advantages of osteopathy. This is true for two reasons—first, it will provide a greater number of students from which the osteopathic colleges may select, and, second, **it will emphasize preosteopathic training in the minds of the faculties providing such training in liberal arts colleges.**

A survey by the National Roster of Scientific and Specialized Personnel pointed out that there were only 76 students carrying on preosteopathic training, and deferred from military service for that reason. Since the institution of the combined curriculum plan at Iowa Wesleyan College more than a fourth of that number have made inquiry. **That alone clearly indicates what can be done in the high schools.**

### Public Relations

Repeatedly public relations counsellors advise that the strongest public relations work that any organization can do is simple observation of the Golden Rule. Regard the public, prospective students and those who, for one reason or another, will never be prospective students, as potential friends of the profession. The osteopathic profession has grown from the original class of 18 in 1892 to more than 10,000. This growth has been made possible by scientific worth of osteopathy and the cordial attitude of the public for the profession. The profession will continue to grow just so long as the profession itself is willing to provide a public service and will grow faster as this

public service is advertised.

### Educational Facilities

Educational facilities in the college must be of prime importance in attracting the quality of students whom we wish to include in the osteopathic profession. As a whole, alumni have responded magnificently to the recent college campaigns. That financial support should make possible continuing expansion and improvement of educational facilities in the colleges. It is one thing to follow the foregoing advice on the selling of a bill of goods; it is equally important to deliver. We must, therefore, continue our policy of educational advancement — increase the faculty size, more rigorous selection of students, betterment of library and laboratory facilities, and expansion of clinical and hospital facilities. When the profession has shown it is willing to bring about these advances year after year, a generous public will seek the opportunity of participating in the growth of osteopathy. Continue to set the standards for public approbation.

### The Actual Work

The very nature of the selling program that is on our hands necessitates a cautious approach. The time involved by each individual must be limited. If each man in the profession were to make three pointed contacts in his own community and two public appearances a year before interested groups, we should have the basis for an energetic and far-reaching vocational guidance program. It could require of one individual hardly more than four or five hours a year, a delightful but brief period devoted to professional advancement.

### Vocational Literature

The Central Office of the A.O.A. will provide, on a moment's notice, any of several very attractive and scholarly pieces of vocational literature. The cost is virtually negligible, the good which may be done is inestimable. Why not contact your State Vocational Guidance Chairman, or the President of your State Society, or the Dean of your closest osteopathic college and ask if you may not participate in their program of vocational guidance. The profession needs, more urgently than ever, your assistance.

## G. I. Bill of Rights

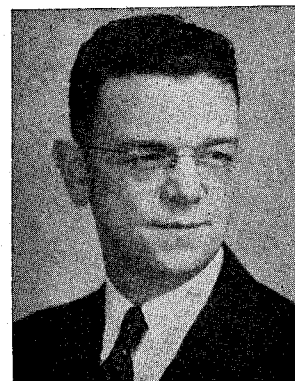
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charge, must have a pensionable disability from the present war, must be in need of vocational rehabilitation to overcome the handicap of such disability.

The disabled veteran does not have free choice of occupational training. "The selection of an occupation in which rehabilitation will be effected is based upon consideration of the individual veteran's education, vocational experience, abilities, personal desires, and present disability, and contemplates that the vocational training to be provided will supply the necessary occupational

## Dr. Facto Addresses So. Dakota Convention

Dr. L. L. Facto, Director of Clinics at the college, addressed the South Dakota osteopathic physicians at their annual convention last month.



Dr. L. L. Facto

Dr. Facto feels that it was an exceptionally large and interesting group at the meetings. On his return Dr. Facto stopped in Sioux City and addressed the members of the Fifth District. Dr. Facto, in order to minimize the loss of time from his clinical duties, returned to Des Moines by plane. During the week of September 11, Dr. Facto appeared before the Tennessee State Society, convening in Nashville.

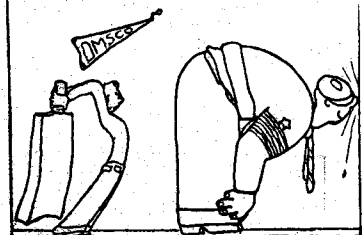
## X-Ray Installed For Clinical Use

During the past two weeks the General Electric X-Ray 200 Milliamper Machine, equipped with facilities for fluoroscopy, has been installed on the first floor of the college building. The X-ray room is the old anatomy demonstration pit, which has no further use since the Anatomy Department has been moved to the fifth floor. The machine has been used for clinic patients and its uses will undoubtedly multiply as time goes on.

information and develop the proper skills to afford the disabled person a well rounded knowledge of and the ability to perform all of the skills, job operations, and work tasks which are essential to meeting employment requirements in the chosen occupation." "No course of instruction can exceed four years in length nor shall any training under this legislation be afforded beyond six years after the termination of the present war."

If veterans are to take advantage of either Public Law 16 or Public Law 346, educational provisions for which are reviewed above, you must point out to the veteran the osteopathic application of these bills. Address any questions pertinent to eligibility or enrollment in an osteopathic college to the Dean of the college in question.

## FRATERNITY NOTES



### ATLAS CLUB

September 6th members of the Atlas Club met at the home of Brother Lowrie and made plans for a picnic the following Sunday. The picnic was held at Greenwood Park and despite a rainy day, we had a good turnout. Brothers Mack and Conrad carried off the honors in a fried chicken eating contest, and compliments are in order for Mrs. Heatherington and Mrs. Martin who, with the help of the other wives, planned and prepared the menu.

Tuesday, September 12th, we will meet at the office of alumnus Doctor Park for a practical work session and for election of next semester's officers.

September 20th at 6:30 p.m. the Atlas Senior Banquet will be held at Younkers Tea Room in honor of graduating Brothers Heatherington and Raub.

Officers for the coming semester are: Noble Skull, Fred Lowrie; Occipital, Marion Thompson; Stylus, Lawrence Abbott; Sacrum, Francis Ayers; Pylorus, Edward Yogus; Styloid, Ken Martin.

—L. R.

### AOF

The Calvaria Chapter of L.O.G. Fraternity is making plans for a student work night to promote closer relationship among its members and also for the educational benefits which will be derived from such a plan.

The National Chapter has indeed been very active in producing better relationship among chapters and active correspondence has once more resumed.

We wish to congratulate the L.O.G. members of Philadelphia on the opening of a new hospital and wish them the very best of luck and hopes for continual expansion in the near future.

We wish to extend our very best wishes to Dr. O. E. Owen on the opening of his new suite of offices and also extend the heartiest welcome to Dr. Warner, our new Dean of the college.

### O.M.C.C.

Club members exchanged recipes after the business meeting held September 5th at the home of Martha Hatteson, with Alex Siudara as co-hostess.

The Senior Banquet will be held on Thursday, September 21, 1944, at 7 p.m. at the Kirkwood Hotel. Please make reservations with Lenoard Siudara at Still

College on or before September 18.

All members of the club please salvage your old clothes for war relief and bring them to the meeting to be held October 3 at the home of Gwen Taylor, 1522 Eleventh.

A Hard Time party is scheduled for October 17. Watch for further announcements.

—D. M.

### ITS

Beta Chapter welcomes Bill Flannery and Jim Griffith into fraternal brotherhood of Iota Tau Sigma. Both will not only be loyal fraternity men, but possess the quality to become leaders in the osteopathic profession.

Thursday night, August 31, Dr. Raymond Kale was host to the active pledges and friends at his office in downtown Des Moines. Dr. Kale again, as always, displayed his dynamic enthusiasm as an osteopathic physician. The evening was given over to a routine physical examination, signalling out the diagnostic points in arriving at a definite diagnosis. Fluoroscopic, X-ray, physiotherapy came in for demonstration diagnosis and use in treatment. Signs, symptoms and treatment of dietary deficiencies was in itself very educational.

Probably Dr. Kale's greatest enthusiasm was exemplified in the diagnosis, significance and corrective techniques employed in the management of the spinal osteopathic lesion.

We congratulate Dr. Kale for his active interest in osteopathy. Also for his desire to go forward with the profession in its efforts to join and maintain its rightful place in the treatment of disease.

The men of Iota Tau Sigma extend hopes for a speedy recovery to Mrs. C. P. Christianson, who recently underwent an operation at Des Moines General Hospital.

—H. R. R.

### Weddings

Mr. Gerald A. Rosenthal, a former student and now in the Armed Services, and Miss Clea Marie Hahn have announced their marriage on August 8th. The wedding took place in San Francisco.

Mr. James Barnett, sophomore student at the college, was married on January 10, 1944, to Miss Barbara Riley of Des Moines. Miss Riley was graduated from Iowa Lutheran Hospital School of Nursing last spring.

The Log Book wishes to express to the officers and faculty of the college congratulations and best wishes to both couples.

### NOTICE

If and when you change your address, please notify the Log Book promptly.

## Library Receives New Practice Volumes

Dr. D. R. Steninger, formerly of Wellman, Iowa, and temporarily at Clear Lake, Iowa, made a sizable contribution to the usefulness of the college with the following volumes:

Medical Dictionary, Dorland  
Office Gynecology, Greenhill  
Obstetrics and General Practice, Greenhill

Symptom Diagnosis, Barton and Yater

Papers of the Mayo Clinic, 1937  
Diabetes, Petty

Year Book of General Medicine, 1939-1940-1941-1942

Year Book of Obstetrics and Gynecology, 1939-1940-1941-1942

The following medical monographs:

Diseases of the Blood  
Heart Disease in General Practice

Nutrition of the Infant Child  
Diseases of Women

Fractures and Dislocation, Volumes I and II

Dr. Steininger's gift is a most creditable and useful one and the library staff is enthusiastic about this most recent alumni gesture.

## Dr. Aspengren Donates Surgical Instruments

As we go to press a letter is received from Dr. Aspengren, of DeKalb, Illinois, offering the college surgical instruments valued at approximately \$200.00. The foresight of Dr. Aspengren in supplying equipment for the hospital before actual construction is started will be of value in planning hospital requirements. The administration is also appreciative of the confidence of Dr. Aspengren in our progress.

## B. M. R. Apparatus Presented by Dr. Reese

Dr. Ed Reese, of Kansas City, Des Moines graduate of 1941, sent to the Des Moines college during this past week a basal metabolism machine which has been urgently needed by the clinic and which immediately becomes a part of the proposed hospital facilities. We are deeply indebted to Dr. Reese for his thoughtfulness in improving our clinical facilities and for his continued interest in osteopathic educational progress.

## Newlin Reelected Foundation President

Mr. J. J. Newlin, Vice President of the Pioneer Hi-Bred Corn Company, was selected again to head the Des Moines Still College Osteopathic Foundation. Other trustees elected are Nelse Hansen, Treasurer, Dr. Ruth Paul, Secretary, Dr. Paul Park and Dr. Hugh Clark, President of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy.

## Dr. Golden Heads Two A.O.A. Committees

The following article is reprinted from *The Iowa Osteopathic Physician* for August:

Dr. Mary E. Golden was named Chairman of the following Committees of the American Osteopathic Association by President C. Robert Starks at the Association convention in Chicago:

1. Committee on Research and
2. Committee on Distinguished Service Certificates

## Dr. Facto Academy President-Elect

Dr. L. L. Facto was chosen President of the Academy of Applied Osteopathy, an organization affiliated with the A.O.A., at their annual meetings in Chicago. Dr. Facto is Director of the Clinics at the college and Professor of Diagnosis and Gynecology. Dr. Facto is enthusiastic about the possibilities of the Academy and lends to it his full strength of osteopathic experience and personal energies.

## Dr. Rachel Woods Again O.W.N.A. President

Dr. Rachel H. Woods, of Des Moines, was re-elected President of Osteopathic Women's National Association during the Chicago War Health Service Conference. Dr. Woods is also active in affairs of the Polk County Society and of the Public Relations Committee of the National Alumni Association. First Vice-President of the O.W.N.A. is Dr. Lydia T. Jordan, of Davenport, Iowa, who has previously served as Vice-President.

## Dr. Sinclair Receives Commission in U. S. Public Health Service

Dr. Robert F. Sinclair, KCOS '40, from Grosse Point, Michigan, went on active duty in the Public Health Service as a commissioned officer on September 1, 1944. His title is Junior Assistant Sanitarian. Dr. Sinclair is the first osteopathic physician to have taken the oath with the U. S. Public Health Service and this act creates at once both opportunity and obligations for the osteopathic profession.

## Iowa Location for Osteopathic Physician

A communication was received during the past month describing a vacancy in Lake City, Iowa. There is one doctor in the town of 2200 people and there is available a hospital building. Those interested in this opening may communicate with the Log Book Editor for the details.



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## Schwartz, Graney, Cash Attend Detroit Sessions

Dr. J. P. Schwartz, Chief Surgeon and President of the Des Moines General Hospital, Dr. Howard A. Graney, Surgeon, and



Dr. J. P. Schwartz

Dr. Byron L. Cash, Radiologist at the same institution, are attending the scientific sessions of their specialties in Detroit this week.

Dr. Schwartz, chairman of the Membership Committee and member of the Board of Governors of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons will meet with those groups prior to the formal sessions of the College. Dr. Cash presents a paper "Roentgen Diagnosis and Treat-



Dr. Byron L. Cash

ment of Atypical Pneumonias" before his group. Dr. Graney is attending the formal meetings of the Suregons as well as the surgical clinics in the osteopathic hospitals of Detroit.

Dr. Graney and Cash are professors, respectively, of the Departments of Surgery and Roentgenology at one Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy.

## Dr. Waterbury Joins Obstetrical Staff

Dr. Carl Waterbury, who was graduated from the Des Moines college in 1942, will return November 1st to assume duties in the Obstetrical Department. Dr. Waterbury will present the first course in Obstetrics and will be Assistant Director of the Obstetrical Clinic. Dr. Waterbury was graduated with distinction, having the highest scholastic average in his class and also having shown special clinical aptitude. He has completed a year's internship at the Wilshire Hospital in Los Angeles. Dr. Waterbury is a native of Des Moines and during the first year of his instruction in the Obstetrical Department of the college will also fill his requirements for his license in surgery. It is his intention to practice in the State of Iowa.

## Possibilities

### LET'S TURN THEM INTO REALITIES

*In this the first article I have written for the Log Book since my student days at Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy way back in the early twenties, I want to be entirely informal. I want it to be a sort of a letter of personal greeting from the new Dean to each student and alumnus. I should like to give some of my impressions of the college and state some of the possibilities I see for the future. It is needless to say that I should never have joined the staff at Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy had I not been favorably impressed by the present as well as the future.*

### View Points

Osteopathic Education is undergoing a new experience in the relevancy of its professional importance. It is out in front of the whole profession with the full glare of the spotlight turned upon it. Spotlights tend to highlight certain features and to cast others into shadow so that a single object presents different pictures according to the angle from which it is viewed.

Because of the many points of view from which the individual

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## Dr. Niles Impresses 1944 Graduates

### Alumni Induction Rites Added to Ceremony

At the conclusion of the Commencement ceremony a feature new to graduates of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy was added. For the first time graduates of the College were formally received into the Alumni Association by a simple procedure. Dr. Earl O. Sargent, President of the Iowa Alumni Association of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, spoke briefly and pointed out the opportunities open to each October 6 graduate. Dr. Sargent emphasized the importance of service which could be rendered by each new alumnus, "service to the public, service to the profession, service to the College and service to yourself in upholding the Osteopathic Oath."

### A.O.A. Messages

At the conclusion of Dr. Sargent's remarks he read congratulatory messages from Dr. R. C. McCaughan, Executive Secretary of the A.O.A., and Dr. C. Robert Starks, President of the A.O.A. Both men welcomed the new graduates into the profession and highly commended the class for 100% membership in the American Osteopathic Association, typifying, said Dr. Starks, "the spirit of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy."

### Plans

Eight men were graduated in the Class of October 6, and of this number six will start internship, as follows: Detroit Osteopathic Hospital, Richard F. Snyder, J. Scott Heatherington and James S. Crane; Tulsa Osteopathic Hospital, William Crotty; Madison Street Hospital, Herbert G. Harris; Bashline-Rossman Hospital, Lester Raub. The remaining members of the class plan to enter practice soon — Paul Emmons in Wellsburg, Iowa, and Sam Kuramoto, who has not yet selected a location for practice.

## Seniors Win Cup At Picnic Games

The Student-Faculty Council, which has among its duties and privileges the task of selecting a floating holiday, this year named September 28th. Undoubtedly the morning was used by most for

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### Fine Address Before Large Audience

Highlights of the Commencement exercises of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, October 6, 1944, was the address, "Growing Up" by Dr. Stanley B. Niles, President of Iowa Wesleyan College. Brightening his serious message with frequent whimsical and humorous references, Dr. Niles built up his thesis of intellectual maturation by pointing out certain "rights" and "wrongs" of approach to problems. **Evasion, a common but unsatisfactory crutch** in solving problems, was first in the discussion. Following, a close ally of evasion, **procrastination** became the victim of a rather vitriolic attack, pointed by humorous anecdotes. The third escape mechanism which suffered an uneasy few minutes at the hands of Dr. Niles was **rationalization**. Not least among the topics of his talk was **substitution**, whereby the original problem is not attacked at all, but is replaced by one which is simpler or by an attitude which is intended to serve as an answer, such as "throwing a tantrum." Dr. Niles assigned to the last method of problem solution the expression "adult infantilism."

Faculty, friends and recent graduates felt that Dr. Niles address was indeed distinguished.

### Choir

Other features of the program which received most favorable comment were the renditions of "Hymn to the Night" and "America the Beautiful" by the Roosevelt High School a capella choir, under the direction of Miss Laura Duncan. The presentations of these boys and girls were masterfully done. Wayne Kuefner's solo appearance with the choir was both dignified and distinguished.

Additionally the program included Invocation by Dr. Robert Bachman, a vocal number by Mr. H. M. Cleveland and organ music for the Processional and Recessional by Mrs. Samuel Garton. To Dr. Bachman also fell the duties of vesting the graduates with the hood, symbolic of completion of the osteopathic curriculum. The class was presented for conferment of degrees by Dean Owen, and the Osteopathic Oath was administered and the degrees were conferred by President Clark.

## Dr. Bayne Recovers From Prolonged Illness

Word was recently received that Dr. Richard Bayne, of Detroit, 1943 Des Moines graduate, has recovered from a long and serious illness. Dr. Bayne for months has been incapacitated as a result of a siege of typhoid. It is pleasing to his former associates at the college and to his classmates to know that Dr. Bayne will soon be able to return to his practice.

## Lewis and Westfall Take Postgraduate Course

Dr. George P. Lewis, 1943 graduate who completed his internship at the Madison Street Hospital in Seattle, returned to the college during the summer enroute to the A.O.A. Convention. On his return trip Dr. Lewis detoured through Texas and spent a month in obtaining postgraduate training in his specialty, Eye-Ear-Nose and Throat.

Dr. William Westfall has recently returned to his practice in Ackley, Iowa, after a month's training in Proctology at the Dover Clinic in Boston. Dr. Westfall is enthusiastic about his postgraduate work and will participate in the program of the proctologists who will hold a clinic at the Des Moines College Sunday, October 22nd. On his return from Boston Dr. Westfall had the interesting experience of appearing as a guest on the Thanks to the Yanks program conducted by Bob Hawk.

## Dr. Mary Williams Opens Office

Dr. Mary E. Williams, 1943 Des Moines graduate, has announced the opening of her office at 3229 North High Street, Columbus, Ohio. Dr. Williams completed internship and requirements for her surgery license at Doctors Hospital in Columbus. She also announces that her office is open for general practice and obstetrics. The Log Book extends for former Des Moines associates wishes for deserved and growing success.

## Dr. Barr Returns To Alma Mater

Dr. Clyde Barr, 1943 graduate, returned to Des Moines during the past week to write the Iowa basic science examination. Dr. Barr favored his former college associates with a very pleasant, although brief, visit. Dr. Barr recently completed his internship and now has been appointed to a residency at the Riverside Hospital, opened in Trenton, Michigan last month. Dr. Barr was highly pleased with the changes that have taken place in the college since he was graduated.

## Freshman Class Shows Energetic Spirit

Incomplete registration includes among the entering Freshman Class as of October 9, the following:

Dorothy May Diener, Palmyra, N. J.

Wilmoth J. Mack, Des Moines  
George T. Moylan, Detroit  
Charles B. Alexander, Des Moines

Gustav Peterson, Gibbon, Minn.

Of this group, Gustav Peterson is entering the college under the provisions of the "G. I. Bill of Rights." He was previously enrolled in the college.

Mrs. Arline Peace, whose husband (Dr. Tyrus Peace) was graduated in 1943, is returning as a sophomore, to complete the osteopathic course. Mr. Charles Alexander, whose home is Des Moines, transferred to the Des Moines college from Kirksville.

The Log Book joins the administrative officers and staff of the college in extending a most cordial welcome to the new enrollees, as well as those who are returning.

## Technique Course Has Auspicious Beginning

The Course in Cranial Technique, beginning October 16 with a review of cranial morphology and physiology by Dr. Paul E. Kimberly, will be continued October 23 by Dr. W. G. Sutherland of St. Peter, Minnesota. Dr. Beryl Arbuckle, of Philadelphia and Dr. Raleigh S. MacVicker of The Dalles, Oregon. The latter group will offer the clinical and applied work of the course. Concurrently with the last week of the first two weeks course, Dr. Kimberly will begin a second course, which will be completed November 5 by Drs. Sutherland, Arbuckle and MacVicker.

The following doctors have enrolled for the course. October 16-23:

Dr. J. Gordon Zink, Canton, Pennsylvania

Dr. Leo C. Harrison, Cherokee, Iowa

Dr. Richard B. Gordon, Madison, Wis.

Dr. W. E. Reese, Toledo, Ohio

Dr. J. J. Henderson, Toledo, Iowa

Dr. John H. Warren, Philadelphia

Dr. P. Frank Miller, Philadelphia

Dr. Sevilla Mullet, Bryan, Ohio

Dr. Estelle A. Wise, Cherokee, Iowa

Dr. Joseph Lindsay, Harrisburg, Pa.

Dr. Lowell R. Morgan, Alton, Ill.

Dr. Philip Coker, Panama City, Florida

Dr. L. E. McOmber, Grand Henry, Mich.

Dr. Janet MacGregor, Marshall, Minnesota

Dr. Nellie D. Kramer, Pella, Iowa

## Ralph Powers Resigns From Municipal Bench

Mr. Ralph L. Powers, lecturer in Medical Jurisprudence, resigned September 30th as Municipal Judge. Mr. Powers had served the city in this capacity for more than twenty years and has been a symbol for honor, fairness and keen cooperation with law enforcement officials. Former Judge Powers is now established in a private law practice with firm Powers, Sloane, Woodcock and Orebaugh.

## Dr. Bertrand Adams Now With Dr. Gulden

Dr. Bertrand Adams is now associated in practice with Dr. H. L. Gulden at Ames. The past year he has interned at the Detroit Osteopathic hospital, Detroit, Michigan, following graduation from the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy.

In addition to his office practice, Dr. Adams also gives anaesthesias for major surgery at the Mary Greeley hospital at Ames.

Dr. William A. Newland, Seattle, Wash.

Dr. Nettie M. Harris, Atlanta, Georgia

Dr. Beryl Freeman, Des Moines, Iowa

Dr. Dale M. Weldon, Greenville, Mich.

Dr. A. E. Borchardt, Lidgerwood, N. D.

Dr. Beatrice Blawis, Middle Falls, N. Y.

Dr. Ethel L. Truax, Everett, Wash.

The following will attend the course from October 23 through November 5:

Dr. P. N. Lovewell, Northville, Michigan

Dr. R. B. Beyer, Port Arthur, Texas

Dr. Arvilla B. McCall, Evanston, Ill.

Dr. Florine A. Mauer, Evanston, Ill.

Dr. E. N. Douglass, Standish, Michigan

Dr. G. W. Stewart, Pinconning, Mich.

Dr. C. E. Seastrand, Des Moines, Iowa

Dr. Della B. Caldwell, Des Moines, Iowa

Dr. Robert Sowers, Warren, Ohio

Dr. Anna L. Slocum, Des Moines, Iowa

Dr. E. V. Chance, St. Helen's, Oregon

Dr. Pauline Sears, Bend, Oregon

Dr. G. P. O'Leary, Portage, Wisconsin

## Dr. McGill Resigns from Obstetrics Department

Dr. R. O. McGill, for the past year Assistant Director of the Obstetrical Clinic and fellow in obstetrics, has resigned his position with the college. Dr. McGill plans to become associated with Dr. Sherman Meyer, formerly of Algona, Iowa, in the Virginia Ann Clinic and Hospital, Hot Springs, New Mexico.

Dr. McGill has served the Obstetrical Clinic faithfully throughout his fellowship and provided excellent instruction in the practical clinical obstetrics. Before assuming his position with the college faculty Dr. McGill interned at the Des Moines General Hospital. He has since completed requirements for his surgery license.

## Barton Nelson in New Guinea Lab

Barton Nelson, former student and claimed by Selective Service, is now stationed in a General Medical Laboratory in New Guinea. He reports interesting work with specialists in the fields of Tropical Medicine and Parasitology.

There is a touch of loneliness in his letter to Dr. Owen, and he would appreciate hearing from former classmates. His address: PFC Barton Nelson, 37671572, 19th Med. Gen. Lab., APO 5467, c/o P. O. San Francisco.

## Dr. Riggle Accepts Post in Urology

Dr. Kenneth B. Riggle, 1941 Des Moines Still College graduate, has taken a position with the faculty of the college in the Department of Urology. Dr. Riggle completed his internship at the Des Moines General Hospital, as well as a year's residency in surgery at that institution. Since completion of his postgraduate training, Dr. Riggle has been practicing in Des Moines. It is his intention to develop in the college a strong Department of Urology, for which purpose he will pursue graduate study as the college curriculum permits.

## Births

Congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. John M. Schott, Columbus, Ohio, who recently became parents of a daughter.

Drs. and Mrs. E. F. Leininger are the parents of a daughter born October 12th at Des Moines General Hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Perdue, of Flint, Michigan, announce the birth of a daughter, Karen Rae, October 2, 1944.

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Osteopathy Without Limitation

## Still College Club Announces Program

The Still College Club, under the direction of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, has begun its campaign for membership. **The Still College Club has for the basic plank in its platform, support of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy.** Membership in the club is provided on a \$100.00 per year minimum basis. Support for the Still College Club means contribution toward the current operational expenses of the college. It is not intended to provide extensive additions in laboratory, clinical, or hospital facilities. It is intended to keep the Des Moines Still College operating on the same high educational plane it has achieved during the past several years.

### Previous Appeal

Several articles, beginning February, 1944, appeared in the Log Book outlining the necessity for such an organization. Still College Club chapters are now being formed in the several states. Notable among these are Iowa, Michigan and Washington. Our goal by January 1st is a membership of 500.

### Guarantee

A membership of 500 by January 1, 1945, will mean assurance to the college of the active support and interest of its alumni in educational progress. It will mean also that the laity, whom we are currently approaching for financial support in building our clinical hospital, will be assured that our own profession is behind the school. This alone will be one of the biggest selling points in the campaign among the laity for hospital funds. Before December 1st each alumnus will be approached, personally or by letter, to join the Still College Club. Your best answer is a check to the limit of your ability. Do not wait to be coaxed. Join Now. You may send your check directly to Dr. Hugh Clark, President, Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy. **SEND YOUR CHECK NOW.**

**Dr. Della B. Caldwell First  
Member of Still College  
Club**

Dr. Della B. Caldwell, who recently celebrated her 40th year in practice, is the first member of the Still College Club. Dr. Caldwell is a graduate of this college in the Class of 1902. Each year her enthusiasm for osteo-

## POSSIBILITY

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members of the profession look at our osteopathic educational system, we find the college subjected to a veritable barrage of professional comment varying from derogation to hyperbolic commendation, from blame to praise, and from outright refusal to contribute to the progress campaigns to enthusiastic support. Between opposite poles of professional pessimism and optimism lie many degrees of light and shadow, tinted with buts and ifs and whens, each representing the individual's point of view and the relative dimness or clarity of the lens of professional idealism through which he views the parade of progress.

### ALUMNI

#### The Dodo Bird

In six years of experience in osteopathic education I have observed that much unwarranted criticism comes from the alumnus who has never visited his college since the day of graduation. He has little realization of the changes, additions and improvements that have been made through the years. He thinks of the college as it was in his student days and he still carries the gripes of those days with him. To those alumni who attended Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy in the old building on Locust Street and have never been back to see the present college building, I merely want to say, **give us a visit** before passing critical comment.

To those graduates who attended college at the Sixth Ave. location but who have not returned recently—you will be amazed at the new modern library, laboratories and x-ray equipment. **Give us a visit.**

Regardless of present deficiencies and current needs, evidences of improvement warrant commendation, and I, as a former student who has just returned, certainly commend the college administration for the excellence of completed and proposed improvements.

#### The Stuffed Duck

**Then there is the alumnus who was entirely satisfied and still is with the status quo of his student days.** Some how or other he got by the boards and achieved a degree of financial success which enables him to withdraw into the smugness of his own security. He has been immune to the advances of science and ignorant of the ever increasing needs for change and improvement. He joins no professional societies and attends no graduate courses. He feels no obligation to his college and re-

pathic education and Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy has grown. She has chosen this method of expressing the sincerity of her interest in professional education. Her enthusiasm is inspiring and must serve as a model for her many friends among the alumni of the Des Moines college.

fuses to contribute to any form of osteopathic progress for he has no pride in professional advancement. He is completely complacent in his therapeutic rut and contented in his self centered existence.

#### The Cowbird

**We also observe the individual who sits on the side lines watching the procession move forward but lending no help or support to its progress.** When asked to join up he replies with ifs and buts and whens instead of a pledge. He is waiting to see if the parade will be a success. His contribution will be too little and too late.

#### The Golden Eagle

**The great majority of our alumni are men and women who in student days and since graduation seized every educational opportunity for professional improvement. They have kept abreast of the times and are keenly cognizant of scientific achievement and professional needs.** They are grateful for the opportunity which was opened to them through education in osteopathy and are conscious of the obligation which every alumnus owes his alma mater.

Understanding the difficulties of the past they honor and respect those who taught them their art, and are charitable and constructive in comment and criticism. Their names are found among the Progress Fund Subscribers and especially on the subscription lists of the \$500 and \$1000 clubs. With definite and full realization of educational needs they are footing the bills of progress with a participating enthusiasm.

#### Why Des Moines?

I have been asked repeatedly and quite bluntly "Why are you going to Des Moines?" My answer was and is "I see possibilities—great possibilities."

These possibilities are not in the realm of mere chance in which the outcome depends on lady luck but are the kind of possibilities which may be directed into complete fulfillment.

The soundness of our principles, the excellence and loyalty of our underpaid and overworked faculties and the high quality of our educational product (the osteopathic physician) has established a professional service for which the demand is ever increasing.

The growth and relative excellence of osteopathic education without endowments and tax grants has been phenomenal but has left the colleges with certain definite needs which must be filled if the increasing demands for osteopathic services are to be met.

#### THE FUTURE

At Des Moines, I see the possibility of a new, modern, fully equipped and completely staffed teaching clinic and hospital — with provisions for a diagnostic service for referred patients. A city population of 170,000 assures an adequate supply of patients for clinical teaching.

With the erection of such a

clinic and hospital building, there is the possibility of further expansion and improvement of class rooms and laboratories in the present college building.

**I see the possibility of a larger faculty composed of basic science and clinical specialists.** Recognition of the need for enlarging the faculty with greater specialization and departmentalization is no reflection on the competency of present faculty members but is merely the acknowledgement of a necessary phase of educational progress. With over 80 D.O.'s in Des Moines there should be little difficulty in securing an adequate number of clinical specialists for both class room and clinical service.

At Des Moines—I also see the possibility of a larger and stronger student body. With the fulfillment of the possibilities in faculty and facilities through the contributions of loyal alumni and appreciative laymen, there should be little difficulty in securing sufficient applications so that a reasonable quota may be filled with even greater selective discretion in scholarship and professional promise.

In fact I see the possibility of making Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy outstanding not only in osteopathic education but in educational circles generally.

*But this possibility can only be fulfilled if every alumnus joins the parade and boosts to the limit of his means and only when this is accomplished at Des Moines and all other colleges, can the future of osteopathic education be assured and the demands for osteopathic services be met.*

*I am glad of the opportunity to help in making these possibilities become realities, and if this were a letter I should close "enthusiastically yours."*

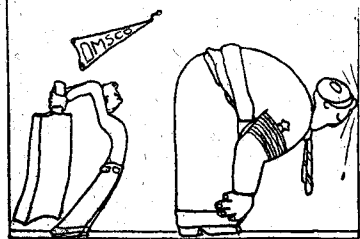
—M. D. WARNER.

## Dr. Sargent Remodels And Enlarges Offices

Dr. Earl Sargent, President of the Des Moines Still College Alumni Association of Iowa, has recently completed a most extensive reorganization of his offices located at East 12th and University Avenue in Des Moines. Dr. Sargent has a suite of three treating rooms, laboratory and consultation room, and has added new equipment throughout. The new offices are adjacent to Dr. Sargent's home and are an index at once of his competence, and ambitions. It is Dr. Sargent's plan to include a dentist in his suite following the war.

Dr. Sargent held a fellowship in the Obstetrical Clinic of the college for one year following his graduation in 1938.

## FRATERNITY NOTES



## O.M.C.C.

Members of the Osteopathic Women's College Club sponsored a Hard Time Masquerade party, held on Tuesday, October 17, at 7 p.m. at the P.S.G. House, 2141 Grand Avenue. Admission was \$1 per couple and the evening was spent playing bingo and dancing, and refreshments were served. Prizes were awarded for the best costumes. Members and their friends enjoyed an evening of fun.

The next business meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert O. Fagen, on November 7. All members please attend. Mrs. Fagen is the club sponsor and we are very pleased to welcome her home from her vacation.

—D. M.

## ATLAS CLUB

The last meeting of the previous semester for the Atlas Club was held September 26th at the Y. M. C. A. Our Noble Skull appointed the committees for this semester and the working organization of the club now is seated.

A very much enjoyed evening was spent on September 20th at Younkers Tea Room in the form of the Atlas Senior banquet. Mr. Dwight James was the interesting and inspiring speaker of the evening. Keys were presented to the two departing seniors, Dr. Lester Raub and Dr. J. Scott Heatherington. We extend our best wishes for success and happiness.

At a special meeting Dr. Robert Bachman was presented with the Atlas key. There is a certain quality of fellowship gone from each of our hearts with Dr. Bachman's leaving. Also at the meeting our fine brother, Dr. McGill, who has served so faithfully and well as Assistant Director of the Obstetrical Clinic, was presented with a gift. We wish continued success for Brother McGill.

## ΨΣΑ

The new officers of Psi Sigma Alpha, elected at the last regular meeting are: Fred Lowrie, President; Hoy Eakle, Vice President; Ed Yogus, Secretary and Treasurer; Gordon Sherwood, Corresponding Secretary.

At a recent dinner meeting attended by members and several alumni a very interesting paper was presented by Homer Allshouse, the title of which was "Serodiagnostic Tests in Malignant Tumors."

As is customary, a paper on a scientific subject is prepared by each member on a subject of his own choice and presented at the regular dinner meetings; following this, the paper is added to the archives of the local chapter. Mr. Allshouse's paper is a fine addition to the many valuable and highly educational treatises previously contributed.

Honoring Herbert Harris and Lester Raub, our graduating seniors, Psi Sigma Alpha held its senior banquet at Lowrie's Cafe, October 2nd. An inspiring after dinner talk was given by Dr. Deitrich, who also awarded the life certificates to both men. Herb is leaving by plane to interne in the State of Washington and Lester will interne in his home state of Pennsylvania. We hate to lose these two fine members, but hope they will keep us in mind wherever they may go.

—G. S.

## ΦΣΓ

Newly elected officers of the P.S.G. fraternity are President, V. Clausen; Vice President, H. Eakle; Secretary L. Suidara; Treasurer, M. Morey; P. Master, H. Allshouse, Sergeant at Arms, J. Snyder.

On Sept. 22nd a formal dance was held in honor of graduating brother, J. Crane, H. Harris, R. Snyder and Wm. Crotty; likewise, the same courtesy was extended to the past graduating class. A large crowd attended the affair and all experienced a grand time. We wish our graduating brothers the best of luck.

Following the commencement exercise brothers J. Crane and Wm. Crotty were married. Congratulations Doctors.

Addition to the P.S.G. membership are brothers Robert Sedar and William Huls.

After returning of the PSG members from their most needed summer vacation, our fellows reopened their dinner table, 2141 Grand, "with food fit for a king." Students and faculty are cordially invited. Both lunch and dinner are served, try it—its good. We are proud to say that the idea is a success. On every other Monday, here after, the dinner will be accompanied by a speaker either from our faculty or a practicing physician. We hope to enlighten our members on points from professional men through their experience. Dr. Dietrich, was our speaker on Oct. 11, whom we enjoyed very much. Dr. Deitrich's subject was "How to Study and Future of Osteopathy." Those attended were our new freshmen, members of the faculty, students and their wives. Thank you Dr. Deitrich. Say! Wasn't that fried chicken de-li-cious!

—L. S.

## NOTICE

If and when you change your address, please notify the Log Book promptly.

## ITS

Beta chapter of Iota Tau Sigma celebrated the close of the past semester with an informal chicken dinner, self service style, at the Terrace Club, Sunday, Sept. 24. Alumni, members and pledges enjoyed an evening of dancing and technicolor motion pictures shown by our President, Brother Merrill. Mrs. E. E. Steffen also obliged by giving an impromptu talk on China and its position in the recent international developments.

Now that the new semester has again settled down into high gear, Beta chapter expects to proceed with initiation ceremonies for a number of its past semester pledges.

Ye Editor is in receipt of a recent letter from Dr. Ed Mossman who is in practice in Chippewa Falls Wisconsin. Brother Mossman reports a fine and growing practice. Beta Chapter sends congratulations.

To those of you who get your news through this article, we wish to announce that our own Dr. Bob Hatchitt in the Liberty Building, besides building a nice practice has also begun raising a family. Dennis LeRoy, weighing 7 pounds 8½ oz., was born at Des Moines General July 22nd.

—H. R. R.

## PICNIC

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an arduous wrestling bout with Morpheus. Games started at one o'clock, leading off with a ball game between the seniors and juniors and was a seesaw battle with the juniors seeing and the seniors sawing. The aged and decrepit seniors, through a fifth inning rally surged ahead, sparked by first baseman Lonnie Facto (borrowed by the seniors because graduation was in the offing. The help of rather questionable umpiring by Dr. Deitrich behind the pitcher and Dr. Clark on the bases they had to admit was at least a minor factor in their victory. The juniors, however, were too tired to protest and they had their finals to take too. The seniors finally won 8 to 7.

## Freshmen—Seniors

Immediately after the victory over the juniors, the seniors were carried on to the field with the hope of polishing off the freshmen. The score at the end of the second inning, at which time the game was called on account of darkness, was 25 to 2 in favor of the seniors. The pitching for the freshman wasn't fancy, but there was lots of it. The freshmen used 14 pitchers and then went into a huddle to see if they could not devise a modification of Hitler's robot bomb to stop the batting practice of the seniors. Nothing could be done, however.

## Canoe Race

The respective classes of the college were able to find two members each who had not taken their Saturday night bath. These men volunteered to enter the

canoe race. It was a half mile course as the crows flies, but there were no crows flying. Consequently any team that paddled less than three miles as a tired fish would swim, won. This is one of the items of Still College which will not be recorded in the history of Des Moines.

## Horseshoes

This sport was limited to class representatives who, in their younger days, had spent their mornings ploughing and their afternoons preparing for the favorite pastime of all college students. There is a little question as to the winner, but President Clark, inasmuch as he is editor of the Log Book, insisted that he had supremacy, although close competition was offered by Obstetrician McGill, Ed Yogus, Francis Ayers, Wendell Taylor, Lester Raub and Walter Peterson.

## Picnic Supper

Scott Heatherington, as President of the Student-Faculty Council, had arranged a fine picnic supper which was attended by most of the student body and many of the faculty and practicing physicians. Those who were not too tired to eat report that it was bang-up good meal. A few of the super-athletes remained for dancing. The last couple collapsed and was carried off about nine o'clock.

## Anatomy

Dr. Kimberly, freshmen coach and timer for the foot races, was faced on the day following the picnic with numerous anatomical problems, chief among them — "Why is it that we have so many more muscles today than we had yesterday?"

Although the mathematics involved is somewhat complicated, the eventually scoring showed the seniors to be far in the lead. Regardless of what method of scoring was used, the seniors have the cup and will hold it until the lower classes attract either more athletic women or fewer 4 F's.

## Dr. Wright, Alumni Head, Visits College

Dr. Russell M. Wright, President of the National Alumni Association, returned to Des Moines October 8 and 9 for a brief and unexpected visit. Alumni President Wright is highly pleased with the trend of advancement in educational procedures and facilities at the College, and reports high enthusiasm among alumni of his home state, Michigan.

Calling attention to the Cranial Technique course being offered at the College October 16 to November 5, Dr. Wright expressed the view that further contributions of the college toward post-graduate study would be welcome. Officials of the College feel a pride in the support of the Des Moines Still College alumni and its able leader.



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## Living Endowment Fund At \$50,000

### Dr. J. P. Leonard Named To Hospital Committee

*The following article is an excerpt from the Bulletin of the Michigan Society of Osteopathic Physicians & Surgeons.*

Announcement was made September 21st by Governor Harry F. Kelly of the appointment of a committee of thirty-two persons, including Dr. J. Paul Leonard, treasurer of the Detroit Osteopathic Hospital, to direct a study of hospital needs and resources in Michigan.

The study, the first of three similar surveys projected as models for the nation, will be financed by the W. K. Kellogg Foundation, the Commonwealth Foundation of New York and the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

In appointing Dr. Leonard to this important survey committee, Governor Kelly said "I should appreciate it very much if you could find time to serve as a member of this committee. You would be performing a truly valuable public service".

Dr. Leonard accepted the appointment as a representative of the Michigan Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons. We quote from Dr. Leonard's letter of acceptance to the Governor: "Such a study under the able direction which has been chosen, is a truly intelligent approach to a long-range program in the public interest."

"I shall be pleased to work in cooperation with Dr. Bachmeyer, Director of the study; Mr. Davis, the chairman, and other members of the committee, in the hope that I may make some helpful contribution".

### Dr. J. Philip Gurka Commended for Bravery

The following article is reprinted from the Evening Tribune—Lawrence, Massachusetts, Aug. 23, 1944.

Captain J. Philip Gurka, fighting in France with an infantry regiment in the crack First Division, has been awarded the Soldier's Medal for gallantry more than a year ago during the Sicilian campaign. He is the son

of Mrs. Rose Gurka and the late Lucas Gurka, 12 Bennington street.

The citation accompanying the medal, dated June 21, states it was awarded "For heroism in the vicinity of Randazzo, Sicily, 14 August, 1943. When exploding mines wounded a number of men advancing through a heavily mined area, Captain Gurka, (then first lieutenant) fearlessly proceeded to their assistance and promptly administered first aid. His gallant action and exemplary conduct, despite great personal danger, undoubtedly saved the lives of several of the wounded.

Captain Gurka was well qualified to treat the wounded men

since he is a graduate of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and served his internship at the Des Moines, Iowa, General hospital. A member of the Officers Reserve, he received notification that he had passed the state board examinations here in the same mail that instructed him to report for active military service with the First Division.

He took part in the initial invasions of North Africa and Sicily and then was moved to England, where his unit trained until it struck at the beachhead of Normandy with the first wave on D-Day.

## Osteopathic Education For Veterans Authorized By Federal Government

*Under provisions established by federal laws for the vocational rehabilitation and readjustment of ex-service men it is possible for every young man and woman who was under twenty-five years of age at the time of enlistment or induction and who has been honorably discharged after a minimum of ninety days service to obtain education or training in any vocation of his own choosing with tuition, fees, supplies and maintenance furnished by the federal government.*

### Three Already

Already three veterans are registered at Des Moines Still College as so called G. I. students and a number are completing their preosteopathic course at other colleges for entrance to their professional course at later dates. The college has received many inquiries from service men concerning osteopathic education. With the ever increasing number of returned service men there should be a veritable flood of inquiries providing every osteopathic physician familiarizes himself with the provisions of the federal program and interests competent veterans in osteopathic education.

### Purposes of Laws

The laws establishing the provisions of the educational program for veterans are designed to serve two general purposes:

1. To rehabilitate the veteran who is vocationally handicapped by a service incurred disability and thereby "restore" the employability which has been lost by virtue of a handicap due to a disability incurred or aggravated by service."

2. To enable the veteran "whose education or training was impeded, delayed, interrupted or interfered with by reason of his entrance into service or who desires a refresher course" to continue such education or training.

Although the two programs are established by separate laws and are designed for different purposes they are both administered by the Veterans Administration which has regional offices in over fifty principle cities of the United States. (See Log Book, September.)

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### Michigan Alumni Set High Goal

### Plan to Carry Campaign To States Immediately

During the meeting of the Michigan State Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, Des Moines Still College alumni of that state, set a goal of \$50,000 annual contribution to the College. At a luncheon meeting, Michigan alumni subscribed \$10,000 with an average contribution of approximately \$155 per man.

State Alumni officers (President, Donald Evans; Secretary, Howard A. Johnston; Treasurer, John W. Eddy) are carrying the campaign district by district throughout the state and report good success in their initial efforts. They are being aided in their state project by National Alumni Officers: Russell M. Wright, President and C. C. Auseon, Secretary, as well as by district chairmen.

Everyone is urged to subscribe immediately to this endeavor.

### Purpose

The Living Endowment Program of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, has as its purpose, support of operational expenses of the College under its program of balanced expansion. It will provide for:

1. **Academic excellence**, including teaching aids, laboratory facilities, expansion of the library, enlargement of clinical facilities and institution of research program and addition of instructors in their specialties.
2. **Postgraduate program**. It will be possible to present graduate and post-graduate work for D.O.'s who wish further training in the field of their choice at a reasonable cost.
3. **Reorganization**. Evidence that the college is growing and that the profession is behind the college 100% will attract laity to the Board of Trustees so that financial management of the College may be handled independently of personnel on the staff.

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### Vocational Rehabilitation

Public Law No. 16, 78th Congress provides vocational rehabilitation for those veterans whose employability has been lost because of a service connected disability. **To be eligible for training under this law, the veteran:**

1. Must have been in active military or naval service at any time since December 6, 1941 and during the present war.
2. Must have an honorable discharge.
3. Must have a pensionable disability incurred in or aggravated by service.
4. Must be in need of vocational rehabilitation to overcome the handicap of such disability.

Under this law the veteran is not permitted free choice of the course he is to pursue but makes his selection in consultation with the vocational guidance officer of the Veterans Administration on the basis of previous education and experience and present ability, disability and desire. No course can exceed four years in length or extend beyond six years after termination of the present war.

*"Maintenance and support during training and for two months after employability has been determined will be provided through increased pension. A single person will receive a pension at the rate of \$80.00 per month, a married person \$90.00 a month, with \$5.00 a month for each dependent and an additional allotment in the amount of \$10.00 a month for each dependent parent. Tuition, books, supplies and other incidentals are furnished in institutional training."*

### THE G. I. BILL

The Servicemen's Readjustment Act, Public Law 346, 78th Congress provides that the veteran, to be eligible for training, must have served in active military or naval service on or after September 16, 1940, for a period of 90 days or more (exclusive of certain Army Specialized or Navy College training programs) and must have received an honorable discharge. If his period of service is less than 90 days he must have received a medical discharge because of actual service incurred disability.

The veteran who thus qualifies and who was not over twenty-five years of age at the time of entrance into service is entitled to one year of training plus an additional period equal to the length of his service. **Veterans over twenty-five years of age at the time of entrance into service must submit satisfactory evidence to show that their education or training was actually impeded, delayed, interrupted or interfered with in order to receive more than one year of training**

Under this law the veteran has practically free choice of the course of education and of any approved educational institution whether or not located in the state in which he resides. Tuition, fees and supplies (maximum \$500 per school year) and maintenance allowance of \$50 to \$75 per month according to number of dependents.

### Application

Des Moines Still College is approved by the Veterans Administration for the training of veterans under either law. Applications for vocational rehabilitation are filed on V. A. Form 1900 at the nearest regional office of the Veterans Administration. Applications for training under the G. I. Bill are filed on V. A. Form 1950, (a) with the regional office where the case filed is located, (b) with the regional office in the state in which the educational institution is located, or (c) with the educational institution. **The veterans may already be enrolled in college before making application under the G. I. Bill. He must make application not later than two years after discharge from service or the termination of the present war which ever is later.**

These educational programs form an important phase of the reconversion program and provide a means of personal readjustment of the ex-service man. Veterans should be encouraged to avail themselves of this opportunity to prepare themselves for civilian employment. **What greater service can the osteopathic physician render to the qualified veteran than to inform him of the opportunities which are available in the study and practice of osteopathy?**

### Fraternity Notes

AOF

The members of L.O.G. offer their sympathy to Mr. Harry Elms on the death of his mother.

At our last meeting held November 12, Mr. William Stoler presented a lecture on the benefits of osteopathic management of pregnancy. An informal discussion followed.

A fraternity dinner is now

being planned in honor of Mr. Stoler's coming graduation. We wish to take this opportunity to express our thanks for his co-operation in the true spirit of fraternalism.

—R. L. D.

O.W.C.C.

Members of the O.W.C.C. enjoyed an interesting talk given by Dr. Paul E. Kimberly after the

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### Dr. S. J. Lillard Dies of Heart Attack

Dr. S. J. Lillard of Canton Missouri, passed away at his home while convalescing from an attack of double pneumonia. Dr. Lillard's untimely death came at the age of 42 years.

He entered Kirksville College of Osteopathy in 1923 and transferred to the Des Moines Still College in 1926. He was graduated in 1927 from the latter school.

Dr. Lillard had an extensive practice in northeast Missouri, and had, during his 18 years of public service, been an ardent supporter of his college and state and national osteopathic organizations. For was county health physician.

His passing is not only a great loss to the osteopathic profession, but also to the people whom he served so faithfully.

### Dr. T. B. Larrabee Passes Away

Dr. T. B. Larrabee, Webster City, Iowa, alumnus of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy in the class of 1902, died October 1 at the age of 73.

Dr. Larrabee had practiced in Webster City more than 30 years. He was one of the first osteopathic physicians in the state of Iowa, and was one of the organizers of the Iowa Osteopathic Association. He served as its secretary more than 10 years.

Dr. Larrabee has been a faithful alumnus of Des Moines Still College, rendering service to his college as well as his colleagues. For many years he was a member of the Corporate Board of the Des Moines Still College.

The passing of Dr. Larrabee removes from the profession of osteopathy one of its most stalwart servants and hardest workers.

### Births

Dr. and Mrs. Phillip Reams announce the birth of a daughter, Vivian Carol. She was born October 24.

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A daughter, Ann Celeste, was born to Dr. and Mrs. George Keyes, at the Des Moines General Hospital, October 18.

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Dr. and Mrs. Charles D. Schultz of Madison, Wisconsin, are the parents of a daughter, Sandra Lee, born in August.

### Living Endowment

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4. **Diagnostic Clinic.** It will enable the College to expand its present clinical services and provide a means of handling referred patients which will add to the services of the College, not only to students in training, but also physicians in the field. Such a clinic will provide a source of income for maintenance of the clinical hospital and support of the academic program outlined above.
5. **Public Relations.** When it becomes obvious that the Des Moines Still College is a going, growing, expanding institution, offering unparalleled services, not only to Des Moines, but to the midwest; public support and philanthropic funds will then be available.

### We Cannot Ask the Public to Build Our House

These are the reasons why the program of Living Endowment is being encouraged among the profession.

These are the reasons why the following men have already subscribed to our program:

6. **Clinical Hospital.** The teaching clinical hospital, the greatest unit efficiency of the college, will be built from other funds. It will be obvious, however, that it will be essential to develop all the previous plans in order to make the clinical hospital of maximum service.

### Iowa

The State of Iowa has not been formally campaigned. Consequently, the following list consists only of those who knew about the program and insisted on getting in on the ground floor. We will be able to publish a much more extensive list in the December issue.

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## Death Comes to Dr. W. J. Forrest

Word has been received that Dr. W. J. Forrest, Carroll, Iowa, passed away on July 17th. Dr. Forrest was ill for more than a year, although he practiced actively until a few weeks before his death. He was graduated from the Des Moines Still College in 1913 and established his practice in Carroll, Iowa, immediately after graduation. Dr. Forrest maintained an active interest in affairs of the Des Moines Still College and was one of its strongest alumni. He was active in professional affairs of his state and national societies as well.

## Fraternity Notes

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regular business meeting on November 7th at the home of Mrs. Robert O. Fagen, Club Sponsor. We were pleased to have as guests Mrs. M. D. Warner, Mrs. A. W. Dennis, Mrs. Paul E. Kimberly and Mrs. Dean G. Hume. The evening was concluded with a lovely luncheon served by Mrs. Fagen.

Martha Hatteson has been elected Club Historian and we anticipate having a complete compilation of the club's history in the near future.

Ann Merrill is going to read to the club "Dr. Andrew Taylor Still — Portrait presented by Kathryn Turney Garten" at the meeting to be held on December 5 at the home of Norma Boyd, 1312 Norton. This is something that will be very interesting and each member should make a special effort to come.

—D. M.

## U V

A meeting of Delta Omega was held October 29 at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Paul E. Kimberly. A picnic supper was served by Mrs. Kimberly.

The main discussion of the meeting was the formulation of plans for a Sorority Dance to be given before the Christmas holidays.

The last meeting, for the purpose of initiation, was held November 20 at Mrs. Doty's Tea Room at 6:30. Miss Dorothy Diener became a member of the sorority.

—G. H.

## ITZ

Dr. Mary E. Golden was a guest of Beta Chapter on the evening of November 3rd at the home of Brother and Mrs. Reichstadt. Dr. Golden, again as she always has in the past, instilled the boys present with the desire and ambition to become a thorough and efficient Osteopathic Physician. She especially stressed the importance of support for the State and National Osteopathic Associations. In this way only can one expect aid from their organizations in time of dire need, she said.

Preceding the talk and technic sessions by Dr. Golden the active members held a business meeting laying plans for the first degree ceremony for its pledges. Brother Taylor also gave a detailed financial report at that time.

Lunch was served by Mesdames Reichstadt and Griffith.

—H. R. R.

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## Living Endowment Shows Progress

### Arthur Kenworthy Named Trustee of Still College

Arthur Kenworthy, president of Storey-Kenworthy Company, office supply firm in Des Moines, was elected a trustee of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy at a meeting of the corporate board Thursday, November 30.

Mr. Kenworthy has been active in Des Moines Community Chest, Red Cross and war bond drives. He is a member of the Rotary Club, Masons and Plymouth Congregational Church in that city.

Other Still college trustees are Dr. Hugh Clark, president; Mrs. K. M. Robinson, secretary; J. Roy Capps, Drs. E. F. Leininger, H. A. Graney, L. L. Facto, Harry Marshall and Robert B. Bachman.

### Dr. Tilley Makes Annual Still College Inspection

Dr. R. McFarlane Tilley, Chairman of the Bureau of Professional Education and Colleges of the American Osteopathic Association spent Tuesday and Wednesday, December 5 and 6 inspecting Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy.

In an address before the student body December 6 he praised the institution on the marked improvement made in the last year in the laboratories, library and clinical facilities.

### Osteopathic Research Clinic Organized In St. Louis

The Drennan Clinic, a non-profit anatomical research institution, will be established and provided with a building in St. Louis or St. Louis County, through a trust fund being raised by a group of business and professional persons interested in the work of Dr. Quintus L. Drennan, osteopathic orthopedic surgeon, says the St. Louis Post-Dispatch of December 13th. Dr. Drennan adds, "The Drennan Clinic is to be a teaching research clinic and is to be conducted as a nonprofit institution. Provision will be made for clinic officials and de-

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### Season's Greetings

Perhaps more aware of the great strides of progress made by the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy during 1944 than any other group, we wish to extend to all our readers a note of appreciation and gratitude for the splendid support which has come to the college from the profession.

We may look at the accomplishments of the past year with justifiable pride and a keen sense of responsibility to the profession for our future. The generosity of the profession has enabled us to accomplish in the field of education tasks which could previously only have been dreamed. We appreciate not only the financial assistance but the moral support and loyalty of our alumni as well. At the dawn of a new year we feel encouraged and resolved to continue to offer the best in osteopathic education. We resolve a cooperation with our loyal constituents in planning and executing our program of balanced expansion and academic excellence. We are resolved to devote our every energy toward recognition in the educational world for our accomplishments, and recognition by the public of our service to humanity.

We express for all of our readers a hopeful wish for a Happy, Prosperous and Peaceful Year of 1945.

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### Osteopathic Progress Fund Rolls On

Over 3,900 doctors of osteopathy have given once and many of them more than once to the support of osteopathic institutions. The college goals have not yet been met, but tremendous progress has been made.

As our doctors begin to figure out their income taxes for the year 1944, they may find it possible to reduce these taxes further by giving additional sums to the college of their choice or to the Overall Fund. Make

checks payable to the college chosen or to the American Osteopathic Association for the Overall Fund. Get them in before December 31.

### Dr. R. Coker Pledges \$500.00 to Foundation

Dr. R. Philip Coker, Panama City, Florida, this week pledged \$500.00 for the Osteopathic Progress Fund for 1945. Dr. Coker recently took the graduate course in Cranial Technique at the Des Moines college.

### Fifteen States Push Fund

### Average Contribution Remains High

The Living Endowment Fund of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, inaugurated in Michigan at the time of the annual meeting of the Michigan Society, shows marked progress. The total of the fund now stands at \$14,200.00 and contributions are coming in daily. Maintenance of the present rate of contributions will mean an annual pledge of support to the college of approximately \$85,000.00.

This fund is used for operational expenses and for expansion in the several departments of the college, including the library, for which two pledges have been earmarked.

#### Meaning

When the profession subscribed more than a million dollars to the Osteopathic Progress Fund for development of specific projects within the several colleges, much of that million dollars was given as an emergency fund. The Living Endowment contributions, however, indicate a realization by the profession that the educational institutions cannot operate on tuition and clinic incomes alone. It is necessary, in order to maintain a standard of academic excellence that the osteopathic colleges match the tuition funds of the students by at least an equal amount. In order to gain recognition of our institutions in legislative, as well as educational circles, it is necessary:

1. To enlarge the faculties in basic science as well as clinical departments.

2. Enlarge the library facilities.

3. Provide even greater clinical facilities than in the past.

4. Supply laboratory equipment adequate for successful instruction in the several departments.

5. Increase the teaching museum exhibits in the departments of Anatomy, Physiology and Pathology particularly.

6. Provide postgraduate in-

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## High School Health

### A Critical Review

The August 21, 1944, edition of "Education for Victory" published by the U. S. Office of Education, Federal Security Agency, Washington, D. C., under title of "School Health and Physical Education — Scales for Tests for High-School Boys of Strength of the Abdomen and Back" carried a rather impressive compilation.

Over fourteen columns of the publication were devoted to the printing of complete direction for conducting exercise tests and grading. The sit-up, hanging-half-lever, leg-lift, forward-bend, and back-twist were briefly described, and 3,150 gradations were tabulated and printed to aid in accurately recording initial and subsequent grading of the students. The word "Strength," as it appeared in the title, must be interpreted in its broadest sense; apparently it is meant to include endurance, agility, coordination, and ability to perceive and follow directions. Progress is scaled on this basis.

#### Significance

The foregoing discussion is confusing. Several men spent many man-hours standardizing sit-ups and devising methods of grading. If a student is stupid, refractory, or physically handicapped so that he does his first 25 sit-ups incorrectly, his initial grade is zero. If he does 100 sit-ups correctly, what does it prove?

It should be obvious to any thinking physician that the value of such a program may be twofold. The first and least important is the spirit of competition which might be instilled in the students. The second is largely potential. It lies in the grading system if an intelligent effort is made by the instructor to determine the etiological factors behind the low grade brackets. In many cases the services of a physician must be available to evaluate and correct factors responsible for subnormal grades.

#### Opportunity

This plan of testing and grading physical training classes is already in effect in several of the nation's larger high schools. Modifications of it will doubtless be adopted in many others. Whether or not it is of the greatest possible value will depend largely upon the initiative of osteopathic physicians and osteopathic organizations. In any event, here is an opportunity for many young osteopathic physicians to perform an invaluable public service, and at the same time lay a firm foundation for future practice.

To know the coach of the local high school, and to care for his athletic team is good. To know the Phys. Ed. director is one step further toward extending your service in the community.

—L. A. DEITRICK, D.O.

## THE FROG

### Biological Paragon

*Concepts of the science of life vary as widely as the blind men's definitions of the elephant, approached from various sides. The trunk reminded one of a snake, another held the tail which felt like a rope, a third was reminded of a tree as he felt a sturdy leg. Biology may at the same time suggest worm, bugs, flowers and butterflies (the conventional comic strip professor chasing them with a net) or perhaps the frog. In spite of the convincing arguments of biological kinship, and organic evolution, seldom does one think of man as a symbol of things biological.*

#### The Approach

The frog rates highly as an object of elementary form and function in biology at all levels of education, from grade school to research specialist. Many are inclined to spurn the slimy green creature presented to them for dissection or experimentation, and the cold shudders and screams that have been rendered by enterprising coeds in his presence would certainly reach somewhere if placed end to end.

Many a beginning cadaver-conscious medical student likewise assumes that all-for-the-sake-of-science look and that oh-if-mother-could-see-me-now feeling when he enters his first course in physiology, only to discover that the physiology of man is no more sacred than the physiology of frogs. Half of the experiments in laboratory manuals in medical (E. G., Cannon) physiology are based on the frog; the other half involve warm blooded vertebrates and man. But the disrespect for this inhuman fellows persists and one takes a certain satisfaction in passing on to things more human-minded.

#### Epitaph

Suppose we give the frog his due. An ode, a toast, a dedication in recognition of this paragon of animals, from a biological point of view. In emphasizing the importance of selecting a suitable animal for experiment William Stirling, in his book *Some Apostles of Physiology* (London: 1902), offers such an epitaph in these words:

"Consider: The 'missing link' of the capillaries was found in its lung by Malpighi. The first accurate descriptions of red blood corpuscles by Swammerdam, and later by Leeuwenhoek, were made on its blood. The bases of the physiology of muscles were established on its gastrocnemius. Pflüger established that oxidation does take place in tissues rather than blood by his famous experiments on a frog with the blood washed out of its vessels and replaced by normal saline solution.

As to its heart, has it not been cut, ligatured, and stimulated with all forms of stimuli, electrical and chemical? The names of Descartes and Stannius are associated with early studies of its physiology. With it the brothers Weber established the first experiment on cardiac inhibition. With it also Gaskell solved the problem of the course of accelerator and inhibitory impulses. On its spinal cord Johannes Müller confirmed the doctrine of the functions of the anterior and posterior roots of the spinal nerve; and on a piece of sciatic nerve—two inches long—Helmholtz measured the velocity of the nerve impulse, a problem that a few years before his great master J. Müller declared to be impossible of solution. Joseph Lister made early observations on its pigment cells, and researches on the papillae of its tongue. Its tissues, cornea and otherwise, have been grounds on which many a battle royal regarding inflammation has been conducted. And so on . . ."

#### More Contributions

Today the list of contributions to biology by way of the frog has been lengthened. Much has been learned in fields of experimental embryology and tissue culture including organizers, tissue transplants, regeneration. Studies of capillary contractility have placed a greater emphasis than ever before on the control influenced by these minute circulator units. In frogs Richards and his fellows verified the filtration theory of glomerular functions with reabsorption in the tubules. Studies of cilia, the movements of the intestine, and intestinal absorption are among the more common laboratory studies demonstrated in the frog. Finally, a test of pregnancy in man, more sensitive and more reliable than the Ascheim-Zondek test is made with frogs (*Xenopus laevis*), a fitting climax to a history rich in service to mankind. But even more significant findings may reward our diligence. Salute the frog!

#### 'TWENTY FROGGIES WENT TO SCHOOL'

*"Twenty froggies went to school"*

*(The box said "RUSH! LIVE FROGS! KEEP COOL!")*

*"Twenty coats of brown and green,*

*Twenty vests all white and clean."*

*"We must be on time," said they,*

*"Late to lab., then late to play!"*

*(That is how we keep the rules,*

*Where the froggies went to school).*

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## Dr. R. H. Singleton Sponsors Ninth Annual Essay Prize Contest

The American Osteopathic Association has recently announced that for the ninth consecutive year, Dr. R. H. Singleton is sponsoring an essay contest for osteopathic students. This contest is known as the "Undergraduate Essay Prize Contest" and is open to all undergraduate students in the approved osteopathic colleges. The subject for this year is "The Value of Osteopathic Manipulation in Prenatal Care."

#### Award

A cash prize of \$25.00 will be awarded to the author of the best paper submitted in each college in which there are four or more contestants. If at least four colleges have a minimum of four contestants each, a grand prize of an additional \$25.00 will be awarded to the author of the paper adjudged to be the best among the prize winning papers from the competing colleges.

#### Rules

Manuscripts should be typewritten, double-spaced, on one side of the paper with liberal margins and not more than 2000 words in length. All references should be listed. Manuscripts must be submitted with a number instead of a name and accompanied by a sealed envelope with similar number containing the name, address, and college of the contestant.

#### Committee

The committee for Des Moines Still College is: M. D. Warner, L. L. Facto, Harry Barquist and Carl Waterbury. All papers must be submitted to this committee by April 1, 1945, as the winning manuscript must be forwarded to the central office of the A. O. A. not later than April 15, 1945.

A very useful and valued phase of the physicians' armamentarium is the ability to write technical articles. Dr. Singleton's purpose in sponsoring this contest is to encourage the development of that ability and to promote original investigation and thought among osteopathic students. It is his desire that as many undergraduates as possible will participate.

## Notice of Opening For Physician

Mrs. J. George Heilemann writing in behalf of her husband, Dr. J. G. Heilemann, Coldwater, Michigan, points out that Dr. Heilemann is in urgent need of a doctor to assume his office and practice. His office is fully equipped and Dr. Heilemann has maintained for many years an enlarged general practice. Dr. Heilemann has been in ill health since March, 1944, and has spent several weeks in the Battle Creek Osteopathic Hospital. Those interested should apply to Dr. Heilemann directly. (62 Marshall Street, Coldwater, Michigan.)

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7. Impress on the lay public and profession as well, the fact that osteopathic education is more than adequate and on a level equal to that in Grade "A" medical colleges.

In order to accomplish the above aims, it is necessary that the colleges be able to count on an annual support from the profession. It is necessary that the profession contribute for the reason that we cannot expect laity to build our colleges. We may reasonably expect the laity to contribute to special projects in the way of buildings, clinical facilities, or research programs, after we have reached the point where we know we ought to be. We cannot expect any significant amount of assistance until that time.

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## THE FROG

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*They had seen the others bold,  
'Off to college' (they were told).  
"Education must appeal!"  
(None could ever truth reveal).  
So they gaily croaked and sang;  
How the echo rang and rang—  
Back upon that fateful day,  
Twenty froggies went away!*

*Then into the lab. they went,  
Had their heads down sharply bent.  
Swish! The needle went in deep—  
A feeble jerk, a husky peep.  
Now they line the garbage can,  
Twenty corpses dead for man.  
Mixed with sawdust, chalk, and mud—  
Twenty vests all stained with blood!*

### OUR FRIEND THE FROG

*His mouth is but the advent  
Of our most objective search.  
His muscles then intrigue us  
With a sudden pull or lurch.  
His heart and stomach both receive  
A brief investigation,  
And then his circulation scheme  
Gets due consideration.*

*We pith him and we probe him  
Most urgently, 'fore and aft'.  
We paint his leg with alkali,  
He rides the kymograph.  
We gouge his eyes and place one  
In a bath of adrenin.  
We fill a hypodermic luer—  
He gets pituitrin.*

*With his pupil widely opened  
And his color changed to dark,  
His glands all readjusted—  
His life is but a spark.  
All the frogs who died before him  
Lie around with jaws ajog  
As if to say in mockery,  
"Here lies your friend the frog!"*

—R. DEAN SCHICK.

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C. E. Swartzbaugh, Detroit  
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A. S. Yarrows, Detroit  
J. M. Yagoobian, Detroit  
J. Clark Hovis, Highland Park

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### NEW HAMPSHIRE

Marion G. Caldwell, Dover

### NEW MEXICO

L. C. Boatman

S. W. Meyer, Hot Springs

Edmund L. Thielking, Tucumeari

### OKLAHOMA

W. D. Blackwood, Hartshorne

### PENNSYLVANIA

Beryl E. Arbuckle, Philadelphia  
Elisha T. Kirk

### TEXAS

L. V. Cradit, Amarrillo

### WASHINGTON

D. F. Johnson, Seattle

### WISCONSIN

John S. Anderson, River Falls  
Charles B. Schultz, Madison

## Corrections

### OSTEOPATHIC PROGRESS FUND

The following names were omitted from the list of contributors to the Osteopathic Progress Fund, as published in the November issue of the Log Book. Your editor calls attention to the fact that each has subscribed and should properly have been included. If other names were omitted from the November list, please report these to the Log Book and correction will be made in the January issue:

L. C. Scatterday, Worthington, Ohio

James A. Humphrey, Des Moines, Iowa

W. H. Albertson, Austin, Minn.

Bruce L. Ross, Central City, Nebraska

Wm. S. Aspengren, DeKalb, Illinois

B. L. Jones, Spirit Lake should have read B. W. Jones.

Additionally the name of Dr. J. I. Royer, Woodward, Iowa, was misspelled. (Reading J. S. Roger)

Also Dr. Harry P. Stimson, Highland Park, Michigan, was given as Harry P. Stimon.

The address of Dr. E. E. Blackwood was given as Raton, New Mexico. Dr. Blackwood is now located in Alice, Texas.

### LIVING ENDOWMENT FUND

The name of Dr. Neil Kitchen, Detroit, Michigan, was omitted inadvertently from the list of contributors.

### FRATERNITY NOTES

Notes regarding Delta Omega stated that Miss Dorothy Diener became a member of the sorority. This should have read "Miss Theresa Palmer became a member of the sorority."

## Births

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Herrin announce the birth of a daughter, Johna Jeanette, December 4, 1944.

Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Clark are parents of a daughter, Kathleen Conway, born November 23.

## Research Clinic

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partment heads to attend post-graduate courses, accept invitations to lecture at scientific meetings and attend other meetings wherein ideas for advancement can be obtained and given.

"The aim and object and whole effort of The Drennan Clinic shall be to conduct an anatomical research institution from the fields of physical therapy and all its ramifications and manipulative therapy and all its divisions."

The St. Louis Times on December 14th editorializes as follows:

"Headed by Dr. Quintus L. Drennan, osteopathic orthopedic surgeon, the clinic is expected to become a center for new studies in the field of osteopathy with the results of its work to be made available to practitioners in the field of medicine as well as osteopathy.

"A field to which early attention will be directed is the provision of manipulative therapy for wounded veterans of the war.

"The project is one to which the people of St. Louis can give support with assurance that it will make valuable contributions to the healing arts."

## Reserve Rooms Now for Kansas City AOA War Service Conference

If you want a place to sleep during the annual meeting of the A.O.A. in Kansas City, July 16 to 20 inclusive, make your hotel reservations now. Address your requests to the Chairman of the Housing Committee, Dr. Sidney Johnson, 1030 Baltimore Ave., Kansas City 6, Mo. A list of hotels close to the Municipal Auditorium where the meeting will be held is given in the December Forum.

The 1945 meeting promises to be one of the most instructive in the history of A.O.A. conventions. The four osteopathic hospitals in Kansas City will provide ample clinical material. Dr. J. S. Denslow, Program Chairman, has arranged teaching sessions which will bring some of the ablest D.O.'s in the profession to the rostrum. The eye, ear, nose and throat specialty group is scheduled to meet four days previous to the regular convention dates. You can't afford to miss it, so reserve your accommodations now.

## Buy Bonds!

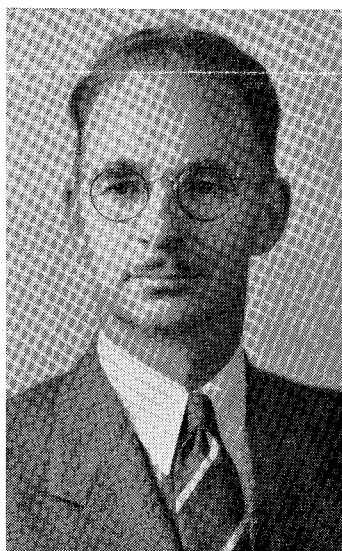
The Sixth War Loan Drive is now on—this is your opportunity to help pay for the weapons of victory, and to put your money into the safest of all investments—The United States of America.

If you desire, you can put the bonds at the disposal of an osteopathic college and at the same time be given credit for having purchased them locally. It is a way of helping both your country and your teaching institutions.

## The Dean's Letter

Dear Alumnus:

Nearly four months have passed since I joined the staff of your Alma Mater as your dean. A part of my time has been engaged in writing a new college catalog. It is now in the hands of the printer and will be ready for distribution in the near future. Our list of prospective students has been sharply curtailed by the large number of men who have entered the armed forces and by others who have moved without notice of change in address to enter various phases of war work. It is not feasible to send catalogs to their former addresses. Therefore, if you have previously referred a pros-



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pective student who should receive a catalog and whose address has been changed, will you please let me know the new address. Also include the names of any other desirable young men or women who are interested in studying osteopathy.

It is not enough to just send names and addresses. You should interview each prospect to ascertain his or her ability and professional promise and to establish an active interest in the mind of the prospect so that the college literature will be received with a degree of expectancy, otherwise the college spends good money to write letters and mail literature which all too often goes directly into the waste basket.

Dean's letters and college catalogues can list requirements and courses and faculties and fees; they can answer questions and give information; but it is the professional advice of vocational guidance counselors and the friendly interest, enthusiasm and example of physicians that turns prospects into osteopathic students.

In referring the names of prospects, give as much information as possible concerning personality, age, financial and scholastic ability, and present scholastic status. Is the prospect acquainted with osteopathy? Does he or

she need advice concerning pre-professional studies? Such information enables the dean to make a more personal contact.

Keep in mind that with present pre-professional requirements, it is essential that the student definitely plan his pre-professional course to include the required work in English, Biology, Physics, and Chemistry, else he may waste a semester or a year of preparatory effort. This also emphasizes the importance of establishing an interest in high school students.

At the present time, many young men and women are returning from service in the armed forces. Practically every one of them is entitled to education and training under either the Vocational Rehabilitation Act or the G. I. Bill. Many of these veterans already have college credit and are qualified for or lack only a portion of the pre-professional credit required for entrance into D. M. S. C. O. Most of them are seeking a vocational career. I have no way, except through you, of contacting these individuals and informing them of the opportunities which may be opened to them by studying osteopathy. In my opinion, you have a duty to the veteran as well as to your college in acquainting him with the professional possibilities which lie in an osteopathic career.

I trust that our combined efforts will result in enrolling a good class at D. M. S. C. O. next February twenty-sixth.

Cordially,  
M. D. Warner, Dean



## Season's Greetings



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## NOTICE

If and when you change your address, please notify the Log Book promptly.

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Semester Starts  
February 26, 1945  
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## Externship

Students of the Senior Class have completed a service of rotation as externs in the Des Moines General Hospital. When school reopens on January 3rd the class will rotate again through the several services offered during the externship. These include training in major and minor surgery, X-ray technique and diagnosis, orthopedics, obstetrics, routine of hospital procedure, clinical laboratory diagnosis and instruction in the use of special modalities used in the care of bedfast as well as ambulant patients. Emphasis is given during the externship on pre and post operative osteopathic care and the techniques of manipulation of surgical patients. Each student, upon his return to classes following his three weeks of externship, is most enthusiastic about the variety of cases and excellence of instruction received during this period of hospital training. Instruction of externs at the Des Moines General Hospital is in charge of Dr. T. P. McWilliams, House Physician.

## College Designated For Cranial Research

Dr. W. G. Sutherland, of St. Peter, Minnesota, in a bulletin recently issued, summarizes the relationship of the cranial concept to osteopathy as follows:

"The Academy of Applied Osteopathy, Incorporated, and affiliated with the American Osteopathic Association, appointed a cranial committee to cooperate in the advancement of the cranial concept. The committee consisting of Dr. Richard B. Gordon, Madison, Wisconsin, chairman; Dr. Rebecca Conrow, Lippincott, Morristown, New Jersey; Dr. Kenneth E. Little, Alton, Illinois; Dr. Helen A. Rohweder, Mexico, Missouri, and Dr. S. Raleigh S. McVicker, The Dalles, Oregon. A subcommittee, to be known as the research committee, has been chosen to carry on research activity at the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy; Dr. Raleigh S. McVicker, The Dalles, Oregon, chairman; Dr. W. A. Newland, Seattle, Washington, secretary - treasurer, and Dr. Della B. Caldwell, Des Moines, Iowa."



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