Dear Fellow Alumni:

I was in the College Hospital the other day and decided to go across the street and see Dr. Peters.

Upon admittance to his office I saw on his desk one of the most beautiful bronze plaques I have ever seen, with the Osteopathic Oath inscribed upon it. Imagine my surprise when I decided to pick it up and examine it a little closer and found that it weighed less than a pound!

It is a wonderful job with the use of plastics—and still it has the fine appearance of a bronze plaque.

After a little more conversation with Dr. Peters we agreed that for every plaque sold there would be a 50 cent credit given to the Alumni Association. Therefore, it would definitely be to everyone’s advantage for all of us to buy one. It is certainly appropriate for hanging in your reception rooms.

The cost is very small considering the appearance of the plaque—only $5.00 plus 25 cents for packaging and mailing. You may order it from the College Bookstore, 722 Sixth Avenue or to Dr. Jean F. Leroque, President of the D.M.S.C.O.S. Alumni Association, 3305 S. W. Ninth Street, Des Moines, Iowa.

Let’s all buy one!

Fraternally yours,

Jean F. Leroque, D.O.

New Additions

The past few months have seen many additional bundles of joy in the household of our future Osteopathic Physicians. Many congratulations to the below named students and their wives. The sex of the child and the date of birth is given after the name of the student.

Freshmen

Charles Hughes—boy—Nov. 11.
Forrest Barnes—boy—Dec. 9.
Fred Smith—boy—Dec. 9.
William Vawter—girl—Aug. 6.

Sophomore


Juniors

Richard Cantrell—girl—Sept. 7.
H. Max Don—girl—Dec. 27.

Junior A

Robert Hawkins—girl—July 18.
Harlan Petersburg—boy—Dec. 11.

Senior

Charles Limanni—girl—Nov. 22.
The Log Book

The President Chats

Self-Improvement

There has been a long-standing tradition in this great country of ours that self-improvement is something you do, but something you do not buy. If you have been a member of any profession for a period of five, ten, or more years you will realize that the subject matter taught while in professional training has greatly been replaced by discoveries which would reveal the latest and most significant knowledge. The profound program of research constantly being conducted through the professional schools is today leading to a rapid changing profile of the educational program of instruction. For example, many more important discoveries have been made in the field of the healing arts in the past quarter of a century than in any previous century in medical history. But in the healing field these are many members who are more than keeping abreast of the changing world, especially, in the areas of new discoveries which would contribute to their professional self-improvement.

It is common to hear professional men talking about their experiences in the open forum, but it is most difficult to get these same individuals to spend a few days out of their busy lives to attend a seminar or some other form of organized instruction which would reveal the most up-to-date information in one particular area of their professional endeavor.

The general public through the ages has gained the impression that physicians are scholars engaged in advancing the frontiers of knowledge either through research or by becoming immediately acquainted with the findings of current research.

The colleges of any profession owes itself its continued existence to the necessity for continued self-improvement. One of the best and most proven methods is through a period of laboratory work and the second is through seminars with adequate attendance utterly fail in their intended purpose.

On November 24 and 25, the college presented the second of its symposiums of the current school year on the subject of "Disorder of the Musculo-Skeletal System". More than one thousand physicians received the first notice of the symposium, and the second mailing went to approximately five hundred physicians. The program, covering sixteen hours of instruction was a digest of the most recent of professional material and research, attracted only a few of our physician friends. Physicians attending the symposium were: Drs. Jean LeRoque, Des Moines, Iowa; Ellis W. C. Miller, Des Moines, Iowa; Earl H. Phillips, Gar- ner, Iowa; L. A. Utterback, Perry, Iowa; J. A. Keller (K.C.O.S.), Kansas City, Missouri; W. P. Moore, Carlisle, Iowa; L. D. Barry, Williams, Iowa; C. K. Rissler, Ma- quoketa, Iowa; F. E. Prior, Des Moines, Iowa; J. E. Prior, Mil- vana.

The Psychotherapeutic Armamentarium

VII. THE INTERVIEW

Ralph I. McRae, B.A., D.O.
Chairman, Division of Psychiatry

So often a patient's reaction to psychotherapy is expressed in the question, "How can you help me get my thoughts into order?" and this statement is due in large measure to the fact which makes such confidence possible. People vary widely in their ability to reveal themselves, or to understand their own needs and the sustained period of time. Inter- view therapy is therefore often marked by a period of rapid pro- gress immediately followed by a period of relapse. It is as though the patient becomes frightened by the sight of himself, and re- treats. For this and many other reasons, the process of therapy is tedious, circular, and involved. Yet, in every case there runs a simple thread of validity which the therapist must keep clearly in mind and follow as closely as possible.

After some experience with this kind of work there develops an awareness that words are rather poor instruments for telling the truth, or at least all the truth, and so we begin to watch for the accidental thing words say, the tone of the voice, the meaning behind the words (which is often quite different from the expressed meaning) and the feelings associated with ideas, and experiences as well as the emotional and psychological pattern of the patient saying the words. We often stop to find out just what the patient may mean on the words he uses. It is often far from what we thought and often indicates misinformation, and becoming confused. The interview must not be overlooked. And so, the interview is a fascinating game of wits which should be kept flexible, adaptable, and alertly sensitive to the needs of the patient in his effort to be secure, comfortable, and brave enough to fare himself honestly, and strong enough to change himself or his environment.

Cancer Council To Accept Applications

Dr. Raymond F. Kaiser, Chief of Training and Project Grants Section, Cancer Control Branch of National Advisory Cancer Council, has advised Dr. C. D. Swope that the council at its last meeting, decided to accept applications requesting funds for the improvement of cancer teaching from the six approved schools of Osteopathy.

Addition Under Way

Ground was broken this month for the 60-bed addition to Grandview Hospital, about which was Dayton, Ohio, making a 150-bed hospital. Many of the present departments will be expanded to accommodate the increased number of patients. Interesting is the fact that General Motors Corporation contributed $105,000, a sum which the Miami Valley area also gave generously.
Abnormal Development

It is a privilege to present the first of a series of articles by Dr. E. V. Enzmann, Professor of Embryology at P.M.C.O.S.

PART I. THE CONCEPT OF NORMALITY

E. V. ENZMANN
M.Ed., M.A., Ph.D.
Professor of Embryology

The present article is the first of a series dealing with spontaneous as well as with experimentally produced developmental abnormalities, chiefly with anatomical aberrations.

Grossly deformed newborn children are relatively rare and we have to admire the precision of the developmental processes through which nature achieves passable (i.e. normal) offspring in spite of the infinite number of ways in which development could go wrong.

Monsters or grossly anatomically deformed infants have forever aroused interest and given rise to speculation. Intercourse with animals was held to be the cause of certain abnormalities reminiscent of animal features; intercourse during forbidden and licentious times, such as during menstru-
A.C.O.S. Will Meet
In Washington

The 1951 Twenty-fourth Annual Clinical Assembly of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons will be held in Washington, D.C. from October 28—November 1, with headquarters at the Hotel Statler. President of the College is Dr. Charles L. Bal linger, whose son Richard is attending D.M.S.C.O.S.

Newman Club

The first Thursday of each month has been marked by regular monthly meetings of the Newman Club.

The meetings have been very well attended and great interest has been shown in the series of talks given by Father Weiss, club chaplain, by both Catholic and non-Catholic students who are at all times most cordially welcome. The present series of talks “The Morality of Mercy Killing” are received by all with interest as is shown by the great many questions that are asked by the audience of our speaker. This topic will be continued at the next meeting which will be held on February 8.

Final voting on the club constitution will take place at this next meeting, and soon thereafter final steps will be taken to affiliate this club with the Province Chapter of Newman Clubs and the National Federation of Newman Clubs.

Steps are being taken to include all Catholic Staff members and Catholic personnel from Still Hospital, Wilden Hospital and Des Moines General Hospital to be included as associate members of this club with the same rights, privileges and obligations as regular members.

Special Mass continues to be said for all Catholic students at Dowling Chapel on the Sunday following the meeting night.

O.W.C.C.

The annual Christmas party was a gala affair. Numerous lovely prizes were given out to various lucky members while we played Bunco and sang Christmas carols. The table decorations and refreshments were outstanding.

The Chairman, Margaret Crommet and members of the Committee deserve a vote of thanks for the unusually fine job they did to make this one of our finest Christmas parties we’ve ever seen.

Hospital News

We had the pleasure of having been entertained at our annual Christmas Party, Friday, December 22, by Fred Ketch, internationally known ventriloquist and his pal Jerry, the dummy. As an added feature we were also entertained by Jose Guarciin (also inanimate) the bodyless wonder direct from Mexico City, who sang “I ain’t got no body”.

Fred Ketch is well known on the West Coast, having made television with Ed Wynn, and appeared in leading theaters throughout the country, such as the Oriental in Chicago and the Golden Gate in San Francisco. He was one of the first performers to go into combat areas overseas, where he spent two and one half years. He is outstanding in his field because he has the greatest voice volume of any of our ventriloquists, and he actually sings in two voices at one time. We were very fortunate to have Fred with us, and the entire staff extended their thanks and best wishes to him. Serving as our very capable master of ceremonies was Dr. Harold E. Dresser.

Notice

If and when you change your address, please notify the LOG BOOK promptly.

Register Now!

POST GRADUATE EDUCATION PROGRAM

February 1 to June 8, 1951

Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery announces its Third Session of Postgraduate Study with the following offerings:

Obstetrics: 3 semester hours credit

Robert B. Bachman, D.O., FACOOGS

A review of presentations, positions and mechanisms of labor; pathology of pregnancy, labor and puerperium. Laboratory manikin demonstrations.

Mondays: 7:00—10:00 P. M. First class—February 5, 1951

Tuition: $75.00

Neuroanatomy: 3 semester hours credit

Carrie Gillaspay, A.B., M.S.

Study of Gross sections of the central nervous system in two planes; special dissections, moving pictures, portraying developmental and clinical material.

Wednesdays: 7:00—10:00 First class—February 7, 1951

Tuition: $75.00

Anesthesiology: 2 semester hours credit

W. H. Glantz, B.A., D.O.

A course in clinical anesthesiology covering administrations procedures, premedication, resuscitations, oxygen therapy and transfusions.

Fridays: 7:00—9:00 P. M. First class—February 2, 1951

Tuition: $50.00

Registrants for all courses must present transcripts of credit showing graduation from an approved osteopathic college. (Graduates of D.M.S.C.O.S. excepted)

Any or all courses may be taken for credit. Credit cannot be allowed if attendance in any course falls below 80%.

Registration shall be completed on or before February 1, 1951, through the office of the Registrar.

John B. Shumaker, Ph.D., Dean.
New Dietician

Mrs. Thelma Lombardo has been appointed dietician for Still College Hospital effective Feb. 19, 1951. Mrs. Lombardo, who has a B.S. degree from Iowa State, was administrative dietitian at Iowa Methodist Hospital for four years.

Reservists Cruise

Mr. Charles Limanni, Lowell Barnes, and Gilbert Striks, students at D.M.S.C.O.S. and Naval Reservists, recently completed a two week annual training cruise on board the U.S.S. Indiana, headquarters of the Pacific Reserve Fleet. Of interest is the fact that their osteopathic medical training was recognized and the Captain assigned them to the medical corps.

Radio Programs

WOI—Ames
11:15-11:30 A. M. Every Monday
KSO—Des Moines
8:30-8:45 A. M. Every Sunday
KBIZ—Omaha
6:15-6:30 P. M. Every Saturday
KCIM—Carroll
8:15-8:30 A. M. Every Sunday
KKGI—Fort Madison
1:45-2:00 P. M. Every Sunday

Recent Graduate Passes Away

Dr. Eugene M. Lewis, age 36, class of June, 1926, who was serving his internship in Still Osteopathic Hospital, passed away in his sleep in the Interns quarters on Thursday night, January 11th.

Dr. Lewis received his Bachelor of Science degree from the University of South Dakota, served four years as a Chief Pharmacist's Mate in the Navy, and for a short period of time was detail man for the Wyatt Pharmaceutical Company prior to entering this college in the Fall of 1946.

Dr. and Mrs. Lewis resided at 2901 Ingersoll during his student days.

His professional ability and affable personality made Dr. Lewis a popular student and intern.

Funeral services were held at the Lake Presbyterian Church, South Dakota, on Tuesday, January 16th.

The college family extends to Mrs. Lewis and the Doctor's parents sincerest sympathy in their hour of bereavement.

Doctor Receives Service Award

Recently Dr. George H. Carpenter, 3200 Grant Street, Evanston, Illinois, received a beautiful certificate signed by the President and Secretary of the American Osteopathic Association in recognition of his fifty years of service to the osteopathic profession.

Dr. Carpenter graduated from this school in 1901 and since his graduation has been one of the highly respected physicians and educators of the country.

Des Moines Still College congratulates Dr. Carpenter on his service to the profession and knows that he has much to offer in the years to come.

Pictures Wanted

The Des Moines Still College Alumnae Association desires to complete the roster of class pictures and the following ones are missing:

1899 1900 1901 1902 1903 1904 1905 1906 1907 1908 1909 1910 1911 1912 1913
1948 1949 1950 1951

If you have a picture of one of these classes and would donate it to the school, the Alumnae Association will see that it is framed and hung. Send to the school, 722 Sixth Avenue or to Dr. Jean F. LeRoque, 3305 S.W. Ninth Street, Des Moines, Iowa.
On January 19 and 20, 1951, Dr. R. McFarlane Tilley, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the American Osteopathic Association, and the writer, attended the American Council on Education Conference on the Future of American Education. The general theme of the conference was "National and International Crises".

The conference was called for the purpose of focusing educators of the country in closer contact with the problems facing American educators and the nation. The first address of the conference was delivered by Dr. Arthur S. Adams, the new President of the American Council on Education. Dr. Adams very forcefully stated that the days ahead look dark and gloomy and that this condition will exist for a long time; that blood, sweat and tears are the price we must pay for life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness; and that educators must determine the part we are to play in this crisis, in face of the international, defense, and domestic situation.

Dr. J. E. Allen, President of the American University, New York State Department of Education, presented some very pertinent facts regarding the problems facing the educational system. He stated that education is faced with many important and urgent adjustments; that expenditures must be cut drastically; and that colleges and universities would have to leave over 20% of the output would go for the purpose of the military; such a reduction of teachers and manpower within certain age groups.

On January 19 and 20, 1951, President of Harvard University, Dr. A. Adams, presented four principles which must serve as a guide for American educational institutions: 1) There must be a steady flow of career into all areas of educational endeavor; 2) Our colleges and universities have not only an immediate, but a long term responsibility in order to meet the demands of this country; 3) We must deal with men as individuals; and 4) Administrators of our colleges and universities, who are facing today with detailed administrative problems, for tomorrow will become more complicated.

Dr. Charles E. Oedgaard, Executive Director of the American Council of Learned Societies, followed Dr. Conant on the same subject. In his address he emphasized that specialists are not the only type of individuals that are needed in this period of national emergency. The new Manpower Bill would provide for a flow of 75,000 individuals into our colleges and universities each year.

The daily conference was attended by the following individuals: 1) There must be a steady flow of career into all areas of educational endeavor; 2) Our colleges and universities have not only an immediate, but a long term responsibility in order to meet the demands of this country; 3) We must deal with men as individuals; and 4) Administrators of our colleges and universities, who are facing today with detailed administrative problems, for tomorrow will become more complicated.

Dean’s Letter

The emphatic statement of General Sherman is again brought forcibly to our attention. War appears to be just around the corner, if indeed, we are not already engaged in it. Along with its imminence goes the strain and strain under which we are all laboring. The tension is felt in our student body. Promising student doctors and nurses, striving to do good work in order that they may continue in school to the day of graduation; laboring to be better fitted for duty in civilian life or in the armed forces when they are called upon.

Our student body consists largely of men eligible for the service. They may be veterans of World War II subject to recall, reservists, or men eligible under selective service who have not yet served.

Regardless of their status they may remain in the school of osteopathy if they continue in good standing. The proper channels for deferment or postponement of service.

Reservists who wish to remain in school wish to continue service under Selective Service must ask the Dean of the College to request their deferment by their local Selective Service Board.

These steps are imperative and all students in good standing should act at once if they wish to remain in school.

The school is operating under rapidly increasing costs. All colleges and universities are faced with increased cost of operation and potential demand of enrollment. In order to continue in operation, the institution must find an increased flow of funds from (1) Government (2) endowment (3) alumni and friends.

Generally, endowments are not particularly productive and are rapidly diminishing.

Alumni and friends find their own cost of living to be higher and it is increasingly difficult to part with excess funds for educational purposes.

The U.S. Government has not yet succeeded in enacting legislation for the purpose of subsidizing the colleges and universities.

The only income avenue which is open at the present time is continued support from alumni and friends.

Contributions from this source will help to reduce the tension which is mounting in the schools today. With contributions to a more efficient teaching, more efficient study habits, maintenance of supplies an the continuous output of better doctors and surgeons, our budding students will have more time to study the fine arts and sciences and become more efficient in their profession.

Hospital Tour

This reporter recently took a tour of our Stull Hospital to see what types of care our patients receive and the general output of our services. The tour was conducted by Dr. T. Allen, Jr., Executive Assistant to the Administrator of the New York State Department of Education. The tour was conducted by Dr. Allen, Jr., Executive Assistant to the Administrator of the New York State Department of Education. The tour was conducted by Dr. Allen, Jr., Executive Assistant to the Administrator of the New York State Department of Education. The tour was conducted by Dr. Allen, Jr., Executive Assistant to the Administrator of the New York State Department of Education. The tour was conducted by Dr. Allen, Jr., Executive Assistant to the Administrator of the New York State Department of Education.
Abnormal Development

Part II. Development Abnormalities induced by Irradiation with Ultraviolet Light.¹

By E. V. Enzmann
M.Ed., M.A., Ph.D.
Professor of Embryology

In a number of previous papers we have reported on the modifications in the morphogenesis of *Drosophila melanogaster* Meig. by X-irradiation, neutron bombardment, or by a cyclotron, and by adverse environmental conditions.

Comparison of the results obtained by us and by various other workers in this field shows that the outcome of the experiments depends on the combination of factors: those inherent in the organism used (genetic constitution, age, stage of development; during which the modifying agent was applied, etc.) variables in the experimental method (kind of agent used, intensity and capacity factor, etc.); environmental conditions and after the experiments (as in the case of delayed killing by X-rays, reported earlier).

*Drosophila melanogaster* is an ideal organism for the kind of experiments reported here because of its short life cycle, the ease of handling and the low price of maintaining cultures and the fact that certain embryonic areas are the larva of the vinegar fly are well circumscribed and distinct.

The life cycle of *Drosophila melanogaster* consists as it does in other homometabolic insects—of four stages: egg, larva, pupa and imago (adult fly).

The fly embryo develops within the egg in a manner reminiscent of the development of the vertebrate embryo. The embryonic development starts while the egg is still in the uterus and may be completed there under adverse environmental conditions and the fly will lay larvae instead of an egg. Normally, the larval eggs and the embryonic development is completed outside the body of the larva, in a period of 12 to 22 hours, depending on the temperature of the culture.

The completed embryo, the larva, is in a sense a double organism. Some of its structures are strictly larval structures and are completely destroyed during the pupal stage; still other organs exist in the larva in a rudimentary or embryonic areas (the imaginal discs) which undergo rapid development during the pupal stage and finally unite to form organs of the adult fly, such as the exoskeleton, sense organs, legs and wings, parts of the digestive and respiratory system and the external genitilia. A third group of organs serves both the larva and the adult and undergoes little or no change during pupation. It is well known that actively dividing cells are more sensitive to penetrating radiation than are resting cells. The treatment of experimental tissue depends on this differential sensitivity.

The present investigations are designed to test the influence of ultraviolet radiation on the imaginal discs of the eggs of *Drosophila melanogaster* and upon those present in the young larva of the first instar (before the first ecdysis). Both, the chorion of the egg and the integument of the young larva transmit enough radiation to cause damage to the organs arising from the imaginal discs and this damage becomes visible in the imago as gross malformation of certain parts.

It is not known at the present time, at what point during embryonic development the imaginal discs are set aside from the general larval tissue. Work done by Chen (1929), Geigyi (1931), the Henshows (1933) and the present author (1938) indicate that not all the discs become discernable at the same time.

Thus the eye-antenna complex is well defined at 12 hours while the rudiments of the abdominal segments appear much later (20–40 hours); the copulatory organs are formed at 32 hours and the discs of the gaster become confluent at 60 hours (data cited from Strasburger after Chen).

The experimental method used by us is very simple. Eggs are collected on circular cookies of agar-corn meal-molasses (100–1040 eggs per cookie) and are exposed to graded doses of U.V. light from a quartz mercury lamp. Young larvae are obtained by leaving the cookies over night under a shallow Petri dish (to prevent desiccation) and allowing the eggs to hatch.

The irradiated cookies are then returned to a regular culture bottle and the flies are permitted to complete development. The emerging imagos are counted, sexed and examined under a dissecting microscope for abnormalities. Adequate controls are run with each experiment (unrayed flies).

Under such treatment a relatively great number of diverse abnormalities are secured. Some of these resemble with developmental defects and other changes induced by X-ray treatment or by particular radiation. The great majority of the observed abnormalities is, however, distinctive and characteristic for the type of radiation used.

UV treatment of older eggs and of young larvae produces a high percentage of abnormalities of the abdominal segmentation and of the external genitalia (estimated ¼ percent of the surviving flies). Normally, the dorsal abdominal segments of the fly arise each from a pair of small imaginal discs which in the larva as invaginations of the hypodermis. The most common abnormalities observed are: failure of the paired discs to fuse in the dorsal midline. This experimental result closely parallels similar abnormalities in human development where failure of bilateral rudiments to fuse in the midline results in abnormalities (i.e., harelip and numerous others). A second type of abnormality obtained in our experiments seems to be due to the complete destruction of one or more imaginal discs which results in grossly distorted gasters. No attempt has been made at this time to investigate the arrangement of the internal organs but it has been observed that many of the monsters produced by UV-radiation fail to become pregnant. This may be due to damage to the ovaries and oviducts or to a third type of abnormality, a gross malformation of the external genitalia. The intumescence of the abdomen flies is complete in all cases. It seems that deficiencies in the exoskeleton made up by hypertrophy of the intersegmental membranes.

There are two possibilities which offer reasonable explanations of the experimental results. It is known that pumice in some insects depends on a hormonal mechanism. The corpora allata (part of the insect brain) and the thoracic gland. UV-radiation may damage any of these structures resulting in faulty pupation. At present the alternative theory of direct damage to the abdominal imaginal segments seems preferable to offer a more reasonable explanation since the hormonal mechanism produces an "all or none effect".

Dr. McAllister
Opens Office

Dr. Frederic J. McAllister, recently resigned Chief of Staff of Still College Osteopathic Hospital, has opened offices at 1103 Fleming Blvd., Des Moines, Iowa. His practice is limited to diagnosis and surgery.

Dr. McAllister is also the Medical Director of River Oaks Manor, Colfax, Iowa, an institution devoted to the treatment of alcoholism.

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Des Moines, Iowa
Nine students completed their Extern Training Program this month at Doctors Hospital, Columbus, Ohio. Entering as a class last fall, this group received a four-and-one-half month training program which included thorough instruction and experience in every phase of hospital operation and administration.

Doctors Hospital, the training institution, is a completely modern 150-bed hospital, its facilities being enlarged during the past year in a $750,000.00 expansion program.

The externs were: William Smeltzer, Sidney Adler, Harry Wurst, John Hutchins, Gordon Howland, Edward Reuter, Chester Shroocki, Edgar Rennezi and William Elston.

Mr. William S. Konold, administrator of Doctors Hospital and Secretary-Treasurer of the American Osteopathic Association, is dean of the Extern Training Program at the Columbus institution. General chairman of the program is Dr. Frank R. Spencer, and Chairman of Education is Dr. James O. Watson.

The faculty includes: Dr. J. O. Watson, chief of the department of general surgery; Dr. Ralph S. Luckidder, chief of the ophthalmology, otolaryngology and plastic surgery; Dr. Harold E. Clibourne, chief, department of orthopedics and traumatic surgery; Dr. Frank R. Spencer, chief, department of general osteopathic medicine; Dr. Robert L. Thomas, chief, section of anesthesia; Dr. Layton S. Shafer, chief, section of obstetrics; Mr. William F. Bean, director, clinical laboratory; Mr. Konold, specialist in business management and public relations; Mr. Charles J. Chang, attorney. Also affiliated with the teaching program were seven other specialists and officials of the hospital's department of nurses and department of medical records.

O.M.C.C.

Psi Sigma Alpha

The January meeting provided a most informative and interesting evening, for we were privileged to have with us the Rev. Mrs. Helen Rolles, wife of the Rev. John Rolles, a student at Still College. She told of their life as missionaries in India, and of their plans to return there as medical missionaries. She also showed us a number of fascinating costumes and trinkets.

The officers for the second semester are as follows:

President: Iva Dodson V. Pres.: Madeline Blackwell Secretary: Margaret Crommett Treasurer: Darlene Hatchett Historian: Angeline Hyndman Reporter: Be Phillips Corresponding Secretary: Doris Massin

Psi Sigma Alpha held a business meeting on February 14th. Officers elected for the new semester are:

Pres.: Joe Herrmann Vice-Pres.: Charles Updegraff Sec'y-Treas.: Lowell Barnes Reporter: Richard DeBard

The Social Committee consists of Robert Wirt and Harry Simons.

Newman Club

The second semester got off to a flying start. Acknowledgement is hereby made of a $10.00 contribution received from Dr. P. St. Amant from Hazel Park, Michigan. The officers and members of Newman Club wish to extend heartfelt thanks to Dr. Amant for his monetary gift that will help defray some of the expenses of the club.

It is with deep regret that we announce the recent sickness and forced hospitalization of Dr. Colien. Dr. Colien was one of our faculty members who was instrumental in the formation of the Newman Club. Best of wishes to you, Dr. Colien, and we hope you are able to be up and around soon.

Newman Club wishes the best of luck to the 27 seniors who have just started their externship, and welcomes back the 28 who have just completed their tour of duty and returned to classes. A cordial invitation is extended to them all to attend the monthly meetings of the Newman Club.

Many thanks are extended to John Schwartz for his long and untried efforts in preparing the club constitution.

Calif. D.O. Dies

The LOG BOOK has been notified of the death of Dr. Arthur S. Dowler on October 22, 1950, by his daughter, Helen G. Dowler. Dr. Dowler was graduated from Des Moines Still College in 1911.

Campaign Begins

The new lay campaign of the Osteopathic Progress Fund will get underway in February, 1951, with a carefully planned program aimed at osteopathic patients, according to Lewis F. Champman, director. Every member of the American Osteopathic Association will receive a letter from President Vincent P. Carroll, enclosing literature which describes the program and the method of contacting patients.

Free literature has been prepared for every doctor to distribute to his patients. The literature has been carefully designed to have a high public relations value due to the profession and to the individual doctor, as well as to produce contributions for the osteopathic colleges.

Questionnaires will also be mailed to the doctors, and it is hoped that they will suggest the names of business and industrial corporations and philanthropic foundations which may be interested in making contributions to the osteopathic colleges.

It is emphasized throughout the literature and questionnaires that the program is designed to enhance rather than disturb the doctor-patient relationship. No direct contact with patients will be made by the Progress Fund office or by the colleges without the consent of the doctor.
College Receives $25,000 Cancer Grant

Non-Osteopathic Medical Schools Are Also Included

On March 6, 1951 the U. S. Public Health Service announced the awarding of the first cancer teaching grants to colleges of osteopathic medicine. This is in line with the mounting government recognition of the achievements of osteopathic medicine.

D. M. S. C. O. S. was awarded $25,000. This amount will enable the college to employ a full-time coordinator of cancer teaching and assistants. Of interest is the fact that the State University of Iowa college of medicine received $54,876.

President Peters gives the official comment on this wonderful recognition in his usual column. The Log Book wishes to draw your attention to the wording of the last paragraph of the newspaper article as quoted in Dr. Peters' monthly chat.

New Unit For Civil Defense

On Wednesday, February 21, 1951, the entire membership of the Osteopathic Society of The City of New York and each practicing osteopathic Hospital and clinic as members of the Medical and Surgical Division of Civil Defense. This is the first instance in which any profession in the healing arts, at least in The City of New York, has become activated as a unit.

Dr. I. H. Scheffer, Assistant Director, Medical Executive Division of Civil Defense, Dr. Theodore Rosenthal, Assistant Commissioner, Medical Services Division, and Dr. Jacob Landes, Senior District Officer, all of The Department of Health of The City of New York, participated in the ceremonies. The Honorable Arthur Wallander, Commissioner of Civil Defense, City of New York, performed the actual swearing-in ceremony.
The Osteopathic Oath

I do hereby affirm my loyalty to the profession I am about to enter.

I will be mindful always of my great responsibility to preserve the health and life of my patients, to retain their confidence and respect both as a physician and friend who will guard their secrets with scrupulous honor and fidelity, to perform faithfully my professional duties, to employ only those recognized methods of treatment consistent with good judgment and with my skill and ability, keeping in mind always nature's laws and the body's inherent capacity for recovery.

I will be ever vigilant in aiding in the general welfare of the community, sustaining its laws and institutions, not engaging in those practices which will in any way bring shame or discredit upon myself or my profession. I will give no deadly drugs to any though it be asked of me.

I will endeavor to work in accord with my colleagues in a spirit of progressive co-operation, and never by word or act cast imputations upon them or their rightful practices.

I will look with respect and esteem upon all those who have taught me my art. To my college I will be loyal and strive always for its best interests and for the interests of the students who will come after me. I will be ever alert to adhere to and develop the principles of osteopathy as taught by Andrew Taylor Still.

Human Interest Story

The following is reprinted from the Budge D.O., official publication of the Wisconsin Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, for March, 1951. It pertains to the trial of a doctor of medicine in Okmulgee, Oklahoma, to go to the local osteopathic hospital to treat a 4-year-old child, whom he ran over by a truck in front of the hospital.

Dr. Dital gave two excuses: First, that the osteopathic doctor did not have proper facilities; second, that he would lose his license if he went to an osteopathic hospital.

Rather than make any comment, we desire to quote from an article in the Tulsa Tribune under date of January 9:

"Yes, He Is in Trouble"

"The Okmulgee doctor of medicine who yesterday admitted to a Tribune reporter that he had refused to go to the local osteopathic hospital in that city to treat a child he had brought into the world, and for whose family he regularly served as physician, commented that 'this is going to cost me a lot of trouble.' We're afraid it is.

"The doctor's reasoning was understandable. It would be possible to be, we believe. The child was struck by a truck in front of the osteopathic hospital. He was carried to a local hospital, not concerned with the bitter feud of the doctors and the osteopathic in a small city, but because he couldn't be left in the street and that door surely opened to a promise of better-than-ordinary first-aid."

"The tot's father appealed unavailingly to the doctor, and then to two others. The family's pastor then offered to leave the building so Dr. Dital could truthfully say he had not collaborated with an osteopath. But the physician remained unmoved.

"Why? "Because the osteopathic hospital did not have the proper facilities," the doctor said.

"Of course, is where he forgot, in his fanaticism for a particular way of doing things, the glory and the power that is the doctors'."

"They kneel by the side of the road to mend broken bones and stop the flow of blood of accident victims, where there are no facilities whatever except perhaps a broken branch of a tree and a torn strip of a shirt.

"Their hands wash in vermin-infested hospital basins under fire of enemy guns.

"On their appointed rounds they call at homes and hovels, all without hospital facilities. The most ill-equipped osteopathic hospital in the land, and we are told, the Okmulgee Institution is one of the six accredited osteopathic institutions which the college and the high educational achievements has commanded the recognition of not only the learned professions but of various agencies of the state and federal government.

"The DES MOINES REGISTER carried the following article which not only pleases the college family and this college alumni, but all members of the profession.

"STILL COLLEGE GETS U. S. CANCER GRANT
(Leased wire from the N. Y. Times)
WASHINGTON, D.C.—The first cancer teaching grants to osteopathic colleges were announced Tuesday by the public health service.

"Two of the six accredited schools of osteopathy were awarded teaching grants: $25,000 to the Des Moines School of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery and $20,000 to the College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons in Los Angeles, Calif.

"The funds will enable each to employ a full-time co-ordinator of cancer teaching and several assistants.

"At the same time, similar grants were made to a number of non-osteopathic medical schools, including $24,876 to the State University of Iowa College of Medicine."

"In view of such recognition all members of the Osteopathic Profession can only take pride in their colleges and the high educational standards which the colleges and the Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons of Medicine.

"Continued financial support, and not promotion, from the Osteopathic Profession will help each of the six osteopathic colleges to further their educational and scientific growth to such a degree as to command further recognition from agencies and foundations aside from the Osteopathic Profession.

Approve Anti-Shock Substitutes

The National Research Council's subcommittee on shock last week approved stockpiling of gelatin and dextran as plasma substitutes. The decision was held as of major significance not only to the military but to the municipalities and civil institutions making preparations for defense. Steps already are being taken to obtain the Federal approvals — biologists and new drug certification—required for general clinical use of dextran and gelatin as shock substitutes in victims of burns and serious injury. It is emphasized, however, that that new program will not affect the nation's food activities or diminish military requirements for whole blood.

Are Your Public Relations Showing?

One of the functions of your Central office of A.O.A. is aiding you in your public relations efforts. O.A.A. has been so successful in advancing the cause of osteopathy indirectly gives each individual a greater opportunity. When you take a self inventory, do you feel you are doing your part in your community in making your personal situation known and in making the public aware of the great profession of which you are a member?

Here are some of the current public relations services of the Central office, all planned and executed in your welfare in mind. What are you doing about them?

Radio: Central office of A.O.A. has over thirty-five, 15-minute recorded tapes available at $2.50 each, or in a series for 13-week programs, $15.00. There are over 100 prepared radio scripts on file too, should a local program or station want to do their own show. We prefer to record the show locally. Have you offered a station manager this public service feature lately?

Newspaper: Central office of A.O.A. has more than 65 prepared health columns suitable for weekly publication in a local newspaper. These are absolutely free. Have you talked to an editor about this feature column?

Magazine: Osteopathic Magazine is published monthly by the Central office. It has had enthusiastic readership among those who know of it. Subscriptions are $1.25 a year. Haven't you persuaded patients who would enjoy receiving this gift from you?

Establish Medical Policy Council

The medical establishment of the Department of Defense was recently changed at the direction of Secretary Marshall. Abolished was the Office of Medical Services, which was replaced by the new Armed Forces Medical Policy Council. The new Council is Dr. Richard L. Meiling; three civilians will also be members.
Abnormal Development

PART III. GENETIC FACTORS.

By E. V. Enzmann
Professor of Embryology

The metazoan body is a super-machine consisting of a few fundamental parts, the bodies of smaller machines, the body cells. Usually the body arises from the union of two cells, a spermatozoan and an egg. Each of the sex cells carries in its chromosomes a complete blueprint for the construction of the entire body. Therefore, the fertilized egg is equipped with a double set of specifications. Whenever a cell divides in mitosis, two new copies of the master plan are struck off and each daughter cell receives two copies. On rare occasions, perhaps once in one hundred thousand mitoses, an error creeps in; the geneticist records this error as a mutation. Considering that the information contained in the chromosomal blueprint would fill a good-sized volume, we have to conclude that nature is a wonderful copyist.

Nevertheless, errors do occur occasionally and since nature has not provided a proofreader, the mistake is never corrected and is carried forward through the generations. These mutations in repudiation of genes are small errors, comparable to a bent nail in a building; others are so serious that they cause the death of the individual built according to the faulty plan. The outer covering, above all, are the cause of genetic monsters and genetically conditioned malformations.

There are several safeguards against abnormal development due to a faulty blueprint. The duplication of the chromosomes is one of these. Most errors or mutations are small and since they are present in only one set, the body is built according to the specified plan in one cell set. The mutation is recessive and does not show up in the finished product. Sometimes it is of such a nature that the good set can not be used to cover up the mistakes of the bad set and the individual dies and shows up in the body. Nearly all mutations are bad in the sense that they handicap the affected individual and lessen its chances for survival. The new masterplan which gives rise to a new species is then established in a generation (roughly every thirty years). After that the sex cells are formed and carried away in a sheltered position in the body, protected from noxious agents which might cause further mutations. The rate of reproduction of the cells of the sex primordia is low, which is another safeguard, since mutations are more likely to happen in actively dividing cells.

The body is built up of cells which are segregated at an early stage in development. All cells are normal cells as somatic cells. Mutations can and do happen in sex cells as well as in somatic cells. Most affecting the sex cells are passed on to future generations, while somatic mutations can not be inherited and affect only one individual. If somatic mutations take place late during development, a part of the body may be built according to the normal blueprint while other parts are laid down in conformity with the specifications of the deviant plan. The body then is a mosaic of normal and of mutated tissue. Cancer may be a disease in which the mutated part, the tumorous tissue, has acquired underrulled characteristics of growth and metabolism.

Genetically induced abnormalities constitute the vast majority of all known developmental abnormalities. Many aberrations which were formerly explained as being due to environmental factors are now considered to be influenced by genetic factors.

The healing profession is primarily interested in the normal and in the structural and functional changes in the human body. Human genetics is handicapped by the fact that one can not use human material for experimental investigations and that humanity is incredibly mongrelized. Before a genetic study can be undertaken, he endeavors to establish a pure line of individuals to be used as his experimental material. The customary procedure is to breed a number of generations by brother-sister matings in order to obtain genetically uniform material. (Brother-sister matings in the human race have occurred in the interval of thousands of generations for Pharaohs and the rulers of Ancient Peru.)

Fortunately nature does perform a controlled experiment for us which yields the best possible material for genetic studies, namely two or more individuals of the same genetic constitution. These are maternal or identical twins (or multiples). Identical twins arise from a single fertilized egg whose blastomeres fall apart in the two cell stage and each isolated cell becomes a complete individual. (The probability that the separation occurs at a later stage is not excluded.) The study of identical twins has yielded a wealth of genetic information and has given us a perfect tool to test the role of environment in development.

Prior to that most of our information concerning human inheritance came from the piece-meal studies of human physicians and others who took careful note of the family histories of their patients. One method is still one of the best means for gathering information. Examples of the methods used and the information that may be found in W. E. Castle, Genetics and Eugenics, 1930, Harvard University Press. Pedigrees of atrichosis, albinism, ophthalmonopia, color blindness, glaucoma, blue sclerotic, anencephaly, polydactyly, and a great many other human abnormalities.

He also provides a classification of these characters, which is reproduced here, in part:

1. Blending (probably involving multiple factors. Example: general body size).
4. Probably Mendelian but dominance uncertain or penetrance inoperable. Examples: Albinism.
5. Subject to heredity but to what extent or how inherited uncertain. Example: defective heart.

Many scientists had expressed the view that cancer may be due to a mutation of normal body cells. Since the mutation occurs in somatic cells it is not inherited but there is ample evidence that the susceptibility to cancer is inherited. Proof has been put forward by C. Strong (1930, Genetics and Cancer, Scient. Amer., 1930) that genes controlling proneness to tumors were linked with genes for known hereditary characters. Another convincing bit of evidence comes from the observation that cancer cells transplanted into an experimental animal may themselves develop a second type of cancer. Strong's paper offers an interesting suggestion that cancer may not be one of the pivot points of future cancer research: It has long been known that certain chemicals are capable of inducing cancer (carcinogens). It has been shown that methylcholanthrene increases the rate of cancer development from one in 26,000 to one in 550 in mice. To quote Strong, "It is a curious and significant fact that almost every agent that can induce mutation can also induce cancer, and vice versa."

Dean's Letter

The College Catalog

Look in your attic! Try to find the college catalogs which you received when you were a student at Still. Our library is anxious to obtain a full set of catalogs since its origin. All years prior to 1928 are wanted.

The catalog is the most valuable piece of literature published annually by the college. The purposes of the publication are manifold:

1. It acquaints the alumni with annual progress made by the college and prepares them to look forward to changing course of instruction and changing faculty and personnel.
2. It calls attention of other osteopathic colleges to our program and thru comparison tends to improve instruction and facilities among the colleges.
3. It is the best publicity medium available to liberal arts colleges and universities.
4. It is an aid to premedicals and preosteopathic counsellors in colleges and universities in planning osteopathic courses of study for their students.
5. Its presence in all libraries in the country is important for the profession.
6. It is the only satisfactory means by which college and high school students can plan their careers intelligently.
7. It enables the Veterans Administration to qualify the school for veterans training.
8. It makes the Osteopathic Association agencies in approving the school, its faculty and course of instruction.
9. It is of inestimable assistance to student selection committees of the profession in advising prospective students on the advantages of osteopathy as a profession.
10. It is an extremely important consideration in the drafting of state and federal legislation for Osteopathy.
11. It is an agreement between the student and the college.

Our librarian, Mrs. M. B. Kenderline, has been working assiduously to complete our collection. Remember the missing years—prior to 1928.

To whom would you like to have the LOG BOOK sent?
A prospective student?
A school library?
Send us the name and address.
Formulation of extensive plans for the Semester with particular emphasis for raising money for the club was discussed at the last meeting of O. W. C. C.

On Saturday, March 17, a Bake Sale headed by the Ways and Means Committee with Ann Stahlman in charge will be held at the City Growers Market, 2nd and Locust. Cakes will be donated by our very talented Wives and the Sale will be open to the public.

Plans for a Rummage Sale to be held June 2nd were also discussed. So let's get busy and start saving our old clothes. More of this in the next issue of Log. Another way that the girls are raising money is the sale of Stationery and Greeting Cards at very reasonable prices. All those interested in ordering, contact Ann Stahlman 2-7150 who will only be too glad to take your order.

The O. W. C. C. is having a Fun for Funds Night where the purpose is two-fold: fun and raising money. This will be held March 6th at the P.S.G. House. Cards, the well enjoyed game of Bunco, and many other games will be played.

On March 20th Mrs. Cari Navy will be our guest speaker. She will read to us. Her theme will be St. Patrick's Day and Easter. The girls wish to thank Dr. Henry Probst, a special student at the College, who gave a very interesting and enjoyable talk about his native country, Switzerland, at our last meeting.

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The March meeting was highlighted with the social committee getting plans underway for the annual communion breakfast. Harry J. Brom and John Schwartz, both members of this committee, will be assisted by representatives in each class. This year's event will be held on Sunday, May 6th. All efforts to make this affair a success will be utilized, since this will be the only major social activity for this school year. All persons planning to attend should contact a member of the Social committee.

It was with great sorrow that we learned of the sudden passing away of Ray Taylor's dad. We wish to extend our deepest sympathy to Ray and his family.

The next meeting will be held on April 12th, so as not to interfere with the Basic Science exams. The best of luck to all those taking these exams.

Doctors Needed

The Department of Medicine and Surgery of the Veterans Administration is finding itself in difficulties regarding full-time physicians and dentists. Although ten new hospitals have been opened in the last six months, VA has approximately sixty fewer full-time physicians and dentists than it had last June. The recently opened hospital at Popular Bluff, Mo., has only three doctors and sixteen nurses to staff 200 beds.

New Arrivals

Heartiest congratulations to the following students and their wives on the births of their children: Mr. and Mrs. Julius L. Abramson (girl), Mr. and Mrs. John J. Latini (boy), Mr. and Mrs. Hirsche R. Martin (boy), and Mr. and Mrs. Don Gilman (girl).

Help Your Profession Help You By Contributing Now to the Osteopathic Progress Fund.
Pediatricians Will Have May Refresher Course

Dr. Mary E. Golden, president of the American College of Osteopathic Pediatricians, announces a refresher course in pediatrics at the Hotel Kirkwood in Des Moines, May 11-12, which are the two days before the annual convention of the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons opens in the Iowa capital city.

Lectures will include:

- "Fetal Heart Pathology," with William A. McCullough.
- "Leukemia and Other Blood Conditions of Infancy and Childhood," by Dr. James L. Ballenger.
- "Care of the Spatula," by Dr. Richard S. Welch.
- "Advanced Work on the Anterior Sacrum Pertaining to the New-Born and Infant," by Dr. Walter E. Heinlen.
- "Comprehensive Discussion of the Use and Abuse of Antibiotics," by Dr. Arthur E.拿出来.
- "Dramatic Round Table on Care of the Dying," by Dr. Charles G. Jordan.
- "Anesthetics in Infancy and Childhood," by Dr. John M. Gowan.
- "Diagnosis and Treatment of Polio," by Dr. Robert C. Davies.
- "Good Essentials for Growth," by Dr. Fred B. Avery.

Registration fee is $10, which will include buffet dinner on Saturday evening.

Special ticket for luncheons Friday and Saturday noon and for country chicken dinner Friday evening may be obtained for $5.50 at the registration desk, tax and tips included.

Friday Hours—Registration, 8 a.m. Lectures 9 to 12 and 1 to 5. Evening lectures, 7:30.

Saturday Hours—Lectures 8:30 to 12 and 1:30 to 5. Buffet dinner 6:30 sharp (informal). Entertainment.

For accommodations write direct to Hotel Kirkwood, Fourth and Keo.

OPF Fund Opens

Mr. Lewis Chapman, director of the Osteopathic Progress Fund, Central office, has mailed out the first letter and information concerning the fund drive. The letter, from Dr. Vincent P. Carroll, and its enclosures were sent to the more than 11,000 doctors in the profession.

This is the first step in the profession's appeal to the public to contribute to the maintenance, improvement and enlargement of osteopathy's educational facilities. Now that the fund drive is underway, Mr. Chapman emphasized, attainment of the $225,000-000 goal depends on the cooperation of the doctors in stimulating support within their own communities.

Added Remarks

The LOG BOOK wishes to add to the remarks in the last issue about the appointment of Dr. Walter E. Heinlen as head of the Department of Surgery at D.M. S.C.O.S., that Dr. Heinlen did not graduate surgical work in Chicago in 1935; Chicago 1949; and this past year he spent four months studying under Dr. A. Plenk at Lenz, Austria, and Dr. A. Denk of Vienna, Austria.

Registrars Attend National Convention

Wendell R. Fuller, Still College, Ted McCarrel, Iowa University and John M. Gowan, Iowa State College, attended the National Convention of the American Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers held in Houston, Texas April 16-19.

Dr. Enzmann Speaks

Dr. E. V. Enzmann, of the D.M.S.C.O.S. faculty, spoke on "Developmental abnormalities in Drosofila melanogaster induced by 'ultra-violet' radiation" at the Sixty-Third Session of the Iowa Academy of Science. The meeting was held at Wartburg College, Waverly, Ia., on April 20 and 21.

'A Nod to Manipulation' Strong Article in Time

Time Magazine, in its March 26 issue, had a powerful article on Osteopathy for which it should be thanked by every member of the profession. Read it here, then buy a copy and turn to page 97.

Osteopathy in the U.S. frequently gets the cold shoulder from public health officials and medical doctors. Last week, with a change, osteopathy had something to crow about. For the first time, under the U.S. Public Health Service program of aid to professional schools, two colleges (one being the D.M. S.C.O.S., respectively) had been awarded to two colleges of osteopathy. The A.M.A. made no objection.

"In awarding these grants," said U. S. Surgeon General Leonard Scheele, "we are recognizing the plain fact that many cancer cases are seen for the first time by osteopaths." To the nation's 11,299 licensed osteopaths, however, the decision meant recognition of a far wider sort.

Treatment Plus. In osteopathy's long, slow climb toward respectability, every nod has helped. The nation's six accredited schools of osteopathy require four years of professional training, as medical colleges do, and two years of college-level pretraining for a doctor's degree (D.O.). Their curricula include anatomy, pharmacology, surgery, bacteriology, other standard subjects in the education of a medical doctor. In all but eight states, Alabama, Illinois, Kansas, Maryland, Mississippi, Montana, North Carolina, South Carolina, their graduates may now prescribe drugs and perform surgery, as well as practice the "manipulation" which is the keynote of their science. The main trouble has been the osteopath's emphasis on manipulation, a technique designed to maintain the normal circulation of blood and proper nerve function, which osteopaths regard as basic to all health. Thus, many M.D.'s persist in regarding osteopathy as little better than chiropractic, whose practitioners claim that illness springs from maladjustment of the spinal column. The American Medical Association still holds it unethical for an M.D. to refer his patients to an osteopath (unless the osteopath also happens to be an M.D.).

Over and beyond a natural bristling at such snubs, the osteopath retorts that the M.D. and his drugs do only half the job. The osteopath claims he gives "treatment plus"—removal of the immediate cause of disease by medical methods, and restoration of the body to "mechanical integrity" by manipulation.

Never Forget. During World War II, many a medical man was forced to leave his private practice to fight for himself. The osteopath got their business, but still chafed at the fact that the Army did not consider their professional services worth drafting into military service. They get just as touchy over the patronization by the public. Osteopathy is a broad-minded M.D.'s that osteopathy will one day "be absorbed into the general practice of medicine."

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4th District Meeting

Dr. Stuart Harkness of Des Moines Still College was a headline speaker at the Fourth district meeting at Manford in Mason City, April 5.

Dr. Harold D. Meyer of Algonia, president of the Iowa Society of Osteopaths, said that many a medical man was forced to leave his private practice to fight for himself. The osteopath got their business, but still chafed at the fact that the Army did not consider their professional services worth drafting into military service. They get just as touchy over the patronization by the public. Osteopathy is a broad-minded M.D.'s that osteopathy will one day "be absorbed into the general practice of medicine."

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Plan To Attend!

The fifty-fifth annual convention of the American Osteopathic Association will be held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, July 16-20. Enjoy your summer vacation at the same time in this famous vacationland state. Dr. F. E. Hecker is Chairman of the Local Convention Committee. The Convention theme is "Osteopathy—The Complete Approach To Health"
The President Chats

In view of the writing of this monthly column, the President feels that correct information on the defferent of colleges is so extremely important that a following bulletin should be presented to the readers of the LOG BOOK in full.

DEFENSE INFORMATION

BULLETIN

Federal Security Agency
Office of Education
Washington 25, D. C.

ODM Statement on Deferment of College Students

Given below is the complete text of a statement by the Manpower Policy Committee of the Office of Defense Mobilization, issued today, clarifying the intent and objectives of the student deferment plan announced on March 31 by President Truman.

EUGENE C. ALLMAN
Assistant Secretary
Office of Education

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Office of Defense Mobilization
From: April 6, 1951

Statement by the Manpower Policy Committee

The recently announced interim plan for permitting students to continue their educational programs is essential from two points of view. (a) The armed services will have the benefit of men trained to serve more effectively. (b) Young men will have the opportunity to continue their education. Sec- ond, it means that when these men have served in the armed forces for the required period, the Nation will have a store of highly trained young men who will have the benefit of formal education and practical experience in the armed services.

This program will not permit college students to avoid service in the armed forces, for under the program no man is exempt from the obligation to serve. In fact, it will require all students who are available for induction into the armed forces during the coming academic year than has been the case during the present year. It is true that under the proposed program some college students will be able to complete their basic education. However, they have completed it, however, they will be available to local selective service boards for induction into the armed services. The only ex- ception to such a policy would be in those rare situations where the evidence points over- whelmingly to the conclusion that further postponement would be contrary to the national health, safety, or interest.

Our potential enemies can marshal enormous manpower against us. There is no foreseeable chance that we can match their manpower in terms of sheer numbers. The factors potentially in our favor are our military competence, our technological advantage, and our vast industrial capacity.

The effectiveness of these three factors depends almost entirely upon the technical, scientific, managerial, and industrial skills of the personnel which are already in short supply. Success or failure in meeting the forces against us is in large measure upon the intelligi- ence with which we husband these skills and use them to their fullest extent.

An additional supply of persons with such skills cannot be created quickly. The training required is long and laborious against us. In view of these considerations, it is only common prudence to insist upon the most effective training of such persons.

During the past year all college students were postponed from induction into the armed forces until the end of the college year. Uncertainty as to what policy was to be followed after has resulted in demands that a more realistic and equita- ble plan of postponement for college students be adopted. It now seems apparent that the fairest plan is to provide for temporary postponement from mili- tary service to complete the college year of students either on the basis of attaining a prescribed grade or on the basis of their standing in their class. By providing these alternative bases for postponement, no student will be penal- ized by differences in academic requirements or grading systems among the colleges and universi- ties, large or small.

While the plan provides for certain scores or class standing, it should be borne in mind that these are variables. They may be changed either to increase or decrease the number of postponement. Furthermore, the plan will operate against the student's standing among the male mem- bers of his class in the year last completed.

In the upper one-half if he was a first-year student; In the upper two-thirds if he was a second-year student; In the upper three-fourths if he was a third-year student; Or, who has attained a score of 70 or more on the qualification test.

2. The prescribed scores of 70 and 75 will require capacity well above that which was required for the coming academic year or for the coming academic year.

3. The standards prescribed for the coming academic year cannot be changed until and the plan applies to students in that year only.

The plan DOES NOT do the following things:

1. It does not set standards for any period beyond the next academic year.

2. It does not apply to young men who will be graduated from high school in June, 1951. A final plan for this group cannot be announced until the Congress has completed action on the pending Universal Military Training and Service Bill.

3. It does not apply to young men now in the armed forces.

4. It does not guarantee that the same plan can be continued in the future. Congress will in due time the requirements of legislation for universal mili- tary service and training. If Congress amends the Interim plan, it should be emphasized that if this is an interim program which is applicable only to students now in college, a long-term prog- ram cannot be developed until Congress acts on the Universal Military Training and Service Bill.

5. The plan will be applied to men who have been accepted for or are admitted to dental, veterinary, medical, dental, or optometry and for whom the school has made an exhaustive survey of its teaching situation, a report of which is condensed in "Higher Education," a publication of the U. S. Office of Education, in its issue of September 1, 1949. The article, entitled "Recommending Dental, Veterinary, or Medical" reveals a situation in dental schools which is strikingly parallel to that in the schools of osteopathy. For osteopathic colleges, of course, the Army makes for the required period, the plan applies to students in that year only.

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Some Recent Convocations

March 27

Drs. Coy and Grayson, D.O.s from Tennessee, to the students regarding the geographical, social and professional advantages of living and prac- ticing in the South.

March 28

Dr. Edmund G. Zimmers, of the Health Department of Iowa, Cancer Center Division, to the students regarding the historical and embryological aspects of cancer and its treatment.

Dean's Letter

TEACHERS in the PROFESSION of OSTEOPATHY.

The perpetuation of our profession is the administration of our colleges is "Where can we get competent teachers?" The question is not only a matter of the teaching of one which is unique among osteopathic schools. It reverberates throughout the profession of osteopathic schools of many kinds,— dental, medical, and indeed all schools where sciences are stressed.

The question carries at least a triple implication: (1) Diffi- culty is experienced in acquiring a teaching staff. (2) Teachers comprise a professional group whose occupation is teaching. (3) Competency is a rare quality which, unfortunate- ly, is too often lacking or unde- veloped in the teacher.

Two years ago the Committee on Teaching of the American Association of Dental Schools made an exhaustive survey of its teaching staff, a report of which is condensed in "Higher Education," a publication of the U. S. Office of Education, in its issue of September 1, 1949. The article, entitled "Recommending Dental, Veterinary, or Medical," reveals a situation in dental schools which is strikingly parallel to that in the schools of osteopathy. For osteopathic colleges, of course, the Army makes for the required period, the plan applies to students in that year only.

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Some Recent Convocations

March 27

Drs. Coy and Grayson, D.O.s from Tennessee, to the students regarding the geographical, social and professional advantages of living and prac- ticing in the South.

March 28

Dr. Edmund G. Zimmers, of the Health Department of Iowa, Cancer Center Division, to the students regarding the historical and embryological aspects of cancer and its treatment.

Dean's Letter

TEACHERS in the PROFESSION of OSTEOPATHY.

The perpetuation of our profession is the administration of our colleges is "Where can we get competent teachers?" The question is not only a matter of the teaching of one which is unique among osteopathic schools. It reverberates throughout the profession of osteopathic schools of many kinds,— dental, medical, and indeed all schools where sciences are stressed.

The question carries at least a triple implication: (1) Diffi- culty is experienced in acquiring a teaching staff. (2) Teachers comprise a professional group whose occupation is teaching. (3) Competency is a rare quality which, unfortunate-
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Chairman, Division of Psychiatry

In both folklore and general medical practice the menopause has been the scapegoat for every kind of a mood, ache or pain, and general dysfunction complained of for the first time by the womanpatient after she is thirty-five. The striking feature of this clinical fact is that it is difficult to find a reputable textbook in gynecology or general practice which is written in such a way that such an elocution concept or even attempts more than a few paragraphs of help to the service to the concept. Even the now classical symptom of hot and cold flashes has not been scientifically dem- onstrated to exist. To this is added the truth that in this period of life there is no clinical evidence of any change in menstrual function.

This problem is all the more striking when it is realized that the majority of general practice are women in this group and that two-thirds of their complications are functional; not to mention the long established statistical fact that one of the great peaks in the rising incidence of psychiatric inpatients admission is this age group. With such a large volume of cas- ual cases associated with the menopausal period, it is imperative that we examine more carefully, all of the possible etiologic factors of emotional and mental complaints of these disturbed patients.

To better understand the emotional conflicts and basic prob- lems of a woman facing her involutional period of life, let us consider some of the characteristics of our culture which are of reference to this problem. We place a great price upon feminine youth and beauty. There is probably no other culture by which lays so great a stress on feminine beauty. There is probably no other culture which lays so great a stress upon the successful assurance, and an instrument for achieving acceptance, adoration and the recognition which is also the culture of a free or culture a great freedom of women, a wider scope of activity, a greater degree of independence is that is the "good life" for a woman. A confusion develops over basic drives and desires for life's goals. In the heart of many women is the "little girl" who dreams of youth and beauty. There is probably no other culture which lays such an emphasis upon the "little girl" who dreams of beauty and youth as the American culture. The "little girl" dreams of beauty, youth and beauty. There is probably no other culture which lays such an emphasis upon the "little girl" who dreams of beauty and youth as the American culture.

The use of sedatives and stim- ulants is to be cautious and well important tests. Hypoglycemic reactions need not occur and should be avoided. The acutely disturbed patient who is severely disabled responds well to electroconvulsive therapy. The milder neurotic group of Reactive Depression often responds to small amounts of in- sulin given daily for a week to ten days in repeated series with a week intervening. Periods can be adjusted to the case. The dosage may vary from 5 U. to 25 U. of regular insulin given subcutaneously. The use of sedatives and stimulants is to be cautiously and well considered. These patients are the high risk group. An overdose of sleeping pills is a favorite. Addiction is also of no help to their problem.

Take the time and interest to understand these patients. Interview the families confidentially and help the patients recognize their real problems rather than relying upon the estrogentic theory of the "change of life".

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Washington D.O.'s
O'K'd By V.A.

Dr. Einer Petersen, secretary of the Washington Osteopathic Association, in his address to the state legislature in March that the group has a contract with the Veteran's Admin- istration to give care to its beneficia- ries, he stated that this was in cooperation with the medical profession.

The contract covers care of outpatients and all members of the association may participate.
The Des Moines Room of the Hotel Savery was the scene of an Atlas Club party and dance the night of March 30th, for active members and pledges, and their wives and friends. The party was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone.

Among the special guests of the Chapter were: Dr. H. Dale Pearson, past-president of the A.O.A., Dr. Floyd Peckham, president-elect of the A.O.A., Dr. George Northup, president of the Academy of Applied Osteopathy, and Dr. E. R. Minnick.

A previously unknown talent was displayed by Ralph Blackwell as he ably acted as caller for the Square Dances for the evening.

The Club would like to take this opportunity to extend its congratulations and thanks to the social committee for an enjoyable evening.

Atlas Club members of the Senior B class were treated to another party at the Senior B class party held at the FSG Fraternity House the night of March 21st.

Due to illness, Dr. E. F. Leininger was unable to meet with the club at their regular work night April 2nd. The Chapter is looking forward to a later date when Dr. Leininger may be able to be with us.

Iota Tau Sigma

The activities of I.T.S. have been limited due to examinations. On March 15, however, the members and their wives were guests at the home of Dr. Sloan. Dr. Enzmann was present as guest speaker and gave an interesting and very educational talk. Refreshments were served later in the evening.

We regretted seeing Ernest Ainsley called back into the service, and all of us wish him the best of luck.

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SENIORS GRADUATE JUNE 8

Class of 1951 Salutes Class of 1901

Fifty years ago seventy-nine men and women graduated from Still College of Osteopathy. The class of 1951 wishes to express appreciation for your long and faithful service to the profession of osteopathy and the opportunity to join your ranks at the graduation ceremony June 8.

CLASS OF 1901

S. W. Bailey, Mrs. Myra M. Bare, Jessie M. Barnes, Geo. A. Barrett, Charles V. Basey, A. H. Benefield, Mrs. Carrie A. Benefield, H. C. Bennett, Grace Bennett, Nettie Reasoner and Charles Brown.


James Menzies, Mrs. Flora E. Moore, George E. Moore, Geo. W. Barker, Mrs. Jennie W. Parker, Mrs. Mary H. Parson, Myrta F. Patterson-Albertson, Mabel C. Payne, W. S. Pierce.


Chas. V. Warner, Laura Haden Wells, W. Miles Williams, John H. Wilson, H. E. Worstell, Clarence C. Wright, C. S. Young.

It would be appreciated if the members of this class would send their correct address to the Editor of the LOG BOOK in order that a complete roster of names and addresses could be furnished to each member of the Class of 1901.

College and universities are approaching that season of the year commonly known as Graduation Week. The formal graduation activities for Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery will be held on Friday night, June 8th, at St. John's Lutheran Church, 6th and Keo. The Reverend W. Murray Allan, Pastor of the First Congregational Church of Ames, Iowa, and a member of the Corporate Board of the college, will deliver the Commencement address, “The Door to Tomorrow.”

The exercises this year will be held for the Class of June 8, which is comprised of fifty-five Seniors and the thirty-five who will complete their formal training in October. The following students will receive the Degree of Doctor of Osteopathy on Friday night, June 8.

Adler, Sidney, Brooklyn, New York.
Baker, Bee B., Otterville, Missouri.
Barnes, Lowell E., East Sebago, Maine.
Beckham, Alfred, Des Moines, Iowa.
Caldwell, Martin R., Little Rock, Arkansas.
Chamberell, Charles E., Owensboro, Kentucky.
DeFord, Robert L., Des Moines, Iowa.
Dodson, Dale, Waco, Texas.
Dunbar, Paul E., Charleston, West Virginia.
Elston, William L., Niles, Ohio.
Fitz, Gerhardt R., Lansing, Michigan.
Frye, Kenneth W., Stanwood, Michigan.
Ginsberg, Herbert, Staten Island, New York.
Goodman, Bernard, Brooklyn, New York.
Gross, Irvin G., Mason City, Iowa.
Harmon, William E., Detroit, Michigan.
Harrison, Robert T., Grand Rapids, Michigan.
Herr, Sanford S., Gaston, Oregon.
Hessay, Victor J., Pampa, Texas.
Hindman, Robert J., Lincoln Park, Michigan.
Hodges, John E., Des Moines, Iowa.
Hoffman, Walter R., Akron, Ohio.
Howland, Gordon K., Decorah, Iowa.
Hoxie, Lloyd B., Plaistow, New Hampshire.

Class of “26” Plans Reunion

Dr. John H. Voss of Albert Lea, Minnesota, and Dr. Lloyd Wofenden of Lake Worth, Florida, have informed the LOG BOOK that a reunion of the class of “26” will be held during the National A.O.A. convention in Milwaukee, July 14, 15, 1951.

Drs. Voss and Woofenden urge all members of this class to attend this reunion and join together in celebrating their 25th anniversary of their graduation from Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery.

The graduating class of 1951 wishes to extend congratulations and best wishes for a happy reunion. They also extend to each of you an invitation to stop in and visit your school on the way to or from your class reunion.

Announcement of Opening of Cancer Teaching Program

On June 1, 1951 the formal Cancer Teaching Program of the college will formally be inaugurated, with Dr. Stuart Harkness as the coordinator of cancer teaching. In connection with the Cancer Teaching Program for the students, a Tumor Clinic will be held weekly as a service to the osteopathic physicians in this area. Full information regarding the Tumor Clinic will be sent as soon as possible.
The President Chats

As one thinks of Graduation Week, one naturally pauses to analyze ... but to the student in his training period and to the general practitioner in the handling of his advanced cases.

To educate its students:

a. To the true principles of osteopathic medicine.
b. To the placing of service to the welfare of society before self.
c. To have a fundamental appreciation for the values of true science and to become motivated to the scientific approach of research.
d. To achieve such preparation as will make for efficiency and progressive improvement in their chosen profession.

If the above aims of this college have been conveyed to each graduate so that each graduate will have these aims uppermost in his professional life, then the school has failed in its responsibilities.

Success is not measured in dollars and cents. Success may be summed up by the right relationship which exists between them and their fellowman, the right relationship which exists between them and their community, the right relationship which exists between them and the institution, and the right relationship which exists between them and their God.

Cites Training Standards in Osteopathic Medicine

Dayton educators and vocational counselors were told of the high educational requirements of the osteopathic medical profession at a meeting Wednesday night, April 25, at the Van Cleve hotel.

The speaker was Dr. Edwin F. Peters, president of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery. The meeting was sponsored by the Dayton District Academy of Osteopathy, for standards of osteopathic training are so high today, Dr. Peters told the group that 2300 applicants for admission to osteopathic colleges during 1950, only 530 selected for training.

Applicants must have had at least three years of pre-medical work in college and must take four and a half years of professional training after entering college.

A one-year internship plus from three to seven years in hospital residency (the length of time depending on the particular medical specialty) is also required.

Over and above the detailed scientific training received in the osteopathic colleges, Dr. Peters explained, the educators are laying great stress on the social sciences such as sociology, psychology and philosophy.

“No profession,” Dr. Peters stressed, “is so exacting as that of medicine. If our students are emotionally stable they’re not competent to administer to suffering humanity.”

So thorough is this search for the student who are emotionally stable that personal interviews with an examining board is a “must” before entering the Iowa institution. A psychiatrist is a member of the board.

“We stress,” Dr. Peters said, “every young student entering college to our students, and it should be known that our students have certain moral responsibilities to their community.”

Preparation for medical training in the high school years should take the form of the normal college preparatory course stress on mathematics, Dr. Peters noted. Pre-medical courses in college would include stress on chemistry both organic and inorganic.

During his first visit to the Grandview hospital, Wednesday afternoon, Dr. Peters said, “this is one of the most efficient, modernly-equipped and adequately-staffed hospitals I’ve ever had the pleasure of visiting.”

Dr. Peters also noted that Ohio ranks third in states supplying students in osteopathic colleges.

“You have 961 osteopathic physicians in Ohio and 144 students studying for the profession,” he said.

Dr. Peters was introduced to the group by Dr. Robert F. Haas, of Dayton, immediate past president of the Ohio Osteopathic Association of Physicians and Surgeons.—Dayton Daily News, 4-26-51. (Evening paper.)

Alumnus Presents Gift To College

Des Moines Still College is the recipient of a very generous and gracious gift from Dr. C. O. Casey, C. O. Casey, Class of 1920, of Decatur, Illinois. Dr. Casey’s gift, that of a new modern clinical audiometer will enable the College to offer an audiometer service coupled with local examination and nasopharyngoscope for the deaf patient.

The audiometer generates a controlled variable tone by vacuum tube circuit. The volume of this tone is controlled by a calibrated dial and the level at which the patient hears the tone is charted on a graph.

Audiometry offers a means of accurately testing and recording the hearing loss of a patient in the most useful sound range from 125 vibrations to 12,000 vibrations.

By recording the decibel loss in selected frequencies, a curve is charted that is most valuable in diagnosis and evaluation of patients for hearing aids or treatment.

This addition to our department of E. E. N. T. will make possible a greater service not only to those students, but the student in his training period and to the general practitioner in the handling of his advanced cases.
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Dean's Letter

TEACHERS in the PROFESSION of OSTEOPATHY. II.

Why should the teaching profession appeal to a young man or woman who is in high school or college?

Surely in teaching one can never hope to command an income much above that required for a comfortable living. A new automobile may be out of the question, or a competent maid cook, and a suitor might well be necessary in order to buy a good radio or television set. Very few teachers receive high salaries. Some, thru inheritance or investments, are fortunate enough to live independent of their salaries, and to teach for the pleasure and personal satisfaction derived.

Certainly salary offers no appeal. When the osteopathic teacher, in interview with a young prospect, asks the question, "Would you like to be a teacher or professor in a school of osteopathy some day?" he instantly discovers that his presentation in favor of osteopathic teaching would be overwhelmingly overshadowed by his own appearance of financial success.

The young man inevitably will ask how much a good doctor can make in a year and the answer he receives must be commensurate with outward appearance of prosperity. In all probability the doctor has already spoken in glowing terms in favor of osteopathic teaching. He will naturally wonder if osteopathy is a profession.

The doctor obviously will find himself in a paradoxical situation which requires service on two levels - to the student and to the profession, and he is justly entitled to relief from the strain of head of a department extending until four years ago he founded a maternity hospital.

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Interesting Data

At the present time but one out of five applicants for entrance to Osteopathic Schools can be accepted, and 97 per cent of our graduates take internships.

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You Are Always Welcome

Dr. Robert Bachman Resigns

Dr. Robert Bachman, whose name has been symbolic with this college since he started his teaching career in the osteopathic profession in July, 1917, has resigned as head of the Department of Obstetrics in the college in order to safeguard his health. Dr. Bachman will become Professor Emeritus of the college and remain on a consultation basis for the institution.

Dr. Bachman's interest in the development of osteopathic education has been most varied and diversified. For twenty-one years he served as a member of the Board of Trustees of the college, and eleven years of that period, he served as the Treasurer for the college. He served as a teacher for thirty-four years, and any- one who ever sat in one of Dr. Bachman's classes or listened to him from the lecture platform could not but realize that he was privileged to listen to the great master teacher.

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Dr. Allan A. Eggleston, of Montreal, Canada, Dr. Harry P. Stimson of Detroit, Michigan, and Dr. Jon Hagy of Albuquerque all visited the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery on Thursday, April 19th. Dr. Hagy and Dr. Stimson are both graduates of this college, Dr. Hagy having graduated in the class of 1939 and Dr. Stimson in the class of 1937. Dr. Eggleston's talk to the members of the student body was well received and appreciated.

The College is always pleased when alumni and members of the profession honor us with a visit. We trust that every doctor who attends the National Convention in Minneapolis this fall will stop at the College either on his way to or from the convention.

Bobbye Ernst Is Wed At Church To Dr. Boatman

In a simple ceremony at 8 o'clock Wednesday, March 28, 1951, at the First Presbyterian church in Santa Fe, New Mexico, E. Bobbye Ernst was married to Congressman John J. Dempsey in his Santa Fe office, and Dr. Larry C. Boatman, prominent osteopathic physician and surgeon, were married by Rev. Kenneth M. Keeler, pastor.

Mrs. Ernst, formerly of Toronto, Canada, has resided in Santa Fe for the past three and a half years, and the time she has spent here has made business headquarters at the Dempsey office in Radio plaza. She has been active in Beta Sigma Phi and sorority and at present is president of La Antigua Toastmistress club. She is a soloist in the Presbyterian church choir.

Dr. Boatman, who recently celebrated the 17th anniversary of his arrival in Santa Fe, has been a leader in his profession. He came here from his former home in Montezuma, Iowa, to open his offices as osteopathic physician and surgeon, his practice extending until four years ago he founded a maternity hospital, the Cradle Home, which he conducts on Buena Vista.

Dr. Boatman is president of the New Mexico Ede's Science board a member of the osteopathic examining board for the state of New Mexico, a trustee of the New Mexico Association of Osteopathic physicians and surgeons, and in the last two years was a member of the house of delegates in the American Osteopathic association.

Announcement

The January, 1951, edition of THE LOG BOOK will be our last. The editors regret that necessi-
Delta Omega Beta

Delta Omega Beta held an initiation dinner, April 19, at the Breese House in Ankeny. After a delicious feast of fried chicken, Ruth Herman was initiated and installed as an active member. Dr. Sarah Jean Gibson presided during the ceremony. Election of officers followed: Sue K. Fisher, president; Ruth Herman, vice president; Sally Sutton, secretary; Pat Springer, treasurer.

A work night was held May 3, at the home of Sally Sutton. Dr. Wickens presented an informal discussion on helpful tips for setting up a practice and osteopathic technique. The last part of the evening was spent practicing the techniques Dr. Wickens had demonstrated.

Senior Elena Parisi is serving her externship in Doctor's Hospital in Columbus, Ohio, this semester. Pat Cottrille leaves for Mrs. Jane Green on the birth of her son in Columbus in April. Jane was a pledge during the fall semester and plans to return to school next February.

ATLAS CLUB

The Annual Atlas Club Spring Semi-Formal dance was held Saturday, April 26th, at the Parkview Clubhouse on the evening of May 12th. A thoroughly enjoyable evening was had by students, faculty and members of the profession practicing in and around Des Moines. Our annual Spring Dance at the Parkview Clubhouse on the evening of May 12th was the scene of our yearly Mother's Day picnic. We would like to extend our welcome for next year's Mother's Day weekend with L. O. G.

Six of our members will receive their D.O. degrees at commencement in June: Sidney Adler, Myron Magen, Edgar Kornhauser, Herbert Ginsberg, Bernard Goodman, and Harvey Silververt. A senior banquet was held at the Breese House in Ankeny on May 19th, to honor these graduates of the October Class. Maurice Stromberg and Jack Koch, all of whom received their senior keys. Edgar Kornhauser received a miniature gavel as a memento of his service as past president.

Student's Wife Honored

Mrs. John Rolles of Ankeny, Iowa, wife of John Rolles, a Junior student of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, was elected moderator of the Des Moines Association of the Congregational Christian Church for 1951-1952. Mr. and Mrs. Rolles are natives of England having spent 14 years in India as missionaries prior to coming to this country so that Mr. Rolles could study osteopathy. Upon the completion of his professional studies at this college, Mr. and Mrs. Rolles and their two fine children, Shirley, age 15, and Christopher, age 12, will return to their mission in Jammalamadugu, South India.

Newman Club

The last meeting for this school year was concluded on the evening of May 2nd. Election of officers for the coming year was held with the following results: President, John Schwartz. Vice-President, Louis Eske, Jr. Secretary, Bob Botz. Treasurer, Vic Rerucha. Father Weiss, club chaplain, concluded his monthly series of talks with a very interesting "Sacrifice of the Mass". The Annual Communion Breakfast was held at Eloith's on Sunday, May 6th, preceded by a special monthly Mass celebrated by Fr. Weiss at Dowling Chapel. The breakfast was highlighted by its brevity of talks, and its informal atmosphere. All graduates and the speakers were Dr. Harkness, Dr. Shumaker and Dr. Peters. A dance to the strains of a Ralph Zarnow orchestra followed in the rumpus room.

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O.N.C.C.

Plans for the Rummage Sale to be held June 2, 1951, at Arlington Hall, 117 Locust Street, with Bea Phillips as chairman are in full swing. All those having clothes that are unable to be sold please contact Bea Phillips, 3-2526.

The girls wish to take this opportunity to thank Dee Latt, Doris Conway, Mitzie Beckham, and all the other girls for their fine work and cooperation in making the Social on April 17, for the Polk County Auxiliary such a fine success. The girls are truly grateful for Schaffers Bridal Shop for their lovely Fashion Show held that evening.

The officers of O. W. C. C. wish to express their thanks to the girls for a successful year of activities.

The Senior Banquet on May 19, climaxd the school year for the fraternity and academic training for the seniors. The evening included a dinner to honor the graduates and the speakers were Dr. Harkness, Dr. Shumaker and Dr. Peters. A dance to the strains of a Ralph Zarnow orchestra followed in the rumpus room.

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52nd Annual Commencement Held June 8

Dr. W. Murray Allen of the Congregational Church at Ames was the speaker at the 52nd annual commencement exercises of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery on June 8. Dr. Allen's subject was "The Door to Tomorrow." Fifty-five of the ninety graduates completed their formal training June 8. Thirty-five will complete their formal training on October 1. The fifty-five graduates are from 21 states and one foreign country of whom 11 are Iowans.

Eleven are from Michigan, five from New York, and five from Ohio, Ontario, Canada, Maine, Texas, New Jersey and Wisconsin each had two; and there was one each from Missouri, Arkansas, Kentucky, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Oregon, New Hampshire, Illinois, Massachusetts, South Dakota, Nebraska, Minnesota and Indiana.

Dean John Shumaker presented the class; Dr. Edwin F. Peters, Still president, conferred the degrees. Dr. Frederick J. Weertz of St. John's gave the invocation. Dr. Leonard Groumback was class marshal.

Following the conferring of degrees Dr. John La Roque, president of the National Alumni Association, inducted the members of the class into the association.

The St. John's choir under the direction of Kenneth A. Gfeller accompanied at the organ by George Trissell presented the music.

Before conferring the degrees President Peters read the following telegram which he had received from R. E. McCaughan, Executive Secretary of the American Osteopathic Association.

"Congratulations to the members of this graduating class and to the faculty and administration who guided their professional education. To those who today become the members of the osteopathic profession a hearty welcome into a profession which needs them and will honor them in proportion as they render to the health of the public and to their loyalty to the profession."

Dr. Waterbury Returns

Dr. Carl C. Waterbury will become head of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery on July 1. Dr. Waterbury received his pre-osteopathic education at Iowa State University and Drake University. He graduated from Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery in 1943. He interned in the Wilshire Osteopathic Hospital in Los Angeles, California, and returned to his Alma Mater in the fall of 1944 where he remained as an instructor in the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology for the school year.

In 1946 Dr. Waterbury and Dr. Roger Anderson purchased the Manning General Hospital. Dr. Waterbury remained at Manning, Iowa until 1949 when he returned to Des Moines.

Since Dr. Waterbury's return he has been specializing in the practice of Obstetrics and Gynecology, and has been a part-time teacher at the college in Obstetrics.

Dr. Waterbury was certified in Obstetrics and Gynecology by the American Osteopathic Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology in 1948. He is married and has one daughter age five years.

The college family welcomes Dr. Waterbury's return to his Alma Mater.

College Honors Wm. S. Konold

An honorary Doctor of Science degree was conferred on William Saints Konold of Columbus, Ohio, by the college during the graduation exercises, June 8. Mr. Konold, originally from the southeast of Pennsylvania, attended the University of Illinois majoring in Industrial Administration. During the succeeding years, his training has been thoroughly developed as shown by the success of the organization known as "K & W Associates, Business and Public Relation Consultants."

Mr. Konold has always been active in public affairs, church circles and the American Legion of which he was State Commander in Ohio in 1954.

For more than ten years he has acted in various policy forming capacities in the Columbus Hospital Service Association and the Columbus Hospital Federation.

He is executive secretary of the Ohio State Osteopathic Association. He is the Administrator of the Doctors Hospital of Columbus, as well as secretary of its Board of Trustees. He is the secretary-treasurer of the American Osteopathic Hospital Association.

In recognition of his many activities in the services of the people and their health and his contributions to the cause of Osteopathy in the State of Ohio, the Board of Trustees of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery authorized the conferring of the degree, Doctor of Science, upon Mr. Konold. Edward Chambers, Gerhardt Rozenbohm, Jack Hessey, Lowell Emery Barnes, Edgar J. Rennoe, Edward Charles Reuter, Paul J. Rennoe, Paul Eugene Dunbar.

CRANIAL.

PAUL J. RENNOE, R. D. WIRT.

LOWELL EMERY BARNES, CHARLES EDWARD REUTER.
The President Chats

In the published report entitled, "Charting the Course for American Higher Education in a Period of Partial Mobilization," the report of Study Group 12 in the Sixth Annual National Conference on Higher Education, held April 2, 3, and 4, 1951, in Chicago, Illinois, is most apropos to the Osteopathic Colleges. So important is the content of this annual report entitled, "Financing Private and Church-Related Colleges" that this writer wishes to provide a helpful service to the readers of the Log Book.

REPORT OF GROUP 12
Financing Private and Church-Related Colleges
Hilards College

Private and church-related colleges have demonstrated their worth as a significant and essential part of the American system of higher education. These institutions have demonstrated that far beyond what their financial resources could be expected to have made possible. They save taxpayers a substantial amount of outlays and current operations for thousands of students who would be added to the already overburdened tax-supported colleges and universities, were it not for the private and church-related colleges.

The abnormal fluctuation of enrollments for the past decade, together with the anticipated severe disruptions now and for the future, suggests that these institutions should be looked upon with care. All must be done after careful itemized records and accounting in order to discover the unique opportunity to select, conserve, and improve their services and conserve their facilities for the greater demands to be expected in the next five to ten years ahead. (2) How may they secure more funds for meeting operating expenses?

Cutting costs. Costs can be cut by better business methods, through centralized purchasing, by carefully itemized records and reports, and reports severely scrutinized by proper authority, and by leisurely allowance to make sure that all facilities are used most effectively. Voluntary services in minor fields and facilities and staff should be encouraged to save the cost of hired help. Many colleges can well afford to place less emphasis on athletics and thus effect saving, because expenses exceed income in all but a very small number of instances.

Careful re-examination of the basic purposes of the institution and trimming course offerings to the necessary to attain these purposes should prove helpful in reducing costs in most cases. Cooperation and exchange with nearby institutions and agencies in highly specialized staff, in equipment and library resources, and in general, less duplication of courses should be given serious consideration and might result in material savings.

Maintaining standards. It is essential that standards be maintained. Deciding on the essential and elimination of those not essential, carefully balancing the teaching and administrative loads among the staff, appealing anew to the spirit of mission in the agency—these are some possibilities that will aid in maintaining standards. The quality factors recently announced by selective service for the deferment of college men will undoubtedly raise the level of academic performance of male students. This policy also implies an obligation on the part of the Federal Government to provide scholarship aid to those who maintain academic standards but unable financially to avail themselves of college attendance. Accredited agencies have, in the past, supplied such assistance with institutions and to guard academic standards, especially in the critical period through rich colleges as now passing.

Improving service. The emergency may offer opportunities for improving services. Many colleges may find services available which may be utilized to bring in funds. Adult education offerings, special programs for teachers in service, extension-Job and job conversion training, civilian-defense assistance, are examples of services which a good teacher must possess. Such teachers and institutions must not only help tide over the emergency, but could prove desirable additions to the long range goals. If well used, most certainly will gain friends and supporters for the college.

Conserving facilities. Physical facilities of college institutions cannot be put in "moth balls" for the duration; ways must be found to use them to advantage. Administrative and instructions personnel must be conserved and improved. Now is the appropriate time for younger faculty members whose services are not needed, to leave, in order to improve their service and conserve their facilities for the greater demands to be expected in the next five to ten years. (3) How may they secure more funds for meeting operating expenses?

To Be Offered in September

A one year full time graduate training program in the field of neuropsychiatry will be offered in the Behavioral Science Department of Dr. Ralph I. McRae, chairman of the Division of Neuropsychiatry. This program is to be in cooperation with the New York University College of Medicine. The program requires for certification in neuropsychiatry. Only one candidate will be accepted for training this Fall.

This program will consist of a well organized program of study in the fields of Behavior Neuro-physiology, Neuro-pathology, Neuro-physiology, Neuro-pathology, Neuro-physiology, Neuro-pathology, and Psychopathology. The candidate will be selected through a combination of academic and professional achievement. The candidate will be given an opportunity to apply for certification in psychiatry, and to follow the prescribed course of training to that goal on a year-to-year basis. Further information will be made available to the candidate.

Psychiatric Graduate Training

Deans Letter

Teachers in the Profession of Osteopathy. III

How can the unawakened teacher of osteopathic medicine be recognized in the adolescent years?

To the observer, the principles and practices of osteopathy and medicine, certain attributes which a good teacher must possess, become progressively apparent in early stages of higher education and college. These are simply enumerated as follows:

1. Manifest interest in biology, physics, mathematics, chemistry, and science in general.

2. Proficiency in the communication skills (reading, writing, speaking).

3. Thirst for knowledge as demonstrated by avid reading of classical and scientific literature, communicating with the school age.

4. Constant daily interest in world events.

5. Active participation in school affairs, church activities, and other social events.

6. Higher than average scores in various tests of intelligence and proficiency tests.

7. Good balance of masculine-feminine traits, of introversion and extroversion, and emotional stability.

These, and many minor qualities are the signs of good teacher material in the young man or woman, and with almost daily contact over periods of months or a few years, they may surely be used by the counsellor in the development of the teacher.

Relatively few osteopathic physicians have ever been engaged in teaching as a profession. It is regrettable that only a very small percentage of those few have become deeply engaged in the educational phase of osteopathy. They do, however, have the opportunity to see the student indoctrinate, and even be instrumental in training a new generation of professional teachers in the osteopathic schools.

Psychiatry, Psychopathology, Psychotherapy and Clinical Psychiatry. There will also be training and supervision in the techniques of psychiatric interview, electro-convulsive therapy, CO2 injection, and other techniques of diagnostic treatment. There will be an opportunity to study and use psychometric tests, to work with group therapy and other social techniques of diagnosis and treatment.

The candidate will be accepted on the basis of a specified letter of application. The candidate should be a graduate of a recognized program in psychiatry and should be a member of the American Medical Association. Further information may be obtained by contacting the Office of the Dean.
osteo-physicians are now serving as physicians in the Medical Service of the Veterans Administration and other applications are pending.

On August 2, 1946 you signed into law Public Law 614, Section 1, which reads as follows: "The President, in his discretion, is authorized to appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, graduates of reputable schools of osteopathic medicine as commissioned medical officers in the Navy, in such numbers as the President should determine to be necessary to meet the needs of the Naval Service for officers trained and qualified in osteopathy."

Navy surgeon general Ross T. McIntire and the Surgeon General William G. Aiken, pursuant to that law, called a representative of the American Osteopathic Association into conference and instituted preparations for carrying out the law. Before final preparations materialized, Surgeon General Clifford A. Swanson and Deputy Surgeon General H. L. Pugh (now Surgeon General) were appointed to handle a conference held with the new Surgeon General and his Deputy the early part of 1947 in which we were informed that nothing would be done by that office unless and until ordered so to do by their superiors. We conferred and communicated with other superiors in the Navy Department and were told that the matter was up to the Surgeon General entirely. Without your intervention, the professional services of osteopathic physicians will continue unavailable for service.

Many of our graduates in recent years have applied for medical commissions under this law and they have been turned down by the Department of the Navy. The regulations governing appointment in the Medical Corps of the United States Naval Service require that candidates be graduates of medical schools listed as approved by the Council on Medical Education and Hospitals of the American Medical Association. The fact that you will not upon your graduation meet this requirement would preclude the favorable consideration of your application by this Bureau.

We are confident that our graduates will rally to your call. We prayerfully urge you to appoint a minimum of twenty-five osteopathic graduates, each, as commissioned medical officers in the Medical Corps of the Army, Navy and Air Force.

Dr. Vincent P. Carroll, D. O.
President
C. D. Swope, D. O., Chairman
Department of Public Relations."

Missouri M. D.'s Have Problems

Sedalia, Mo., May 18

Delegates to the Missouri Academy of General Practice found that doctors of medicine faced an unusual professional situation in Missouri.

This organization of many doctors, general practitioners, phy- wonders how the problem of M.D.'s they refer to O.D.'s (Doc- tors of osteopathy) is going to be resolved. This problem is coming to a head in Missouri and it is being faced squarely by the medical profession of the nation.

A decision by Judge Sam Blair in the Audrain County circuit court last December ruled, in effect, that hospitals operated with public funds could not bar osteopathic physicians from treating patients therein. This ruling has been appealed to the Missour Supreme court.

If affirmed, it means appar- ently that public hospitals in Missouri are accessible to O.D.s and M.D.s alike. The decision also would set a legal precedent for similar rulings in other states.

The Audrain hospital at Mexico, Mo., involved in the Blair decision, already has opened its doors to O.D.s, by action of the hospital trustees.

Thomas L. Dwyer, M. D., president of the Audrain County medical society and vice-president of the Missouri Academy of General Practice, commented as follows:

"One suggestion is that separate wards or departments be set up in public hospitals for osteopathic doctors' cases. This has been done in some states.

"A broader suggestion is that the American Medical Association as well as the osteopathic physicians, in their fold, absorbing as much as the homeopathic physicians, were absorbed years ago. As a matter of fact, members of the board of directors of the Missouri Academy of General Practice, served as vice-president and president of the A.M.A.

Some M. D.'s here concede that osteopaths trained in improved osteopathic schools are as competent as general practitioners and are meeting health needs of the public in many Missouri communities, particularly in the rural areas.

Dr. Casey recently presented a new modern clinical audiometer to the college. This addition to the E.E.N.T. department is proving to be a valuable teaching aid for the benefit of the students and a great service to the patients.

Neuropsychiatrists Meet July 12-13-14

At the invitation of Dr. Fred M. Still, president of the American Osteopathic Neuropsychiatrists (Osteopathic) as well as president of the company operating Still-Hill Sanatorium, the American Osteopathic Neuropsychiatrists have decided to hold their Thirteenth Annual Session at M. D. Neugebauer, July 12th, 13th and 14th. All sessions will be held at the Sanatorium where the spacious rooms provide suitable areas for scientific and business meetings.

July 12th, the first day of the session, will be devoted entirely to business of the American Osteopathic Board of Neurology and Psychiatry, and to examination of candidates for certification by that body.

The scientific sessions will be held on the mornings of the 13th and 14th, and the afternoons of these two days will be taken up by business meetings of the college. Highlight of the entertain- ment will, as usual, be the annual dinner of the college which will be held on the Sanatorium the evening of July 13th.

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May 15, marked the end of O.W.C.C. meetings for the year. Election of officers was held and the following were elected:

Dr. Mary E. Golden, Des Moines, president of the American College of Osteopathic Pediat- ricians, reports that the refresh- er course sponsored by the Mid-Continent Area Pediatri- cians at the Hotel Kirkwood in Des Moines, May 11-12, was successful in all respects.

Attendance from a number of states and Iowa was excellent, all of the speakers scheduled de- livered creditably to close at- tention, the social features were keenly enjoyed and publicity be- fore and during the course was fine, Dr. Golden said.

It's part of the cure to wish to be cured.—Seneca.

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40 Wives of Students Receive PHT Degree

The Rummage Sale as reported by its chairman Bea Phillips, proved to be a success to all the girls who helped sell that day and a special thanks to Margaret Crommett.

A word of appreciation to Editor Harriet Ballenger and her staff for their fine work on It's Still News.

NEUROPSYCHIATRISTS

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An interesting program has been arranged for the scientific sessions, with nationally known neurologists, psychiatrists and neurosurgeons participating. Definitely scheduled are: Phillip Davis, certified neurologist of Burbank, Calif.; Floyd E. Dunn, certified neurologist of Kansas City, Mo.; Morton Harris- kowitz of Philadelphia, Pa.; D. C. Littlefield, certified psychiat-rist (and president-elect of the A.C.N.) of Long Beach, Calif.; Ralph I. McRae, chairman of the Division of Psychiatry of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathic Medicine & Surgery of Des Moines, Iowa; Thomas J. Meyers, certified psychiatrist of Pasadena, Calif.

Non-members of the American College of Neuropsychiatrists who wish to attend the scientific sessions may do so by paying a registration fee of $10.00 for the two sessions. Non-members of the American Osteopathic Association and their Divisional Societies are not eligible to register.

To whom would you like to have the Log Book sent? Send us the name and address!

Two million years from now the scientists can start a row by claiming that the creatures of that period descended from Man.
ABSTRACT OF PRESIDENT'S REPORT TO THE CORPORATE BOARD OF DES MOINES STILL COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHY AND SURGERY

INTRODUCTION

This annual report of the President of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery for the fiscal year which terminated May 31, 1951, is for the fifty-second year of the school's existence and the sixth annual graduation class of my administration. The five previous annual commencements were during the years when the world was at peace, and the school and its graduates could plan for a peaceful professional future. Today, the picture has entirely changed and now we find ourselves in a world torn by strife, uncertainty, and war. Therefore, the future of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery is faced with one of the grave problems of its history.

This graveness is the result of our international unrest and uncertainty, our tremendous defense effort, additional recognition given the Osteopathic Profession from the Federal level, and the excessive increased cost of materials, supplies, and equipment, as well as demands for higher salaries on the part of the employed personnel of the college.

Students' tuition cannot carry the financial obligations for the college's present day standard of education. Every college of the healing arts in the country today is faced with this same problem. Our colleges (Osteopathic and Medical), are faced with one of two courses to pursue. Either immediately secure outside financial support which would augment the present day tuition charges by approximately two hundred per cent or reduce the present day standards of medical education. The latter course can never be followed.

At the beginning of this present administration an emergency financial campaign was instituted in the city of Des Moines so that the college might complete its hospital which had just gotten under construction and to meet demands for the reorganization of the college proper which had suffered an academic death during the war years.

Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery had always enjoyed an enviable scholastic reputation. My first responsibility to the college and to the Osteopathic profession, therefore, was to see that the ideals and standards of scholarship which had prevailed prior to the war years were restored and that scholarship which would equal our leading universities would characterize the future of the college. This has been done.

AIMS OF THE COLLEGE

The aims of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery are in terms of the qualities of personality it develops in its students, in terms of the contribution made to the health of this community of which it is a part, and to the health of society in general wherever its graduates may practice.

1. The College aims therefore, to educate its students:
   A. To the true principles of Osteopathic Medicine.
   B. To the placing of service to the welfare of society before self.
   C. To have a fundamental appreciation for the values of true science and to become motivated to the scientific approach of research.
   D. To achieve such preparation as will make for efficiency and progressive improvement in their chosen profession.

2. The College also seeks for faculty members:
   A. Who are making worthy contributions to the field of science.
   B. Who fully appreciate the various areas of human experience.
   C. Who will cooperate in developing the school of Osteopathic Medicine.

FACULTY

A hasty analysis of the faculty qualifications, student achievements, research achievements and recognitions, curriculum offerings, and the expansion of the physical facilities can receive the approval of the masses and praise from those who are intimately acquainted with the exacting requirements of the Osteopathic profession.

The College has attempted to be careful in its selection of faculty and staff members. Today there is a total of 188 on the payroll of the College. The faculty of the college can be considered as an intellectually productive group. They have been engaged in research, writing for publications and appearing on the lecture platform. The following clearly reveals a portion of out of the classroom faculty activity.

FACULTY APPEARANCES BEFORE LEARNED SOCIETIES AND CONVENTIONS:

Professor Gillaspy

1. Regional Anatomy meeting, Marquette University, No- vember 4, 1950.
   a. "Anesthesia as it pertains to the Nervous System.
   b. "Demonstrations of common variations and special dissections."
   a. Demonstration of research (same as two above)
   b. Model of a rarer variety.
   c. Wet specimens of special dissections and structures.
   d. Gift of Dr. H. V. Halliday.

Dr. Minnick Ordered To Active Duty

Dr. E. R. Minnick, a member of the Department of Osteopathic Medicine, received active duty orders Saturday, June 25, to report to San Antonio, Texas, on Monday, July 16, for active duty.

Dr. Minnick received his B.S. degree from Lebanon Valley College, Pennsylvania, in 1940, his M.D. degree from the College of Physicians and Surgeons in Boston, Massachusetts, in 1944, and his D.O. degree from Des Moines Still College in 1949.

Dr. Minnick has been commissioned a captain in the Army Medical Corps. He will be given a military leave of absence from Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery during his period of military service.

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THE LOG BOOK
b. Za-Ga-Zig Shrine
“Russia”
c. Sercoma Club of Des Moines
“Lecture on Army Ants”
Dr. Grumbach
   a. “Neurophysiological Basis for an Osteopathic Interpretation of Etiology in Internal Disease.”
   a. “Pathology of the Biliary System”
   b. “Pathology of Intestinal Obstruction”
   c. “Pathology of Thyroid Disease”
   a. “Conduction Block”
Dr. Wickens
1. Atomic Medicine, D.M.S., September, 1950
   a. “Histopathology of Radiation Disease”
2. A.C.O.S. Convention, Des Moines, Iowa, October, 1950.
   a. “Pathology of the Biliary System”
   b. “Pathology of Intestinal Obstruction”
   c. “Pathology of Thyroid Disease”
   a. “The Collagen Diseases”
Dr. Moon
1. Middle States Public Health Association, Des Moines, May, 1950
   a. “What Should Laboratories do in Virus Disease?”
2. A.C.O.S. Convention, Des Moines, Iowa, October, 1950
   a. “Bacteriology of the Biliary System”
   b. “Bacteriology of the Intestinal Tract in Obstruction”
   c. “Bacteriology—Thyroiditis”
Dr. DeNise
2. The National meeting of the American College of Osteopathic Internists, Kansas City, October, 1950.
Dr. McRae
1. The American College of Neuropsychiatrists, Macon, Missouri, July 8, 1950
3. The Postgraduate Course in Obstetrics and Gynecology at the Kansas City College of Osteopathy and Surgery, February 13, 1951.
4. The Ohio State Osteopathic Convention, May 7, 1951
   a. “Diagnostic Pitfalls in Neuropsychiatry.”
5. The Midcontinental Division of Pediatricians of the American College of Osteopathic Pediatricians, May 11-12, 1951.
   a. “The Development of Personality in Infancy and Childhood”
Dr. Harkness
   a. Served as moderator of a symposium on “Hypertensive Vascular Disease.”
2. Program Chairman for the National Meeting of the American College of Osteopathic Internists in Kansas City, October, 1950.
   a. “Atomic Medicine.”
   c. “What Constitutes Control of the Diabetic.”
   d. “Degenerative Diseases of the Nervous System.”
Dr. Kimberly
1. Northeast Missouri Osteopathic Association, Baring Lake, Missouri August 10, 1950
   a. “Cranial Osteopathy.”
2. The Canadian Osteopathic Association, Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada, October 19-21, 1950
   a. “Cranial Concept and Its Relation to the Spinal Mechanism.”
   b. “Cranial Concept and Its Application to Practice.”
   c. “Structural Examination.”
   d. “Modus Operandi of Cranial Lesions.”
Dr. Ketman
   a. Radiological Interpretation of Diseases of Bone.
   a. “Radiation Dosage, Detection and Biological Effects.”
   a. Classification of Arthritis and X-Ray Therapy in the Arthritides.
   a. “Diagnosis of the Chest.”
Dr. Juni
   a. “Laryngitis and its Relation to Nose and Sinus.”
   b. “The Early Diagnosis of Laryngeal Cancer.”
Dr. Dresser
   a. Urological Pathology Associated with Hypertension.”
Dr. Bachman
1. Nebraska Osteopathic Association, Omaha, Nebraska, September 25, 1950.
   a. “Uterine Bleeding.”
   b. “Evaluation of the Findings in the Female Pelvis.”

FACULTY PUBLICATIONS:
DeNise, Dr. Richard P.

Gillaspy, Prof. Carrie C. and Van Renterghem, Mr. O. J.
2. “A Case of Scoliosis with Associated Variations.” (Ready for Publication)

Grumbach, Dr. Leonard

Harkness, Dr. Stuart F.

Juni, Dr. Raymond B.
1. “Laryngitis and its Relations to the Nose and Sinuses.” Journal of A.O.A., April, 1951

Kimberly, Dr. Paul E.

McRae, Dr. Ralph I.

FACULTY RESEARCH

Anatomy:
1. Cyclops
2. Vagi NN in Rats, Cats, Monkeys— to determine if the fibers cross in the esophageal plexuses.
3. Study Nissl Changes in Cold-blooded forms 15-22-35-43-60 days.
4. Study Nissl Changes in Superior Olive following resection of 7th and 8th Cranial Nerves.
5. Nissl Changes in Motor Cranial Nuclei in Rat.
6. Crossed renal ectopia, fused type (Van Renterghem).
7. Retinal Agenesis.
8. A case of extreme scoliosis with associated variations.

Histology and Embryology:
1. Regeneration of ovarian tissue.
2. False Hermaphroditism (Chu).
4. Chemical Attraction between egg and sperm.
5. X-Ray and U.V. produced somatic mutations and abnormalities.
6. Life span of various type of graffian follicles (Rosen).
7. The Effect of Carbon Dioxide and the Bicarbonate Ion on Peripheral Nerve.<br>
8. The Effect of Carbon Dioxide and the Bicarbonate Ion on Myoneural Transmission.

Note: The names of collaborators for each problem are given in parenthesis.

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

Dr. Walter E. Heilnen of Joplin, Missouri, was appointed to the faculty as Associate Professor of Surgery, Chairman of the Department and Coordinator of Professional Services in Still Osteopathic Hospital. Dr. Heilnen joins our faculty well prepared for the responsibilities which will be his. He is a graduate of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, certified as a surgeon by the American Osteopathic Association, and a Fellow in the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons. He had done a considerable amount of postgraduate study in recent years. Only last year, he spent several months in postgraduate study in Austria.

Mr. Lawrence Staples, M.A., University of New Hampshire, has, during the past year, been added to the Physiology Department as a laboratory instructor; and Mrs. Teauline Raley, A.B., University of Texas, served as physiology research technician.

Mr. Wendell R. Fuller—One of the most important additions to the faculty in recent years has been the appointment to the college faculty of Mr. Wendell R. Fuller as Registrar and Coordinator of Veterans Affairs. Mr. Fuller, a graduate of Drake University, with graduate work at Washington and Lee University and Drake University, was Training Facilities Officer for the Veterans Administration for five years prior to joining our faculty. This experience and training has proven invaluable in his present office.

Other appointments to be made in the near future are:
1. Pathologist
2. Obstetrics & Gynecology Department Head
3. Bio-chemist
4. Instructor in Bacteriology and Parasitology.

STUDENT PERSONNEL

The 1950-51 academic year has been a most interesting and successful year with a maximum student enrollment. Problems with the student body have been exceptionally few and student accomplishments have been above expectation. A college should be a community of scholars disseminating knowledge which would banish ignorance and prepare the student for a useful serviceable life to his community, his state, his nation and his God as well as educate the student in the true principles of Osteopathic Medicine; to develop an appreciation for the values of true science; and to achieve such preparation as will make for efficiency and progressive improvement in their chosen profession.

The following tables prepared by the Registrar’s Office reveals a splendid statistical analysis of the college’s student body.

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The average pre-professional training of the student body enrolled in the college this past year was 3.18 years. During the academic year 19 students were graduated in October 1950; 8 students were dropped for poor scholarship; 2 were recalled to active military service; 1 student dropped out of school for health reasons and 4 students discontinued their studies of their own volition.

There were 12 Veterans enrolled in DMSCOS during the school year. 136 were under P.L. 346 and 16 under P.L. 16. The student body this year came from 32 states and 9 foreign countries.

STUDENT COUNSELING

Much time and effort has been devoted during the year to our new program of student counseling under the direction of Dean John B. Shumaker. The counseling panel for each class spends many long hours in the discharge of their responsibilities. In addition to each class counseling panel, the student activities committee under the chairmanship of Mr. Paul E. Kimberly has been constantly taking the pulse of the student body at large.

EDUCATIONAL IMPROVEMENTS

Late last fall the U.S. Public Health Service, (Division of Cancer Control) extended an invitation to the six Osteopathic Colleges to submit their respective applications for a Federal Teaching Grant in Cancer. The Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, through the efforts of Dean John B. Shumaker, prepared a proposed cancer teaching program for submission. This spring we were notified...
that the college had been awarded a grant for the ensuing year, the
stipend of the grant being $25,000. This recognition from the Federal
level carried with it certain grave responsibilities. However, the stu-
dents and the Osteopathic profession will both profit educationally
from this addition to the academic program of the college.

Throughout the year, the Dean and the Registrar have devoted
much time and study to a revision of the curriculum. They have spent
many hours in conference with Departmental chairmen analyzing
certain academic changes, changes which will re-evaluate course
credit, subject content and emphasis, as well as assignment of the
courses in the total curriculum and the inter-correlation of the sub-
ject matter of the basic science and clinical years.

Dr. Paul E. Kimberly, Chairman of the Student Affairs Com-
mittee of the faculty and his committee have made a most commend-
able showing in analyzing the weaknesses of the Clinic. The recom-
mandations of these respective studies, as soon as they are completed
will greatly improve undergraduate education at the college. Educa-
tion is progressive and the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy
and Surgery will continually make analysis of its program of edu-
cation.

HOSPITAL EXTERN SERVICE

The fourth year of the college course is composed of a summer
session followed by two semesters. The Senior class is divided into
two divisions during each semester. One half of the class remains in
class room session while the other half is on hospital extern service.
In addition to the Still Osteopathic Hospital, the college is fortunate
in having the following hospitals affiliated with the college.

Des Moines General Hospital,
Wilden Osteopathic Hospital,
Doctor's Hospital of Columbus, Ohio,
Still Hildreth Sanitarium of Macon, Missouri.

POSTGRADUATE EDUCATION

During the past two semesters, the courses of study which lead
primarily to a license in Surgery have been well attended.
Enrollments have been as follows:

Fall semester

Number of Doctors enrolled
Gross Anatomy .................................. 10
Physiology .................................. 17
Phychosomatic Problems ......................... 10

Spring Semester

Anesthesiology .................................. 10
Neuropathology .................................. 8
Obstetrics .................................. 11

It is doubtful if this postgraduate course of instruction will be
used by an appreciable number of doctors for the purpose of acquiring
advanced degrees. Its principle function, from their viewpoint, is to
prepare them academically for the license in Surgery.

The Fall semester of 1951 will complete the two year schedule
as originally scheduled. Extensive thought must be exercised before
the program can be extended.

HOSPITAL

Last November, Mr. D. C. Clark, the hospital administrator, was
recalled to active military service. Mr. A. C. Parmenter, who served
for 23 years on the administrative staff of Methodist Hospital
in this city was employed as the new administrator of the Still Osteo-
pathic Hospital. Mr. Parmenter’s background of experience and first-
hand knowledge of hospital problems has proven most valuable to our
institution.

ALUMNI

Students, upon graduation, become alumni. A strong alumni asso-
ciation is an absolute necessity for a college. This past year has
shown the Alumni Association of our college demonstrating more in-
terest and activity than it has for the past several years. The Alumni
Association, under the leadership of Dr. Jean F. LeRoque, the Na-
tional President, and Dr. E. S. Honsinger, the National Secretary and
Treasurer, will continue to show growth and contributions to the ad-
vancement of Osteopathic education.

In the interest of creating alumni with an intelligent devotion to
the college with an inner disposition to be loyal, we have started
their education as alumni while they are still students. The degree
of pride and loyalty with which a student graduates from college will
determine largely the pride and loyalty he manifests as an alumnus.

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

The past academic year has been one of major advances and im-
provements for the physical plant. Among the more notable changes
which have enhanced the teaching efficiency of the institution are

a. Continued improvement and remodeling of the Clinic building.
b. The construction of a most modern research laboratory for the
department of Physiology.
c. Enlarging the Bacteriology laboratory and the construction
of a bacteriological research laboratory.
d. Enlarging the Osteopathic technique laboratory.
e. Remodeling the general administrative offices and the con-
struction of a general conference and Board of Trustees
room.
f. Minor changes in the hospital such as moving the adminis-
trator’s office to the general lobby, creating three additional
private rooms, and constructing a record room.
g. Installing a modern laundry in the Clinic building which will
amortize itself in approximately eighteen months.
h. Remodeling one of the apartments in the Clinic building for
the Tumor Clinic.
i. Removing the old houses in the 800 block of Sixth Avenue
and creating a parking lot for the students.
j. Joining the heating system of the Clinic to that of the college.

PUBLICATION AND PROFESSIONAL SUPPORT

It would be impossible for me to close without expressing my
profound gratitude and appreciation to the members of the profession
and to the public-spirited individuals who have made financial con-
tributions to the institution during the past year. The total amount
contributed for the fiscal year was $46,577.56. It is true that this
amount is much less than was anticipated, and is a smaller amount
than we shall need during the next year if we are going to advance
professionally or even maintain our present educational level.

June 28, 1951.

Respectfully submitted,
Edwin F. Peters, Ph.D.
President.

Entered as
Second-Class Matter
At Des Moines, Iowa
Tumor Clinic Symposia

The Tumor Committee of Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery presented the first of a series of monthly symposia on Cancer on July 26, 1951, at 8:00 p.m.

The subject of this symposium was Cancer of the Lung and was composed of the following subjects and speakers:

The Problem of Lung Cancer—Howard A. Graney, D.O.

The Etiology of Cancer of the Lung—Richard P. DeNise, D.O.

The Roentgen Diagnosis of Cancer of the Lung—Henry J. Ketman, D.O.

What Does Bronchoscopy Have to Offer in the Diagnosis of Cancer of the Lung?—Raymond B. Juni, D.O.

Treatment of Cancer of the Lung—Walter E. Heinlen, D.O.

Essentials of Preoperative Evaluation—Stuart F. Harlness, D.O.

Summary—Howard A. Graney, D.O.

This was attended by 85 students and practicing physicians in the Des Moines area.

Dr. J. Kitman, Division of Radiology, of the American Osteopathic Association at the Convention in Milwaukee, August 24th, 1912.

Residency Available

Residency available at once in Obstetrics and Gynecology. Write John B. Shumaker, Ph. D., Dean, for application blank.

Dr. LeRoque Presents New Plan

At the Still College Alumni Banquet in Milwaukee, Dr. John B. Shumaker, Ph. D., Dean of the College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, presented a new plan for the Postgraduate Education program for the college.

Dr. LeRoque announced that the college would offer a new Postgraduate Education program for the fall semester of 1952.

Program

**Radiology**—2 semester hours credit. (3rd hour optional)

H. J. Ketman, D.O.

Certified by the American Osteopathic Board of Radiology

A course concerned primarily with the principles of film interpretation, and radiation therapy; film and slide demonstration.

Mondays 7-9 P. M. 1st Class Sept. 10, 1951
Tuition $50.00 ($25.00 for additional hour)

General Surgery—3 semester hours credit.

Walter E. Heinlen, D.O.

Certified by the American Osteopathic Board of Surgery


Friday 7-10 P. M. 1st Class Sept. 7, 1951
Tuition $75.00

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A course of study in general pathology at the graduate level. (Instructor and time of first class meeting will be announced at a later date.)

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No two courses will be given if the class membership is below eight students.

Registration shall be completed on or before September 7th through the office of W. R. Fuller, Registrar.

John B. Shumaker, Ph. D., Dean

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Since the strike started, union truck drivers for several Des Moines food and supply companies have refused to cross the picket line and deliver necessary goods to the hospital.

Injunction Is Obtained

On Monday, August 6, District Judge Loy Ladd signed a temporary injunction against six Des Moines truck drivers' unions. The injunction prohibits truckers from "refusing to carry out the lawful orders of their employers and to deliver all merchandise" ordered by the hospital.

A hearing will be held on September 17, 1951 to determine whether the temporary order should be made permanent.

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The President Chats
Never A Dull Moment in the Life of A College Administrator

Maintaining academic standards, improving teaching techniques, selecting faculty members who are outstanding in their particular specialties, maintaining a good public relations program, without which no college can be successful, keeping a close contact with the alumni of the college, and working around the clock throughout the year while trying to raise money to help balance the college budget, are only a few of the expected duties of a college administrator.

Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery had a new experience on Monday morning, May 25, 1951, when the six laundry workers at Still Osteopathic Hospital went on strike in protest of the refusal to negotiate a union contract. The strikers are members of the Des Moines Workers and Cleaners Union, an affiliate of the AF of L.

The college laundry was installed last spring as an economy measure for the hospital and the clinic. This college, like many other institutions of the medical profession throughout the United States, is annually operating at a great loss. The installation of the laundry was designed to help reduce overhead expense and absorb a small portion of the operation cost.

During the last year and since the building of the hospital in 1946, the hospital has contributed greatly to charity in the City of Des Moines. At the time of the writing of this article, the hospital is maintaining its high standard of service despite the cutbacks in its mission. It should be noted that although supplies for the hospital cannot be delivered and it is necessary for this staff to bring in the necessary supplies such as milk and ice.

The situation now facing the college hospital is not entirely unique among the hospitals of the city of Des Moines, for on the day that the strike was called at the college hospital, Governor William S. Beardsley called a meeting of the executive committee of the Board of the Iowa Hospital Conference, informing them that he had received a letter from the Laundry Workers Union asking the board of arbitration be chosen to consider the question of a labor contract with that hospital.

Should the strike continue over a lengthy period, it is possible that the professional service to the ill of this community will be greatly curtailed.

Tumor Clinic

(Continued from Page 1)
entitled "Cancer of the Stomach" and was composed of the following subjects and speakers:

The Problem of Gastric Cancer—Richard F. DeNise, D. O., Chairman.

The Pathogenesis of Cancer of the Stomach—Stuart F. Hardnock, D. O.

The Diagnosis of Gastric Cancer Roentgenologic Aspects—Henry J. Ketzman, D. O.

Clinical and Pathologic Aspects—Walter E. Heilman, D. O.

Biochemical Changes in Gastrointestinal Cancer—Max Steetman, M. S.

The Management of Cancer of the Stomach—Howard A. Grenney, D. O.

These and the succeeding symposia are made possible by a grant from the U.S. Public Health Service for the Undergraduate Teaching of Cancer. Osteopathic physicians are cordially invited to attend these interesting symposia which will be held each month throughout the year.

Academy Contest Winner

Harold E. Foster a junior student in Still College has won third prize in the third annual essay contest sponsored by the Academy of Applied Osteopathy according to an announcement made by Dr. Thomas L. Northup, Chairman of the Academy Essay Contest Committee.

This contest is open to undergraduate students in osteopathic colleges with awards granted for the best essay. The subject of this contest was "The Role of the Osteopathic Lesion in Functional and Organic Adrenal Diseases." Each entry must be written in English. The first three winners will receive either $50.00 or $75.00 tuition credit in any Graduate Instruction course offered by the Academy within five years from the date of the contest.

Our congratulations Mr. Foster.

LAMANNI JOINS SHIMODA AT OSTEOPATHIC CENTRE

Dr. K. George Shima has announced the association of Dr. Charles Limmann with the Marshalltown Osteopathic Centre at 533 N. 3rd st., Marshalltown, Ia. Dr. Limmann, a native of Illinois, studied from the University of Massachusetts and the Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, and has been awarded the rank of Lieutenant (jg) in the USN reserve. He is a member of the American Osteopathic Association and the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons.

Dr. B. P. Shepherd Passes Away

Word has been received that Dr. B. P. Shepherd, (National Osteopathic '97—Des Moines Still College '89) passed away July 16, 1951.

The letter in part reads, "I am sure that you will be interested to know that even in the last few days of his life, although not consciously aware of his actions, Dr. Shepherd was still imparting osteopathic treatments and his influence will continue to be felt."

Dr. LeRoque

(Continued From Page 1) Pating forth the ideal way to financial gifts to the old Alma Mater. It was simply that each department should try to its Alma Mater $10.00 or $15.00 each month upon receipt of a billing from the college office, and any other government aid that is given, it would mean much in helping the college to meet its growing demands.

As soon as the banquet was over Dr. Gerald A. Dierdorf of Medford, Oregon, who has already given most substantially to the college in the past and forward said to President Peters, "I want to be the first to adopt this plan and will give you $100 per month, each month.

Soon after Dr. John H. Voss of Albert Lea, Minnesota, another faithful gives in the past, stated that he wished to be included in the same program.

Surely, many members of the alumni and profession will wish to follow the example set by these two doctors.

D. O.'s Benefit In West Virginia Law

Legislation has been passed in West Virginia which clarifies the status of osteopathic practice and insures full practice rights for osteopathic physicians in the state of West Virginia. Of particular interest is the new West Virginia law which allows all applicants for licensure in West Virginia shall show evidence of having completed an approved internship. There is a resident for license renewal is attendance at an annual refresher course sponsored by the Board of Examiners.

Lay Gift to Still College

Within the last month, Mr. A. E. Reynolds, Administrator for the Exposition, Miss Beth E. Beck, presented to the College $1000.00 to purchase a new blood bank for the Stil College of Osteopathy. This was requested by Miss Beck who had received some sixty blood transfusions during the last few years of her life.

Miss Beck was a proctor for the Register & Tribune for about two years and served as Recording Secretary of the local chapter of the Typographical Union.

Did You Know . . .

Kirkville College of Osteopathy & Surgery dedicated its new million dollar hospital on June 7. The building was built by federal grant and gifts of students, alumni and friends.

Osteopathic Hospital of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania purchased the complete facilities of the Women's Homoeopathic hospital on North Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. The overall bed capacity is 213.

Glendale Community Hospital, Glendale, California dedicated its new million dollar hospital, a three story steel and concrete wing on June 24. This addition adds 50 beds to existing hospital facilities. Funds were raised through professional and public donations.

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Can you help her? She wishes to have a complete file of Log Books bound for her personal library. They are invaluable as a matter of record. If you have any or all copies please send them in. Members of this community will appreciate your kindness.

Study in Austria

Dr. A. W. Dennis, surgery; Dr. E. M. Patsch, ophthalmology; Dr. E. G. Ng, ear, nose and throat; and Dr. Leo Luka, pathology, all of Wilden Osteopathic Hospital in Des Moines referred for study from three weeks' special study in a 250-bed hospital in Lenz, Austria.

If and when you change your address, please notify the LOG BOOK promptly.
Uses and Misuses of Sedation in Management of Neurotic Patients

Ralph Irving McRae, D.O.
Chairman, Division of Psychiatry

The problem of when to give a sedative and when to give a placebo or give nothing at all is always a question of vital importance in the management of the emotionally disturbed patient. It is characteristic of the neurotic personality who is being attended by his physician to expect some type of specific treatment for his symptoms. A pill is just about what he has in mind and is all too often just what he gets only for the sake of multiple numbers or in "repeat" prescriptions. This type of patient characteristically is unwilling to face his problem honestly, refuses to accept the real diagnosis and is often unable to comprehend the basic significance of his problem. Because the patient expects medication and because the physical physician for many reasons finds it the easiest way out, sedation is given in vast quantities over this country for a wide range of functional disturbances as "treatment" for such symptoms. The already troubled cortex, thalamus and hypotiamus are now to be clouded over in a smoke screen of toxic confusion by a drug which stops the function of just enough of the nervous system to further disorganize the switch board of reason and of normal metabolism. In most of the patient's mind this is the treatment which the physician prescribed and therefore it is an authoritative "treatment" which the patient feels justified in repeating ad lib. If this is what the doctor ordered then it has to be right and certainly it can't hurt anyone. "Treatment" to such people is a kind of magic which the physician performs and which helps the patient to avoid facing his problems by making his disease "real". If we give something "real" as a cure for the symptoms then the symptoms must be of some "real" nature. This gives the patient just the assurance he needs and the way to feel quite secure in the conviction that there is something "really" wrong with himself.

This brings us to a rather important problem which should be clarified at the outset of this discussion. There are a large number of phrases which are rather loosely used in clinical practice relative to this problem. These include "There is nothing really the matter with you", "It's all in your head, forget it", "You just imagine these things", "It's just your nerves", "It must be your menopause", and a host of other irrelevant and sometimes incorrect observations. These are taken home by the patient as the final answer, as a diagnosis! It is almost foolish to think that the patient is taking the trouble to seek this kind of diagnostic phraseology. One patient told me that the doctor said it was all in her head so she wondered what was wrong with her head and had an x-ray and an electro-encephalogram and promptly became much more disturbed, and finally decided he meant she was crazy! For the patient who is suffering the aches and pains that are the dammed to be told that there is nothing "wrong" with him is a kind of miscarriage of common sense and certainly makes the patient wonder at our wisdom and sanity.

Thus the two extremes of treating the symptoms as if they were organic symptoms with sedation or making a diagnosis of neurosis being both equally disturbing, disturbing and confusing to the patient and may increase rather than decrease the basic problem. It is also important to keep in mind that these physical symptoms which are functional; these vague aches and pains and even the so-called parasthesias and visceral dysfunctions are all quite "real" in the sense that they are the result of nerve impulses in both motor and sensory pathways. Emotions are fundamentally little more than sensations arising from hypertonic smooth muscle in hollow viscera, and somatic structures. Such hypertonus of smooth muscle arises from psychic affective conflict in higher cerebral centers. It is, of course for this reason that sedatives are effective in controlling the majority of such symptoms during the height of their pharmacological action. It also would suggest that such symptoms are the simple effect does not reach the true etiology but only temporarily disorganizes function. The psychic level of conflict is the true etiology and to ignore this by such treatment, or to deny it as being non-existent is one of the most amazing paradoxes of therapeutic injustice.
L. O. G. Fraternity

At the final meeting before the summer intermission new officers were elected, they are:

President, Edward Levine
Vice President, Ron Lawrence
Secretary, Milt Marmon
Treasurer, Don Rosman

Congratulations to Gil Striker on his marriage to Miss Betty Schatz on July 15 and to Mike Magen on his engagement to Miss Ruth Sherman of Des Moines.

The first mid-western meeting of the National L. O. G. was held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin on Sunday, July 15, 1961.

Congratulations to Ed Levine on his marriage to Miss Barbara Brenner of Portland, Maine on August 21 and to Ron Lawrence on his marriage to Miss Eleanor Brody of Des Moines on August 19.

Though no summer meetings of L.O.G. have been held, all members are "standing by" to greet the new freshman class which looks to be a fine one.

O. W. C. C.

Auxiliary to American Osteopathic Association News Letter Contest Award 1950-1951 District—entirely auxiliary mimeographed—was awarded to Mrs. Ralph Blackwell, who represented the O. W. C. C. at the convention in Milwaukee. Congratulations to Mrs. Richard Ballinger and her staff for their fine work on the publication.

Registrar Attends University of Omaha

Wendell R. Fuller, Registrar of Still College was a member of the class enrolled in a course entitled, "College Business Management for Colleges and Small Universities" at the University of Omaha, Nebraska July 30 through August 4.

Of the sixty-three members of the class, who came from twenty-seven states to attend the 2nd annual session of this course, Mr. Fuller was the only member from an osteopathic college.

Lectures presented by members of the faculty, nationally known figures in the field of higher education, were:

Basic Lectures in Financial Administration, including discussions of Administrative Organization and all phases of the business management of higher educational institutions.

Dr. John Dale Russell—Director of the Higher Education Division, U. S. Office of Education.

Current National Problems and Their Implications for Higher Education—James L. McCuskill—Co-ordinator of the National Conference for Defense; Mobilization of Education.

Budget Preparation and Control — Raymond W. Kettler — Comptroller—Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana.

Purchasing in Small Colleges—Gerald Henderson — Business Manager—Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee.

P.S.A. News

At a recent reorganization meeting the following were elected to office in the Gamma Chapter of the Scholastic Honor Society.

President — Arden Findlay
Vice-President—James Haffenden
Secretary — Glynn Raley
Treasurer—Joseph Sage

A group of members of P.S.A., including retiring president Joseph Herman, and our Sponsor Dr. Howard Wicks, were present at municipal airport to welcome Dr. Kesten on the eve of the final convocation of the year. Dr. Kesten presented the Kesten Award, a scholarship of $100 granted annually to a Junior of this institution, in memory of his brother, Dr. Louis Kesten. Joseph Sage, our present Treasurer, received the award.

Dr. Kesten obviously enjoyed the informal meeting. He has remained actively interested in both D.M.S.C.O.S. and P.S.A. since his graduation in 1933. His interest in P.S.A. is well founded since he was instrumental in organizing Gamma Chapter here in 1932. Dr. Kesten entered general practice on graduation and opened Flint General Hospital at Flint, Michigan in 1938. In 1959 he embarked on a program of training in surgery and is now chief surgeon and a member of the Board of Trustees of the Hospital which he opened while in general practice.

By arranging the presentation of P.S.A.'s Senior Awards to Lowell Barnes and Joseph Hermann, Dr. Kesten added a handsome personal check.

At a business meeting in July, previous to the National Convention in Milwaukee, Glynn Raley, our Secretary, was elected as one of two possible representatives of Gamma Chapter to attend the Convention. We look forward to a report from him at an early meeting.

The highlight of our summer activity was a dinner meeting held recently at the home of our sponsor, Dr. Howard Wicks. Following a delightful dinner, sponsored by Dr. Wicks' sister, Miss Nancy DeNise of the Clinic Staff spoke to the group. Her address was enthusiastically delivered and enthusiastically received, by all present. Her subject was "Osteopathy." Dr. DeNise reviewed the fundamentals of our concept, quoting from the principles of A. T. Still and finally after an extended period of questions and answers and general discussion, even demonstrated some 'techniques. We were convinced that Osteopathy is taught in Philadelphia.
Dr. Dominick F. Ambrosecchia joins faculty

Dr. Dominick Frank Ambrosecchia of Burbank, California, has been appointed to the faculty of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery as Chairman of the Department of Pathology.

Dr. Ambrosecchia received his four years of pre-medical training at Long Island University, New York, his Degree of Doctor of Osteopathy from Chicago College of Osteopathy, and interned at Lakeside Hospital, Kansas City, Missouri.

Dr. Ambrosecchia spent two years as a Fellow in Pathology in the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy and two years as a Resident in Pathology at the College of Physicians and Surgeons in Los Angeles, California. He then served as Pathologist at Doctors Hospital in Los Angeles, prior to his appointment to the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery.

Dr. Ambrosecchia is married and resides at 5511 Grand Avenue.

Kirkville College receives gifts

Gifts to the college in the amount of $14,000 were announced by President Morris Thompson at Founder's Convocation at the Kirkville College of Osteopathy and Surgery, October 3.

The gifts included one of $10,000 from the Kress Foundation, and another, anonymous, for $4,000. The latter gift is for support of research through the Still Memorial Research Trust. These gifts follow closely upon others recently announced. At the dedication of the new hospital in June, a gift of $2,500 was received from Amon G. Carter, publisher of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, and a gift of $1,750 was received from the Class of June 1951. Other recent gifts are one of $5,000 from the estate of the late Ida May Sigafoos, of Beatrice, Nebraska, and one of $100 from Mr. Carl Sichel of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Dr. Frank Spencer passes away

Dr. Frank Spencer, Class of 1926, passed away at his home in Columbus, Ohio, at 7:30 a.m. October 5, 1951. Services were held on Monday, October 8th, at Trinity Episcopal Church in Columbus.

Dr. Spencer was a certified internist and was well known throughout the osteopathic profession for his activities in the American College of Osteopathic Internists and the American Board of Osteopathic Internal Medicine.

In the Fall of 1948 Dr. Spencer offered a special two weeks course at this College in Cardiology and served on the Corporate Board of the College from 1947 to 1950.

Dr. Spencer was one of the founders of Doctors Hospital of Columbus, Ohio.

Pediatricians announce conference

Region No. 3 of the American College of Osteopathic Pediatricians will meet at Hotel Kirkwood, Des Moines, Iowa, December 3, 4, 1951.

Guest speakers will include Drs. Betsy McCracken, national president of the association from Los Angeles, California, Quintos Wilson of Kansas City, Missouri and Robert Steen, Chicago, Illinois.

Programs will be mailed to individual members of Region No. 3 early in November. For additional information write Dr. Rachel Woods, president of Region No. 3, 702 Equitable Building, Des Moines, Iowa.

Dedication held for new Philadelphia hospital

Formal dedication was held in Philadelphia, Pa., on Sept. 29, for the North Center hospital of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy. The new hospital, formerly the Women's Homeopathic hospital of North Philadelphia, adds 213 beds to the teaching facilities of the Philadelphia school.

Dr. Floyd F. Peckham, Chicago, III., president of the American Osteopathic association, and Dr. H. Dale Pearson, Erie, Pa., chairman of the association's bureau of hospitals, spoke at the ceremony.

The hospital is financed in large part by the faculty of the college and the staff of the Osteopathic Hospital of Philadelphia. At the time of its purchase last May, it had been approved for intern training by the American College of Surgeons and the American Medical association.

21st Christmas Seal Campaign launched

The 21st annual osteopathic Christmas seal campaign of the American Osteopathic association is now under way, with a goal of $40,000 to be collected for research and student loan funds.

For the third consecutive year, 90 percent of the proceeds will go to the association's research fund and the remaining 10 percent to the student loan fund.

Seals and background information on the campaign will be mailed to every osteopathic physician in the United States and Canada by Nov. 1, according to Dr. Stephen M. Loven, Secretary, Washington, D.C., who is serving again this year as chairman of the board of directors of the American Osteopathic association.

Other committee members are Dr. Alexander Levitt, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Dr. Grace C. Stearns, Omaha, Neb.; and Dr. Ralph F. Boyden, New York, N. Y.

You are always welcome

Dr. Mabel A. Runyon, Class '25, now practicing in Honolulu, Hawaii, visited her old alma mater October 4, 1951. Dr. Runyon is Secretary of the College Board of Osteopathic Board for the Island.
The President Chats

The 31st observance of American Education Week will be November 11-17, 1951. Education, the very foundation of democracy, warrants national recognition by setting aside one week each year. But this is not enough. Each week should be an American Education Week if the true tenets of democracy are to become imbued in the minds of every citizen.

The suggested daily themes for American Education Week are FAITH IN GOD, SCHOOLS IN DEFENSE, SCHOOLS KEEP US FREE, EDUCATION FOR THE LONG PULL, TEACHING THE FUNDAMENTALS, URGENT SCHOOL NEEDS, and HOME, SCHOOL AND THE COMMUNITY. These themes merge themselves into a general thought, UNITE FOR FREEDOM. They are not only applicable to our public schools for which the American Education Week was originally inaugurated, but they are also most applicable to the osteopathic profession.

No physician can be a true physician if he does not have and help to create in others a FAITH IN GOD; the osteopathic schools are dedicated to a defense against disease and illness, but furthermore, the osteopathic colleges are contributing to the defense of the nation by the health service osteopathic physicians are trained to give.

The theme SCHOOLS KEEP US FREE is so true. Through ignorance, the masses are unable to develop their powers of reasoning. The osteopathic colleges make a significant contribution to medical education. They train the physician plus, thus providing competent physicians for the care of the people. They help to keep the people from having to pay for hospital care and to work to train doctors of their choice.

EDUCATION FOR THE LONG PULL AHEAD not only means education for the years to come, but education so that all people can receive the fullest of enjoyment and richness from the years ahead. The osteopathic physician is trained to help his patients receive the fullest of blessings from life.

So apropos is the theme TEACHING THE FUNDAMENTALS. While education in all of its areas has developed far beyond the dreams of our forefathers, the basic fundamentals remain the same. In our osteopathic training, we have laboratories dedicated to teaching and research, and with all our modern educational and basic fundamentals, concepts as taught by the Father of Osteopathy, are as true today as they were when Dr. A. T. Still opened its doors. The advance of science has served to prove these basic fundamentals.

No daily thought for American Education Week could be more significant than the theme URGENT SCHOOL NEEDS. The Urgent School Needs do not stop with the elementary and secondary schools and more colleges, but the Urgent Need for more modern medical schools is greater than it is at the present. No true osteopathic physician who believes in the necessity of this helps to create in others a FAITH IN GOD, SCHOOLS IN DEFENSE, SCHOOLS KEEP US FREE, EDUCATION FOR THE LONG PULL, TEACHING THE FUNDAMENTALS, URGENT SCHOOL NEEDS, and HOME, SCHOOL AND THE COMMUNITY.

Dr. M. Lillian Bell of Atlanta, Georgia, has returned from a three months tour of the Scandinavian countries and following is a part of a letter received from her about the hospital and health of these countries. It was published in the Georgia Osteopathic News and because of its first hand observation on the actual workings of “socialized medicine,” we feel it should be of interest to all the profession.

“In each of the four countries: Norway, Sweden, Finland, and Denmark there is a well-organized system of health-insurance which insures that every member of every family from the poorest to the wealthiest can have every type of hospital and surgical attention at a cost of about $15 per year for the entire family. Some communities and some families live in isolation unhealthied by anything we knew in Georgia, yet there is a hospital in each country that answers the dream. The insufficiency of the physical location is frequently appalling — in terms of per capita mountain height, or miles of snow, miles of sea, or such. But, despite the geographic isolation, telephone communication is instantaneous. There is not a telephone in every home, of course, but there is no community without a phone. Despite the isolation, and because of the telephone, every case needing medical attention can be sent to the proper hospital with dispatch. Air transport is comparatively fast and inexpensive. And all is paid by the insurance, so long as the doctor advised its necessity.

“The hospital, the surgeons, are subject for work. The Free Cancer Center in Stockholm, built 15 years ago will match any of our costliest private institutions for design, for equipment, for management, for staffing. Finland has the largest hospital in the world for the treatment of rheumatic diseases, at Helsinki, with equipment such as leaves one green with envy and a director of osteopathic education. Their desire is that they should be invited to participate in this program which culminates in the training of more and better young men and women who will be able to contribute to the future of the suffering humanity. They will then be helping in the furtherance of those of the great institutions of society which are so imperative for the true development of democracy, and which play such a significant role in the education programs, THE HOME, THE SCHOOL, AND THE COMMUNITY.”

Osteopathic Physician Reports on Scandinavian Hospitals

Survey Shows Hospital Prices Up in Second Quarter of 1951

The U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics showed hospital rates have soared in the past months but still are below many of the items in the cost of living index. Rates for hospital care showed the largest single increase in the medical field (161.4%). This was divided as men’s paywards up 198.5%; semi-private rooms, 163.9%; and private rooms, 134.3. The Bureau showed the following hospitalization insurance figures. These have risen 2.9% since December 1950, when the first basis was established. The other hospital figures are compared to the 1935-39 base figures in major American cities. Many union wage contracts are tied in with the living cost index.

Family Presents Portrait To Chicago Hospital

A portrait of the late Dr. Robert K. McCarty, assistant professor of surgery at the Chicago College of Osteopathy at the time of his death last winter, has been presented to the Chicago college and hospital by the McCarty family. Presentation was made by Dr. McCarty’s brother, Dr. William C. McCarty, at a tea in the Del Prado hotel Sept. 30. Dr. R. W. MacBain, president of the college, accepted the gift.

The painting was the work of Chicago artist Evelyn Bargelt, who has done portraits of George Arliss and the well-known Chicago minister, Dr. Preston Bradley.

If collections are slow try this letter:

Dear Sir: A glance at the date of our original invoice will soon prove that we've done more for you than even our own invoices. "We care for you twelve months."
Deans Letter

Scholarships

Many worthy students who show excellent promise of becoming good doctors of Osteopathy are financially handicapped in partial degree while they are still attending professional schools. This handicap often causes a delay in matriculation with possible loss of a good osteopathic student to one of the professional schools.

It is desirable at this time to call attention to the Policy and Regulations for the Awards Committee of the Auxiliary to the American Osteopathic Association which was adopted by the House of Delegates July 17, 1961.

1. Five National Osteopathic College Scholarships may be awarded each year to freshmen entering one of the accredited Osteopathic Colleges, and to sophomores under the conditions described in paragraphs 3, 6 and 16 below.

2. The amount of each Scholarship shall be $400.00.

3. Each Scholarship may be renewed the sophomore year upon application, provided the student has maintained satisfactory standards and is still in financial need.

4. Requirements shall be: high scholastic standing, financial need, motivation and aptitude for the Osteopathic profession, good moral character, citizenship in the United States or Canada.

5. No application shall be considered until the applicant has been notified by the Dean of the college at which he is matriculated that he is eligible for consideration as a candidate for a scholarship.

6. Students who have completed the freshman year in an Osteopathic College may apply for a scholarship for one year if their financial condition has changed since the beginning of the freshman year. Sophomore awards may be made if funds are available.

7. Total awards shall not exceed $4000.00 in any year, unless an additional amount is requested by the Awards Committee and approved by the Executive Committee of the Auxiliary.

8. Scholarship money shall be applied to college tuition and shall be sent to the college at the beginning of the academic year and in equal amounts over the terms of the year, unless otherwise specified by the Awards Committee in accordance with paragraph 9.

9. Scholarship money may be sent to the Dean of the college at the beginning of the school year if the student has other means of tuition payment and is in need of financial aid for other expenses. This money shall be administered by the Dean for the best interest of the student.

10. Scholarship payments shall be discontinued at any time the student withdraws from college.

11. Scholarships shall be automatically cancelled if the student does not matriculate in college for the term specified in the award.

12. Scholarships which are forfeited may be awarded to alternate students upon the decision of the Awards Committee.

13. The Awards Committee may select as many candidates as it deems qualified and awards shall be made in the order in which they are rated.

14. The geographical location of the applicant’s home and his choice of Osteopathic College shall have no bearing on the selection of Scholarship winners.

15. Applications for freshman scholarships shall be filed in the A.O.A. Office of Education at or before a date set in advance and publicly announced by the Awards Committee.

16. Applications for sophomore scholarships shall be filed in the A.O.A. Office of Education at least 90 days preceding the beginning of the term in which the scholarship is to be used.

17. The Awards Committee shall have the authority to act for the best interests of the Osteopathic profession in cases not covered by the above regulations.

18. Changes and additions to these regulations may be made at any meeting of the Executive Board of the Auxiliary to the American Osteopathic Association.

Did You Know

A recording studio for use in the radio activities of the division of public and professional welfare is nearing completion on the third floor of the Andrew Taylor Still Memorial building.

Size of the studio is eight by ten feet. It will be used for making tape recordings issued by the division.

The modern studio is 100 percent soundproof and is designed to produce recordings of better than average quality. A specially planned air-conditioning unit which will not interfere with recording is being installed.

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Blood Sugar Test Machine

The Melitest is a newly developed kit which determines easily and accurately the amount of sugar in the blood. Only a single drop of blood is needed for the procedure. The portable kit can be taken to the patient's bedside or used in the clinic or out-patient department. For further information contact the Biochemical Methods Incorporated, Dept. M3, 8200 Los Felix Blvd., Los Angeles 39.

Members of the cast of “Holiday on Ice” gather around the piano in the living room of the P. S. G. house to pose for Franklin Havis, Log Book photographer. These ten skating lovelies were guests at an Open House Party given in their honor at the P. S. G. house.

Alyn Conway, President of Phi Sigma Gamma, welcomes Edward Levine, President of L.O.G., Jack Hatchitt, President of Atlas Club and Thomas Moylan, Secretary of Iota Tau Sigma to a Open House Party in honor of the new Freshman Class. From right to left, Conway, Levine, Hatchitt, Moylan.

Drs. Willard and Sisson Were Awarded Highest Honor by Academy of Applied Osteopathy

The highest award of honor bestowed by the AAO is the A.T. Still Medallion of Honor. This medal carries with it honorary life membership.

The A. T. Still Medallion of Honor was recently awarded to Dr. Asa Willard, Missoula, Montana and to Dr. Ernest Sisson, Oakland, Calif. The Academy declared this Honor was granted because Drs. Willard and Sisson have been loyal and valiant Academy members and have contributed much towards the present substantial position of the Academy of Applied Osteopathy.

Nine Radio and TV Shows Were Given During Milwaukee Convention

The 55th annual convention of the American Osteopathic Association was well publicized on Milwaukee radio and television stations. Seven radio shows were presented on five of the city’s seven radio stations and two TV programs were given on Milwaukee’s only television station.

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The first meeting of the season was held in room 306 of the College Building on Monday, October 5. The event was confined to club business and a tentative program was discussed for the coming year including several Masonic Speakers. Freshmen and Sophomore students who are Masons are urged to attend our future meetings. Dr. Moon is the Club's faculty advisor, Dean Shumaker has also graciously assisted in helping the Club "get off" to a fine start this year. Officers for this year are: President, Lou Thorne; Vice President, Ron Lawrence; Secretary, Milt Marmon.

"Doc Pee-Gee" Makes Bow in October Issue Of Forum

Doc Pee-Gee, a busy general practitioner, makes his debut as a columnist in the October issue of THE FORUM OF OSTEOPATHY. The jolly-faced doctor with the nifty monocle, announcing his plans for attending the 66th annual convention of the American Osteopathic Association in Atlantic City.

From now until the time of the meeting next July Doc Pee-Gee will appear in the pages of THE FORUM in connection with reports on the progress of convention plans.

Raising one eyebrow, Doc Pee-Gee says thoughtfully, "I'm making this meeting a must! How about you?"
National PTA Acts On School Sweets

The National Congress of Parents and Teachers has condemned the practice of selling sweets in public schools.

The September issue of the Journal of the American Dental Association praises this action and offers the full cooperation of the A.D.A.

"Dentistry efforts to open the eyes of the public to the nutritional defects of a high carbohydrate diet gradually is bringing results," the Journal said. "The National Congress of Parents and Teachers is the first of the great national civic organizations to recognize the danger inherent in America's weakness for sweetmeats."

A similar recommendation to ban the sale of sweets on school premises, such as candy and carbonated beverages, has been made by the American Medical Association.

The editorial took issue with school officials who justify the sale of sweets on the grounds that the proceeds are needed for the health of their children," the editorial said.

Osteopathic Internists Elect Daiber

Dr. William F. Daiber of Philadelphia, Penn., was elected president of the American College of Osteopathic Internists at the annual convention in Des Moines, October 29-31 and November 1.

Dr. Arc L. Pettigrew of Long Beach, Calif., was named president-elect, and Dr. Glennard E. Larson of Oakland, Calif., secretary-treasurer.

Dr. Edward W. Murphy of Denver, Colo., and Dr. Neil K. Kitchen of Detroit, Michigan, were elected trustees.

The convention was well attended by interns from all over the United States, sessions were keenly interesting, and Iowa newspapers and Des Moines radio stations gave space and time to proceedings and individuals.

The 1952 conference will be held in Pasadena, California. The Internists voted to hold the 1953 conference in Chicago in July, at the time of the annual convention of the American Osteopathic Association.

Dear David:

Every day we are fighting this dread disease. David, this we are doing in the fight against cancer. We know that you want to help us, and we want you to know what we are doing in the fight against this dread disease. David, this letter might be difficult for you to understand, but I know that your Mother and Dad will explain it to you.

Authorities have pointed out that one-third of all cancer cases in Iowa are seen at some time or other by members of the osteopathic profession.

June 1, 1951, Still College opened the new Tumor Clinic. This clinic was made possible by a Cancer Teaching Grant from the United States Public Health Service. The purpose of this federal grant was to teach our students and doctors all that is known about cancer, in order that they will be able to save lives through early detection and proper treatment, and to encourage more research into the cause, prevention, detection, and treatment of cancer.

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(Continued on page 2)
New Course in Professional Ethics and Office Management

Coincident with our regular course in medical jurisprudence, our junior students are receiving valuable instructions in ethics and office management.

The course, consisting of a series of sixteen lectures, is sponsored by the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons and is organized and directed by Dr. H. L. Gulden, Ames, Iowa, past president of the Society.

Each lecturer has been selected by virtue of long experience and thorough knowledge of the field. The course is proving to be most valuable to the students who, a year later, will engage in practice forewarned with information which will make their transition smoother.

The course is proving to be so satisfactory that it will be a standard part of our curriculum in the future.

1. Purpose, General Outline, Code of Ethics . Dr. H. L. Gulden, Ames
2. Instruments and Equipment . Dr. H. L. Gulden, Ames
3. Selecting a Location; Getting Acquainted . Dr. B. A. Storey, Nevada
4. Responsibility to Other Practitioners in Community . Dr. J. Q. A. Mattern, Des Moines
5. Problems of the Clinic . Dr. E. F. Leininger, Des Moines
6. Partnerships . Dr. Carl Waterbury, Des Moines
7. Mutual Responsibilities of Physicians and Consultants . Dr. H. A. Graney, Des Moines
8. Hospital Routine . Dr. E. S. Hensinger, Ames
10. The Office Girl . Mrs. Alexis Nusum, Des Moines
11. Advertising: Ethical and Unethical . Dr. Clyde R. Ayers, Grant
13. Fees: Office, Examination, Laboratory, Special Medicine . Dr. H. L. Gulden, Ames
14. Malpractice: Insurance, Disposal of Possible Litigation . Alex M. Miller, Des Moines
15. Professional Societies: National, State, Local; Organization and Benefits . Dr. H. L. Gulden, Ames
16. Questions and Answers . Dr. H. L. Gulden, Ames

Open Letter From the Chairman, Board of Trustees

Dear Doctor:

During the past month you have received two letters from Dr. Jean F. LeRoque. These letters emphasized to you the need of your college in order to maintain its present standards. To those of you who are contributing regularly or those of you who have made new pledges, I thank you personally, as well as expressing the appreciation of the Board of Trustees.

Your Board of Trustees have had ample opportunity to study the problems of your college during the past several years. It is our opinion that if all Alumni would make a pledge of $15.00 a month and pay it regularly, that letters such as these would be unnecessary, knowing that we can go ahead and do the job which has been mapped out for us. Your college today, like most of the other colleges of the United States, is faced with a financial problem. If conditions continue, it will be difficult to maintain our present educational standards. We do not want to retard the progress of the osteopathic profession.

May I remind you that your school made it possible for you to engage in your present profession. To a certain extent, it is the high standards of Des Moines College of Osteopathy and Surgery and the constant raising of these standards that make it possible for you to continue to practice. We feel that without the continued successful operation of your school, the osteopathic profession would be seriously hampered.

We would appreciate a check from you indicating your willingness to participate in the monthly pledge payment plan.

REMEMBER, YOUR SCHOOL MUST DEPEND UPON ITS ALUMNI AND FRIENDS.

Yours very sincerely,
Gibson C. Holliday, LL.B., Chairman, Board of Trustees.

If and when you change your address, please notify the LOG BOOK promptly.

With Medical Care.

Diabetics Live Nearly As Long As Non-Diabetics

People in Iowa suffering from diabetes evidently live to a ripe old age, according to figures analyzed by the division of vital statistics of the Iowa State Department of Health.

The median age of the 471 persons who died due to diabetes mellitus last year, was 70.5 years. The median age of all persons who died in Iowa in 1950 was 71.5 years.

Ralph H. Heeren, M.D., director of preventable diseases of the Iowa State Department of Health, says that while diabetes can never be cured, it can be controlled by medical means. "These figures show that with the high quality of medical care in this state diabetic patients can live a life span approaching that of the non-diabetic patient."

On 496 other death certificates, diabetes was a significant condition present at the time of death, but not the underlying cause of death. Three fourths of these deaths, or 374 persons, were attributed to one of the major heart diseases. Cancer in diabetic persons claimed the lives of 47 Iowans in 1950, and 87 diabetics died from cerebral hemorrhages and vascular lesions. Infections, kidney diseases and accidents were the other outstanding causes of death to diabetic persons.

Only 1.7 per cent of the total deaths in Iowa were due to diabetes mellitus alone, says the Iowa State Department of Health.
Uncle Sam Offers You A Bargain!

With taxes going up, every taxpayer should be aware of every means available to him to reduce his taxes. With the cost of everything you buy up, too, everyone is interested in honest bargains. Uncle Sam offers you a big bargain in tax savings, and you should carefully check your return to learn what it means to you to take advantage of it.

Right at the top where your taxable rate is where your charitable contributions are deducted. You are entitled to deduct as much as 15% of your annual adjusted gross income if you give to charity. Frequently gifts amounting to no more than two or three per cent of your adjusted gross income will drop you into a lower bracket and bring you really substantial tax savings. However, even if you remain in the same bracket you can make your gift to your college count for much more because a high percentage of it will be absorbed by tax savings.

You can make a Christmas present to your college of $100.00 at a cost of only $70.00 if your taxable income is $8,000.00 after all deductions except charitable contributions are made. Send the check for $100.00. You will realize the $80.00 in tax savings.

A $200.00 gift to your college will cost you only $124.00 if your taxable income after all deductions except charitable contributions is $12,000.00. If you increase your taxable income after all deductions except charitable contributions amounts to $20,000.00 you can Christmas gift your college with

Allentown Hospital Benefits from Musical Presentations

Allentown, Pa. (AOA)—The Allentown Osteopathic hospital building fund was the beneficiary when two recent Broadway hit musicals were presented here.

"Finian's Rainbow" and "Bloomer Girl" were given at the Lyric theater in Allentown, with veteran actors taking the leading roles. Each musical had four evening performances, and all proceeds went to the hospital for its funds to finance much-needed expansion of the institution.

Thank You Dr. Thielking

Dr. E. L. Thielking of Roswell, New Mexico, has adopted a very unique plan in the payment of his $15.00 a month to the college Osteopathic Progress Fund program. The doctor sent the college post-dated checks for the entire year. The college is deeply appreciative of the interest being manifested by such a large number of the profession at this time in the progress of the college.

$500.00 at a cost to you of only $255.00.

UNCLE SAM OFFERS THIS BARGAIN BECAUSE HE KNOWS THAT YOUR COLLEGE NEEDS YOUR HELP.

(These figures are based on tax schedules before the 11/1/61 tax increase.)

Gift Received

The first week of December the college received a check of $400.00 from the will of Mrs. Kathryn Stock of Storm Lake, Iowa. Mrs. Stock was the mother of Dr. Ross W. Parish of Manitowoc, Wisconsin. Dr. Parish graduated from Des Moines Still College in the class of 1923.

Gifts and contributions, such as the one received from the will of Mrs. Stock and from the will of the late Dr. Reginald H. Singleton of Cleveland, Ohio, give positive proof of the faith of these good people in the future of osteopathy as well as the appreciation of the contribution made by osteopathy to the health of our nation.

College Shares In Estate

The Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, as did the other five colleges approved by the American Osteopathic Association, received during the month of December a check for $4,486.35 as its share of the settlement of the estate of the late Dr. Reginald H. Singleton. This foresight on the part of Dr. Singleton in placing the osteopathic colleges in his will is gratefully appreciated by each of the schools and shows the great confidence that the late doctor had in the future of osteopathic education.

"Father of Radio" Gives To Polio Rehabilitation Center

Dr. Lee DeForest, known as the "father of radio," celebrated his 78th birthday recently by giving $2,000 to the Osteopathic Rehabilitation Center for polio victims in Los Angeles.

The funds will be used in furthering plans for the center, which is being organized by a group of osteopathic physicians in Los Angeles. Dr. James M. Watson, professor of pediatrics at the College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, is chairman of the committee formed to plan the center.

Two quonset style buildings on the college grounds have been offered by the college for use as initial headquarters. The medical staff of the center probably will be organized and constructed in the same way as the clinic staff, according to an announcement by Dr. Watson in "Clinical Osteopathy."

Money for equipment must be raised by the osteopathic physicians, since funds obtained from the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis cannot be spent on buildings or physical plant.

Upon the establishment of the center a physician may refer a patient to the center for care, with the understanding that the National Foundation will pay for the care on the same basis that it does to medical rehabilitation centers.

The center will provide ambulatory care at first. In addition to polio cases, those organizing the center expect to provide care for other types of cases, such as fractures and other neuromyopathies.

D. O. Elected Mayor Of Garner, Iowa

Garner, Ia. (AOA)—Dr. H. Phillips, osteopathic physician, was named mayor of Garner in city elections here Nov. 6.

Dr. Phillips, who was a candidate on the People's ticket, is a graduate of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery. He and other elected officials will take office April 1, for a term of one year and nine months.

DR. RUTTER . . .

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Plenk, who is the world-renowned chest surgeon, Dr. and Mrs. Rut- ter are going over to Europe on the Independence of the American Export Line. They will go to Na-ples first, and will then drive from Naples to Linz.
ATLAS CLUB

The First Degree Initiation was held for the following students at the December 3 meeting: Leonard DeLoff, James Lanham, Hare Larson, Thomas Lippold, and William Locke.

The Christmas Dance was held at the Parkview Club December 8, under the direction of the social chairman, Vance Walters. An evening of dancing and entertainment was enjoyed by all those who attended.

The active members and pledges wish to extend seasons greetings and all the best for the coming year to the alumni, pledges, and guests.

OSC ACTIVITIES

First meeting of the fall semester was held Tuesday, October 23, at which the following officers were elected:

President—Stan Nelson
Vice-President—Speros Gabriell
Secretary—David Davis
Treasurer—Jack Thesing

President Peters spoke on the subject of “Ethics” and during his talk he mentioned that it would be well for all to read the Code of Ethics section of the Directory of the American Osteopathic Association for further acquaintance with this important subject.

The speaker for the second meeting was our Dr. Laycock, who spoke on the subject of “Clinic Bag Contents.”

OSC wishes to thank President Peters and Dr. Laycock for their presentations.

O. W. C. C.

The regular business meeting of the OWCC was held November 20, and a constitution revisions were read and accepted. Volunteers were requested to cut and sew much needed supplies for Still Hospital. Reports were submitted on the successful Christmas Sale held November 10, and appreciation is expressed to Fran Fell, Ira Sage, Pat King, Dorothy Young, Margaret Petty, Betty McCormick, Angela Latini, Darlene Hatchett, Margaret Crommett, Arlene Sayers, and Madeleine Blackwell for their work in connection with the sale. Refreshments were served by Dorothy Moore, Betty McCormick and Dorothy Young.

Jean Bren, Edna Gay, and Teauline Baley served refreshments following the regular business meeting of December 4.

Newman Club

Four new men were pledged from the sophomore and the freshman classes. They are: William Cromett, Frank Havis, William Pounds, and Richard Schwan. Congratulations.

The fraternity Christmas banquet will be held with the date to be announced later. Members, alumni, pledges, and guests are all urged and invited to attend. Watch for the date. Support your fraternity.

SQUARE AND COMPASS CLUB

Dr. Harry Ellinots graciously showed some excellent films in room 502 September 20. The color films dealt with Shrine hospitals throughout the nation and their invaluable aid in the care of poor crippled children.

A dinner meeting was held December 10 in the Scottish Rites Temple for members of the club. Watch the “S and C Bulletin Board” for further announcements.

Local Blue Lodges have extended a welcome to all Still College Masons. Information regarding activities of the Blue Lodges can be obtained through the club.

Entered as
Second-Class Matter
At Des Moines, Iowa
It is with extreme pleasure that I greet the seventy-two members of the Freshman class who come to us from twenty states and Canada.

This welcome is extended to them also on behalf of the Faculty and Administration who are prepared to give them the finest instruction in Osteopathy available. It is anticipated that the members of this class will continue to graduate and take their places among the finest doctors in the field of Osteopathy.

John B. Shumaker, Dean

FRESHMEN 1951

Carlton G. Appar, A. B.
Lyle R. Bailey
Phoebe B. Benson, B. S.
Donald F. Blom, Detroit, Michigan
Eugene Braunschweig, B. S.
Raymond B. Bredlove, B. S.
Stanley Bridges
Darrell R. Brown, B. S., M. S.
William Burgart
Duane Butlerfield
Richard Callison, A. B., M. S.
Willie Cotton, B. S.
Jessie Connolly, B. S.
James J. Darlcy, A. B.
David W. Davis
Anthony DeGidio, B. S.
Leonard J. DeLoof, B. A.
Bernard Eddy
Edward E. Farmer, B. S.
Alvin Gerner
Robert Gilton, B. A.
Kurt Grobe, B. S.
Robert Gustafson
Louis Hasbrouck, B. A.
Franklin Havis, B. S.
Dwight Heaberlin, B. S.
John Herzog
William Hildebrand
Gerald Hohn, B. S.
Forbes Houghan
Geo. D. Hubacher, B. A.
Gale Huddle, B. S.
Zane Hurkin, B. A.
Paul Hutson, B. S.
Paul E. Kletfner, B. S.
Irwin K. Kutzke, A. M.
James Lanham
Harry F. Larsson, A. B.
Norman Leonard
Thomas Lippold
Harold McNicholl
Robert McQuintan, B. S.
Louis J. Melny
Anthony Moncal, A. B.
Evelyn Mountain, B. S.
William Murray, Sr.
John Rayner
Perry G. Oakley, B. S.
Albert Pearson, B. A.
Robert Porte
William Pounds, B. A.
Morristown, New Jersey
Des Moines, Iowa
Detroit, Michigan
Kansas City, Missouri
Des Moines, Iowa
Long Beach, California
Omaha, Nebraska
Charlton, Iowa
Lexington, Kentucky
Newberry, South Carolina
Arlington, New Jersey
Detroit, Michigan
Youngstown, Ohio
Grand Rapids, Michigan
Canton, Ohio
Detroit, Michigan
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Mackinaw City, Michigan
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Ogdensburg, New York
Fayette, Ohio
Des Moines, Iowa
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Niles, Ohio
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Canton, Ohio
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Detroit, Michigan
Portland, Maine
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Detroit, Michigan
New York
Brownsville, Pennsylvania
Van Dyke, Michigan
Fayette, Missouri
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Detroit, Michigan
Westville, New Jersey

Dr. Edwin F. Peters, President of Still College, looks on as James Haffenden, Vice-President of the local chapter of Psi Sigma Alpha, National Osteopathic Scholastic Honor Society, presents annual award to Ralph Blackwell. Dr. Jen-yah Hsie, new faculty member, looks over the award presented to Richard Kalman.

Reading from left to right—Blackwell, Haffenden, Dr. Peters, Kalman and Dr. Hsie.

Convocation

The first convocation of the 1951-52 school year was held Tuesday at 11:00 a.m., September 11, 1951 in the Des Moines Consistory Building across the street from the college.

The program in charge of Ralph Blackwell, President of the Student Council was opened by the singing of God Bless America, led by Senior Edward Felmlee, accompanied at the piano by Sophomore Fred Smith. On behalf of the Student Council, President Blackwell extended a welcome to the members of the Freshman class.

Address of welcome were delivered by President Edwin F. Peters, Dean John B. Shumaker, and representatives of the fraternal organizations of the College.

James Haffenden, Vice-President of Psi Sigma Alpha, National Osteopathic Scholastic Honor Society, presented to Ralph Blackwell a Sophomore student last year and Richard Kalman, a Freshman student last year the annual Psi Sigma Alpha award which is given each year to the student in the freshman and sophomore class having the highest scholastic average.

The main address of the convocation was given by Dr. Byron Laycock who spoke on "The History and Growth of Osteopathy."
Dr. Jen-yah Hsie Joins Faculty

President Edwin F. Peters of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery announces the appointment of Dr. Jen-yah Hsie to the Department of Bacteriology.

Dr. Hsie comes to the college from the Geneseo Tuberculosis Sanatorium of Flint, Michigan, where he has been Director of Laboratories.

Dr. Hsie received his B. S. degree from the Army Veterinary College in China; Master of Science Degree from Michigan State College, where he majored in Bacteriology and minored in Chemistry and Pathology; and his Ph.D. Degree at the University of Maryland, where he majored in Bacteriology and minored in Pharmaceutical Chemistry.

Dr. Hsie's experience has been very broad, having served as Director of the Veterinary Service for the China 5th Army during World War II in China; and with the rank of Major. He was then a Senior Technology, Biologics Institute, National Research Council of Animal Industry. While taking work for a Doctor's Degree at the University of Maryland, he was a graduate assistant and taught courses in General Bacteriology, Pathogenic Bacteriology, Immunology, and the Bacteriology Laboratory. He was then Research Bacteriologist at Cold Spring Harbor Biological Laboratory prior to his becoming the Director of the Bacteriology Laboratory of the Geneseo Tuberculosis Sanatorium.

Dr. Hsie's publications are as follows:


The Freshmen Orientation Program, presented throughout the freshman year, has been announced by Dr. John R. Shumaker, Dean of the College. The purpose of the Orientation lectures is to give the student a consciousness of the development of the various branches of the healing art, to explain the various departments of a professional school and hospital, and to demonstrate the importance of each of the departments and their mutual interrelationships.

**TUESDAYS, 11:00 A. M. — ROOM 202**

**September 11, 1951**

Dr. Byron Laycock

**“Introduction”**

**September 18, 1951**

Professor Enzmann

**“Ancient History of Medicine”**

**September 25, 1951**

Dr. Richard P. DeNise

**“Nineteenth Century Medicine”**

**October 2, 1951**

Dr. S. F. Harkness

**“Twentieth Century Medicine”**

**October 9, 1951**

Dr. Byron Laycock

**“The Schools of Medicine”**

**October 16, 1951**

Professor Gillaspie

**“Department of Anatomy”**

**October 30, 1951**

Dr. Jean LaRoque

**“Pathology”**

**November 6, 1951**

Dr. Leonard Grumbach

**“The Department of Physiology”**

**November 13, 1951**

Dr. Byron Laycock or Dr. Paul Kimberly

**“The Department of Principles and Technique”**

**November 20, 1951**

Dr. S. F. Harkness

**“The Department of Osteopathic Medicine”**

**November 27, 1951**

Dr. Richard P. DeNise

**“The Department of Osteopathic Medicine”**

**December 4, 1951**

Dr. Carl Waterbury

**“The Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology”**

**December 11, 1951**

Dr. Walter E. Heilnen

**“The Department of Surgery”**

**December 18, 1951**

Dr. Walter E. Heilnen or Dr. Raymond B. Juni

**“The Department of Surgery”**

**January 8, 1952**

Dr. Ralph I. McRae

**“The Division of Psychiatry”**

**January 15, 1952**

Dr. Howard Wicks

**“The Functions of the Clinics and Hospital as teaching units.”**
THE LOG BOOK

College Statistical Report

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Wendell R. Fuller, Registrar, has compiled information about the students of our College which is of interest to students and alumni.

Members of the student body come from 30 states and 8 foreign countries (British West Indies, China, Dominion of Canada, England, Hawaii, India, Italy, and Switzerland). Married students total 16. Women students, 6 in number, are represented in the Freshman, Junior, and Senior classes. One of these women students will graduate October 1, 1951.

It is interesting to note that members of the student body have received their post-osteopathic training in 122 different colleges and universities and that 154 students have received their Baccalaureate Degrees and 8 students have received Master's Degrees.

The 35 students listed below will complete their osteopathic training October 1, 1951 and receive the degree of Doctor of Osteopathy.

Did You Know...

The osteopathic profession has 380 hospitals with a total of 8,500 beds.

Dr. William R. Titcomb, Maitland, Florida, an osteopathic physician native to his native Hawaii for a visit to the rescue a fellow physician was attacked by a twelve-year-old. The doctor performed an emergency appendectomy on a 21-year-old who was operated upon.

Dr. Floyd F. Peckham, Chicago, Illinois, was installed as presidient of the American Osteopathic Association at the close of the 55th annual convention, which met in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, in July. President-elect, in addition to Dr. Peckham, was the following: Dr. Donald V. Hampton, Cleveland, Ohio, president-elect; Dr. Hubert M. Moore, Bay City, Michigan, first vice president; Dr. T. L. Northup, Morrisania, N. Y., second vice-president; Dr. Robert Tall, Honolulu, T. H., third vice-president (re-elected)

Dr. Glen D. Cayler, Los Angeles, Calif., received the distinguished service certificate of the American Osteopathic Association at the closing ceremonies of the association's 55th annual convention. The award was made for his contributions in the field of public education.

A member of the A. O. A. house of delegates for many years and a member of the department of public relations. Dr. Cayler is secretary of the California state board of osteopathic examiners and has been appointed to that examining board by three California governors. He is a surgeon and a fellow of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons. Since his graduation from the College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons in 1947, he has practiced in Los Angeles. He is assistant professor of surgery at the Los Angeles college.

The number of persons admitted to hospitals in 1950 reached an all-time high, totaling 17,002.

Three more osteopathic colleges to receive cancer grants totaling approximately $88,200 from the U. S. Public Health Service.

The Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery received a grant of $22,000, and the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine a grant of $21,100. The Kansas City College of Osteopathy and Surgery was given a $35,000 grant.

Official notification of the grants was sent to the schools by Dr. Raymond F. Kaiser, chief of the Cancer Control branch of the Public Health Service, National Institute of Health.

Herbert T. Still and Dr. G. N. Gillum are directors of the programs at the Kirksville college and the Kansas college respectively.

First osteopathic colleges to receive cancer teaching grants were the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery and the College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons.

512, or a new person every 1.8 seconds... General hospitals in the United States have been compelled to spend $1 billion, $343 million dollars more than they received from patients with the result that many of them were "forced into the red to meet their obligations."

Senator Herbert Lehman, (Dem., N.Y.) has appealed to lay and professional organizations for greater consideration of measures dealing with medical care. The osteopathic profession along with old school medicine dare not ignore the role into which it is cast by the pressure of social forces.

Frederick E. Hecker, D. O., Chief Staff of Lakeview Hospital, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, spoke to members of the staff at Wilden Hospital Thursday, September 6, 1961.

Dr. Hecker, a member of the January 24, 1936 graduating class of Still College, spoke on "Staff Obligations to the Hospital."

DEAN’S LETTER

TO ALL STATE SOCIETIES AND ALL HOSPITALS APPROVED FOR INTERN TRAINING

Thursday, November 1, is designated by the College as PROFESSIONAL DAY. On this occasion one representative from each state and one representative from each hospital will have the opportunity to appear before the entire student body.

During the remainder of the day ample opportunity will be afforded for personal interviews with students in the many rooms of the college.

If your State needs Osteopathic physicians or if your hospital desires good interns, this is your opportunity to meet the future doctors and internes personally.

You are cordially invited to be represented on this one occasion of the school year. Please let us know who will represent your organization by October 15th in order that we may give you proper recognition on the program.

Hotel reservations may be made by contacting the hotel managers directly.

We suggest:

Hotel Savery
Hotel Ft. Des Moines
Hotel Kirkwood
Brown Hotel
Victoria Hotel

Our students want to know you and you would like to know them. Come on November first and let's get acquainted.

John B. Shumaker, Ph. D., Dean

President’s Son

To Active Duty

Ensign Robert E. Peters, son of Dr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Peters, reported to Boston, Massachusetts on September 24, 1951 for four weeks of instruction at the Naval Combat Information Center Team Training Center, and from there he will report aboard the U. S. S. CHICOPULA for active duty.

Ensign Peters is following the footsteps of his father who served in the Navy during World II, and who is still a Reserve Naval Officer.

Ensign Peters received his A. B. degree from Drake university this spring and graduated from the Reserve Officer School at San Diego, California, August 19, 1950.
Iota Tau Sigma Fraternity extends a hearty welcome to the Freshman Class and wishes them success in their scholastic endeavors. We also invite them to attend our meetings and become better acquainted with us.

Watch for future I.T.S. activities on our new bulletin board which has recently been placed on the south wall of the first floor of the college.

The club pledges its support to these new officers and looks forward to a successful semester under their guidance.

The alumni have been responding well, with the yearly contributions to the house building fund. Our thanks to those who have contributed and we are hoping to hear from the remainder soon.

L.O.G.

The first L.O.G. social event of the season was quite a success and members had an enjoyable Sunday afternoon. Freshmen were greeted at an impromptu picnic at Union Park. A season program of work nights and guest speakers has been planned.

Congratulations to Gerard Nash on his recent engagement to Miss Nadine Boldra of Des Moines.

If and when you change your address, please notify the LOG BOOK promptly.

NEWMAN CLUB

The Newman Club extends a welcome to the Freshman Class.

We are planning another term of activities of academic as well as extra curricular interest.

All students are cordially invited to attend our series of lectures on medical ethics conducted by Father Wels.

DOCTORS NEEDED

The Armed Forces will require approximately 13,000 physicians continually on active duty for the next ten years, according to Richard L. Meiling, M.D., of the Office of the Secretary of Defense. This figure is based on the ratio of 3.7 physicians for each 1,000 of troop strength as compared with the 3.6 to 6.2 physicians for an equal unit of troop strength in World War II. Dr. Meiling points out that today “no United States military patient is more than thirty to thirty-six hours from the specialized and definitive care of hospitals of continental United States.”

Thank You, Dr. Wilson

In a recent letter from Dr. Everett E. Wilson, of Dayton, Ohio, to President Peters, this interesting remark was made, “Incidentally, your plaque is indeed quite an asset to any office.”

Dr. Wilson was referring to the beautiful bronze plaque of the Osteopathic Oath which the college bookstore is selling. If the readers of this Log Book haven’t purchased their Osteopathic Oath plaque as yet, we know you will want to do so at once. Your order may be placed with Mrs. Lucille Williams, Manager of the Bookstore, Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, 720-22 Sixth Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa.

DECEASED

Dr. Ida B. Stockwell 77, Los Angeles, California, graduate of the S. S. Still College of Osteopathy 1904.

Dr. George Paul Lewis 34, Kennewick, Washington, Graduate of D.M.S.C.O.S. 1943

PROFESSIONAL DAY NOVEMBER 1, 1951 — (Story on Page Three)
Pediatricians To Hold Refresher Course

Program Is Announced

A Refresher Course in Pediatrics under the sponsorship of Region 3 of the American College of Osteopathic Pediatrists will be held December 3, 4, 1951 at the Kirkwood Hotel in Des Moines, Iowa.

Dr. Rachel Woods, president of Region 3 states that Dr. Betsy McCracken, National A.C.O.P. President, will be present and lecture on Premature Care.

The program as announced by Dr. Woods is as follows:

**Monday, December 3, 1951**
- 8:00 Registration
- 9:00 Practical E.E.N.T. Procedures Dr. R. B. Juni Des Moines, Iowa
- 10:00 Mongolism Dr. Quintos Wilson, Kansas City, Missouri
- 11:00 Cranial Application for the Newborn Dr. Paul Kimberly Des Moines, Iowa
- 1:30 Ligamentous Control Dr. Anna Slocum, Des Moines, Iowa
- 2:30 Premature Care Dr. Betsy McCracken, Los Angeles, Calif.
- 3:30 Use of “Air Lock” resuscitator Theodore Wall, St. Louis, Mo.
- 4:00 “What about our Diet?” Mary Ann Krecklow, Ames, Iowa
- 6:30 Banquet Dr. Mary Golden in Charge Square Dance

**Tuesday, December 4, 1951**
- 8:30 Hypogonadism Dr. Quintos Wilson, Kansas City, Missouri
- 9:30 Pediatric Urology Dr. Harold Dresser, Des Moines, Iowa
- 10:30 Rheumatic Heart Anomalies Dr. William Kelly Kirkville, Missouri
- 11:30 Business Meeting
- 1:30 Keep up to date on ACTH Prof. J. Earle Galloway Des Moines, Iowa
- 2:30 Specialty Ethics Dr. Robert Steen, Chicago, Illinois
- 3:30 Bronchoscopy Dr. R. B. Juni, Des Moines, Iowa
- 4:30 Round table Doctors Wilson, Kimberly and Slocum

Drs. Dresser, Juni and Kimberly are on the faculty of Des Moines Still College, Des Moines, Iowa. Dr. Robert Steen is on the faculty of the Chicago College of Osteopathy, Chicago, Illinois and Dr. William Kelly is on the faculty of the Kirksville College of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Missouri.

Professor J. Earle Galloway is Professor of Pharmacology, Pharmacy College, Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa.

For accommodations write direct to Kirkwood Hotel, Fourth and Walnut; Fort Des Moines Hotel, Tenth and Walnut; Savery Hotel, Fourth and Locust; Brown Hotel, Fourth and Keo.

**Our Christmas Seal Has Come of Age**

By Dr. Stephen M. Pugh, Chairman Committee on Christmas Seals.

Our Christmas seal has come of age. This year, for the twen-
ty-first time, it will carry to the world osteopathy's message of health to all men.

Both in point of time and in point of service, it has reached its majority. Now that it divides its income between the student loan and research funds, its potential has been many times multiplied. We, of the Committee, hope this year to translate that potential into greater returns than we have yet realized.

This is possible. We have back of us two powerful forces, the profession itself and the Auxiliary of the American Osteopathic Association, and through them our great osteopathic public. Both the profession and the Auxiliary know that if we are to continue forward, especially in research, we must have money, big money.

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Mail sent out from the American Osteopathic Association now carries a special postage meter stamp commemorating the 21st annual seal campaign.

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What Do You Think?

The following is reprinted in full from The News Bulletin of the Kansas Osteopathic Association, Vol. 25, No. 8, November, 1951:

MISSOURI EDITORIAL ON OSTEOPATHIC PROFESSION

"Are You A Member of the A.O.A.?

The editorial in the "Jackson County (Missouri) Medical Society Weekly Bulletin," which provoked a forceful and eloquent reply from Dr. Hamilton is here-with printed in full:

"Are You A Member of the A.O.A."

"Recently a questionnaire was received which included the above. This started a chain-reaction of questions which we laughingly refer to as our brain, because these capital letters signify more than one organization.

Of course, most physicians automatically would think of Alpha Omega Alpha, a la-de-da group of our brethren. So we got wondering about honorary fraternities, high grades in school, and that kind of stuff. Do the honor-men always make the best physicians or vice versa? Do the researchers, (active "producers") go in for quality rather than quantity? Is the "hail-fellow-" or "tower" boys in our profession really lead our army? These are questions that have flashed on our way as we read the inquiry. However, each reader must provide his own answers to these questions.

"Naturally, we are not a member of the American Osteopathic Association, an exclusive professional organization, with the same initials. But again we got to wondering...

"Why is it that our national medical leaders have done so little to effect a rapprochement between osteopaths and medical doctors? We were told—several years ago—that the population must vote for the American Medical Association (who doesn't work there any more) that any problems concerning osteopaths must be settled on a local level, our national organization could do nothing. And they were no exceptions, which could not be resolved if sensible and cooperative efforts would be made. And important, this endeavor must be started at the top! It is sheer tommyrot, it is weak, spineless sophistry for our leaders to say, 'You boys settle the osteopath problem on the local level.'

"In Missouri—and singularly elsewhere—no number of osteopaths compares favorably with that of medical doctors. Any present disparity is rapidly being erased by the osteopaths. Probably one-fourth or more of our citizens receive their medical care from osteopaths, although we have never known any one of them intimately and have no specific knowledge of their professional activities. Some have chosen their profession because it was an easier short-cut to practicing medicine. Others were rejected by medical schools and accepted the next best. These foregoing statements are not to be neither a blanket castigation nor a comprehensive appraisal.

"But let's face the facts: Osteopath today is giving medical attention to an increasingly important segment of our population. We cannot resolve our differences between our group and theirs by sarcasm, snootiness or silence. What we should do—on a national level—is to sit down and iron out our differences!

"It's funny what thoughts a guy can get from the question, "Are you a member of the A.O.A.?"

—Vincent T. Williams, M.D.

Suffol G. Hamilton, M.D., Director of the Division of Health of Missouri, wrote to T. V. Williams, M.D., of Kansas City, Missouri, in reply to the editorial in the "Jackson County Medical Society Weekly Bulletin," as follows:

"I was intrigued with your A.O.A., philosophy—like the sound and practical. As Director of Health I must accept the osteopath as a doctor. There are 1,100 registered osteopaths in the state, and, as you say, they probably treat five per cent of the population of the State. Besides, they have two schools and if laymen would analyze their curriculum, it would be difficult to differentiate between Washington University and their school. To be honest, can we work for a degree of articulate men, of our culture and the osteopath?

"Recently, I attended the dedication of the osteopathic hospital in Kirksville that was constructed with the aid of Hill-Burton funds. In the evening, I attended the grand exercise of some 90 students from the Osteopathic School at Kirksville. Seven hundred people were present at the banquet. The President of the National Osteopathic Association was the speaker of the evening. He gave the history of osteopathy, and reviewed how each year they have raised their recruitment goals. The next day I made this very significant statement, 'We now must make basic science a requirement to enter an osteopathic school.'

"I am one hundred per cent in accord with the idea, in fact, I am one hundred per cent in accord with the idea, in fact, for several years now I have been considering a 250 per month through O.P.E., which is earmarked for Des Moines."

Librarian Granted Leave

Mrs. Glenn A. Kenderdine, librarian at Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery since 1947, has earned a 18-month leave of absence to organize the library of philosophical and occult literature. She will organize the Thesmophoria-Theological Society in America at its headquarters in Wheaton, Illinois.

The college is proud of the honor that has come to a member of the college faculty and wishes Mrs. Kenderdine every success.
DEAN’S LETTER

Our first PROFESSIONAL DAY, held on November 1, proved to be of exceptional mutual interest to the students and the representatives of the State societies and approved Osteopathic Hospitals who were with us for the day.

The partial holiday, designed for all students, but more especially Junior and Senior, began with a two hour convocation in the morning and continued throughout the day in the form of conferences in the College class rooms.

Appearing on the program were: Kansas State Osteopathic Association, Mr. Lloyd Hall, General Counsel.
Tennessee Osteopathic Association, Dr. M. E. Coy, Secretary; Dr. Paul G. Smith.
Oregon Osteopathic Association, Dr. Joseph A. Cooney.
Ohio, and Mahoning Valley Green Cross Hospital, Warren, Ohio; Dr. Harry E. Elston.
Lakeview Hospital, Milwaukee, Wis.; Dr. James S. Crane; Dr. Donald E. Lindley.
Parkview Hospital, Toledo, Ohio; Dr. Ralph D. Laid.
The Marzetta Osteopathic Hospital, Dr. J. E. Wiemers.
Green Cross Osteopathic Hospital, Akron, Ohio, Dr. Harold R. Hunter.

Among the many topics discussed with the students were state laws, basic sciences requirements, practice locations and internships in hospital facilities, hospital staffs, internships. Conferences throughout out the afternoon were well attended.

From questions asked and answers returned, it becomes perfectly obvious that students are vitally interested in good practice locations and internships in approved Osteopathic Hospitals.

It is apparent that the general practice field is quite unsaturated and there are opportunities galore for the graduate to enter successful practice with or without an internship, and with or without nearby hospitals.

PROFESSIONAL DAY proves to be completely practical. The profession comes to the student in school to reveal vistas of things to come and to invite the student (Freshman, too) to consider geographical areas of promise and to join them in the great pioneering venture begun by Dr. A. T. Still.

Our second PROFESSIONAL DAY will be scheduled in the Fall of 1982. Announcement in Log Book next August.

THE LOG BOOK

Recent Marriages
Dr. Emil Braunweich and Miss Maxine Frances Kinney of Des Moines, Iowa. Dr. Braunweich is a graduate of Still College and at the present time is completing a residency in obstetrics and gynecology. The bride received B.S. and M.S. degrees, and belonged to Kappa Sigma Sorority at Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa.

STUDENTS

Wendell B. Harris, Brockton, Massachusetts, and Miss Helen Clavera Boulware, of High Point, North Carolina.
Raymond G. Taylor, Jr., and Katherine Taylor, Alliance, Ohio.
Lowell L. Troester, Denver, Colorado, and Miss Mildred Tuttle, of Cherokee, Iowa.

STORK NEWS

BOY—Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Griff. Dr. Griffin is an instructor in Pharmacology.
BOY—Dr. and Mrs. Jen-yah Hsie. Dr. Hsie recently joined the faculty and is an instructor in Bacteriology.
BOY—Mrs. and Mrs. Cecil C. Lowrey. Dr. Lowrey is Assistant Accountant for Still College. Mrs. Lowrey was formerly secretary to Dr. Peters.

STUDENTS

GIRL—Mrs. and Mrs. Richard Bal linger.
GIRL—Mrs. and Mrs. Dudley Chapman.
GIRL—Mrs. and Mrs. George Kemp.
GIRL—Mrs. and Mrs. Francis Kon.
BOY—Mrs. and Mrs. Thomas V. Polatty.
TWIN BOYS—Mr. and Mrs. William Pounds.
GIRL—Mrs. and Mrs. John Seibert.
GIRL—Mrs. and Mrs. Milton Snow.
GIRL—Mrs. and Mrs. Stewart Woofenden.

DR. WICKS . . . .
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with Dr. Paul Kimberly in cranial and neurology courses. He is the national editor of Psi Sigma Alpha, the national osteopathic scholastic honor society, and has served as sponsor of the local chapter during the past year. He is currently program chairman of the Academy in addition to working on national committees of the Academy of Applied Osteopathy and the Osteopathic Cranial Association.
Dr. Wicks will begin his manipulative practice at 1240 Penn. Ave. in this city on January 2nd as he continues his cranial and structural work.

CHRISTMAS SEAL . . .
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YOU’RE NOT RESPONSIBLE
—You are not financially responsible for seals you distribute to your patients. We figure that even those which bring no contribution return pay their way in public relations. Why not help?

LIKE A BLANKET—Christmas seals give us what the publicity men call coverage. This year they could appear on 5,000,000 pieces of mail.

Armistice Day Dinner-Dance

The Armistice Day dinner dance, sponsored by the Student-Faculty Council, at the Des Moines Golf and Country Club Monday evening, November 12, was a great success in every way.

The 379 people who attended made many fine comments on the food prepared and served by Emil, of the Golf and Country Club, and on the very danceable music provided by that genial gentleman of sweet music, Don Hoy, and his Orchestra.

Sophomore student Claire Armstrong, president of the Student Faculty Council, states that the success of this event was due to the co-operation of students, faculty, administration, and doctors of the profession. Mr. Armstrong wishes to thank all those who helped make this occasion a great success, and to commend the student and faculty members of the Council for a job well done. “It is difficult”, Mr. Armstrong stated, “to single out one individual among the members of the committee that I think it should be known that Dr. Burton Poundstone was personally responsible for selling 100 tickets for this dinner-dance.”

Auxiliaries Sponsor Distribution of Osteopathic Magazine

Chicago, Ill. (AOA)—Thirty-four auxiliaries throughout the country are now purchasing subscriptions to OSTEOPATHIC MAGAZINE for local school or public libraries.

One of the recent additions to the list of auxiliary sponsors for the publication was the Auxiliary to the Panhandle District Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, Amarillo, Texas, which voted to send the magazine to all high school, college, and public libraries in cities in the Panhandle in which an osteopathic physician is located.
ATLAS CLUB

Eleven new members were pledged to the Atlas Club Monday evening, Nov. 5. They were Cecil C. Looney, Still College Accountant, who will become an honorary member of the fraternity, and the following students: James Darley, Joseph Monticello, Anthony Moscel, William Murray, John O'Saver, Albert Pearson, Edward Rugenstein William Ross, Edward Shealy, and Donald Waite. Later on in the semester they will become active members.

"Opening a Practice" was the topic of a very interesting talk given by Dr. Ralph L. McRae at the October meeting of the fraternity. Dr. McRae stressed the importance of planning and exploring the possibilities of the office. He suggested that the chosen locality before opening any type of office should be suited to the needs of the people and that the doctor starting a practice should determine from the very first the character of the practice he intends and wants to continue doing. Many other valuable suggestions concerning office procedure were outlined.

The annual Atlas Club Christmas dance will be held at the Parkview Club on Saturday evening, Dec. 8. Vance Walters, the social chairman, is in charge.

IOTA TAU SIGMA

I.T.S. at the present time is busily initiating the eleven new members of the fraternity. One business meeting was held however, with Father Weiss, chaplain of the Newman Club as guest speaker. Father Weiss presented the case in favor of practicing in rural communities. A stimulating and interesting evening was passed with doughnuts and coffee served afterward.

A special meeting consisting of a work night will be held on November 29 for freshman, alumni and other guests. Watch the fraternity bulletin board for details.

L. O. G.

The following new pledges were acquainted with the fraternity rules and history at a meeting on Monday, October 22:


A special meeting was held on Tuesday evening, October 30, to install the new executive board of L. O. G. from Philadelphia who were attending the internists' convention. They were: Dr. Theodore Weinberg, Dr. Phillip Lessig and Dr. Sidney Kochman. National organization set-up and policies were discussed. An interesting fact was discussed, that is, the growth of L. O. G. The California undergraduate chapter has over 160 members, the Philadelphia undergraduate chapter has over 100 members; also growth of the graduate level is comparable.

Plans for the Atlantic City fraternity convention to be held next May were also discussed.

A work nite was held on Tuesday, November 6 in the hospital dining room.

NEWMAN CLUB

Father J. Weiss discussed the "great three concept of Death" at the regular monthly Newman Club meeting held Thursday evening, October 4. Father Weiss's talk was enjoyed both by the members and their guests.

Following the usual monthly Communion Sunday, a breakfast was held at the Koffee Kup. Along with others, members of the Freshman class were present. It is hoped that this social breakfast will become a monthly event.

An interesting program is being planned for the next meeting Thursday night, December 6, 1951. It is hoped that members and wives as well as others will plan to attend.

O. W. C. C. NEWS

The regular business meeting of the O.W.C.C. was held on October 14. Dr. Kimberly gave a much welcomed paper on the importance of his interesting address of a year ago on the subject of the principles and purposes of Osteopathy. During the question and answer period which followed he added enlightening comments on the part of a doctor's wife in forwarding the growth of Osteopathy.

Seasonal refreshments of coffee and doughnuts were served by May Flyalko and Elaine Martin.

The Club again met for a regular business meeting on November 6, when they were addressed by Teauline Rayle on Parliamenter Procedure. Mrs. G. P. Peterson, President of the Folk County Auxiliary, explained to the group the value of work with the O.W.C.C. in preparation for post school activities.

Service tables were decorated in an autumn theme and attractive refreshments were served by Margaret Crommet, Reo Eske and Fran Fell.

SQUARE AND COMPASS CLUB

The next meeting of the club will be on or about November 20 in Room 502 of the College building, at which time Dr. H. Elmet is scheduled to show movies. This film should be of interest to all Masons. A social hour will follow and all Master Masons are urged to attend. Several speakers will be present to discuss Masonic topics. Please watch the new Square and Compass bulletin board in the lobby of the college building for further developments.

Dedicate New Clinic

The College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, Los Angeles, California, will dedicate its new General Osteopathic Clinic Sunday, December 2, 1951.

The Clinic, built and equipped at a cost of approximately $500,000, will provide increased facilities and the most modern diagnostic and therapeutic equipment which will enable the college to fulfill its obligations to the community.

Des Moines Still College extends congratulations to The College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Dr. Howard A. Graney, Chairman of the Operations Committee of the College, was a member of the panel on "Register of Training Programs" held on Wednesday, October 31, 1951, at the Twenty-fourth Annual Clinical Assembly of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons in Washington, D. C.

Dr. Walter E. Heilnen, Chairman of the Department of Surgery at the College, appeared on the program of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons in Washington, D. C., Monday, October 29th. The subject of Dr. Heilnen's paper was "Congenital Heart."

Drs. H. E. Dresser, R. O. Faegen and H. J. Ketman of the College faculty and A. C. Parmenter, Still Osteopathic Hospital Administrator attended the 24th Annual Clinical Assembly of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons in Washington, D. C., October 28 to November 1, 1951.

Participating organizations were the American Osteopathic Hospital Association; American Osteopathic College of Radiology; American Osteopathy Academy of Orthopedics and the American Society of Osteopathic Anesthesiologists.

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