

Big "D"—Dallas That Is Awaits 61st AOA Meeting

Convention Committee Preparing Program

CHICAGO (AOA)—The 61st annual convention of the American Osteopathic Association is scheduled to convene at Dallas on July 15, 1957, and run through July 19. The Board of Trustees will meet in advance of the convention in that city commencing July 9, while the House of Delegates will open its sessions on July 14.

A tri-partite hotel arrangement is being firmed up with the new Statler, Baker and Adolphus hotels.

Program Chairman Neil R. Kitchen, Detroit, announces that the program for the annual convention will consist of general morning meetings and three separate sessions each afternoon. Technique and teaching sessions and symposium panels will comprise the concurrent afternoon segments of the program.

Dr. William Baldwin, Jr., Philadelphia, was appointed as the third member of the convention committee on program. He will be Program Chairman in 1959 when the AOA is scheduled to meet in Chicago. Dr. Baldwin, together with Dr. Richard O. Brennan, Houston, 1958 program chairman, and Dr. Kitchen compose the committee on program for the 1957 convention.

New Public Health Service Program

Door-to-Door Family Survey

CHICAGO (AOA)—A new Public Health Service program under the directorship of Forrest E. Linder, Ph.D., to survey the nature and extent of illness and disability in the population each year, was announced recently by the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

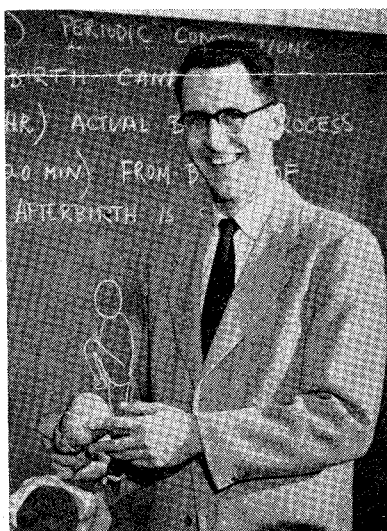
The year-by-year survey, authorized by the past Congress, also will include data on medical services received by the ill and disabled. The last previous Federal survey of this type was in 1936.

PHS plans to use scientific, door-to-door sampling techniques, similar to those developed by public opinion polls, to obtain accurate information on the amount, distribution, and effects of illness and disability, and the services received because of such conditions.

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

Childbirth Program Begins January 24th

The Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery is again presenting its series of free informal discussions concerning pregnancy and the care of the newborn infant. The sessions are conducted by Dr. J. Dudley Chapman, Instructor in Obstetrics.



Dr. J. Dudley Chapman

The main purpose of the series is, through education, to make pregnancy more comfortable and pleasant to the expectant mother.

The topics discussed in the six lectures will include course introduction and the reasons for prenatal care; how the pregnancy gets started and the changes in mother and baby; how the baby is borne; what a modern delivery room looks like and an explanation of the equipment used; how an expectant mother can learn relaxation methods to make her labor more comfortable; and, in conclusion, the care of the new baby after it leaves the hospital.

The discussion sessions commenced Thursday evening, January 24, at 7:30 p. m. in room 305 of the Clinic Building at 722 Sixth Avenue.

Anyone wishing to enroll, including expectant fathers, in the free series may call the Obstetrical Clinic, Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, 722 Sixth Avenue, Phone Atlantic 8-7241.

'56 Graduate Delivers First '57 Baby

Dr. George Evans, DMSCOS, '56, delivered the first Tulsa, Oklahoma baby of 1957. The eight pound four and one-half ounce baby girl was born at the Oklahoma Osteopathic Hospital at 3:40 a. m.; an hour and a half earlier than any other infant.

Osteopathic Cranial Association Meets at Still College

The Third Clinical Conference conducted by the Osteopathic Cranial Association was held at DMSCOS January 21-25, 1957. The conference program had as its general subject, "Common Motor Problems."

Monday, January 21, 1957, short lectures were given by members of the Staff of DMSCOS emphasizing the development, anatomy and physiology of the nervous system. Tuesday, Management and Therapy for Motor Problems was discussed. Cerebral Palsy was considered Wednesday; and Thursday, Cerebro-Vascular accidents was discussed.

Evening meetings consisted of a Fun Night, a Technique session, and a banquet with Dr. True B. Eveleth as guest speaker on the subject, "The Place of Osteopathy in American Health." Friday morning H. I. Magoun talked briefly about the Research Program.

Pre Natal Classes Gain TV and Radio Coverage

Daher B. Rahi, senior student from Lebanon, appeared on KSO radio and KRNT-TV in Des Moines, Iowa, January 17, 1957 accompanied by Mrs. Janet Crum. They discussed the significance and objectives of the pre-natal classes which have been presented by the obstetrical department of Still College for the past 2½ years.

Oklahoma Osteopathic Hospital Gets Federal Aid for Expansion

CHICAGO (AOA)—The Public Health Service recently awarded its first grants under a new three-year \$90,000,000 program to help build more and better medical research facilities.

The grants went to six hospitals and medical schools. Almost half a million dollars in federal aid went to Tulsa's Oklahoma Osteopathic Hospital, with the approval of the State Health Department. This grant includes \$259,143 for a 60-bed general addition to be built at an estimated cost of \$647,859; \$79,960 for an outpatient department expected to cost \$159,920, and \$8,450 for a 26-bed chronic diseases wing, expected to cost \$176,908.

Congress set up the program last summer to help public and private institutions build and equip facilities for research in medicine, osteopathy, dentistry. Public institutions each put up half the cost of the construction projects.

The President Chats

The crystal ball for 1957 holds unknown surprises and heartaches for all of us. However, we must enter the new year with optimism. The past year has been a good year, our colleges have all made tremendous educational advances, more research than ever before has come from the institutions of Osteopathic education. More recognition has been given the profession on the Federal level and the young people composing our student bodies are of such a caliber that they would be a credit to any institution of higher education in the country.

The greatest weakness of the past year has been the lack of financial support, from the public and from the profession, to our colleges.

Educational progress is costly; yes, very costly, and due to various factors this college has not been able to keep the additional contributions sufficient enough during 1956 to balance our budget. In fact, 1956 was a year that Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery operated at a great loss. While operating in the red is not unusual for any institution of higher education, it is a condition that we do not like to have exist.

Student tuition pays approximately one-third of the cost of the student's education per year. The balance must come from society. Can we not muster the forces of society so that more contributions will be forthcoming to Osteopathic Education during 1957? This is our great challenge!

We are deeply appreciative to all who have contributed to Osteopathic Education during this past year. Without your help our educational program would have suffered. While we are proud of our school, we are not satisfied. 1957 must see continued growth and expansion.

To all alumni and friends of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery we extend our sincerest wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Visitors for Month of December, 1956

William L. Chu, D.O.	
Dallas, Texas	DMS '52
William E. Meaney, D.O.	
Detroit, Michigan	DMS '52
Vance E. Walters, D.O.	
Flint, Michigan	DMS '53
John Urse, D.O.	
Columbus, Ohio	DMS '55
Emil Braunschweig, D.O.	
San Diego, California	DMS '37
John A. Link, D.O.	
Dubuque, Iowa	DMS '42
Theron D. Crews, D.O.	
Gonzales, Texas	DMS '36

Congress Receives Bills That Would Assist Students

Senator J. W. Fulbright has once again introduced two bills to aid and assist students seeking higher education. The bills first introduced last April, were not acted upon before adjournment. It is hoped Congress will act on them during this session. Senator Fulbright considers these bills vital to the development of our educational institutions, and to the general educational standards of our country.

The first bill would allow an additional income tax exemption for a taxpayer or a spouse, or a dependent child under twenty-three years of age, who is a full-time student at an educational institution above the secondary level. The exemption may be claimed by the taxpayer himself, or on account of a spouse or a dependent child under the age of 23, who is in attendance on a full-time basis at an educational institution above the secondary level.

The second bill would allow a taxpayer, who is a student in an institution of higher learning to deduct expenses for books, tuition, fees, and other supplies necessary to the courses of instruction in which he is enrolled. This bill is primarily designed to assist those students who work their own way through college, and it would apply to both full-time and part-time students, whether self-supporting or supported by outside sources.

The continually rising costs of a college education, of course, varies, but it is reasonable to estimate the average cost at \$1,500 per year, or roughly \$6,000 for a 4-year college education. The cost of the more specialized courses in science and medicine quite often is much more than this, and yet the parent, or the individual himself, receives only a \$600 a year personal tax exemption. Consequently, there is no incentive provided in our tax laws for one to pursue and educational goal.

There has been for decades a continual and serious deterioration in the general quality of our education. More recently, we have read and heard much about the mounting shortage of trained engineers and scientists in the United States. It is interesting to note that Universities and technical institutions in Soviet Russia are graduating engineers in numbers some two and a half times greater than are similar institutions in the United States where we are now training only one-half the required number of engineers and scientists. In the decade 1950-1960, the Soviet Union is expected to produce 1,200,000 trained engineers and scientists as compared to our 900,000. In the category of engineers alone, the Soviets have multiplied the number trained tenfold since 1930, when records show they had 41,000 engineers. This situation is all the more critical because of the demands, not only of industry, but of national security.

In addition to these considerations, public and private educational institutions face a precarious future. They are essential to the preservation of our way of life. These bills, if enacted, would give them some assistance and enable them to accept addi-

New Film Series Aims Medico-Legal Problems

"Medical Witness"
Available on Loan

CHICAGO (AOA)—The first of a series of six films on medico-legal problems prepared by the American Medical Association and the American Bar Association has just had its premiere showing. The film, entitled THE MEDICAL WITNESS, depicts the right and wrong methods of a physician testifying in a personal injury case. The series is being produced by The William S. Merrell Company, Cincinnati, ethical pharmaceutical manufacturer, as a service to the legal and healing arts professions.

THE MEDICAL WITNESS is available on loan for professional meetings of the AOA divisional societies, hospitals and osteopathic colleges. To obtain the film, direct a request with a suggested date and an alternate date for the showing to John B. Chewing, M.D., Director of Professional Relations, The William C. Merrill Co., Cincinnati 15.

Copies of other films to be produced in this series will be available when completed.

The story-line projects challenge and limitless scope covering a wide variety of health work. Viewers see actual health workers doing their actual jobs. The film covers occupations that require little or no special training to those requiring years of graduate study.

It may be borrowed from the AOA merely by writing the Division of J & PS, specifying a date and an alternate date. The film will be sent collect and must be returned prepaid.

(It is our recommendation that the profession utilize this excellent film to full advantage. We also urge state societies to seriously consider purchasing a print of their own.) Eds.

High-Fidelity Stethoscope Developed in London

CHICAGO (AOA)—A new high-fidelity amplifying stethoscope for doctors has been developed by a physician and a surgeon of King's College Hospital, London.

King's College Hospital, in releasing the story, pointed out that the developers of the instrument sought improvement over the ordinary amplifying electronic stethoscope which they stated are of little value because they distort some frequencies of heart, lung and joint sounds.

The new device produces no background noise. The instrument has frequency controls that can be manipulated to bring out sounds that might otherwise be masked. Outside noises can be cut out when a doctor is listening to faint foetal heart sounds, for instance. The device may be used to advantage by physicians with good hearing as well as by physicians with impaired hearing.

tional students who can pay their own way. Thus, the bills would have a further beneficial effect upon the finances of our fine educational institutions.

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Dean's Letter

Midyear activities now prevail in most colleges and universities. Many students are making plans for the continuation or conclusion of their pre-professional studies prior to admission to osteopathic and medical schools.

For the benefit and guidance of all who read the **Log Book**, Doctors of Osteopathy, campus advisors, students, and others, it is felt that the current regulations for admission as they appear in our catalog should be printed in this issue for refresher purposes. The catalog is available upon request to anyone who has need of it.

Admission Requirements

The requirements for admission to the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery are:

1. A minimum of three years of college training in a college or university accredited by a regional educational association is required for admission to professional education in an Osteopathic college.
2. The Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery requires three years (ninety semester hours), among which shall be included:
 - 6 Semester hours English (including composition or rhetoric)
 - 8 Semester hours Biology (or Zoology)
 - 8 Semester hours General Physics
 - 8 Semester hours General and Inorganic Chemistry
 - 6-8 Semester hours Organic Chemistry
 - 54 Semester hours Electives

The pre-osteopathic student should plan his course of study to include at least the minimum of subject credits specified above. Biology credit may be earned in either general biology or zoology. Credit in botany is acceptable only when the student has additionally at least four hours of credit in general biology or zoology. The general chemistry credit may include analytical chemistry, if in addition to a full course in inorganic chemistry. The organic chemistry should be a complete course in the chemistry of both aliphatic and aromatic compounds, including laboratory.

Electives should be selected on a cultural rather than scientific basis, in history, literature, public speaking, modern language, economics, political science, psychology and philosophy. Courses in basic and abnormal psychology are strongly advised. Personality theory, survey of clinical psychology, and psychological testing will be useful in preparation of understanding of mental disorders. It is not advised that the student elect courses in human anatomy, bacteriology, physiology, embryology, or biochemistry as these subjects must be repeated in the professional course and the elective time and effort of the pre-professional student is better spent in auxiliary study.

3. Applicants with mental or physical handicaps which prevent the satisfactory completion of all prescribed



Pictured at left is one of the Des Moines area hockey teams coached by Dr. Fitz, third from right bottom row.

Des Moines Is Alive With Hockey

Under the supervision of Dr. Erle W. Fitz, the Des Moines Amateur Hockey Club was formed. The club is hoping to promote the sport of hockey in Des Moines for spectators and players alike.

Practice sessions have been held for the Pee Wee's of Des Moines with experienced coaching led by Dr. Fitz.

Teams are composed of players from Still College, Drake University, and other boys living in town. Also teams from Waterloo, Fort Dodge and Omaha have come down to play in the league.

Games are played at the Veterans Memorial building preceding the Central Hockey League Contests.

The players participating from Still are: Saul Shapiro, Conrad Pearl, Robert Cornwell, Roger Senty, John Olszewski, Lawrence Goldman, and John Harten.

Hockey is one of the most enjoyable spectator sports to watch, so let's all get out to the next game and cheer the teams on. It will be an evening well spent.

courses of study including laboratory and clinical courses are not accepted for admission. Admissions are tentative pending physical examination.

4. Application form for admission must be sent to office of Director of Admissions.
5. Application must be accompanied by a recent photograph of the applicant and the matriculation fee of \$15.00 which is not refundable.
6. Applicant must give three references: an Osteopathic Physician; advisor or instructor in biology in the preosteopathic school; and one other reputable citizen. Relatives should not be named as references.
7. Applicant must present transcripts of credits from ALL schools whose credits are to apply toward admission (transcripts must be sent directly to the Director of Admissions from the Registrar of each school).
8. Average grades on transcripts sub-

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Dr. Beutner Visits Germany

Doctor Reinhard H. Beutner, member of the Department of Physiology and Pharmacology of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, spent two and one-half weeks of his Christmas vacation visiting in Germany and at the University of Kiel.

Prior to his trip Doctor Beutner communicated with many German physiologists regarding the research project that he is investigating at Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, under a grant from the United States Public Health Service. Doctor Beutner lectured in the Physiology Institute at the University of Kiel.

Doctor Beutner's research project at Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery is concerning the electrogenesis of the transmembrane. This past month the National Health Institute of the United States Public Health Service enlarged its present \$10,000.00 a year grant by a supplementary grant of \$3,975.00.

Mrs. Beutner will remain in Germany visiting old friends and relatives for the next six weeks.

Select Staff for Scientific Societies

Scientific societies listed the following faculty members of D.M.S.C.O.S. for the year 1957.

American Men of Science:

Drs. R. H. Beutner, Wm. F. Hewitt, Jen-Yah Hsie, A. E. A. Hudson, B. E. Laycock, E. R. Minnick, S. D. Miroyannis, E. F. Peters, J. B. Shumaker, R. A. Tolman, and R. K. Wolfer.

Iowa Academy of Science:

Drs. Harry Elmets, E. V. Enzmann, Wm. F. Hewitt (Fellow), R. B. Juni, H. J. Ketman, E. R. Minnick, S. D. Miroyannis (Fellow), J. B. Shumaker, and R. K. Wolfer (Fellow).

Sigma Xi: (National Honorary Society of Physiological and Biological Sciences.)

Drs. Wm. F. Hewitt, Jen-Yah Hsie, S. D. Miroyannis, W. Nusser, R. A. Tolman, and R. K. Wolfer.

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mitted must be "C" or better and grades in required subjects (English, Physics, Biology, Chemistry) must not be lower than "C".

9. All students who intend to practice in states requiring such, must obtain qualifying certificates from said state and present them to the college before registration day.
10. All students are required to equip themselves at the time of admission with a microscope possessing standard power, high power, and oil immersion lenses and mechanical stage.
11. Except in most unusual circumstances, all applicants must consent to appear before the Admissions Committee in Des Moines for a personal interview upon request.

Combined Curriculum Program

Arrangements may be made with the faculties of various pre-professional colleges to grant a baccalaureate degree upon application of the student who has completed three full years of pre-professional colleges to grant a baccalaureate degree upon application of the student who has completed three full years of pre-professional work and maintained a satisfactory record in his first year at the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery.

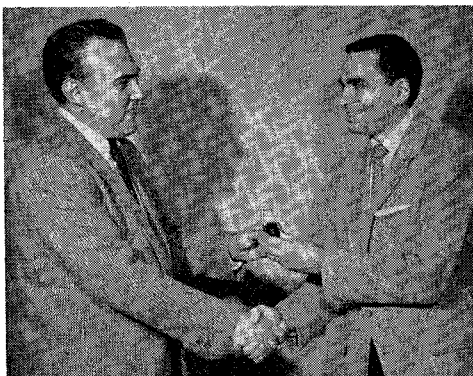
Many colleges and universities confer combined curriculum degrees. Anyone interested in such an arrangement should contact the officials of his pre-professional school and petition for such a combination degree.

Matriculation

Application for matriculation should be filed as early as possible before date of registration. The applicant should provide to the Director of Admissions of the College:

1. An application blank properly filled out (blank furnished on request).
2. A small photograph.
3. An official transcript of pre-osteopathic credit sent directly from the college or colleges attended.

L.O.G.



Pictured above is Alan Lans, president of the LOG Fraternity awarding Saul Jeck the "Williams Key." This award is given annually to the most outstanding senior student in the fraternity, who has contributed the most toward the fraternity over the years in school. Saul Jeck is a past president of LOG.

P.S.A. Initiation

Initiation will be Thursday, February 7, 1957 at 6:00 p. m. at Willard's Restaurant.

4. The matriculation fee of fifteen dollars.
5. Satisfactory scores on all admission Tests which may be designated.
6. A date for a personal interview.

The application and credentials are evaluated by the Director of Admissions and by the Committee on Admissions and Credentials. The acquisition of the minimum required credit does not alone constitute qualification for admission. Candidates are selected in the judgment of the committee on the basis of scholarship, anticipated ability and professional promise. Notice of unconditional acceptance constitutes completion of matriculation.

National Health Council Film on Career Guidance Available

CHICAGO (AOA)—The National Health Council recently announced the completion and availability to member agencies of a 16-mm black and white motion picture entitled HEALTH CAREERS.

The quarter hour documentary film, underwritten by the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, was designed as an audio-visual companion to the Health Careers Guidebook.

All member agencies of the NHC, including AOA, were ordered four additional prints and these will soon be available on a loan basis to divisional societies, auxiliaries, hospitals, colleges and individual physicians.

Equitable's underwriting of the film also included the manufacturing of a substantial supply of film prints to be made available to member agencies at cost (\$25.00). Reprints usually run around \$125.00. State Societies wishing to take advantage of this terrific bargain need only to send a \$25.00 check to the Division of Public and Professional Service and a print will be ordered for them.

The film, fully cleared for television, introduces today's youth, their parents, teachers and the general public to a galaxy of career opportunities in the field of health. Deliberately avoiding the pitfall of telling people more than they want to know, the film is a question raiser designed to stimulate discussion.

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President Peters Resigns



Dr. Edwin F. Peters

Marion E. Wallace, chairman of the Board of Trustees of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery has announced the resignation of President Edwin F. Peters, Ph. D., effective June 1, 1957.

The eighth president of the institution, Dr. Peters came to the college on January 1, 1946 following navy duty as a Lt. Commander during World War II.

Dr. Peters received his A.B., and B.S. from Drury College; A.M., University of Missouri; and Ph.D., from New York University. He has taught in the public schools as well as in colleges and universities. The author of "Measurement of Individual Achievement in Music," and "A Factorial Analysis Study in Human Adjustment," he has also written numerous magazine articles in the field of psychology. Dr. Peters has traveled in many foreign countries visiting institutions of higher learning and studying their philosophy of education and the customs of the people.

During his tenure of office Dr. Peters served one year as the president of the American Association of Osteopathic Colleges, six years as a delegate of the American Osteopathic Association to the American Council on Education and seven years as a member of the Bureau of Professional Education and Colleges of the American Osteopathic Association. In demand as a public speaker he has delivered more than five hundred addresses before professional, civic, service, fraternal and religious associations and groups. He is a member of the Frederick R. Taylor History of Medicine Society of the Bowman Gray School of Medicine. Member: American Institute of Management, New York Academy of Sciences, The American Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, Iowa Academy of

Bay View Hospital Enlarges

Bay View Hospital R. A. Lease, administrator, expects to occupy its new service wing about April 15, 1957. The new wing which is being erected at a cost of \$244,652 will house a newly equipped kitchen and laundry. Other expansion including an addition of two floors to the new west wing will increase the bed capacity to 165.

Science, National Educational Association, Health Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, Des Moines, Iowa. Fellow in the American Association of the Advancement of Science, and Life Fellow in the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene. Listed in Who's Who in America, Who's Who International, Who's Who in Education, Who's Who in the Midwest and American Men of Science. Dr. Peters is a 32° Mason-Shriner.

Under the administration of Dr. Peters the college enrollment has increased from a low of 41, due to wartime conditions, to an annual average enrollment of 240 students. The school also received approval in the states of New York, California, Massachusetts, Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Wisconsin. During this period, through the efforts of the Still College Osteopathic Foundation, the building housing the Still Osteopathic Hospital was purchased, remodeled, and dedicated on October 6, 1946. The Clinic building was purchased in the fall of 1949 and extensive remodeling was done during the 1954-55 school year. Throughout the years a gradual program of remodeling the college building has been in progress to make it more suitable for college needs. The library was expanded to occupy the entire third floor of the college building with 8500 volumes.

Like the other five osteopathic colleges DMSCOS receives yearly grants from the United States Public Health Service for Cardio-vascular teaching and Cancer teaching in the amount of \$25,000; and \$14,000 yearly for research under Dr. Beutner, and \$15,000 yearly for Mental Hygiene teaching.

Due to the increase in enrollment and the acquisition of the hospital and clinic the number of employees has increased from eight in 1946 to two-hundred, including forty full time faculty members. The annual budget has increased from \$38,000 in 1946 to the present budget of approximately \$1,000,000.00 The assets of the institution have increased from \$170,000 as of May 1945 to over \$1,500,000.00 as of January 1, 1957.

The Board of Trustees wishes to thank Dr. Peters for his valuable contributions to the advancement of the college and the osteopathic profession and wishes him well in his future endeavors.

Poison Information Center of Iowa

Dr. A. Edward A. Hudson, Associate Professor of Clinical and Chemical Pathology at the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, has been appointed a member of the Advisory Committee for the new Iowa Poison Information Centers.

Accidents are now the leading cause of death throughout childhood and early adult years. Approximately 1500 deaths due to accidental poisoning in children are recorded annually in this country. The actual number of accidental poisoning is probably much greater since many fatalities are not recorded as to the exact cause or are attributed to other causes.

It is the crawling, ever-exploring toddler who gets into trouble. He is the 1 to 4-year old who is a taster by nature and anything about the house in cupboard or under sink in any container is apt to be sampled. Aspirin, kerosene and barbiturates are the most frequent troublemakers and can produce rapid and fatal poisoning. Besides the medicinals, there are a host of household products, such as cleaners, detergents, and pesticides which those youngsters may investigate. When reassurance is needed as to their harmlessness or specific information is required for effective treatment, one often finds that the can or bottle is not so labeled as to be of any assistance from a medical standpoint. We find ourselves seriously embarrassed as physicians by the scant information especially of many of the newer products for household use.

As evidence of this growing concern, the American Academy of Pediatrics in 1950 developed a National Committee on Accident Prevention under the leadership of Dr. George Wheatley of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

In November 1953, under the leadership of Dr. Edward Press as Chairman of the Poisoning Control Committee of the Illinois Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics, a Chicago Poison Information Center was set up.

Three years later there are now more than 35 poison centers in operation in this country. The Iowa Poison Information Center is a logical development for a centrally located regional pediatric medical center such as found at the Raymond Blank Memorial Hospital for Children where there is available 24 hour resident physician coverage. The various hospitals in the state will deal with cases of childhood poisoning as in years past and the diagnosis and treatment of these cases will continue to be the responsibility of the attending physicians. However, it seemed worthwhile to create a central point where information

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The President Chats

A large percentage of our population is becoming more and more interested in making investments in stocks and bonds. They are usually interested in making a Capital Gain; thus, receiving a tax benefit. Business operates for a profit and if the balance sheet is not in the black, dividends cannot be paid and credit is soon gone. Banks, insurance companies and money-lending agencies are not interested in making loans or taking mortgages for any corporation if the annual budget cannot be balanced.

The principles applicable to business corporations are also applicable to educational corporations; but unfortunately, our educational corporations (colleges) do not have a product to place on the open market at a profit making price. The products of our educational corporations are intangible and thus, the ready market for the service that the educated young person is able to render. While this product is most needed by society and the services rendered are always a credit to the mother educational corporation, the cash received from the marketing of the product does not show a cash profit for the corporation. In education the investment is made, the Capital Gains are evident, but a tax benefit is not realized the same as it would be in a stock investment.

The entire framework of our society is based upon our educational system. Democracy is the result of free enterprise and free enterprise could not exist without American Education. Still, our colleges are faced with mounting financial obligations, our accounts payable are increasing monthly, more demands are constantly being made for salary increases and personal fringe benefits but the income dollar does not warrant these demands.

Shall we attempt a flight from reality by ignoring the plight of our educational institutions, or, shall we meet the challenge of the cost of education?

Dr. Orel Martin Passes Away in Florida

Dr. Orel F. Martin, ASO '16, known to administrators, physicians and surgeons in every state, passed away in Coral Gables, Florida, on January 7, following a serious illness.

For many years Dr. Martin had been secretary of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons, having been one of its founders. More recently however, he had served as the executive secretary for ACOS and maintained his office in Coral Gables.

Fifty Dollar Award Offered

Dr. E. V. Enzmann is awarding a \$50.00 cash prize to the student who submits the best paper on the Application of Histology to Osteopathy.

Length of paper must not exceed 2,500 words and date of submission, April 1, 1957.

Papers will be judged by the American Osteopathic Association.

POISON CENTER . . .

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can be pooled and inquiries and cases reported be centralized.

In July 1956, plans were made in Des Moines for the establishment of a Poison Information Center of Iowa at the Raymond Blank Memorial Hospital under the auspices of the State Department of Health with the approval of the Pediatric Society of Des Moines, Iowa Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics, Iowa State Medical Society, Polk County Medical Society, Iowa Methodist Hospital and the Pediatric Staff of Blank Hospital. The purposes of the Poison Information Center of Iowa are:

1. Provide centralized information center to pool information and centralize inquiries.
2. Provide information for the physicians for getting the right thing done quickly as possible and providing information when the active ingredients in the poison ingested cannot be discovered locally.
3. When necessary, long distance telephone calls will be made to the manufacturer directly to obtain the ingredients and suggested methods of treatment will be given to the physicians.
4. Help in the educational program via literature, radio and TV programs, PTA, and newspapers in accident prevention at home.
5. Provide nucleus for expansion of sub-centers throughout the State of Iowa.
6. Data on poison cases may be collected from the sub-centers and the material classified and studied statistically. Data may be sent to the National Poison Information Center for further study.

Organization:

A permanent Poison Information Advisory Committee will be created with representatives from several agencies on the Committee: Hospital, Pediatric Organizations, Medical Societies, Health Departments, Coroners Offices, State University, State Toxicologist, and Universities. A smaller Executive Committee will be created to supervise the immediate operation of the Poison Information Center and to handle the technical aspects.

Operation:

Provision for 24 hour service will be met by the resident pediatrician on duty in the Emergency Ward of the Raymond Blank Memorial Hospital for Children where the necessary reference material and basic information cards will be filled. For the initial period of operation, the present chief resident in pediatrics at Blank Hospital (with postgraduate training in pharmacology and toxicology) will participate actively in the Information service provided. The resident on call will use his judgment in deciding when to telephone his superior or the outside consultants designated. The information given over the telephone (with the exception of first aid directions to the parents) is relayed to the physicians in charge of the patient only. The attending physician is free to exercise his judgment in accepting the information and applying it. Thus, the responsibility for administering treatment as the result of this telephone information REMAINS WITH THE

Christmas Seal Drive Exceeds 1955 Receipts

CHICAGO (AOA) — Receipt of about \$50,000 from 1956 osteopathic Christmas seal sales by February 1, indicated that the final total would surpass all prior drives. The 1955 sales produced \$53,000 for student loans and research in the osteopathic colleges.

On February 1, the leading state was Michigan with an incomplete total of \$4,342.00. Close behind came California and New York with \$4,007.00 and \$3,446.00 respectively. The next largest contributions are credited to Illinois with \$3,326.00 and Ohio with \$2,936.00.

On the basis of membership in AOA and the Auxiliary, Washington leads the societies with \$16.06 per member, followed by Indiana with \$14.26 per member.

"The greatly increased activity of the state chairmen is the largest factor in the substantial increase from 1955," according to Dr. E. H. McKenna, Muskegon Heights, Mich., Christmas seals committee chairman. He urged the early completion of reports from state and district campaigns.

USPHS Awards 300 Training Grants

CHICAGO (AOA)—More than 300 traineeships amounting to nearly a million dollars in aid have been granted during the first year of the new public health training program established at the last session of Congress.

The Public Health Service announced that 262 persons already are attending academic institutions on funds provided for graduate or specialized public health training of physicians, nurses and technicians. The Congress provided for three-year training programs to be administered through direct grants by the Public Health Service and subsidies to training institutions.

An 11-member national advisory committee to supervise the new program was named in January and met with Surgeon General Leroy E. Burney to consider awards for the 1957-58 academic year.

PATIENT'S PHYSICIAN AND IS NOT DELEGATED TO THE SOURCE OF THE TELEPHONE INFORMATION. Because of this latter policy, no medico-legal problems have arisen in any of the other centers.

Sub-Centers:

It is desired of the parent Iowa Poison Information Center to encourage establishment of local Sub-Centers throughout the State. The first such Sub-Center is established in Mason City. Information will be exchanged between the Sub-Centers and the parent Center.

For Information Call:

Iowa Methodist Hospital in Des Moines
Atlantic 8-7271

Ask for Poison Information Center extension

Sub-Center at Mason City

St. Joseph Mercy Hospital
1342.

Annual Christmas Party

The annual Christmas party for the employees and staff of the Still College, Hospital, and Clinic was held December 20. Gifts exchanged and refreshments served. Room 202 in the college building was nicely decorated for the occasion. E. Lynn Baldwin, Medical Photographer, showed some cartoon movies and other entertainment was provided as shown below. Group singing was led by Dr. Kuolt, Clinic Administrator.



1. Refreshments for everyone. 2. Dr. Dresser (right) "multiplying" Charlie Parker's \$1 bill. 3. A musical note for the party was supplied by Miss Caroline Parker. 4. Dr. Dresser pulling another sleight-of-hand trick on Mrs. Louise Ware. 5. Elvis Presley (Mary Villalobos, surgical nurse) rocked through two numbers for the group.

Visitors to the College in January

C. Lloyd Peterson, D.O.....	Denver, Colorado.....	KC '33
James L. Swartz, D.O.....	Altoona, Iowa.....	DMS '55
Theron D. Crews, D.O.....	Gonzales, Texas.....	DMS '36
Dr. Chase C. Atwood.....	New York, New York.....	
Dorothy D. Mullin, D.O.....	Ellsworth, Iowa.....	DMS '48
Calvin J. Houpt, D.O.....	Starke, Florida.....	DMS '34

Vermont Group Named in Will

CHICAGO (AOA)—The Vermont Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons received \$69,000 under the terms of a will of a Vermont woman who died in 1954. The bequest of Mrs. Mary Philbrick will be held in trust for the association by Dr. Raymond L. Martin, Montpelier, under the probate decree.

Dr. Phil Russell Guest Speaker

Dr. Phil R. Russell, past president of the A.O.A. and presently Executive Secretary of the Texas Osteopathic Association of Physicians and Surgeons, will speak at an all college convocation March 1st. The general topic of the talk will be "The Ethics of Practice". Dr. Russell is one of the best known men in the osteopathic profession.

KCOS Rsearcher Gets USPHS Funds

CHICAGO (AOA)—Dr. John A. Chace of the Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery is the recipient of a Public Health Service research fellowship. This is a five-year special research grant from the National Heart Institute. It is the first to be awarded to an osteopathic physician.

Chace is a graduate of the school and formerly a staff member at the Massachusetts Osteopathic Hospital in Boston.

Under this grant, he will continue his work in the Department of Osteopathic Technic in biomechanics under the sponsorship of Dr. J. S. Denslow.

Dean's Letter on Open-Mindedness

The following article is so suggestive and thought-provoking that it is presented here verbatim from General Motors' *Consumers Research Staff Booklet No. 38*.

"Processionary caterpillars feed upon pine needles; they move through the trees in a long procession, one leading and the others following—each with his eyes half closed and head snugly fitted against the rear extremity of his predecessor.

"Jean-Henri Fabre, the great French naturalist, after patiently experimenting with a group of these caterpillars, enticed them to the rim of a large flower pot where he succeeded in getting the first one connected up with the last one, thus forming a complete circle which started moving around in a procession which had neither beginning nor end.

"The naturalist expected that after a while they would catch on to the joke—get tired of their useless march and start off in some new direction, but not so.

"Through sheer force of habit the living, creeping circle kept moving around the rim of the pot, around and around, keeping the same relentless pace for seven days and seven nights—and would doubtless have continued longer, had it not been for sheer exhaustion and ultimate starvation.

"Incidentally, an ample supply of food was close at hand and plainly visible, but it was outside the range of the circle so they continued along the beaten path.

"They were following instinct—habit—custom—tradition—precedent—past experience—or whatever you may choose to call it, but they were following it blindly.

"They mistook activity for accomplishment, they meant well, but they got no place."

COPS Clinic Debt Retired by School

CHICAGO (AOA)—The College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons in Los Angeles now owns its clinic debt-free, according to Dr. W. Ballentine Henley, college president. School trustees were given the deed to the \$300,000 building in December. Funds to retire the indebtedness were raised in a five-year drive by the California Osteopathic Association and its auxiliary.

Dr. P. S. Anderson, DMS '05 Died January 28

Dr. P. S. Anderson died after a month's illness at Kansas City, Missouri. Born August 21, 1877, the son of pioneer residents, he worked on the family farm before studying osteopathy. He located at Fullerton, Nebraska, after graduation and practiced there for a number of years.

In 1903 he married Miss Lottie Mix. Surviving are sons Murel A., Chicago, Illinois; Dr. Carroll A. of Kansas City; and Dr. Harlan A. of Casper, Wyoming.

ITS

The annual spring dinner of the Iota Tau Sigma Fraternity was held Friday, February 1st in the Banquet Room of Vic's Tally Ho Restaurant. Over fifty alumni, actives, pledges, their wives and escorts attended the occasion. The get-together afforded the opportunity for the pledges and their wives to become better acquainted with the alumni and active members of the Fraternity.

A program followed the dinner hour with background music provided by Miss Ellyn Corneilson. Ellsworth Brown, known professionally as Sir Robin Clark, presented several renditions displaying his talents on the piano, saxophone, and vocally. He was accompanied by Roy "Hot Lips" Howe with his slip horn.

Cleo Brown of the freshman class gave a reverent vocal arrangement of The Lords Prayer. For an encore Cleo sang Laura to the full appreciation of everyone. We could never consider the program complete without a presentation of the magic art of Dr. Dresser. The old master slipped the shirt right off Mr. Howe's back and Roy is still looking for it.

After the entertainment everyone enjoyed the socializing with one another. We are sure everyone is looking forward to the Senior Banquet this spring. BR

Six Dental Schools Get Federal Research Grants

CHICAGO (AOA) — Federal research grants totalling \$766,000 have been made to six dental schools to construct additional facilities, according to the Public Health Service. The dental school grants went to the University of Illinois, Indiana University, State University of Iowa, University of Kansas City, Ohio State University and the University of Pennsylvania.

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

P.S.G.

For those of you who are still confused (no pun intended) about the music you heard at the P.S.G. Valentine Party . . . a comment. The record companies haven't gone 'square'. Those were some 1920 records we found in an unused closet. I guess our predecessors had their own method of pelvis rocking.

Our next big affair will be the annual Pledge Party. This year it will follow a novel motif. It's to be called a Shipwreck Party, and all attending must be appropriately garbed for admittance below. The date is March 1st, 1957. Time is to be announced and tickets will be sold. As in the past, the refreshments are included in the cost of the ticket, and the ticket numbers will be used in a drawing for door prizes.

Entertainment will be provided by the pledge group.

Dr. Ronald Woods spoke at our last Worknite on February 18th. His topic was Office Surgery, and was an excellent resume of minor surgical procedures for the commonest encountered maladies. The discussion turned out to be a good review for the juniors and seniors, and a good introduction for sophomores and freshmen to their future course in minor surgery.

Our annual pledge initiation ceremony will be March 9th, 1957. Any alumnus interested in attending please contact the Housemanager, Bob Cornwell.

Alumni tidbits should include a congratulations to George Evans, and we hope his luck holds out for more good public relations work. Jack Thesing and Jack Herzog, congratulations on your new \$25,000 clinic and for establishing your practice where doctors are really needed. (Note: they are the only physicians in the town.) Bill Eubanks should be wearing a bigger smile these days since Jean, his spouse, and Sandy and Cindy, his progeny, are back in Des Moines now. Beware, Avon Lake residents!

Further congratulations are extended to active members Thesing, Soye, Koss and Ozog on their acceptance into Psi Sigma Alpha, the National Honorary Scholastic Society for our profession.

L. O. G.

On the night of Feb. 13, 1957 in a decisive encounter L.O.G. Fraternity once more showed its basketball prowess with another victory over P.S.G. Fraternity. The same stars that took away P.S.G.'s mythical basketball championship last year again humbled the overconfident group from the house on Grand Avenue. Particular mention must be made of L.O.G. player Gerald Benaderet, who although injured, gamely played on to score the winning basket. We would also like to congratulate that sophomore L.O.G. trio of Martin Siegel, Harold (Hal) Bienenfeld and Ned Baron whose superlative ball handling dazzled the P.S.G. squad and aided immeasurably in the L.O.G. victory. Also from the showing of L.O.G. pledge Lawrence (Bunny) Goldman, it would seem that P.S.G.'s chances of breaking the L.O.G. basketball mastery next year are almost nil.

Credit must be given to the valiant P.S.G. five for its noble but vain effort. Rumor has it that P.S.G. is going to throw a party for the L.O.G. basketball team. Such a gesture exemplifies the fine sportsmanship existing between the two squads.

Can You Help Us?

The College Library needs a copy of the June 1949 issue of the "Log Book" for binding.

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Emergency Fund Drive Tops \$35,000

A total of \$35,000 has been received by the college since the drive for "Emergency Funds" started on March 3.

On that date a group of 35 heard a stirring presentation of the critical needs of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery by Dr. Robert D. McCullough, President of the American Osteopathic Association and Mr. Marion Wallace, Chairman of DMS Board of Trustees.

Even though the above report is encouraging, I know you realize that we are not going to attain our minimum goal of \$150,000 unless more alumni assume their share of their responsibility.

Osteopathic physicians practicing in Iowa have demonstrated that they are getting behind this campaign by contributing \$24,000 with the bulk of that amount coming from Polk County.

The Auxiliary to the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons has exhausted its treasury, contributing \$1,500 to the campaign.

The American Osteopathic Association, through its Osteopathic Progress Fund, presented the college with two checks totalling \$9,717.52. Mr. G. Willard King, O.P.F. Director, presented the checks to Mr. Wallace at the meeting on March 3.

Only one gift has been from outside the state of Iowa. This was a check from Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Blackwood, DMS '33, Comanche, Texas in the amount of \$500. I know that there will be many more, because I refuse to believe that an alumnus of this College will sit idly by while his institution faces a potential threat of foreclosure and disruption of our normal function.

The students, as well as the employees of the college, have complete faith in the profession and are confident that they will meet this emergency with determination and dollars. I would hate to see that faith shattered.

A large number of physicians have given more than their share. We know this. We are also cognizant of the fact that many doctors who are financially able to contribute have not done so.

At the March 3 meeting Dr. McCullough stated, "All teaching institutions have had problems like this to face in the past. The test of any profession is its ability to meet and resolve a crisis. In short, it is no reflection on a school to have a financial crisis, but it is a reflection on the Trustees and the members of the Profession if that crisis is not vigorously met."

The future of your institution is in your hands, doctor.

H. L. Gulden, D.O.
President,
National Alumni Association

Public Health Meeting

The annual meeting of the Iowa Public Health Association will be held April 10 and 11 in Des Moines. Meetings will be held in the Hotel Savery. Presiding over the general session will be E. B. Floersch, M.D. All interested people in the area are welcome to attend the session beginning 8 A.M. April 10. Merl P. Moon, Ph.D., Professor of Public Health at DMSCOS, will act as moderator for a panel on rabies at 9:30 A.M., Thursday, April 11. Participation by many public health officials and representatives from the Iowa Heart Association, Iowa Tuberculosis and Heart Association, Iowa Public Health Association, and the Iowa Tuberculosis Society, make the program an interesting one.

Students Awarded Pediatric Book

At the beginning of their junior year five students at the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery were presented copies of the 12th edition of Holt's Pediatric, presented to them by Appleton-Century-Crofts, Inc., book publishers. The 1400 page book was given to the top five students in each of the American and Canadian medical schools in recognition of their high scholastic standing during the 1955-56 school years. Recipients were Augustine Acosta, George Konold, Roosevelt Taylor, Sheldon Epstein and Donald King.

Kansas City to Have Child Health Conference April 15 - 17

Plans for the Silver Anniversary of the National Osteopathic Child Health Conference and Clinic have been completed, and all the scheduled conference lecturers have made firm commitments to appear. The program includes a number of "hardy perennials" who have been sparking the conference for years as well as a sprinkling of new faces.

Considerable interest has already been shown in this year's conference as a result of advance notices to the profession, and the pre-conference registration has been heavier than usual.

A definite departure from the former plan of symposiums will be seen in this year's panel discussions. These will be moderated by Ward Perrin who has often demonstrated his ability to bring a desirable degree of spontaneity and audience participation to group presentations so that the effect is that of a Seminar rather than of several individual (and often uncoordinated) lectures.

Dr. Joseph Yasso, Chairman of Banquets and Entertainment is arranging for an unusually live floor show, and he reports that excellent danceable music will be provided by the band after the banquet and show.

Mrs. Nancy Greaves, President of the Auxiliary to the Jackson County Osteopathic Association, and her Committee, have arranged two chief events for the wives of the physicians attending the Conference. All visiting ladies are invited to be guests of the Jackson County Osteopathic Association at a Reunion and Get Acquainted Tea in the Colonial Room of the Muehlebach, Monday, April 15, at 2:30 P.M.

The following morning at 10:30, a fancy brunch is scheduled for the Trianon Room of the Muehlebach. After the brunch an unusual program will be presented by the Osteopathic Student Wives Club of the Kansas City College of Osteopathy and Surgery, but the Student Wives have refused any advance information and want their program to be a surprise. The ladies of the Auxiliary will be hostesses at the Hospitality Room of the Muehlebach throughout the three days of the Conference and visiting ladies are urged to drop in at any time for coffee, bridge or gossip.

The Silver Anniversary Conference promises to be an exceptional program for both the physicians and their ladies. Dr. Floyd E. Dunn, General Chairman, reported that all of his Conference chairmen have succeeded in coming up with a bit of that extra effort needed to make an always successful program become truly outstanding for 1957.

The President Chats

The clouds of war were disappearing on the international horizon, as Japan had surrendered a few days before, and all knew that the men and women in uniform would soon be separated from the service, to begin the task of becoming adjusted again to home and civilian life. There were joys of anticipation for the new life in the minds of all as families would be reunited, old acquaintances renewed and new challenges accepted. Still, there would be present that certain depressed feeling as the call would be sounded for the last formation, the last review, and buddies would part for their homeward ride.

Such were the conditions on that Sunday afternoon, August 19, 1945, when a long-distance call came in from Des Moines, Iowa. It was the voice of Dr. Mary E. Golden, inquiring if I would soon be separated from the Navy and, if so, would I be interested in the Presidency of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery. My reply was, "I have been extremely interested in Osteopathy since 1923, but as to when my separation from the service would be forthcoming, I do not know". The Doctor replied that an air-mail letter would be mailed me and that she sincerely wished that I would give serious consideration to the position.

In a few days a letter was received from Dr. Howard A. Graney, inviting me to come to Des Moines at my earliest convenience to visit the college and meet with the Board of Trustees. A 48-hour pass was granted and the flight to Des Moines was made.

The ravages of war had left its imprint upon the college. The student body was less than 50, the laboratories were poorly supplied, the library was old and antiquated, but the spirit of those I met was high. The challenge was great and it was decided that the challenge would be accepted for a period of one year.

Annual Foreign Student's Week-End March 2-3

The fourth annual foreign students' week-end was held in Des Moines March 2-3. Many of the people of Des Moines participated in welcoming some 800 foreign students studying in Iowa Colleges from ninety different countries. The purpose of the week-end was to promote international understanding.

General chairman of the week-end was senior student at Still College, Daher B. Rahi, of Lebanon. Activities for the week-end were attended by college administrators, faculty, community leaders, and guests from Embassies in Washington, D.C. The weekend included an International Fiesta, open to the public, and held in the KRNT Radio Theater Saturday, March 2, from 7:45 to 9:30 p.m. Many of the students performed acts depicting their homelands at the Fiesta.

Governor and Mrs. Loveless and other dignitaries from Foreign Countries attended the Fiesta.

Clinical Chemists Guests of DMSCOS

The Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery was host to the Midwest Section of the American Association of Clinical Chemists Saturday, March 9.

Dr. A.E.A. Hudson, Associate Professor of Clinical and Chemical Pathology opened the meeting with a luncheon at the Kirkwood Hotel. After

the luncheon Dr. Kuolt, Clinic Administrator, addressed the group describing the functions of the Still Clinic and conducted them on a tour of the clinic.

Dr. Hudson, assisted by Mr. Rufus Sutton and Miss Janet Williams then showed the group through the various departments of the college.

Considerable praise was extended by each of the visitors for the library and departments inspected. Miss Williams and Mr. Sutton are associate members of the Association. Dr. Edwin F. Peters, President of the Still College, was an invited guest at the luncheon.



Midwest Section, American Association of Clinical Chemists.

Sclerotherapy Convention in Atlanta

The Annual Convention and Educational Meeting of the American Academy of Sclerotherapy will be held in Atlanta, Georgia on June 6, 7, 8, 1957, at the Hotel Henry Grady.

Various phases of injection treatment will be covered, including Hernia, Varicose Veins, Unstable Joints and Athletic Injuries; also a discussion of Endocrinology and Body Chemistry. Talks and practical demonstrations will be presented by experts in each field, with roundtable discussions for questions. On the lighter side, there will be a sight seeing tour of Stone Mountain and Cyclorama, and a banquet.

Further details may be obtained by interested doctors from our Secretary, Dr. Arthur T. Taylor, 1415 Grandville Ave., S.W., Grand Rapids 9, Michigan.

Californians Back Cancer Quack Fight

CHICAGO (AOA)—The California Osteopathic Association has joined the California Medical Association and other groups to sponsor a bill in the California legislature aimed at cancer quacks.

Phony cures for cancer peddled by quacks who demand large sums for their useless or harmful salves and medications are responsible for at least one death and probably others, according to the American Cancer Society.

Under present California law, no action is possible against the phony cancer experts. The law is vague and no severe penalty may be imposed. The bill now in the legislature would establish a composite medical board to investigate possible frauds and issue cease and desist orders. An accompanying bill would make violators liable to criminal action or revocation of license.

The Pennsylvania Osteopathic Association recently issued a statement of warning about fraudulent cures and quacks.

Three Dallas Hotels Await AOA Meeting

Convention Staff Urges

Immediate Registration

CHICAGO (AOA) — General space assignments at the Statler, Adolphus and Baker hotels in Dallas have been made for the 61st annual convention of the American Osteopathic Association July 15-19 in that city.

The AOA Board of Trustees and the House of Delegates will conduct their sessions at the Statler. Convention sessions and afternoon teaching programs are slated for the Adolphus. The Auxiliary and most of the affiliated group sessions will be assigned to the Baker.

Dr. Ruth W. Steen, Chicago, secretary of the AOA convention bureau, urged early convention registration to save time for delegates and convention staff alike. She also stressed prior reservation of rooms through the AOA housing bureau in Dallas to assure suitable family accommodations.

Advance registration and hotel reservation blanks will be published in the March issue of FORUM, Dr. Steen said.

Cincinnati Plans Osteopathic Hospital

Cincinnati will get its first osteopathic hospital in 1958 if things go according to plans of the city's 22 osteopathic physicians.

Major plans at the present call for the raising of \$400,000, one fourth of the construction cost. The 22 osteopathic physicians have pledged \$75,000 but the rest must come from the hospital fund campaign now underway.

Starting with 50 beds, the first all new general hospital in Cincinnati in 25 years will eventually have 150 to 175 beds.

Behind its streamlined modern front, the hospital will house operating and X-ray rooms, laboratories, obstetrical and pediatric departments and facilities for research in medicine, osteopathy and surgery in addition to a nurses' training school.

Honorable Mention Awarded Students

Two students at DMSCOS were awarded honorable mention in the 1956 Schering Award Contest. Louis Radnothy, senior student from Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania, made a survey of the new applications of antihistamines in medicine and surgery. Gerald Brodie, junior student from Los Angeles, California, supplied a suggested rationale for an approach to the use of adrenocortical steroids in the collagen diseases, with special reference to rheumatoid arthritis. Below is a sketch of the information presented by each.

Adrenocortical Steroids in The Collagen Diseases

by Gerald S. Brodie

According to a comprehensive analysis of current and recent literature, the long-term use of cortisone in these conditions has been disappointing. A new concept, therefore, seems indicated. Such a concept, based on Selye's analysis of stress, is presented. In addition, a resume of currently available therapy, adequately rationalized is given.



Stress evokes secretion of anti-inflammatory substances such as cortisone. If the patient's secretion of such substances is inadequate, cortisone then can be administered in a quantity sufficient to compensate for the deficiency.

Benefit can be expected to be only temporary, however, since such medication will initiate compensatory reactions tending to re-establish the dynamic equilibrium at its pre-medication level. Cortisone exogenously administered for example, may decrease still further the activity of the patient's adrenal cortex, and ultimately cause it to atrophy.

Compensatory mechanisms such as these, rather than deterring therapy, may be used to advantage. Desoxycorticosterone, for example, is pro-inflammatory; administration of it, together with epinephrine (intended to evoke ACTH stimulation of the patient's adrenals) may provide a "metabolic exercise" by which neuro-endocrine balance can be restored. Evidence to support this theory is presented.

The following items of therapy are rational and available:

1. Use of ascorbic acid (although evidence in therapeutic results are inconclusive, vitamin C is used as rationale because of its implication in;
 - a. Maintenance of mesenchymal integrity
 - b. Oxidation reduction phenomena
 - c. Intermediary metabolism of food-stuff
 - d. Protection against adrenal corticoid hormone inactivation therefore prolonging their action.
2. High protein diet
Anterior hypophyseal output seems to depend upon intake of protein.

Antihistamines in Medicine and Surgery

by Louis Radnothy

New applications for the antihistaminic agents are constantly being uncovered. The antihistamines per se are not a recent addition to the physicians armamentarium. They have been providing symptomatic relief from various manifestations for the past decade.

The prophylactic uses include modification and prevention of sensitivity reactions from parenteral antibiotic therapy, prevention of blood transfusion reactions, and intravenous dye reactions.



The obstetrician has found the drug most useful in the treatment of nausea and vomiting of pregnancy. It is also of value for prevention and treatment of motion sickness.

The topical use of antihistamines are mentioned only to be condemned, due to the high incidence of sensitivity, resulting in dermatoses.

The side actions of the antihistamines have been capitalized on in using the drug for its sedative effect. These have been utilized in pre-operative medication, and as a substitute for the barbiturates with success.

3. Control of emotional stress

This can be done by psycho-therapy at the general practitioner level. Further experimental work seems indicated in the use of ataraxic drugs as an adjunct.

The final items in the review is platitude but the platitude is no less true for being frequently remarked. The most reliable rule in management of endocrine disorders as in other fields of biology, and its application is the rule of individual variance from the mean. The mean may roughly describe the group but we treat the individual.

Dean's Letter

When one becomes possessed of a little surplus cash one of his first thoughts is the question of how to invest it in such a way as to bring a profit. Secondly he considers the safety of his fund after the investment has been considered.

If his investment pays him 16 2/3% interest he compliments himself on his wisdom. If, however, in due time it begins to turn a little sour, quits paying dividends, and finally depreciates by 16 2/3% of its former value he must make a choice.

Shall he discard the entire investment and write it off as a total loss? Or shall he add sufficient funds to bring his business up to full value again? Certainly, resignation to total loss would be unworthy of consideration.

The obvious thing to do, then, will be to protect his investment against further loss. By so doing he is demonstrating faith in his judgment and in the future of his business.

Professor to Deliver Paper in Copenhagen

Dr. A. E. A. Hudson, Associate Professor of Clinical Pathology and Biochemistry of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, has been invited by Dr. Conrad J. Gaasar, Secretary of the European Society of Hematology of Zurich, Switzerland, to appear on the program of the VI^e Congres De La Societe Europeenne d'Hematologie in Copenhagen, Denmark, August 26-31, 1957. This conference is under the patronage of the Danish Hematology Society and in collaboration with the International Society of Blood Transfusion. Doctor Hudson's paper will be entitled, "Modern Conception of Platelets".

The conference will be divided into the following groups: 1. Immuno-hematology, which will consist of studies on the red blood cells, the white blood cells and the platelets and the blood groups of humans and animals. 2. Studies and discussions on the serum proteins and their cellular origin. 3. Fundamental aspects of haemorrhagic disorders, particular stress being laid upon blood coagulation. 4. Discussion on the diagnosis and the modern treatments of leukemia and myeloproliferative disorders. 5. The properdin system.

I.F.C. Basketball News

The I. F. C. basketball team is in full swing. To date the record is 1-3. The losses were close ones, however—still losses. Willkie House was our only victim with Mike Prineas and Hal Bienenfeld leading the way. Harry Stiggers believes this is a good start and that in the years to come that the team will improve and have better backing and a greater student participation. The members wish to thank Mr. Fuller and those Doctors who have made it possible for the team to have uniforms.

I. T. S.

Beta Chapter, I.T.S., is happy to present an outstanding group of pledges from the class of 1960. These embryonic osteopaths pictured below will soon be initiated into the role of active I.T.S. men.



Sitting, 1st row, Henry Wick, Vic Goble, Ed Running; 2nd row: Bob Slocum, Tom Henn, Dick Vermillion; 3rd row: Don Beckman, Bud Sprague; Standing, Left to right: Allen Crosby, Clark Barczewski, Ray Conn, Roy Howe, President.

Now that the fury of the six weeks examinations are past the fraternity is turning its attention toward work nites and social events.

Our most recent worknite was held on March 8. Dr. Don Beckman, O.D., a member of the freshman class and I.T.S. pledge, projected his collection of slides on pathologies of the fundus of the eye. Each slide was discussed as to its pathology and diagnostic value, especially in early recognition of systemic involvements.

On March 29, Dr. "Tony" Sloan is going to give a worknite on the interpretation and diagnostic value of the E.K.G. It will be held at his clinic on Southwest Ninth Street. We hope to see you all there.

With the approaching barbecue and convertible weather, plans are forming for an outing of steaks, burgers, baseball, and sorebacks.

B.R.

L O. G.

Log fraternity recently had a worknite with Dr. Walter Anderson, Past Polk County Coroner, as the speaker. Dr. Anderson showed slides to the group and lectured on some of his past experiences. It was a very educational evening and one enjoyed by all those who attended.

On March 16th the fraternity is holding a square dance open to all students and instructors. Also at the end of the month, the Annual Senior-Dinner dance will be held. It is a traditional affair honoring all our Fraternity senior students, also at this time our pledges will become active members of the fraternity.

With the warm weather approaching, the thoughts of baseball are in the air and our chapter ball team will soon be organized. We welcome all competition.

Maine D. O. Elected Chairman of Council

CHICAGO (AOA) — Dr. Roswell P. Bates of Orono, Me., was elected chairman of the state's executive council for 1957-58.

A former speaker of the Maine house of representatives, he is starting his second term on the council. He is the only member to be re-elected from the previous council. At 45, he is thought to be the youngest man in Maine history to hold the chairmanship.

Dr. Bates and six other Republican members of the council will serve a two-year term with Democratic Governor Edmund S. Muskie.

A Telephone Trick

There are times when any of us get caught trying to hear over a telephone in a noisy room. It seems a natural tendency to try to plug the other ear. Instead cover the mouth piece of the telephone and one can hear much better. Try it!

Rachel Woods, D.O.

Atlas

The members of Atlas Club wish to thank all of our alumni and friends who made our annual drawing a pleasant success. The drawing was held at the Atlas House with a party which was enjoyed by all. Dr. Chapman was the happiest MC we have had for quite some time. His witty remarks and running the keys were some of the highlights of the night. Elias Yurick was in charge of the entire affair. Dr. Fitz made a late appearance. His presence was indeed appreciated by everyone.

The Atlas pledges, D. Warren, S. Losos and J. Jackson, were made active members February 9, 1957 at the Atlas House. A party was held afterwards.

The new officers are Nobel Skull, John Baker; Occipital, Jim Brown; Pylorus, Eugene Timmons; Stylus, Hugh Furness; Sacrum, Harry Stiggers; Receptaculum, Al Stepanski.

The annual banquet will be held May 24 at Vic's Tally Ho.

Dr. Lenz to Build Missouri Hospital

CHICAGO (AOA)—Construction of a new \$300,000 osteopathic hospital has been announced at St. Joseph, Missouri by Dr. William P. Lenz. The new hospital will replace one which Dr. Lenz has headed for the past 20 years. The old building was sold to permit expansion of another hospital.

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Fifty-eighth Annual Commencement May 31

Forty-nine Seniors Will Receive D. O. Degree

Forty-nine seniors will receive the coveted degree of Doctor of Osteopathy during the fifty-eighth annual commencement exercises at St. John's Lutheran Church, Friday, May 31, at 8 P.M.

All will voluntarily take a year of interne training in one of the many Osteopathic hospitals approved by the Bureau of Hospitals of the American Osteopathic Association. May 31 then marks the end of at least seven years of pre-professional and professional education, and at the same time it marks the beginning of a life time of constant study.

The name, home town, and state from which the seniors came are:

Chase Atwood — Center Harbor, New Hampshire
John Baker—Mankato, Minnesota
Jack Briar—Altoona, Iowa
Dino Cacioppo—Akron, Ohio
Bernard Conn—Detroit, Michigan
Howard Crum—Tiffin, Ohio
Andrew Cucuiat—Conoga Park, California
Bernard Dash—Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Irving Epstein—Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
William Eubanks—Detroit, Michigan
Edward Farmer—Newark, Ohio
Robert Fuss—Detroit, Michigan
Byron Georgeson—Detroit, Michigan
Leon Gilman—Kenosha, Wisconsin
Donald Glanton—Dayton, Ohio
Harry Harris—Blomfield, New Jersey
Saul Jeck—Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Edward Kadletz—Iron Mountain, Michigan
Samuel Kaufman—Los Angeles, California
Bernard Kay—Detroit, Michigan
Robert McLaughlin—Des Moines, Iowa
David L. McSwain—Detroit, Michigan
Lamar Miller—Poland, Ohio
Charles Murphy—Detroit, Michigan
Harold Powell—Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Byrd Pullum—St. Petersburg, Florida
Lois Pullum—St. Petersburg, Florida
Richard Pullum—St. Petersburg, Florida
Louis Radnothy—Beaver Falls, Penn.
Paul Rose—Des Moines, Iowa
Daher Rahi—Detroit, Michigan
Charles Russo—St. Clair Shores, Michigan
David Salvati—Auburn, New York
Ernest Schillinger—New York, New York
Tom Sefton—Dayton, Ohio
Alvin Shapiro—Detroit, Michigan
Willie Sibley—Youngstown, Ohio
Jack Spirtos—Campbell, Ohio
Albert Stepanski—Royal Oak, Michigan
Harry Stiggers—Warren, Ohio
David Susser—Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
Merrill Van Patten—Des Moines, Iowa

Governor Herschel Loveless to Speak at Senior Banquet

The Still Student Wife's Club announce the forthcoming Senior Banquet, to be held May 30, 1957 at 6:30 p.m. in the Field Room of the Hotel Commodore.

All students and guests are cordially invited to attend the banquet. The dinner will be \$2.25 per person. Reservations can be made early by contacting Mrs. Bill Stoerkel, chairman of the banquet.

The main speaker of the evening will be Iowa's Governor Herschel C. Loveless. During the banquet "P.H.T." certificates will be awarded those senior wives who put their husbands through, as the saying goes.

A gala evening has been planned by the program committee, so plan on attending the event of the year.

Let's attend and give the lucky seniors the send-off they deserve after the long, hard pull.

Gruenther Asks Medical Envoys

CHICAGO (AOA) — The United States needs some sort of "medical foreign service" or program for medicine in diplomacy, General Alfred M. Gruenther, president of the American National Red Cross said recently.

By sharing their knowledge and skills in a concerted program, doctors can play a tremendous role in building international understanding in nations lacking medical resources, he emphasized. "Human misery is the same everywhere in the world," he said.

The soviet shift to emphasis on neutralism among under-developed nations makes it now more imperative than before that we help others to help themselves, General Gruenther warned.

William Vernier—Detroit, Michigan
Allen Waller—New York, New York
Seymour Weiner—Detroit, Michigan
Bernard Weiss—Lincoln Park, Michigan
Robert Weissinger—Minneapolis, Minnesota
Llewellyn Wilson—Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Walter Wilson—Tulsa, Oklahoma

Ralph F. Lindberg, D. O. Commencement Speaker

Dr. R. F. Lindberg, Medical Director of Detroit Osteopathic Hospital, Detroit, Michigan, will deliver the fifty-eighth annual commencement address at St. John's Lutheran Church, Sixth Avenue and Keosauqua Way, Friday, May 31, at 8 p.m.



Dr. R. F. Lindberg

Dr. Lindberg is a graduate of the Chicago College of Osteopathy and Surgery, class of 1924. He is past president of the American College of Osteopathic Internists, and the American Osteopathic Hospital Association.

Tumor Clinic Questionnaire

A questionnaire has been prepared and sent to the graduates of the classes of 1922, 1927 and 1932 for the purpose of determining the incidence and various other associative information concerning cancer in this select group. A total of possibly 145 such questionnaires has been sent to this group and the evaluations will eventually be recorded and published in THE LOG BOOK when return of the questionnaires has been completed.

The President Chats

Hostilities had ceased and millions of men and women were flooding the separation centers to receive their last orders which would send them on their way to a new life. The writer, too, was as anxious as all others to assume his role in a new society by forgetting our Yesterdays and planning for the Tomorrows. Finally, that day did arrive, December 12, 1945. Haste was made for the new challenge, Des Moines, and the expansion of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery.

Leaving the warm temperatures of the South, and a few days later experiencing the temperature of 14° below, was an adjustment not anticipated. The warmth of the dinner reception given by the profession, the surprise visit of Dr. Robert Starks, then President of the American Osteopathic Association, and a few days later the pleasure of a visit from Dr. L. W. Mills, Director of Education, American Osteopathic Association, and himself an Army Veteran just separated from the service, added further joys for being in a new position.

Those early days were glorious days; meeting new problems, making new acquaintances and trying to find a place to live were a few of the challenges, not to mention the building of a student body, employing teachers, enlarging laboratories, raising money and getting a research program underway.

What we had planned to be a one-year stay in Des Moines was now extending to many years. Remodeling continued, new clinic facilities were acquired, the hospital had been opened, the assets grew (but not enough) and students came from most of our states and several of the foreign countries.

A part of the early dream had been realized.

Student Gift to Fund

Mr. Toni Martinho, a freshman, has given \$100.00 to the D.M.S.C.O.S. General Fund. Mr. Martinho is to be commended on his fine spirit and devotion to the profession. The \$100.00 was a donation to help the college in its current campaign.

Mead Johnson Awards Grants

CHICAGO (AOA) — Two additional grants for post-graduate study by osteopathic physicians have been announced by Mead-Johnson and Company.

The awards of \$1,000 each went to Dr. Delbert Maddox of the Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery and Dr. Richard F. Spavins of the Kansas City College of Osteopathy and Surgery. Dr. Maddox was the recipient of an earlier Mead Johnson fellowship.

These two stipends and a third to Dr. Jane Hamilton of the College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons constitute a second series of awards to osteopathic physicians by the company.

Dr. Phil Russell Speaks at Convocation



Dr. Phil Russell, ACO '16, Secretary of the Texas Osteopathic Ass'n., visited DMSCOS March 1. He is shown here with one of the many groups of students that enjoyed talking, asking, and learning from one so well versed in the osteopathic profession. Earlier in the day, Dr. Russell spoke before the student body on the ethics of our profession. He told us that we must understand the basis of the osteopathic concept to realize the reason for our existence. Too often do we forget that the early advancement and fast progress made in this profession was by those who applied the principles of osteopathy. Dr. Russell said that only by fulfilling our obligations and rendering a service will we propagate this profession.

D. O. Operation Restores Sight

CHICAGO (AOA)—Spectacular corneal transplants by two California osteopathic surgeons have restored the sight of two women otherwise doomed to blindness.

Drs. George Blasdel and George Z. Dupont, Los Angeles, transplanted healthy corneas from persons who had just died to replace the faulty part of the women's eye. This kind of operation is usable only when blindness is caused by opaque cornea conditions.

The corneal transplant has been developed mostly since World War II with the advent of antibiotics and cortisones and the creation of almost microscopic hand-made needles used to suture the delicate membrane.

And the operations are dependent upon the availability of sound corneas which can be removed immediately after death and placed them in the eye of the living recipient. The maximum time lapse has been 72 hours but the optimum period is much shorter. Consequently, the cornea must be willed for transplanting or permission must be granted by relatives so that the transplant can occur just after death.

The operation was performed at the Glendale Community Hospital.

Science Topics Set For AOA Convention

Air Pollution, Earth Satellite, Oceanography

CHICAGO (AOA)—Developments of the International Geophysical Year will be the topics of speakers from outside the healing arts professions who will address the 61st annual American Osteopathic Association convention July 15-19 at Dallas.

Dr. William G. Frederick, director of the Detroit bureau of industrial hygiene, will talk about the health effects and causes of air pollution on Tuesday morning. Dr. Dale F. Leipper, professor and head of the department of oceanography at Texas A&M College will speak Thursday morning on his specialty and its ramifications.

Dr. Neil R. Kitchen of Detroit, general convention program chairman, also announced that a scientist who participated in the earth satellite project would discuss that program.

Dr. R. McFarlane Tilley of the Kirksville Osteopathic Hospital and a past AOA president, will moderate a Friday morning discussion of intra-professional relationships. Included in his panel will be general practitioners, specialists, osteopathic publication editors and legal and insurance representatives.

Iowa Osteopaths Attend Clinical Reviews

Dr. L. A. Ford, Lamont, Iowa; Dr. H. F. Heideman, Coggon, Iowa; Dr. C. R. Barry, Tripoli, Iowa; and Dr. H. Crawford, Dyersville, Iowa, all attended the Clinical Reviews at the Mayo Clinic and Mayo Foundation, Rochester, Minnesota, April 1-3, 1957. A program of lectures and discussions on Problems of Current Interest in General Medicine and Surgery was held at Mann Hall, Medical Sciences Building.

P. S. G.

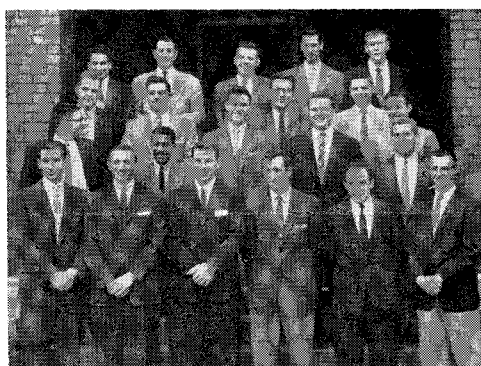
Whew! . . . but we've had a busy spell. Phi Sigma Gamma's annual pledge party, the Shipwreck Shindig, was a tremendous success. "Ahem . . . Well done men! You did a fine job below." We all had a (hic) fine time and a wonderful night of relaxation. The pledges did a swell job.

Among the notables present with all us noticers were Mr. Fuller, the public relations director for the state osteopathic association; Walt Reno, of radio and television here in Des Moines; "we, of the E.E.N.T. Department", Dr. Juni; Miss (Mrs.) Shipwreck, Nan Millar (Don verbot us to use Nan's name without the "Mrs."; after all, she is married, and that was his sheet); and that character who has "something fishy about her" (not her husband), Frankie Koss. That sure was a clever mermaid outfit.

Again to you, Walt Reno, for your efforts in supporting the prenatal classes, a sincere "Danke-schon"! Not just from us, but from the college and the whole state.

About all great men, good ideas, or worthy causes there must be some controversy. But among us here at Delta chapter, there is no controversy about the deep feeling of loss with the resignation of Dr. Hewitt from D.M.S.C.O.S.' staff. We hope we adequately and sincerely expressed this feeling at the farewell dinner for him, and we hope (on the lighter side) that he hasn't signed this last kymograph for osteopathy or P.S.G. (Note: The farewell cake had a kymograph motif and Dr. Hewitt was asked to sign it. As you might expect, the dang thing had the tracings on upside down!)

This year P.S.G. wishes to present the smiling faces of the men responsible for the Shipwreck Party. These are the 21 new actives of the fraternity:



First Row (left to right) Ronald Strickman, Harvey Ring, Nick Conway, Jean Ippolito, John Molea, Robert Beech; Second Row (left to right) William Lavendusky, Lester Mullens, John Grace, Joe LaCasse, James Fox; Third Row (left to right) James Hicks, Antone Martinho, John Knable, Leonard Faymore, Carl Roberts; Fourth Row (left to right) James Payne, John Raedy, Myran Lockey, John Waite, Richard Coatney.

Regarding our Worknites . . . On March 15th we presented a film from the Upjohn series on "Borderline Cancer". It presented such medical giants as Crile, Ackerman, Oschner, Bockus. It was an excellent film and we had Dr. Minnick to serve as moderator, and to execute a post-cinematographic elucidation of points not too trans-

Student Wives Install New Officers

Installation of the new officers of the Still Student Wives Club was held at the P.S.G. House, February 12, 1957.

Those installed by Mrs. Jean F. LeRoque, a sponsor were: Mrs. Leon Gilman, President; Mrs. Fred Metz, 1st Vice; Mrs. Howard Siegal, 2nd Vice; Mrs. Gene Fredericks, Secretary; Mrs. Jerry Margolis, Treasurer.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Wilbur Chinn, Mrs. Henry Wick, and Mrs. Berton Kessler.



Left to right: Eadie Gilman, Gloria Meltz, Judy Siegal, Jan Fredericks, Gerri Margolis, and outgoing president Pat Weisinger.

DMS Fund Drive Raises \$45,000

CHICAGO (AOA)—At the end of the first month a fund-raising campaign for the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, Des Moines, Iowa, had collected about \$45,000 of its goal of \$150,000.

Dr. Clive R. Ayers, Grant, Iowa, general chairman of the drive and president of the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, said that early contributions had come mostly from the Des Moines area through personal solicitations by alumni.

lucent—in a field which is obviously not virgin to his academic endeavors—oncology. Our next Worknite will be centered around a second Upjohn film. Whether it will be the, "Acute Abdomen", or "Congestive Heartfailure", will depend upon mailing schedules. Time and moderator will be announced.

A word of congratulations to Stan Ozog for his research with Dr. Hsie on Antibiotic resistant strains of bacteria. We weren't able to include it in the last note of congratulations.

Well, it looks like the bachelor list is dwindling again. Gladys' smile won Pres. Vernier; Marilyn has finally tired Frank Dono after 5 laps; and Bob Cornwell . . . well, Lois does have an attractive black bathing suit.

Dean's Letter

As the school year approaches its close, hundreds of premedical and preosteopathic students are completing their preliminary education prior to admission to professional schools in the Fall.

Last efforts are being made to meet requirements in Chemistry, Physics, and Biology and to meet the total number of hours required for admission.

In DMSCOS, a student must have completed General Chemistry, Organic Chemistry, Physics, and at least a year in Biology (preferably Zoology) in satisfactory fashion. Furthermore, he must have completed at least 90 semester hours satisfactorily.

Our Admissions Committee is actively engaged in admissions matters the year 'round. It meets regularly on Fridays to interview the applicants and to take up other matters. All students who are interested in Osteopathy are invited and encouraged to write the Committee for information. Furthermore, they will find that any Osteopathic Physician who practices in the vicinity will be pleased to discuss the value of Osteopathy as a career at any time.

The Freshman class which registers on September 6, 1957, is now more than half completed. We urge interested students to pursue matters concerning admission without delay while there is still time.

Dr. McCaughan Dies of Coronary Attack

Executive Secretary Served AOA 25 Years

CHICAGO (AOA)—Dr. Russell C. McCaughan, executive secretary emeritus of the American Osteopathic Association, died March 21 of a coronary attack. His death was unexpected and came on a vacation trip at Largo, Florida, where he and Mrs. McCaughan were visiting friends.

After 25 years in the position, Dr. McCaughan retired as executive secretary of the AOA in September, 1956.

"His death will be mourned by every member of the profession and by his many other friends," said Dr. Robert D. McCullough, AOA president. "Dr. McCaughan was known throughout the nation as the spokesman and leader of the osteopathic profession."

Funeral rites were held at Kokomo, Indiana, Dr. McCaughan's hometown, on March 25. He was survived by his wife, Mrs. Bessie Alice McCaughan; a brother, Marcus McCaughan; and several nieces and nephews.

At the time of his death, Mrs. McCaughan requested that flowers be omitted. She asked that any tributes to Dr. McCaughan be expressed through gifts to the Russell C. McCaughan Education Fund or to the Chicago Osteopathic Hospital.

Pallbearers were friends from the profession.

Photographs and a complete obituary of Dr. McCaughan are available from the Division of Public and Professional Service.

Femur Follies of Fifty-Seven

Be on the lookout for the fellows who try to pull your leg. These guys are just trying to get you to show off your stuff. And why not? You stand a chance to win one of the four money prizes being offered by the Student Council for practically anything of an entertaining nature. Folly night will be held the 15th of May, the evening of the all-school picnic. So let's get out the ole cornets and saxophones, write down those corny jokes, polish them up a little and bring them to the auditions which will be held the last week in April or the first of May, to be announced.

Ask around the class and find out who you have to register with to be in the auditions. To judge the entertainment will be an applause-meter and a group of judges chosen from the faculty. We have been told the program will be such that the whole family will enjoy coming so plan to attend THE FEMUR FOLLIES OF '57.

Spring Activities for Student Wive's Club

On February 26, 1957, the Still Student Wives Club held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. G. L. Elliot, 600 4th St. in West Des Moines.

The main topic of business involved the forthcoming projects of the Ways and Means Committee. The group decided on a Hobo Party, which will include Still Student Wives, their husbands and friends. It will be held May 4, 1957, at the Moose Hall. Lots of time left to tear up old rags for the party. A floor show featuring Still Students and some of the wives will be the highlight of the evening.

The Senior Banquet was also decided upon, and the affair will take place May 30, 1957, in the Field Room of the Hotel Commodore.

Gracious co-hostesses for the evening along with Mrs. Elliot included Mrs. John J. McNearny, and Mrs. William H. Johannsen.

L. O. G.

Log Fraternity held their annual Senior Dinner Dance at Connie & Lew's Skyliner March 30th. The Fraternity honored five graduating seniors; Alvin Shapiro, Saul Jeck, Sam Kaufman, Irving Epstein and Bill Sibley.

During the evening eleven pledges were initiated into the fraternity. They include Sandy Kushner, Gerald Thurer, Harvey Micklin, Milton Fields, Sheldon Kafton, Richard Brown, Lawrence Goldman, Fred Seligman, Sam Kligerman, Steve Chankin and Frank Roth.

Dr. Richard DeNise was guest speaker for the evening. Other guests included Dr. Nancy DeNise, Dr. and Mrs. John Shumaker, Dr. and Mrs. Harry Elmets, and Dr. and Mrs. Robert Kreamer.

The Des Moines Community Playhouse production of "Come Back Little Sheba", had LOG representation. Martin Siegel played Turk and did a commendable job.

We hope everyone enjoyed the Easter Recess and that those who went home had a safe journey.

"Symptoms of Our Time" Film Series Available

CHICAGO (AOA) — "Symptoms of Our Time", a series of six television shows produced by the audio-visual department of the American Osteopathic Association are now ready for promotion and distribution.

The 16mm, black and white sound films are dramatized and fully cleared for television use. Titles of the quarter-hour public service shows are *Alcoholism*, *The Drug Addict*, *Arthritis*, *Medical Emergency*, *The Accident Plaque* and *The Democratic Cold*.

The series will be promoted and distributed in the same manner as the 26-week radio series of the same name. An extensive promotional campaign directed at the nation's 449 operating television stations has already been launched by the Division of P & PS.

Actual distribution will be handled by state societies which purchase the series as their own.

Drake and Still Wive's Hold Spring Fashion Show

Spring really sprang out of Maternity Modes and Zoe's Fashions, for the Still and Drake Student Wive's fashion show. The two groups combined for the evening of March 13, 1957 at the Moorehouse Dorm on Drake's campus.

Everyone enjoyed hearing Eadie Gilman and Marge Hummel, respective club presidents, comment on the club's objectives and activities.

Fashions for both maternity styles and regular wear was the highlight of the evening. Seven lovely girls from both groups modeled the fashions. The Still girls modeling were: Sheila Jeck, Gerri Kilgerman, and Ann Prineas. The Drake wives who modeled were: Betty Rankin, Jan Cook, Joan Anderson, and Joyce Williams.

The fashion commentator for the evening was Mrs. Swisher of Maternity Modes. Mrs. Zoe Starkey supplied the additional fashions from her shop in the Kresge Bldg.

Refreshments were served by the Still Student Wives.

Both groups thoroughly enjoyed the fashion show, and hope to combine again in the near future for another enjoyable evening.

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Bay View Hospital,
Bay Village, Ohio

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Portland Osteopathic Hospital,
Portland, Michigan

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Allan Waller

Mt. Clemens General Hospital,
Mt. Clemens, Michigan

Seymour Weiner

Detroit Osteopathic Hospital,
Detroit, Michigan

Bernard Weiss

Garden City Hospital,
Garden City, Michigan

Robert Weissinger

Des Moines General,
Des Moines, Iowa

Llewellyn Wilson

Mt. Clemens Hospital,
Mt. Clemens, Michigan

Walter Wilson

Oklahoma Osteopathic Hospital,
Tulsa, Oklahoma

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 the life of my patients, to retain their confidence and respect both as a physician and a 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 drugs for deadly purposes to any person, 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 by 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 further the application of basic biologic truths to the healing arts and to develop the principles of osteopathy which were first enunciated by Andrew Taylor Still.

David McSwain

Ziegler Osteopathic Hospital,
Detroit, Michigan

Lamar Miller

Grandview Hospital,
Dayton, Ohio

Charles Murphy

Flint Osteopathic Hospital,
Flint, Michigan

Lois Pullum

Wilden Osteopathic Hospital,
Des Moines, Iowa

Richard Pullum

Des Moines General Hospital,
Des Moines, Iowa

Louis Radnothy

Garden City Hospital,
Garden City, Michigan

The President Chats

Time Marches On, and with each succeeding year more changes were made. The library grew until it now occupies the entire third floor of the college building and the demands required two full-time librarians. The faculty grew through the years until the full-time faculty numbered more than forty, fourteen of whom held the degree of Ph.D., or its equivalent. The budget grew over the years from less than forty-thousand dollars to nearly a million dollars a year and on the college's payroll there are approximately two hundred employees. Annually, significant researches have come from the laboratories of the college, one faculty member had a book published within the last few years, and at present two more volumes, written by faculty members, are ready to go to press.

Progress has been made new frontiers have been invaded and friends and foes have been made.

Now, after eleven and a half years of conscientious labor to the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery and to the Osteopathic profession, whether this labor has been right or not, whether it pleased the profession or not, it was done sincerely with only one thought in mind—and that to make this college a truly great educational institution.

With the administering of the oath, the conferring of the degree on the class of 1957, my official duties as President of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery will end.

The memories of the past are pleasant and my sincerest prayer is for the continued growth and progress of this college.

Children's Program Set for AOA Meeting

Committee Plans Supervised Play

CHICAGO (AOA) — A special supervised program for children in attendance is being planned by the local convention committee for the 61st American Osteopathic Association convention July 15-19 at Dallas.

The children's program will be set for the first time. It will be voluntary by parents and limited to children from 7 to 16. But those who choose to have their children participate will be free to enjoy the "Texas style" entertainment planned for the doctors and their wives.

Mrs. Charles D. Ogilvie and Mrs. Carl O. Haymes, both of Dallas, members of the local convention committee, will supervise the children's program. Dr. Robert E. Morgan of Dallas is chairman of the local committee.

According to Dr. Ross M. Carmichael, Dallas, chairman of the local public relations committee, six Dallas and suburban civic and service clubs have requested luncheon speakers to discuss public health during the convention. Additional requests are expected.

Speakers already selected include Morris Thompson and Wallace W. Pearson of KCOS, W. Ballentine Henley of COPS, Dr. S. V. Robuck of Chicago and Dr. Vincent P. Carroll of Laguna Beach, California.

Texas Governor To Welcome AOA

Dr. Lloyd To Give Still Memorial Talk

CHICAGO (AOA)—Texas Governor Price Daniels and Dallas Mayor R. L. Thornton will extend welcomes to the 61st American Osteopathic Association convention July 15-19 at Dallas.

The opening sessions also will feature a talk by Dr. Willis M. Tate, president of Southern Methodist University. Dr. Marshall Steel, pastor of the Highland Park Methodist Church, will deliver the invocation.

Dr. Paul T. Lloyd of Philadelphia will be the Andrew Taylor Still Memorial lecturer. He will speak Thursday morning on "Governance in Osteopathic Education." Dr. Lloyd is a member of the American Osteopathic Board of Radiology and for many years has been professor of radiology at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy.

The presidential banquet honoring Dr. Robert D. McCullough will be held on the evening of July 15 with the inaugural banquet following on July 18.

Three scientists will discuss international geophysical year projects at Monday, Tuesday and Thursday morning sessions.

Dr. Ruth Steen, secretary of the convention bureau, stresses the advantage of early convention registration and room reservation in one of the three participating hotels. Dallas hotels which will house convention activities are the Adolphus, Baker and Statler.

President Attends Texas and Ohio Conventions

President Edwin F. Peters attended the Texas Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons Convention, held in San Antonio, Texas, May 2, 3, and 4. While there, as did Doctor Thompson of the Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery and Doctor Peach of the Kansas City College, Doctor Peters spoke before the joint alumni luncheon which was held at noon on Friday, May 3rd. Registration reports indicated that this convention was the largest convention, from the point of attendance, that has ever been held in San Antonio.

After the Texas Convention, Doctor Peters flew to Columbus, Ohio, to attend the convention of the Ohio Association of Osteopathic Physicians where he spoke to the alumni association of this college at their luncheon on Tuesday, May 7th. Registration for the Ohio convention this year was the largest in the history of the profession, according to reports.

PCO Grad Gets Magazine Award

CHICAGO (AOA)—A 1955 graduate of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy, Dr. Michael J. Zappitelli of Philadelphia, was a winner in the Reader's Digest college contest conducted during the fall of 1956.

Dr. Zappitelli received \$1000 and an equal amount went to the college for scholarships. The contest was sponsored by the magazine's educational department.

College Acceptances Greater Than 1956

CHICAGO (AOA)—Acceptance of beginning students at the six osteopathic colleges is about 15 per cent ahead of last year for the September entering class, according to Lawrence W. Mills, director of the AOA office of education.

"We can hope for capacity operation of the colleges in 1957-58," he said. "This is due mostly to the greatly increased activity of several divisional societies in student recruitment."

The National Osteopathic College Scholarship Committee of the Auxiliary to the American Osteopathic Association will meet at Central Office May 9 and 10 to select the recipients of their five scholarship awards. These awards are made in the amount of \$1000 to entering students. Criteria for selection are scholarship, need, aptitude and good character.

Dr. Winn Deceased

Dr. Samuel W. Winn, graduate of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery in 1905, died April 1, 1957 at the home of his son, Donald E. Winn, in Seymour, Indiana. Doctor Winn practiced in the states of Washington, Iowa, Colorado and Missouri. He would have been 91 years of age April 5th and had been in excellent health until several months before his death.

Natural Childbirth Unnatural for Asia

CHICAGO (AOA)—In a recent trip to the Far East, where childbirth has traditionally come "natural" to women, Dr. Nicholson J. Eastman, professor of obstetrics and gynecology at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore, said he was surprised to find that certain hospitals have started courses in natural childbirth.

He learned that the techniques were brought back to Asia by doctors and nurses who had visited America and seen it practiced here. They concluded that since American medicine can do no wrong, they had better start the same thing in the Far East.

"So here we are, taking the artifices of natural childbirth to these primitive mothers of Asia, the finest exemplars of easy physiological childbirth in the whole world," said Dr. Eastman.

"They make no more fuss about having a baby than you or I would about having breakfast."

But now, he continued, they are being taught that having a baby is something to make a really big fuss about, that diet lists should be memorized, new ways of breathing mastered and calisthenics practiced each night after a day's work in the paddy fields.

"They draw the conclusion that there must be something to fear about childbirth—something they never before had been told about. The process which always has come natural to these women of Asia is being made alarmingly unnatural through natural childbirth."

Grant-in-Aid Received

President Edwin F. Peters announces the approval of a Grant-In-Aid from the American Heart Association, Inc. to Dr. Reinhard H. Beutner, a member of the faculty of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, in the amount of \$4,400.00. The subject of Doctor Beutner's research project is "Electro-Biochemistry as the Basis of Cardiac Therapy". The Grant-In-Aid will be effective as of September 1957 and will continue until August, 1959.

Doctor Beutner has also been awarded a grant of \$9,900.00 for continuing research purposes from the National Heart Institute of the Public Health Service for a two-year period, commencing July, 1957.

OPF Exhibit Sent To State Meetings

CHICAGO (AOA)—The Osteopathic Progress Fund showed a new traveling exhibit for the first time at the Illinois and Ohio state conventions, according to G. Willard King, fund director.

The exhibit is keyed to the theme that OPF "opens the doorway to the future" of the profession. Color slide of construction and research at the colleges are projected in a continuous showing.

The exhibit will be available for divisional society meetings and specialty college conventions, King said.

Dental Lobbyists Biggest Spenders

CHICAGO (AOA)—Reports of spending by lobbyists required under federal law indicate that the American Dental Association topped all major health groups.

In 1956 the ADA reported expending \$55,000. The next total was listed for the American Medical Association, which invested \$48,000. For the first time the dentists spent more than the AMA.

The American Hospital Association listed \$44,000; the American Nurses Association, \$12,000; the American Optometric Association, \$8,000.

The American Osteopathic Association reported expenses of \$3,000.

1492 Communities Fluoridate Water

CHICAGO (AOA)—Fluoridation of city water supplies to protect against dental cavities is practiced by 1492 communities in the United States, according to a March report of the U. S. Public Health Service. Communities so treating their public water supply have a combined population of 31 million.

Recent hearings in New York City have produced heated arguments over the merits and possible harm of the program. Fluoridation has been described by the American Dental Association as being beneficial in preventing cavities in the teeth of children under 12 and throughout their lives.

First Aid-O-Ree

J. Dudley Chapman, D.O., Instructor in the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, has for the past year been acting chairman of the Health and Safety Council of Custer District, Boy Scouts of America. Acting as assistant chairman in this work is Dr. Gilbert Roth, resident in pediatrics. Aided by junior and senior students they have conducted a very successful teaching program in the fundamentals of first aid.

Beside the "First Aid-O-Ree" program, routine physicals, pre-camp physicals, and inspection of meeting places has been accomplished.



First Aid-O-Ree



Physicals

A. E. A. Hudson Resigns

Dr. A.E.A. Hudson, Associate Professor of Clinical Pathology and Biochemistry and Director of the laboratories has resigned from the faculty of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, effective June 1, 1957.

Doctor Hudson, a native of Liverpool, England, received his M.P.H. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of North Carolina. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II and retired with the rank of Lt. Colonel. He has received many honors and awards for his work in tropical medicine and has published numerous articles in Clinical Pathology.

Doctor Hudson joined the faculty of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery in 1955.

Dr. Hewitt Leaves Faculty

William F. Hewitt, Ph.D., Professor of Physiology, Acting Chairman of the Division of the Basic Sciences, and Faculty Marshal, has resigned his connection with the College, effective March 31, 1957. On April 1 he assumed the newly created position, Director of Pharmaceutical Information, with the Research Laboratories of Mead Johnson and Company in Evansville, Indiana.

During his residence here Dr. Hewitt was Faculty sponsor of the Des Moines chapter of the Walter Reed Society, a national organization of human volunteer subjects in medical-science research. In a statement to *The Log Book* Dr. Hewitt said, "I hope the Still College nucleus of the Walter Reed Society will not die out, since as far as I know we are the only WRS unit at an osteopathic college, and the pioneer chapter in the State of Iowa. Our status in this honored organization has prestige possibilities which should not be abandoned."

Dr. Hewitt stated further that he wished the College well, and believed that it has potentialities for becoming an outstandingly excellent teaching institution.

Professor Invited to Join American Medical Association Writers

Dr. Stanley D. Miroyiannis, Ph.D., Professor of Anatomy and Chairman of the Department of D.M.S.C.O.S. has been invited to join The Society of American Medical Association Writers. The invitation came from Dr. M. Feisbein, M.D., past president of the A.M.A. We are happy to report that Dr. Miroyiannis has joined the Association.

Dr. Tolman to Attend Summer Workshop

Robert A. Tolman, Ph.D., Instructor in the Department of Physiology, has been accepted in the Summer Workshop in Physiology conducted by the Baylor University, College of Medicine, Texas Medical Center, Houston, Texas. The Workshop will run between June 10 and August 5, 1957, and is entitled "Classical Physiology with Modern Instrumentation."

Osteopathic Physician Comissioned in National Guard

Dr. Gerard Nash, DMSCOS '53 resident in Diagnostic Roentgenology at Bay View Hospital, Bay Village, Ohio has received federal recognition as a 2nd Lt., Medical Service Corps, Medical Company, 145th Infantry Regiment, Ohio National Guard. Dr. Nash will act as the Medical Company Training Officer

Atlas Club

Terrific? Yes! Atlas is pleased to announce the close of another successful year. Our newly acquired house on 12th Street has been thoroughly enjoyed by all and has also been made financially secure. Many thanks to our loyal Alumni for their help.

Our annual Senior Banquet will be held Friday, May 24th at Vic's Tally Ho with Dr. Harold Higley as principal speaker. All friends are invited.

A tribute to our 12 graduating Seniors must be made here. They are: Ed Kadletz (our illustrious lab tech), Harry Stiggers (who is announcing another engagement—Miss Slade of Milwaukee, Wisc.), Al Stepanski (whose daughter, Suzanne, is the first of her species to attend our meetings), Howard Crum (who is taking his Gin Rummy talents to Tulsa), Byron Georgeson (a former president and foremost Michigan enthusiast), Syd Powell (who holds up Penn. tradition by being a good worker), Bernie Weiss (whose imitations were enjoyed by all), Ed Farmer (who had an addition, Cathy Jon, last month; congratulations to you and the Mrs.), John "Make mine Hamm's" Baker (our president) Don Glanton (whose only ambition is to own a Cris-Craft), Charles "Big cigars" Murphy (whose malpractice insurance went up again), and Jack Spirtos (who is still wondering who took his Anatomy dissection kit). Congratulations men.

The best week-end the Atlas House has ever enjoyed occurred over the Easter holidays when Brother Jim Jackson left for Detroit—so quiet and no dirty dishes in the sink.

This reporter is wondering what "Tarzan" Ventresco is up to now. Beware girls, he may not have hair but he is dangerous or so he thinks.

Does anyone know Brother Baker's out of town friend?

Apparently no fraternity is able to muster enough strength to challenge us in the Annual Golf Tournament but we realize how little chance anyone would have even with the help of Wee Willy Vernier.

PSG

Two well-attended work nites since the last issue. Both were Upjohn Rounds, one featuring Cardiac Disease, the other starring the acute Abdomen.

May 14th saw a preliminary warm-up to Skip-Day take place at the PSG House. Participants rallied to whet their appetites for the following day's festivities. Moral—blessed are the pure in spirits, for there's nothing worse than a mixed drink. . . .

SIGNS OF SPRING: Lawn-mowers rolling gaily over the bright green carpet of the PSG lawn . . . some talk of dandelion wine . . . screens taking the place of storm windows . . . a sea of flowers (we hope) as the result of seeds scattered by optimists Harrington and Lavendusky . . . car-washing in the back yard . . . plans for a hayride. Elsewhere around town both the farmers and the golfers have begun their plowing. Also the boys are beginning to feel gal-lant, and the girls buoyant. Our tennis greats are looking for net profits.

SUMMER PROJECTS: Best-laid plans include a cement driveway, replacing the present dust-raising, axle-busting approach to the Frat House. Likewise the house will be newly painted—(evidently the gang got tired of it facing Grand Avenue). Internal work will include repainting the main-floor rooms.

Recent elections produced some sizzling electioneering, and when the dust had settled, Bob Cornwell emerged as the new President, his place as House Manager being won by Larry DiDonato. Frank Myers takes over the Vice-Presidency, Bob "Tiger" Greiner is the ferocious Sergeant-at-Arms, Jim Blem will wield the whip as Pledge-master, and Jack Raedy became the Secretary.

Leaving us to start on the class struggle of building bank accounts are the following seniors: Chase Atwood, Bernard Conn, Andrew Cucuiat, William Eubanks, Robert Fuss, David McSwain, Lamar Miller, Louis Radnothy, Daher Rahi, Charles Russo, David Salvati, Tom Sefton, William Vernier, Allen Waller, Llewellyn Wilson and Walter

LOG

LOG fraternity would like to welcome five new members. They are Bernard Arden, Lawrence Rubinoff, Victor Gordon, Tom Kovan and Ralph Levy. Nominations for officers for the school year of 1957-58 took place on Wednesday, May 1. This will be followed by election on May 14. So we are in for two weeks of campaign promises. Good luck to all you Nominees.

I would like to congratulate the out-going officers for a very good job; Allen Lans, Pres.; Jerry Margolis, Vice-Pres.; Howard Weissman, Treas.; Beryl Chaby, Recording Sec.; Conrad Pearl, Correspondence Sec.; and Martin Wedgle, Sgt.-at-Arms. We sincerely hope that the officers elected carry on in the fine LOG tradition.

Annual Graduation Dinner

On Wednesday evening, May 29, 1957, President and Mrs. Peters will entertain the graduating seniors and their wives, or lady friends, at the annual graduation dinner which will be held at the Des Moines Golf and Country Club.

Wilson. A dinner in their honor is scheduled this month.

Recent contributions included the acquisition of our third piano—meaning that parties will now be a triple threat (to our early-to-bedders). Some relief has been gained by the temporary (?) absence of the mouth-piece of Jim O'Day's trumpet.

Till our next issue, we would like to wish each and every one a very happy "simmer".

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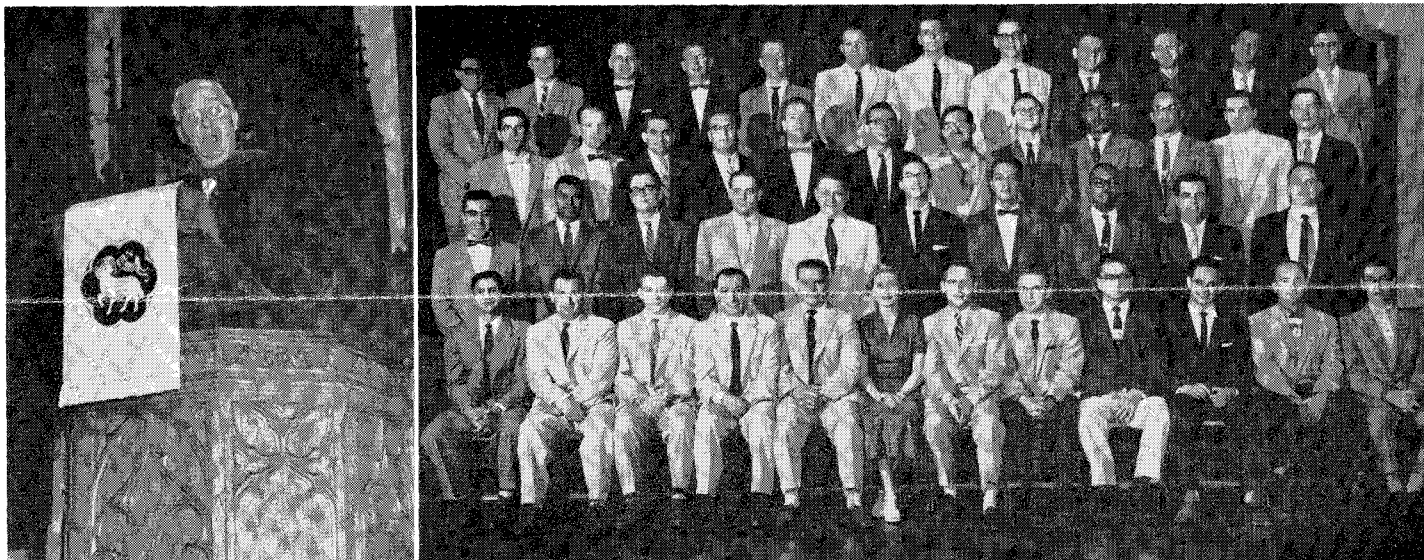
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Ralph F. Lindberg, D.O. is pictured above as he delivered the commencement address in St. John's Lutheran Church, Des Moines, Iowa. The address was entitled "The Dedication of an Osteopathic Physician," and had particular meaning for the forty-nine graduating seniors pictured to the right.

AOA Past Presidents Head Local Committee

*Advance Registration
For Technique Classes*

CHICAGO (AOA) — Three past presidents of the American Osteopathic Association are named as honorary chairmen of the local committee for the 61st annual AOA convention July 15-19 at Dallas.

Dr. James L. Holloway of Dallas, 1911 president, Dr. Sam S. Scothorn of Dallas, 1921 president and Dr. Phil R. Russell of Fort Worth, 1941 president, heads the convention city group.

Advance registration will be required for the four afternoon technique teaching sessions. Seven sessions will be offered each afternoon and groups are limited to ten persons each. Lecture and seminar sessions are scheduled concurrently for afternoons and do not require special registration. Application for the technique groups should be made at the general registration desk, according to Dr. Ruth Steen, convention bureau secretary.

Instructors for the technique classes will be 28 well known practitioners. About half of the clinical lecturers and panelists have been selected from the faculties of the osteopathic colleges.

The Osteopathic Progress Fund committee and its director, G. Willard King, will be hosts to divisional secretaries and fund chairmen at a cocktail party on Tuesday afternoon in the Mustang Room at the Statler Hotel.

Dean Shumaker Acting President

Dr. John B. Shumaker was appointed by the Board of Trustees of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery at their regular monthly Board meeting Tuesday evening, May 21st, to serve as Acting President of the college until a new president is selected.

Doctor Shumaker, who is well known to the alumni of the college, served as a teacher of bio-chemistry for many years and on June 1, 1946 was appointed as Dean of the college.

Dr. H. A. Graney Resigns As Board Member

Dr. Howard A. Graney, a member of the Board of Trustees of the College since April, 1939 and secretary for many years of the Board of Trustees and the Corporate Board, tendered his resignation, effective June 1, 1957.

Dr. Graney's absence from the Board will be greatly missed, as he has given most willingly of his time and talents to the growth of the College.

O.C.O.O. College to Meet

The 42nd Annual Assembly of the College of Ophthalmology and Otorhinolaryngology will be held at the Statler Hilton Hotel, Dallas, Texas, September 23, 24 and 25, 1957.

The speakers scheduled to head the didactic program and instructional courses are leaders in their field. The program will high-light Ocular Diseases with emphasis on Glaucoma, Uveitis and Cataract. Deafness and Surgical Progress of this condition. Laryngeal Diseases, Diagnosis and management. Many other timely subjects of interest will be presented. The complete program will be announced in the near future.

The Board of Governors of O.C.O.O. will convene September 22nd.

The American Osteopathic Board of Examiners will meet September 20, 21, and 22nd. Examinations to be held September 21st and 22nd.

Dr. E. S. Honsinger Resigns Board Duties

Dr. E. S. Honsinger, Ames, Iowa, who has been a member of the Corporate Board and the Board of Trustees for the past ten years, tendered his resignation as a member of the Board of Trustees, effective June 1, 1957. Dr. Honsinger has been a faithful member and his services will be greatly missed.

*See You At
The Alumni Dinner
in Dallas*

"Poems of Devotion and Meditation"

A Book by L. P. Fagen, DMS '35

Dr. Lester P. Fagen has ministered both to men's souls and to their bodies. A former Methodist circuit rider and pastor of mission churches, he now is an osteopathic physician in Phoenix, Arizona.

Born of pioneer parents in 1885 in Polk County, Iowa, he grew up in Des Moines, where in 1908 he received his B.S. degree from Drake University. After special training he was director of religious work for the Y.M.C.A. in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, until 1910, then homesteaded in Wyoming, where he became a circuit rider. There followed mission pastorates in Des Moines and in Bingham Canyon, Utah (where he also was active in Boy Scout work), and assignments elsewhere. From 1931 to 1949 he was part-time Methodist supply pastor in Ivy, Iowa.

Dr. Fagen attended the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery from 1931 to 1935, practiced in Des Moines for sixteen years and since then has practiced in Phoenix. He is now a teacher of the United Bible Class in the First Methodist Church there, and his hobbies include oil painting, photography, flowers and birds.

Married in 1909 to a Drake University classmate, Dr. Fagen is the father of three grown children, the oldest of whom also is a doctor.

These half a hundred poems all have an undertone of sincere devotion and trust and faith in the Creator. The collection is divided into four sections: "Psalms and Meditations," "Nature Observations and Inspirations," "Miscellaneous" and "In Lighter Vein."

"I feel that I have caught some strains of the melodies of God's love and blessing," says Dr. Lester P. Fagen, "and I have tried to put them into words that will strike a responsive chord in the hearts of others who love God and His lovely world."

Some poems, such as "A Psalm of the Wonders of God" and "God's Promises," have fire and an exultant quality. Others, including "A New Year" and "The Saviour Walked the Streets," have unusual touches of imagery and a natural grave music. Among those in a lighter vein are "Zacchaeus," "The Mockingbird" and "The Saguaro," which employ a more popular diction and have a winning appeal because of their informal tone and easy style.

These verses will be a source of both pleasure and inspiration to all who read them.

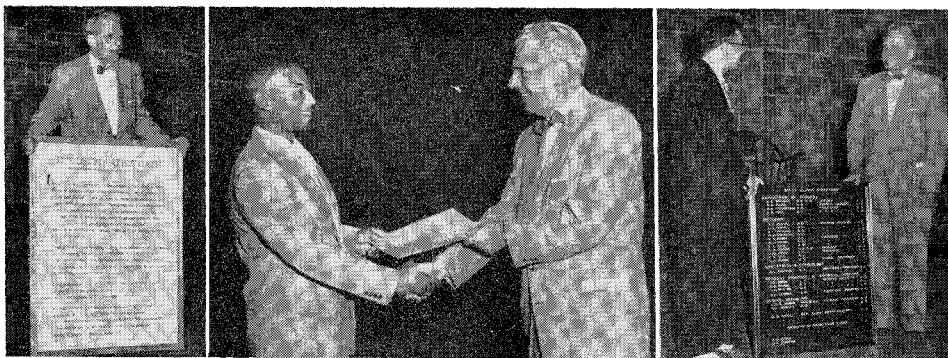
Sweat Study At KCOS By Japanese Expert

CHICAGO (AOA) — A study of American perspiration processes will be undertaken at Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery by a noted Japanese expert.

Dr. Aiko Kawahata of the medical department of Mie University in Honshu will seek to analyze the sweat patterns of caucasians, negroes and American Indians to enlarge on his observations of Asian peoples.

Over a 20-year period Dr. Kawahata has

CONVOCATION



Five Scholarships Go To Entering Students

CHICAGO (AOA) — National osteopathic college scholarships were awarded to five entering students at the May meeting of the scholarship committee of the auxiliary to the American Osteopathic Association.

Mrs. Jerry O. Carr, Fort Worth, Texas, committee chairman, announced the winners as George F. Murphy, Independence, Missouri; Miss Capi Jeanette Fishleigh, Kirksville, Missouri; Junior John Loesch, Wichita, Kansas; Roger W. Murray, Wheaton, Illinois; and Donald S. Harner, Whittier, California.

Murphy and Loesch have been accepted for entrance to the Kansas City College of Osteopathy and Surgery. Miss Fishleigh will enter Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery and Murray has enrolled at the Chicago College of Osteopathy. Harner will attend the College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons at Los Angeles.

Harner is the son of Dr. Willard Irvin Harner of Whittier.

The annual awards of \$1,000, are based on scholarship, character and need according to Mrs. Carr. Competition was keen for the stipends, she said.

explored the organic function and differences of perspiration processes of different races.

Dr. Kawahata rejected an invitation from an East German scientist to conduct studies similar to those planned at KCOS.

Convocation, an annual event the day before graduation, was held in the Moingona Lodge Room, on May 30 at 10:00 A.M. At this time certificates of merit for service in the various divisions of the College are awarded to senior students. Also the fraternities award certain certificates to their graduating seniors. Aside from this annual recognition certain special events take place. Above are pictured four of these. *Top Left* President Peters accepts a plaque on which is printed the Osteopathic Oath from the PSA honorary fraternity for display in the Clinic. *Top Center* President Peters making the annual Doctor Louis Kesten Memorial Fund Award to Clarence W. Wilson. This \$100.00 a year award is conferred upon a student of the junior class at the end of his junior year and based upon scholarship, leadership and interest in his chosen profession. *Top Right* President Peters receiving a Still Clinic Directory from Dr. Rahi, representing the Senior Class. *Lower Left* Lamar Miller pictured on the left graduated with Distinction, and Daher Rahi on the right is the only foreign student in this years graduating class. Dr. Rahi is from Hamalaya, Lebanon.

Employee Coffee in Honor of Dr. Peters



On the afternoon of May 29 in the College library the employees of Des Moines Still College gave a coffee honoring Dr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Peters. In the above picture Mrs. Peters is cutting the cake while President Peters looks on at left.

July 15 to 19 in Big "D"

Census Bureau Starts Medical Care Survey

CHICAGO (AOA) — The census bureau got underway in May on a national health survey designed to determine the kind and frequency of medical care sought by the average family.

The bureau's interviewers will contact 3000 urban and rural households monthly for an indefinite period to inquire about chronic conditions, recent illnesses, types of aid sought and loss of work or income through sickness.

The survey is conducted for the Public Health Service and will include every state. The interviewees will be asked when and why they last saw a doctor, meaning an M.D. or D.O. No others will be regarded as valid practitioners for survey purposes. Special questions will deal with dental care and hospital inpatient treatment.

Forrest E. Linder, Ph.D., Director of the national health service program of U.S.-P.H.S., has written an article on this survey which will appear in the July-August issue of *HEALTH*. An editorial also will be devoted to the program.

Dr. Linder, one of the world's leading experts on health statistics was formerly chief of demographic and social statistics branch, United Office of Vital Statistics.

President's Annual Senior Banquet



President and Mrs. Edwin F. Peters entertained the members of the 1957 senior class, their wives and girl friends at the Des Moines Golf and Country Club on May 29. This annual event was well attended and was held the night before the Senior Dinner sponsored by the wives club.

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See You There!

Medical Library Set For Capital

CHICAGO (AOA) — The new National Library of Medicine will be located in the Washington area, according to the "Washington Report on the Medical Sciences."

Library regents, meeting in May, agreed unanimously to reject a bid for relocation of the facility in Chicago. Plans now call for construction of a building on the grounds of the National Institutes of Health in suburban Bethesda, Maryland.

Further efforts may be made for the Chicago site by Illinois congressmen, but they are expected to result only in delaying construction. In view of current congressional emphasis on economy, the administration has been slow requesting building funds.

Principal reason given for the Washington location is that steadiest users are expected to be federal agencies. A move to Chicago would have required establishment of extensive duplicate facilities in the capital.

President's Secretary To Hopkinton

Mrs. Joan Connelly, Secretary to the President, has tendered her resignation effective June 7, 1957. Mrs. Connelly was first employed by the college in December of 1951.

Her husband, Dr. Jesse Connelly, will complete his internship at Still Osteopathic Hospital and will enter general practice in Hopkinton, Iowa. The college family wishes these capable and lovely people happiness and much success in their new home.

Business Assistant Leaves DMSCOS

Mrs. Betty Liska has resigned her position as assistant in the business office of the College to move to a new home in Madison, Wisconsin. Mrs. Liska was first employed by the College in December of 1951.

Mrs. Liska's husband is a surgical technician with the Veterans Administration. We all sincerely wish the Liskas much happiness and success in their new home.

Student Wives Club Annual Banquet



On the evening of May 30 the Des Moines Still College Student Wives Club held their annual banquet at the Field Room of the Commodore Hotel. A few of the several events of this annual affair are pictured above. *Top left* picture shows the new group of officers for the club after formal installation. *Left to right* they are Dottie Sybert, Treasurer, Jane Sprague, Secretary, Jan Fredericks, 2nd Vice President, Laura Stoerkel, 1st Vice President, Geri Margolis, President, and Eadie Gilman, past president. *Top right* picture taken as Hon. H. Loveless, Governor of Iowa, delivered the main speech of the evening, Mrs. Loveless on the left and Mrs. Ben Rodamar, toastmistress for the evening, pictured on the right. *Lower right* is a group of senior wives after the banquet holding their PHT (Pushed Husband Thru) degree presented to them along with a carnation and one diaper pin for each child. President Peters made the annual presentation to senior wives.

The banquet was attended by some one-hundred eighty-five people, seniors and their families, Mothers and Fathers.



\$10 Million Center Announced By PCO

CHICAGO (AOA) — The Philadelphia College of Osteopathy has announced plans for a ten million dollar center at the edge of the city.

Dr. Frederick H. Barth, college board chairman, said that the center would include a 600-bed hospital, nurses' training center and dormitory. The new development will be an addition to present college teaching and clinical facilities.

COLLEGE PICNIC



The annual Student-Faculty Council all school picnic was held May 15 at Union Park. This years event was a tremendous success. The day opened with golf and softball in the morning. The "old sophomores" beat the freshmen in overtime the first game and the "aged juniors" beat a mixed team the second game.

Chef Minnick had his kitchen crew working to keep up with all the students. They did a very fine job serving hot dogs with everything, baked beans, potato salad, and pop. If you want to know the number of kids there ask Dr. Beutner how many pop bottles he opened.

In the evening many students and faculty members gathered at the Jewish Community Center for the very entertaining Femur Follies, followed by a square dance. Dr. John Woods, Frank Myers and his wife Loraine, and Cleo Barnett won prizes for their entertainment.

Pictured above are shots taken during the picnic. Top left: The kids enjoyed the swings. Top right: Faculty kitchen crew; right. to left, first row: Dr. R. Beutner, W. Nusser, Drs. H. J. Ketman, R. A. Tolman, and E. R. Minnick; second row: Drs. H. E. Dresser, E. V. Enzmann, B. E. Laycock, and R. B. Juni. The lower left picture shows some of the freshmen softballers, the lower right picture some of the softball widows.

U. S. Court Denies Naturopath Suits

CHICAGO (AOA) — Naturopaths in Maryland and Utah were rebuffed by the U. S. Supreme Court in their appeals for licensing in those states.

The constitutionality of the Maryland medical practice act which makes no provision for licensing naturopaths was upheld. Earlier the court rejected an appeal from a Utah court decision upholding the right of the state's attorney general to withdraw obstetrical and surgical licensing privileges from the group.

Other cases concerning naturopathy have been presented at the current session of the Supreme Court and to state courts and legislatures as a part of the group's determined bid for recognition.

Merrell To Offer Second Legal Film

CHICAGO (AOA) — The prevention and defense of malpractice suits is covered in the second of the William S. Merrell Company's medicine and law film series.

The film will be premiered in June and will be offered in July. The first of the series, "Medical Witness," now is available from the Merrell Company's professional relations division.

The new film is titled "Doctor Defendant." It was produced with the cooperation of the American Medical Association and the American Bar Association. It depicts right and wrong methods of presenting testimony in professional liability actions.

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TRUSTEES APPOINT ACTING PRESIDENT

D. O.'s Welcome In Heart Group

CHICAGO (AOA)—The American Heart Association reaffirmed its welcome for osteopathic physicians in a May action of its policy committee. "The AHA is open to anyone expressing an interest, be he layman, doctor of medicine or osteopathic doctor," the national statement emphasized.

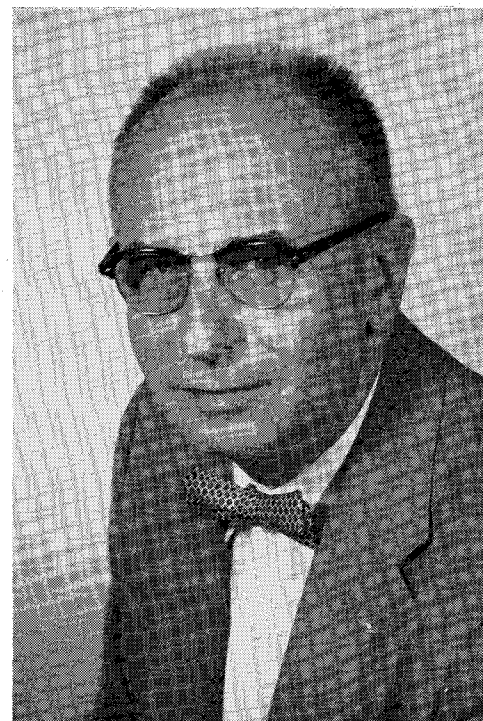
Membership in the AHA is by affiliation

with a state or local society. Only where no local organization exists may individuals deal directly with the national association.

In spelling out its stand for affiliate groups, the AHA emphasized that all members are eligible to attend scientific sessions. Applications from D.O.'s for research support are to be processed with all other requests. Local heart associations were held to the decision on eligibility for office, participation in an artery bank and use of AHA literature.

Former Dean Took Reins June 1

The Board of Trustees of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery has officially announced the appointment of Dr. John B. Shumaker as acting president of Still College.



Dr. John B. Shumaker

Dr Shumaker joined the faculty of Still College on April 27, 1946, as Dean of the College and Professor of Biochemistry.

Dr. Shumaker received his B.A. degree from Cornell College in 1920; his M.S. degree from Iowa State College in 1923; and his Doctor of Philosophy degree from Iowa State College in 1930. During his residence as a student at Iowa State College, Dr. Shumaker was an instructor in the department of chemistry between the years 1920-1929. From 1929 to 1939 Dr. Shumaker was professor of chemistry at the Des Moines College of Pharmacy, during which time he taught courses at Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy. In 1939 Dr. Shumaker was appointed professor of chemistry at Drake University, a position he held until his appointment as Dean of Still College.

Dr. Shumaker has been long active in various educational, fraternal, and civic organizations. He is a member of Phi Lambda Upsilon, honorary chemistry fraternity; Kappa Psi, professional pharmaceutical fra-

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Alumni Visit College

On June 24, 1957 alumni of DMSCOS, representing seven other states, met with alumni from Iowa, administrative personnel of the college, and the Board of Trustees, to discuss different phases of operation of the institution.



Seated Left to Right—W. J. Blackler, Grand Rapids, Michigan; Eugene R. Kieg, Saint Petersburg, Florida; Lawrence C. Boatman, Santa Fe, New Mexico; Carl B. Gephart, Dayton, Ohio; Ivan E. Penquite, Sapulpa, Oklahoma; and J. R. Forbes, Phoenix, Arizona.

Standing left to right: Charles L. Naylor, Ravenna, Ohio; Louis M. Radetsky, Denver, Colorado; W. Clemens Andreen, Wyandotte, Michigan.

Members of the Board and others in attendance were Dr. Carl C. Waterbury, President of the Iowa Alumni Association; A. C. Parmenter, Administrator of Still Osteopathic Hospital; Dr. Henry J. Ketman, Acting Medical Director; C. C. Looney, Accountant; Dr. Mary E. Golden, Board member; Dr. Edwin F. Leininger, Board member and chairman of the meeting; Dr. J. R. LeRoque, Past President of the National Alumni Association; Dr. J. B. Shumaker, Acting President; Dr. H. A. Graney; Dr. J. P. Schwartz; and Dr. T. P. McWilliams of Bayard, Iowa, Secretary-Treasurer of the Iowa Alumni Association.

Dr. Schumaker Acting President—

ternity; Phi Sigma Gamma (honorary member); Pi Omicron Mu, Drake University pre-osteopathic club; the uptown Des Moines Lions Club, a Mason and member of the Shrine.

Besides these fraternal organizations Dr. Shumaker is a member of numerous scientific societies; American Chemical Society, associate member American Osteopathic Society, American Association for the Advancement of Science, Iowa Academy of Science, Institute of Food Technologists, and Des Moines Science Society.

Mrs. Shumaker (Ruth L. Drury) is a Wellesley graduate. They have two sons, John B., Jr., and William A., both veterans of World War II. Dr. Shumaker is a veteran of World War I.

It has been said many times that Dr. Shumaker needs no introduction to the osteopathic profession. He is truly a great scientist, a great administrator, and a great educator. He has the interest of the student at heart. Men of Dr. Shumaker's personality and educational background will assure the development and future growth of this institution.

Sees Socialized Medicine by '67

KANSAS CITY, KAN. — The president of the American Osteopathic Association says he believes socialized medicine is inevitable within 10 years.

Dr. Robert D. McCullough of Tulsa, Okla., told the Kansas State Osteopathic Association that socialized medicine isn't necessarily desirable. But he said the patient's freedom in choosing a doctor can be maintained to some degree if inevitable.

McCullough congratulated the Kansas association for its victory in the 1957 legislature, which admitted osteopaths to unlimited practice of surgery and medicine in the state.

A New Gabriel

Dr. and Mrs. Speros A. Gabriel of Dayton, Ohio have announced the birth of their son, Andrew Harry, on Sunday, the seventh of April, 1957. The baby weighed 7 lb. 1 oz. at birth.

Administrators Meet At Michigan State

CHICAGO (AOA)—Michigan osteopathic hospital administrators attended a two-day conference on hospital problems at the Michigan State University in June.

The meeting was sponsored by the MSU School of Hotel, Restaurant and Institutional Management as a continuing education project. The school sponsors professional sessions for numerous fields.

University instructions lectured on public relations, supervision, communications, business letter writing, telephone usage and other operating problems.

New Director of Nurses at Still Hospital



Miss Kathryn Schott and Mrs. Louise Russell

Miss Kathryn Schott has assumed the duties of Director of Nurses at the Still Osteopathic Hospital, Des Moines, Iowa. Shown here on the left, Miss Schott is reviewing the present nursing status with Mrs. Louise Russell, seated, the former Director of Nurses.

Miss Schott is from Woodward, Iowa. She received her training at the Mercy Hospital School of Nursing in Des Moines, graduating in 1956. Since then she has served nine months as head nurse at Hillcrest Hospital, Des Moines, Iowa.

Mrs. Louise Russell is moving to Davenport, Iowa, where she will assume the duties of Surgical Supervisor at the Davenport Osteopathic Hospital. Mrs. Russell was formerly Surgical Supervisor at Still before becoming Director of Nurses in July 1956. Mr. Russell has also been an employee of Still Hospital.

California D.O. Gets Whale Heart at Last

CHICAGO (AOA)—He didn't catch it himself, but Dr. Frank Nolan finally got a 500-pound whale's heart to study.

Some months ago, Dr. Nolan of COPS enlisted the aid of the Coast Guard in an unsuccessful attempt to make an electrocardiograph of a whale. He managed to harpoon a massive dose of tranquilizer into what must have been the happiest creature in the Pacific. But the huge mammal then swam blithely into a convenient fog, leaving Dr. Nolan somewhat at sea.

More recently a commercial whaler donated the eyes, heart, liver and kidneys from a 72,000 pound giant to Dr. Nolan and other researchers. The doctor and a team of graduate students dissected the huge organs and trucked them to the laboratory.

"This has never been done before," he explained. "If the whale heart is similar to the human heart as we believe, its size may open new doors in heart research. Being 500 times larger than a human heart, we may discover nerve centers too small in the human heart to be detected."

AOA Represented At NHC Meeting

CHICAGO (AOA)—The National Health Council sponsored its first clinic on health education problems June 19-21 at Princeton, N. J.

Robert A. Klobnak, director of the Division of Public and Professional Service, and G. Willard King, director of the Osteopathic Progress Fund represented the American Osteopathic Association at the conference.

Forty-five persons representing 29 of the NHC's 59 member agencies participated in the three-day clinic on the Princeton University campus.

Participants were divided into three discussion groups and placed in study sections. Case situations were presented on the overweight problem, Salk vaccination program and flouridation.

"It was a refreshing and stimulating experience to work with representatives from these agencies whose sole purpose for attending the conference was to seek out better methods of public health education through cooperation with NHC members," Klobnak said.

Earth Satellite IGY Talk at AOA

Scientific Sessions Highlight Program

DALLAS (AOA)—Things were reversed by the first scientific speaker at the 61st annual convention of the American Osteopathic Association July 15-19 at Dallas.

The speaker, James J. Bingham of Dallas, took a look at earth from outer space as he described preparations for the launching of the earth satellite in January.

The talk was the first of three special lectures on features of the International Geophysical Year which opened July 1. Bingham is manager of the aircraft propulsion systems division of the General Electric Company, which has participated in construction of the satellite.

In the second scientific lecture, William G. Fredrick discussed the problems and causes of air pollution. As director of the Detroit bureau of industrial hygiene, Dr. Fredrick deals with one of the nation's most serious pollution problems.

The third lecture brought a speaker from the Texas plains to consider the health aspects of oceanography. Dr. Dale F. Leipper, head of the department of oceanography at Texas A & M College, ended the series. Each of the IGY talks were open to the public.

Doctors Can Get Government Loans

CHICAGO (AOA)—Doctors in private practice may now apply to the Small Business Administration for loans for office construction or purchase, equipment or certain other professional expenses.

The action was made quietly by the federal loan agency in June. Regional offices were instructed to receive applications from doctors. The agency had limited its aid to retail business and small industry.

Proprietary hospitals and nursing homes were made eligible last year. However, only 30 applications totalling \$2,623,000 have been approved to this writing. In a move to improve its appeal, the maximum interest rate is to be lowered from 6 to 5 per cent.

September Health To Have New Cover

CHICAGO (AOA)—The September issue of HEALTH, an osteopathic publication, will be brightened by a new cover design. Cartoons have been added to lighten inside pages.

Dr. Walter Ornstein of San Diego contributed a featured article on pre-marital counseling which stresses the doctor's responsibility to help a couple before problems arise.

Dr. Hsie Takes Summer Course

Jen-Yah Hsie, Ph.D., Associate Professor of Bacteriology and Parasitology at Still College, is participating in a post-doctorate course entitled "The Genetics of Fungi". The course is offered from July 8 to August 3, 1957 at Cold Springs Harbor Biological Laboratory, Cold Spring Harbor, Long Island, New York.

75 Million Shots In Polio Program

CHICAGO (AOA)—As the federal government polio vaccination program ended, the Department of Health, Education and Welfare reported that 75 million shots of Salk vaccine were administered to 29 million children and pregnant women.

The 22-month program used all but \$400,000 of the \$53,600,000 allocated in the original bill. Only Indiana, Arkansas, Wyoming and Nebraska failed to use full allotments of federal money.

The federal department reported that approved supplies of the vaccine stood at eight and a half million cubic centimeters as of June.

(NOTE: The Pitman-Moore Company offered free Salk shots to all registrants at the AOA convention in Dallas. A special booth was set up in the commercial display area.)

A. O. A. Exhibit



As part of the Scientific Exhibits at the American Osteopathic Convention in Dallas, Texas, this year, this display from the medical photography laboratories of Still College, headed by E. Lynn Baldwin, drew considerable interest.

Along with this Mr. Baldwin entered a group of fifteen medical photographs depicting cases seen in Still College Clinic and Hospital.

The display shows, in picture form, how medical photography can be of service in all facets of osteopathic medicine.

This display was made last year at the request of Dr. Richard P. DeNise for exhibit at the meeting of the American College of Osteopathic Internists in Kansas City. Subsequently it has gone to the 1956 meeting of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons.

I. T. S.

The summer seems to be the time to move around here. Cyril Allen talked about moving himself the other day as he helped O. Nelson, R. Howe, B. Stoerkel, J. Wakefield and R. Brainerd load Dr. Dresser's pool table on a truck destined for the new Fraternity House. And if you think we are kidding, just wait till you all gather at Dr. Dresser's Fraternity House! I saw 5 bathrooms and 9 bedrooms, and wait till you see the other floors. There is even a dancing hall and patio. Best of all though there is a dumbwaiter to carry milk in from the pack porch.

Last week also, Merle Jacobsen moved as he sold his house for a new car. We'll be organized for September 1957, with the "Forest Drive Social Club."

The fraternity sent Merle Jacobsen to the AOA Convention this year as its official representative. Hope you got to a few meetings, Merle.

New Budget Misses Congressional Slash

CHICAGO (AOA)—In the face of widespread federal economy, Congress increased the appropriation for the Departments of Labor and Health, Education and Welfare by \$21,000,000 over White House requests.

The extra money will be allocated to the National Institutes of Health for research. Of the amount, cancer will receive \$9,500,000 heart, arthritis and neurology \$2,500,000 each and mental health \$4,000,000.

The National Institutes of Health will receive a total of \$211,000,000, counting the increase for research but exclusive of \$30,000,000 for construction. State and local health departments will receive \$22,592,000. Communicable disease control projects are allotted \$6,250,000 and Indian activities are to get \$40,000,000.

Strictly Plutonic

Trihydrol and dihydrol, oxonium alcohol, Aqua pura, distillata (water, you recall), Solid, gas and liquid states conform to common rule,

But challenge scientific men with varied molecule.

It's alcohol and aldehyde, straight-chained and cyclic too.

It comes in fours and threes and twos, this chemists Waterloo.

Opinions on such aggregates arise from deep research

On water's CRITICAL TEMPERATURE, BELOW WHICH UNITS MERGE.

Its boiling point is much too high for simple H₂O.

The reason for the polymers, our chemists friends decide,

Is quadrivalent oxygen which must be satisfied.

Its odd specific gravity, inordinate latent heat,

Great interfacial energy, make water hard to beat.

Electrolyte and catalyst and solvent, all in one,

And dielectric constant high make most reactions run.

Its thermal conductivity and low internal fraction

Leave water standing sans pareil, to use poetic diction.

It keeps terrestrial temperatures within a vital range;

Prevents our protoplasmic stuff from making lethal change;

Essential for the bugs and worms and fish and human kind,

but whose peculiar molecule perplexes human mind.

Yes,—water, water everywhere nor any drop to drink,

But water, water anywhere should surely make us think.

Hugh Clark

L. O. G.

On May 13th, L.O.G. elected their new officers who are: Ned Baron, president; Paul Schneider, vice-president; Jack Singer, corresponding secretary; Mel Linden, treasurer; Lee Neumann, recording secretary; and Jerry Margolis, Sgt. at Arms. Congratulations and best wishes are in order for a successful term of office.

Junior and Senior L.O.G. Brothers, Al Lans, Sam Kaufman, Beryl Chaby, Bert Kessler and Howard Weissman held a seminar for the Sophomores and reviewed clinic procedures and other points which should help in orienting the new Juniors to the clinic. This program seems to be worthy of continuation from year to year.

Congratulations are extended to Paul Schneider, Harvey Micklin, Bernie Arden, and Hal Bienenfeld on their forthcoming marriages.

Of Jerry Benaderet, we may say that our loss is one of gain for the Chicago College of Osteopathy and Surgery.

L.O.G. extends to all our fellow students and faculty members best wishes for a pleasant and safe summer.

Thank You Anonymous

This is to acknowledge receipt of a gift of \$100 received July 2, 1957. Thank you for this contribution to the emergency fund.

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ALUMNI ISSUE



Alumni Meet in Dallas

Alumni of DMSCOS met at the Daker Hotel in Dallas, Texas on the evening of July 17, during the 61st annual convention of the American Osteopathic Association.

The largest group of graduates assembled for an alumni banquet in recent years listened to reports on various phases of the overall operation of the college from Dr. John B. Shumaker, acting president, Drs. W. Clemons (Tiny) Andreen, Wyandotte, Michigan, Charles L. Naylor of Ravenna, Ohio, and Ralph P. Morehouse, Albion, Michigan. (Drs. Andreen and Naylor attended the alumni meeting at the College on June 24.)

Dr. Jean F. LeRoque, Des Moines, Iowa in charge of the meeting, discussed the proposed reorganization of the national alumni association and presented a new Constitution and By-Laws which, if adopted at the alumni meeting in Washington, D.C., in July 1958, would assure the alumni association of better organization and active participation in the activities of the College. (This reorganization was one of the recommendations made during the meeting at the College on June 24. Members of the Board of Trustees of the College were enthusiastic in their approval of this recommendation.) The proposed Constitution and By-Laws accepted at this meeting is printed in this issue.

Mr. Wendell R. Fuller, who returned to the College on July 1, as Registrar, Director of Public Relations and executive secretary of the Alumni Association, showed slides and spoke on the progress made since 1946 in improving the physical plant facilities.

To those of you who were unable to attend this meeting, you missed the best get together in recent years. There were more graduates in attendance and the interest shown in all phases of the meeting was very high.

Watch for the announcements of the alumni meeting to be held during *YOUR* state convention and don't forget to attend. You won't want to miss this meeting. Also watch for *YOUR* copy of the Log Book and alumni letters.

**Registration for
FALL SESSION 1957
September 5-6**

Temporary Constitution and By-Laws Accepted At Dallas Meeting

Graduates of DMSCOS, meeting during the national A.O.A. convention in Dallas, Texas, voted unanimously to accept a temporary Constitution and By-Laws, thereby putting the wheels in motion to completely reorganize the national alumni association. During the national A.O.A. convention in Washington, D.C. in 1958, graduates of the College will vote into being a permanent Constitution and By-Laws.

In the July issue of the Log Book and the Iowa Osteopathic Physician appeared pictures and stories about a group of alumni meeting at the College on June 24 to discuss with the administration and the Board of Trustees the various problems confronting the institution. During this meeting the alumni called for the reorganization of the national alumni association and were encouraged by the members of the Board of Trustees to start on this project immediately.

Dr. H. L. Gulden, Ames, Iowa, then president of the alumni association appointed a committee consisting of Drs. Charles L. Naylor, Ravenna, Ohio; W. J. Blackler, Grand Rapids, Michigan; and Jean F. LeRoque, Des Moines, Iowa, to prepare and present a new organizational set up to the alumni during the meeting in Dallas.

On Tuesday evening July 16, the night before the alumni meeting in Dallas, another meeting was held to discuss the plans to be submitted by the committee. During this meeting it was decided that a temporary House of Delegates and a temporary chairman of the association would be voted upon. Members attending the alumni banquet



Dr. J. F. LeRoque Mr. W. R. Fuller

voted unanimously in favor of Dr. Jean F. LeRoque of Des Moines, Iowa as temporary chairman; Wendell R. Fuller, Registrar of the College as Executive Secretary, and for the following named persons as members of the temporary House of Delegates:

J. R. Forbes, Phoenix, Arizona; W. Clemons Andreen, Wyandotte, Michigan; W. J. Blackler, Grand Rapids, Michigan; Charles L. Naylor, Ravenna, Ohio; Louis M. Radetsky, Denver, Colorado; Paul T. Rutter, Medford, Oregon; Edmund C. Baird, Tulsa, Oklahoma; Walter B. Goff, Dunbar, West Virginia; Eugene R. Keig, St. Petersburg, Florida; Lawrence C. Boatman, Santa Fe, New Mexico; and Herbert P. Clausing, Seattle, Washington. Members of this group will meet with the Board of Trustees at the College at least two times before the convention in Washington, D. C.

Printed below is the temporary Constitution and By-Laws accepted at the Dallas meeting. News letters will be sent to each graduate as often as necessary in order that the alumni of the College will be informed as to the affairs of the College.

Des Moines Still Osteopathic Alumni Association Constitution and By-Laws

Article I—Name

The name of this Association shall be the Des Moines Still Osteopathic Alumni Association.

Article II—Objects

The object of this Association is to unite the alumni of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery in closer bonds of fellowship for the advancement of osteopathy, and in a special effort on behalf of

the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery; to further the increase of the endowment funds through bequeathments and donations; to encourage the matriculation of desirable students; to cooperate with the College to the end that students shall graduate as effective osteopathic physicians imbued with the philosophy of the revered founder of osteopathy, Dr. Andrew Taylor Still, and inspired to practice in accordance

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with the highest traditions and ideals of those who have dedicated their lives to healing the sick and preventing disease.

Article III—Component Chapters

This association shall be a federation of divisional chapters organized within state, territorial, provincial or foreign country boundaries as shall hereafter be authorized by the By-Laws. Such divisional chapters, upon application, may be chartered by this Association as provided by the By-Laws, and all such chapters now a component part of this Association are declared chartered as official units of this Association.

Article IV—Membership

Section I

All graduates of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, and those colleges which were amalgamated in its formation and development are eligible for membership in this Association. Active membership shall be limited to those who have paid dues to the Association for the current year, to those who have Life Membership or Honorary Life Membership in the Association or whose dues for the current year have been remitted in whole or in part as provided in the By-Laws, and to graduates of other osteopathic colleges in accordance with conditions established in the By-Laws.

Section II

Other forms of membership may be granted as provided for in the By-Laws.

Article V—House of Delegates

THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES shall consist of delegates elected by the divisional chapters and of such other members as may be provided for by the By-Laws, but only delegates of the chartered divisional chapters shall have a vote. The House of Delegates shall be the legislative body of the Association and shall represent the delegated powers of the divisional chapters in alumni affairs and shall perform such other functions as are defined in the By-Laws.

The officers of the Association shall be members of the House, but without vote. The President shall preside at meetings of the House. In his absence or at his request, the Vice-Presidents, in order of their designation, shall preside. Each divisional chapter shall be entitled to one delegate, and one additional delegated for each ten (or major fraction thereof) of the number of active members of the association located within the territory represented by the divisional chapter.

Article VI—Officers

The officers of this Association shall be President, President-Elect, First Vice-President, Second Vice-President, Secretary (or Executive Secretary) and Treasurer. The Secretary and Treasurer may be appointed by the Executive Committee and need not be members of the Association or the osteopathic profession. Elective officers shall be elected annually by the House of Delegates to serve for a term of one year or until successors are duly elected and installed. The terms of employment of appointive officers shall be arranged by the Executive Committee in cooperation with the Administration of the College. The duties of the officers shall be those usual

to such offices and as defined in the By-Laws.

In case of inability upon the part of the President to serve during the term of office to which he has been elected, his office and duties shall devolve upon the Vice-Presidents in order of their designation. Vacancies in other elective offices of the Association (except that of President-Elect) shall be filled for the unexpired portion of the term by appointment by the President, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee.

The President-Elect shall succeed automatically to the presidency upon his installation to the office during the annual meeting next succeeding to his election to the office of President-Elect. In the event of the inability of the President-Elect to complete his term of office and/or succeed to the presidency, the duties of his office, except succession to the presidency, shall be reassigned by the President subject to the approval of the Executive Committee. The incumbent President shall remain in office until a successor is duly elected and installed.

Article VII—Executive Committee

The Executive Committee of the Association shall consist of the President, President-Elect, First Vice-President, Second Vice-President, Treasurer, Immediate Past President, and two members elected by the House of Delegates as Delegates at Large. The Secretary shall act as Secretary to the Executive Committee, but without vote.

Article VIII—Meetings

The regular meetings of this Association shall be held annually at the time and place of the annual meeting of the American Osteopathic Association. A Notice of the time and place of the annual meeting shall be published not less than sixty days preceding the date of the meeting. Special meetings may be held upon call of the Executive Committee, providing the members be given at least sixty days prior notice stating the purpose and business of such special meetings.

Article IX—Amendments

The Constitution may be amended by the House of Delegates at any annual meeting, by a two-thirds majority of those voting, provided that such amendment shall have been read to the House and filed with the Secretary at a previous meeting, and that the Secretary shall have it published in the Log Book (or by other adequate means) not less than two months nor more than four months previous to the meeting at which it is to be acted upon.

BY-LAWS

Article I—Divisional Chapters

Section I

The graduates of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, and those colleges which were amalgamated in its formation and development, may organize and apply for a charter as a divisional chapter of this Association. Only one such chapter within the boundaries of any single state, province or foreign country may be chartered by this Association.

Section II

The secretary shall extend to the chartered chapters the fullest possible co-oper-

ation and shall, from time to time, furnish them with such information and directions as shall best further the interests of the chapter and this Association.

Section III

The charter of any divisional chapter may be revoked for non-function by a two-thirds majority of those voting in the House of Delegates at any annual session, providing that all members of the divisional chapter under question shall have been duly notified not less than sixty days prior to this meeting at which such action is taken and that representatives of said divisional chapter have been afforded opportunity to present its case before the House.

Article II—Membership

Section I

Active members of this Association shall be those graduates of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, and those colleges which were amalgamated in its formation and development who have paid the current year's dues to the Association, or are Life Members or Honorary Life Members of the Association, or whose dues for the current year have been remitted in whole or in part as provided in the By-Laws.

Active membership may be granted to members of the osteopathic profession who are graduates of other osteopathic colleges subject to the following conditions—(a) one year or more must have been spent in attendance at the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery as a regularly matriculated student. (b) the college of graduation must have been properly accredited by the American Osteopathic Association at the time of graduation; and the transfer from DMSCOS thereto must have been in accordance with procedures established by the A.O.A. and/or A.A.O.C. (c) membership must be current in the American Osteopathic Association.

Section II

Each member of each graduating class of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery shall be awarded one year's membership in this Association. The awarding of such membership shall be arranged with the College administration as part of the graduation ceremonies.

Section III

By specific action of the Executive Committee, approved by the House of Delegates, ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP may be granted to persons outside of the profession or to persons within the profession who are not Des Moines graduates. Such associate members shall not be required to pay dues nor shall they be members of the House of Delegates, nor hold office in the Association except as provided in the Constitution.

Section IV

The House of Delegates, annually, may recognize persons outside of the profession who have rendered meritorious service toward osteopathic education by conferring upon them the title of HONORARY MEMBER OF THE DES MOINES STILL OSTEOPATHIC ALUMNI ASSOCIATION. Such recognition may also be conferred upon members of the profession who are not graduates of the Des Moines College of Osteopathy and Surgery.

Section V

Members of this Association who have been in practice not less than twenty five years, who have reached the age of sixty years, and who have rendered outstanding service to this Association may be honored by election to HONORARY LIFE MEMBERSHIP by two-thirds of those voting at any annual meeting of the House of Delegates. The name of any member to be so honored shall be submitted to the Secretary not less than thirty days prior to the annual meeting at which action is to be taken.

Section VI

Any member guilty of gross unprofessional conduct, or of conduct grossly detrimental to the welfare of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, shall be liable to suspension by the Executive Committee upon full investigation. Any such case shall be reported by the Executive Committee to the House of Delegates at the next annual meeting, where final disposition of the case shall be made.

Article III—Dues

Section I

The annual dues of this Association shall be five dollars payable to the treasurer on or before June first, the beginning of the fiscal year, one dollar of this amount shall be allocated to the divisional chapter representing the territory in which the member practices, providing such divisional chapter is chartered by this Association. SUCH ALLOCATION SHALL EXPIRE AT THE END OF THE SUCCEEDING FISCAL YEAR.

Section II

The scale of membership dues for new graduates shall be as follows:

1. First year following graduation—awarded membership.
2. Second year following graduation—\$1.00.
3. Third year following graduation—\$3.00.
4. Fourth year following graduation and thereafter—regular dues.

Section III.

In cases where the graduate continues internship, fellowship or residency his membership shall be continued at the second year rate during that period.

Section IV.

The Executive Committee shall have the power to remit dues in cases of special need.

Article IV—Delegates, Method of Election, Duties.

Section I

The Secretary of this Association shall cause to be published in the February Alumni Issue of the Log Book (or by other adequate means) a list of the divisional chapters, showing: (1) the number of delegates and alternates that each divisional chapter is entitled to seat in the House of Delegates; (2) the number of votes to which each divisional chapter is entitled; (3) a blank for the purpose of certifying the delegates and alternates to this Association.

Section II

The Secretary of each divisional chapter shall certify its delegates to the Secretary of this Association in writing (or by wire) at least fifteen days prior to the date of the annual meeting of the House of Delegates. Such delegates and alternates must be active members in good standing in this Association.

Sectoin III

In the event that any divisional area is not organized or chartered as a divisional chapter, an active member of this Association, practicing in that divisional area may be appointed or elected to represent that area. He shall be granted the privilege of voice without vote in the House of Delegates.

Section IV

A delegate having been seated shall remain the accredited delegate throughout the meeting unless he finds it impossible to continue in service. In such case or in the case the delegate fails to qualify, the alternate shall be seated and shall serve as the accredited delegate.

Section V

Each delegate from a divisional chapter shall have one vote in the House of Delegates excepting when provisions of the By-Laws, or one-fourth of the members present, shall call for a chapter vote or rollcall vote. In such case the Secretary immediately shall call the roll by divisional chapters and shall record the yeas and nays. In recording such vote, each divisional chapter shall be entitled to one vote and one additional vote for each ten (or major fraction thereof) active members of this Association located in the territory represented by the divisional chapter. Such votes may be cast by any one of the delegates of that divisional chapter, or may be divided as the delegates in caucus shall decide.

Section VI

The secretary shall furnish the credentials committee a list showing the chartered divisional chapters and the number of delegates and alternates to which each is entitled. In case any chapter has selected more than its legal number of representatives the Secretary shall drop the surplus names from the list, beginning at the bottom.

Article V—Meetings

Section I

The regular meetings of the Association shall consist of the meeting of the House of Delegates and the Annual Banquet of the Association to be held at the time of the annual convention of the American Osteopathic Association. Active members of the Association shall be entitled to attend the meeting of the House of Delegates, without voice or vote.

Section II

The order of business for the annual meeting of the House of Delegates shall be as follows:

1. Call to order.
2. Roll call. Report of Credentials Committee.
4. Reading of minutes.
5. Business arising from minutes.

6. Report of Secretary.
7. Report Treasurer.
8. Committee Reports.
9. Correspondence from divisional chapters.
10. Old business.
11. New business—Amendments, special memberships, etc.
12. Selection of Alumni Representative to Board of Trustees, D.M.S.C.O.S.
13. Election of Officers.
14. For the welfare of osteopathy and surgery in general and the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery in particular.
15. Adjournment sine die.

Section III

The Executive Committee shall convene at the time of the annual convention of the American Osteopathic Association, at a mid-year session, and at such other times as the President shall designate.

Section IV

The Executive Committee may call a special meeting of the House of Delegates, for cause, upon sixty days notification of all divisional chapters.

Section V

One-third of the voting members of the House of Delegates shall constitute a quorum.

Section VI

The meetings of the House shall be governed by "Robert's Rules of Order," except in such instances as are specifically provided for in the Constitution and By-Laws of the Association. The order of business and special rules adopted at the beginning of the session shall govern the procedure unless unanimously suspended.

Article VI—Nomination, Election and Installation

Section I

A slate consisting of one candidate for each elective office of the Association shall be submitted to the House of Delegates on the first day of its annual meeting by a Nominating Committee appointed by the President. Consent to serve will be obtained by the Nominating Committee from each candidate before presentation to the House. Nominations for all elective officers shall be open to the floor of the House of Delegates following the report of the Nominating Committee. The Nominating Committee shall consist of the Immediate Past President and two (2) active members of the Association appointed by the President and approved by the Executive Committee immediately following the annual meeting. No two members shall be from the same state."

Section II

A majority vote of the delegates present shall constitute election.

Section III

The officers shall be installed at the Annual Banquet of the Association. The retiring President shall preside at the Banquet and shall install the newly elected officers as the concluding act of his administration.

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Article VII—Duties of Officers

The duties of the officers of this Association shall be those duties which usually devolve upon such officers, and such other duties as may be designed from time to time by the House of Delegates.

Article VIII—Duties of the Executive Committee

Section I

The Executive Committee shall transact the business of the Association between meetings of the House of Delegates, and shall act as a reference committee to the House during its meeting.

No appropriations shall be made by the House of Delegates except upon recommendations of the Executive Committee. All resolutions, motions or otherwise, having for their purpose the appropriation or expenditure of funds shall first be referred without discussion to the Executive Committee. An adverse ruling on such resolutions or motions may be overruled by a three-fourths vote of the House of Delegates.

Section II

The Executive Committee shall fill any vacancies that may occur among the elected officers of the Association by appointment. Such appointments shall be for the unexpired portion of the term.

Section III

The Executive Committee shall recommend to the House of Delegates the name or names of members of this Association for selection as Alumni Representative on the Board of Trustees of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery.

Article IX—Amendments

The By-Laws of this Association may be amended at any annual meeting of the House of Delegates, providing that such proposed amendment be submitted to the Secretary of the Association and published in the Log Book (or by other adequate means) not less than thirty (30) days preceding the date of the annual meeting. A two-thirds majority of those voting shall be necessary to pass such amendments.

P. S. G.

Summer-time finds our frat colony girdling the globe. Last year's Seniors are making treats out of treatments throughout the country's hospitals. Externship has claimed half of this year's Senior's. Our Juniors are acting as combat forces—fighting for life against nine subjects and the heat. The vacationing Sophomores are on various beat-the-heat programs. Our superlative cook, Greta, is currently touring the West Coast.

Letters sent to the incoming Freshmen resulted in an SRO sign being hung out at the Frat House, as living quarters were snapped up quickly, with a record overflow. (attempts to lure the females failed dismally).

PSG applauds the post-graduation merger of Gladys to William Vernier, our ex-Prexy. Likewise the entrance of President Bob Cornwall into the state of connubial bliss. Jim Fox has scheduled August 24 to end his celibating—Pennsylvania to be the site of the wedding.

Dr. William Hewitt, ex-frater-in-facultate, has been entrancing us with some incomparable letters. These are available for reading—bring your own dictionary.

Phi Sigma Gamma extends its heartiest congratulations to all the entering Freshmen. Our House is open to you at all times, likewise our facilities and assistance in helping you to begin your new career. During the school year 3205 Grand Avenue becomes the mecca for school social life and an open invitation exists for all hands. So, avast ye land-lubbers, hoist your mainsails, and eye the black board for further details.

L. O. G.

The members of L. O. G. extend their best wishes for a successful four years to the entering freshmen. So that we might get to meet our new classmates and their families, L. O. G. will present its annual Freshman Picnic on Sunday, September 15th at Birdland Park. There will be refreshments, games and favors for the children—so plan on attending.

I. T. S.

The Iota Tau Sigma fraternity wishes to extend a most cordial welcome to each member of the DMSCOS Freshman Class of '57. We congratulate you on your acceptance to this school and to the osteopathic profession. You have been selected to enter a profession of healing which today stands ready to serve mankind in every respect and whose limits are bounded only by your own capabilities and desires. Osteopathy is taking its proper place as a true science of healing and its future grows brighter with each passing day. The desire of the ITS fraternity is to help in building this future and to provide each student with the opportunity to develop within himself the true spirit of Osteopathy. Throughout the coming year we plan to devote a great deal of time to worknites, individual instruction, and professional guidance as an aid to the student. Also, there will be many social events to afford the student an opportunity to meet other classmates, professors, and osteopathic physicians and surgeons. During the later part of September we plan a gala event to take place at our "newly acquired fraternity house," with wives and girlfriends as our most welcome guests. Be sure to watch the bulletin boards for the time and date of this coming event. Congratulations again on your entry into Still College and Osteopathic Medicine, and we wish you the best of luck in your endeavor.

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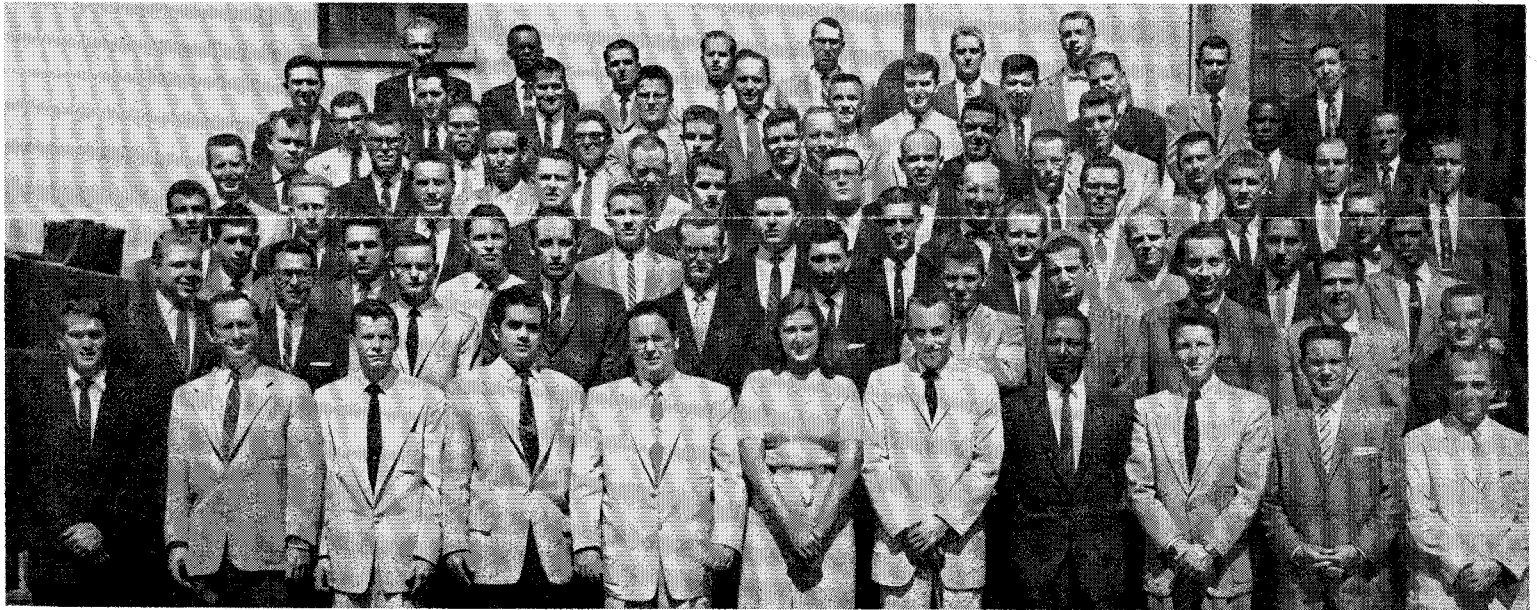
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FRESHMAN CLASS TOTALS 82



Pictured above are 80 members of the 1957 Freshman class of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery. All of the members of this class have at least three years of pre-osteopathic education. Of the 82 members of the class 60 have received at least a Baccalaureate degree. Forty-eight colleges across the nation are represented as well as eighteen states, Hawaii, British West Indies, Iran, and Puerto Rico. (See chart on page 3).

Front row: John Rusina, Joliet, Ill.; Harry Phillips, Detroit, Mich.; Robert Waite, Columbus, Ohio; Hector Rivera, Puerto Rico; Phillip Naples, Youngstown, Ohio; Monita Davidson, Scottsdale, Ariz.; Joe Treon, Dayton, Ohio; Bill Terry, Detroit, Mich.; Jerry Tolan, Green Bay, Wisc.; Anthony Elisco, New Castle, Penn.; Stan Lubeck, Philadelphia, Penn.

Second row: Don Turner, Dayton, Ohio; Sidney Weinstein, Philadelphia, Penn.; Richard Leach, Texarkana, Texas; Arnold Jacobs, Detroit, Mich.; Harry Davis, Youngstown, Ohio; Robert Pushkin, Los Angeles, Calif.; Floyd Henry, Des Moines, Ia.; Arnold Aaron, Detroit, Mich.; Sidney Grobman, Philadelphia, Penn.; Leon Cogan, Detroit, Mich.; John Eichorst, South Bend, Ind.

Third row: Louis Schaner, Toledo, Ohio; Sheldon Kule, Belrose, N. Y.; Robert Lowry, Dimondale, Mich.; Earl Scheidler, Cincinnati, Ohio; Bert Bez, Detroit, Mich.; Robert Campbell, Gilman, Ia.; Fred Carpenter, Newton, Ia.; Richard Culp, Elverson, Penn.; Louis Bascoy, Los Angeles, Calif.; Fredrich Curlin III, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Fourth row: Fred Khani, Iran; George Wright, Carlisle, Ia.; Richard Scourfield, Dayton, Ohio; Dale Gierthy, Royal Oak, Mich.; Sil Zarins, Detroit, Mich.; George Thompson, Watertown, South Dakota; Michael Kurch, Selby, S. D.; Hugh Grover, Flint, Mich.; Stephen Koffler, Bristol, Penn.; Eldwyn Crawford, Reading, Mich.

Fifth row: Arthur Griswold, South Lyon, Mich.; James Leach, Valley View, Texas; Paul Fleiss, Detroit, Mich.; Richard Rhodes, East Liverpool, Ohio; John Ferarolis, Detroit, Mich.; Neil Purtell, Milwaukee, Wisc.; Walter Wunderlich, Voltairs, N. D.; Oliver Popa, River Rouge, Mich.; Edmond Touma, Port Huron, Mich.; Robert O'Neil, Sharon, Penn.

Sixth row: James White, Wayne, Mich.; Paul Glassman, Detroit, Mich.; Milton Raskin, Detroit, Mich.; Joe Dale, Seattle, Wash.; Richard Garrett, Baltimore, Md.; Richard Nuskiewicz, Youngstown, Ohio; Willie George, British West Indies; Bob Black, Tempe, Ariz.

Seventh row: Neil Russack, Youngstown, Ohio; Alvin Chong, Hawaii; Harry Cogell, Kenosha, Wisc.; Dave Uiselt, Wheatland, Penn.

Eighth row: Jerome Rose, Flushing, N. Y.; Franklin Aks, Brooklyn N. Y.; Herbert Moss, Philadelphia, Penn.; Alan Ross, Bayside, Queens, N. Y.; William Silverstone, Detroit, Mich.; Stanley Abrams, Philadelphia, Penn.; Gerald Weingarden, Detroit, Mich.; John Walker, Jackson, Mich.; Patrich Kurlin, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Ninth row: Bernard Lang, Flushing, N. Y.; William Hendricks, Los Angeles, Calif.; Elwood Cohen, Woodbury, N. J.; Ben Sherbin, Detroit, Mich.; Ed Blumberg, Detroit, Mich.; Frank Tepner, Omaha, Neb.; Robert Dzmura, Clairton, Penn.

Members of the class not pictured are: Ronald Rosengard, Camden, N. J.; and Seymour Gardner, Detroit, Mich.

Drs. Rachel and John Woods Go To Seattle

Drs. Rachel H. Woods, DMS '34 and John Woods, DMS '23 have, after years of service to their alma mater, finally fulfilled a long contemplated desire—to go west.



Dr. Rachel Woods

The beauty of Washington State has attracted them for some time and so they will set up practice there soon.

Dr. Rachel, as she was affectionately known to the students, practiced in Des Moines and taught part-time until 1946, when she moved her office to the clinic building and

became a full-time faculty member and head of the department of pediatrics. Except for a break from 1952-4, Dr. Rachel continued in this position until August 1957. Dr. Rachel, a certified pediatrician, has received many honors and recognitions professionally. She is a past-president of the Osteopathic Cranial Association and an active member in the Academy of Applied Osteopathy, county and state Osteopathic societies and the American Osteopathic Association. Dr. Rachel is also a member of Delta Omega, Order of the Eastern Star, and White Shrine.



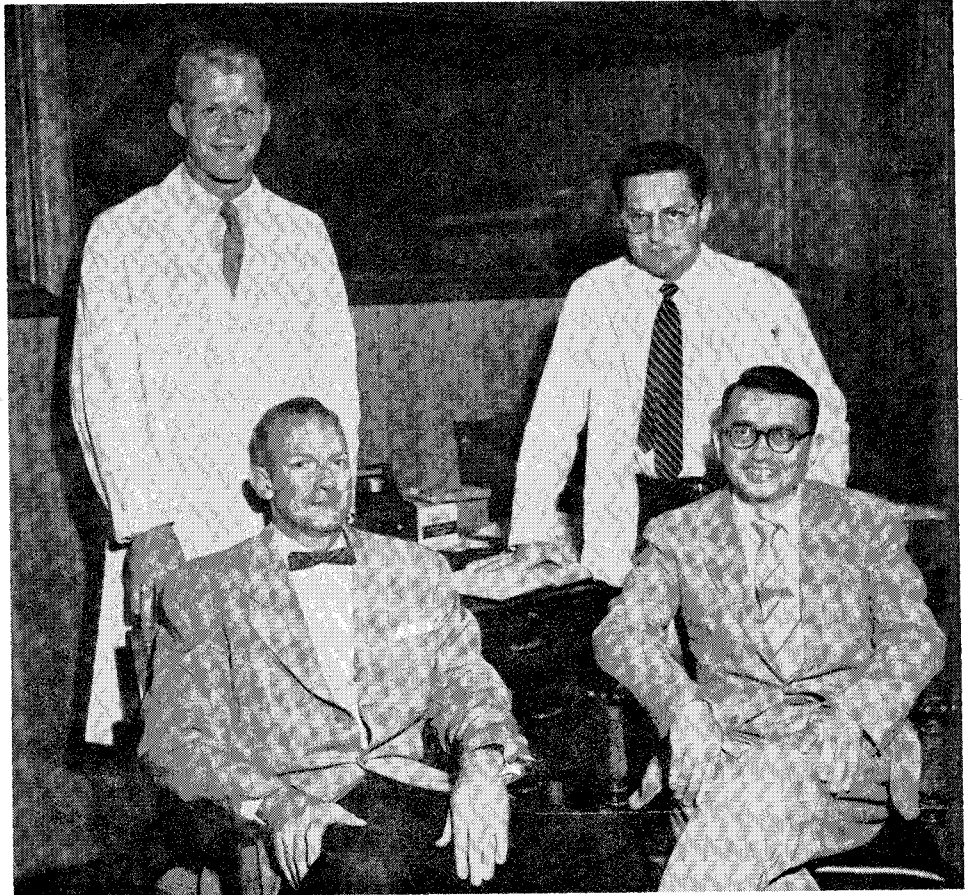
Dr. John Woods

Dr. John, a student teacher of anatomy before graduation, also taught anatomy, pathology, and osteopathic practice on a part-time basis until 1946, while conducting a private practice. From 1946 till 1948 he was Director of the clinic on a full-time basis. Taking 5 years absence from private practice, Dr. John developed his farm and orchards. Then on December 1, 1953 he re-

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New Faculty Members

The LOG BOOK takes pride in introducing four new faculty members to the student body and alumni. Beginning their duties in September were Dr. John C. Luly, Anatomy; Dr. Leo Subotnik, psychiatric clinic; Mr. Ben Chaiken, Bacteriology; and Mr. Donald Mullins, Physiology and Pharmacology.



Standing: Left to Right, Donald Mullins, Ben Chaiken. Seated, Dr. John Luly, Dr. Leo Subotnik.

John C. Luly, BS, MS, MD, was born in Alton, Ill. Attending Kemper Military School, Shurtle College, and St. Louis College of Pharmacy and Allied Sciences, Dr. Luly then spent 10 years in the retail drug business. This was followed by five years in World War II in the Jet Engineer Division of the Air Corps, where he also learned navigation and radar bombardier work. The next five years Dr. Luly was president and general manager of 49rs Products Co. in California, before entering Fremont Medical School in California, where he graduated in 1956. During this last year he has traveled with his family and trailer all over Mexico. He has five children, ranging in age from 14 to 2.

Leo Subotnik was reared in Baltimore, Maryland, and educated in John Hopkins University, where he graduated Phi Beta Kappa 1947. Dr. Subotnik earned his M.A. and Ph.D. degrees in Human Development at the University of Chicago. Interrupting his education Dr. Subotnik was in the Army in 1945-46. While completing work on his Ph.D. degree he worked in the school for retarded children in Northville, Michigan, as a research psychologist. Dr. Subotnik is married and has a 19 months old girl.

Ben Chaiken assumed the duties of instructor in bacteriology this year. A graduate of Drake University in Des Moines, Iowa, in 1951, Mr. Chaiken received his B.S. in Biology. He spent one year in research at the Cornell Medical Center, N. Y. City, subsequently working with blood plasma substitutes. From there he enjoyed a 6 months stay in the United States Senate under Democratic appointment. From this he returned to the midwest and took graduate work in English at Drake. Then he went to the University of Iowa as a graduate student in bacteriology, spending 3 years as a research assistant on muscular dystrophy and the last two years on electrophoretic studies of plasma proteins.

This last year before coming to Still College Mr. Chaiken worked for the California State Department of Public Health as a Public Health Microbiologist. He is married and has one 2-year-old child and another due the 24th of September.

Donald Mullins is a native of Monroe, Iowa. A graduate of Monroe High School class of 1956, Don spent a year at Iowa State studying agricultural engineering. He assumes the duties of a full-time laboratory technician for both the departments of Physiology and Pharmacology. Don is not married and commutes from Monroe daily.

Dr. DeNise Honored By Internists

The American College of Osteopathic Internists meeting in Coronado Island, California, September 26, 27, and 28 have honored Dr. Richard P. DeNise, Medical Director of Still Hospital. During the meeting of the College and its Board, the Degree of Fellow of the American College of Osteopathic Internists was conferred upon Dr. DeNise.

Aside from his duties as Medical Director Dr. DeNise is also Professor and Chairman of the Department of Medicine, and Coordinator of Heart Station at Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery. For the last several years Dr. DeNise has been an inspector for the Bureau of Hospitals of the American Osteopathic Association.

Working with Dr. DeNise for nearly three years, as residents in the department of Internal Medicine, have been Drs. Lee C. Moore and David Rothman.

Drs. W. Anderson and J. Schmidt Open Offices

This is to announce the opening of offices of two graduates of the class of DMSCOS '55. Dr. W. G. Anderson, is opening his office for the practice of general medicine, surgery and obstetrics at 229½ South Jackson Street, Albany, Georgia. Dr. J. Z. Schmidt is opening his office for general practice at 133 N.E. 2nd Avenue, Deerfield Beach, Florida.

DRS. RACHEL & JOHN (*Cont. from P.2*) entered private practice, and June 1955 was appointed Associate Professor of Vocational Rehabilitation and Clinic Supervisor, a position he held till August 1957. Dr. John is a certified Internist.

Just before they left, the administration and student body paid tribute to Drs. Rachel and John Woods at a get together in the College. Expressing the feeling of all who know this devoted couple was the following letter presented to them by the Student Council.

"The Student Council of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery wants to take this opportunity to express its appreciation to two outstanding members of the profession who have contributed so much to the progress of osteopathy. Each one of the many students who have over the years been privileged to your teachings appreciate especially your vast experience, practical interpretation and basic understanding of the fundamental principles emmerated by our great founder, Dr. Andrew T. Still. Your kindly manner, readiness to share knowledge and ability with others, your keen and alert interpretation of the needs of the patient will ever be respected.

Closely identified with osteopathy for many years you both have set an example of unselfish service that will be an inspiration to all of us. We know that you will continue in your new responsibilities to serve our profession.

Each member of the student body not able to be here today and all of us here join in extending our most sincere appreciation for the past and best of luck in the future."

ENROLLMENT STATISTICS

Fall - 1957

Number of:	Freshmen	Sophomore	Junior	Senior	Special	Total
Students	82	60	52	49	6	249
States	18	16	12	14	4	28
Degrees	60	39	41	39	6	185
Colleges Represented	48	35	34	31	6	109
Foreign:	Hawaii	Hawaii		Puerto Rico	Iran	
	B. W. Indies	Cambodia			Nigeria	
	Iran					
	Puerto Rico					

Tumor Clinic

Questionnaire Results

A questionnaire was prepared and sent from the Tumor Clinic on 3 May 1957 to members of the classes of 1922, 1927 and 1932 for the purpose of determining the incidence and selected associated information concerning cancer in this group. 101 such questionnaires were sent out with 56 returned. 54 of that total number of graduates are deceased and obtainable information indicates 2 resulting from cerebral hemorrhage, 2 from cancer, 1 from polio, and one of "heart ailment". No address was available on 21 of the total group and therefore no questionnaire could be sent to that number.

Since the number of returned questionnaires is small, actual numbers rather than percentages are used in the accompanying chart and appears to be less confusing.

Only one returned questionnaire indicated the practice of having an annual physical examination. 23% have never had a complete physical examination. Over 50% of the group are active cigarette smokers, have had chest x-rays, electrocardiograms, complete blood counts and urine analyses.

An ambiguous and thought-provoking question at the end of the questionnaire: "In your opinion, do you think you do not have cancer now?" produced various answers and several comments. The general tenure of these comments is: "If I have cancer now, I am not aware of it" or, "I

Enrollment Statistics

The largest Freshmen class in the history of DMSCOS matriculated this Fall. The class brings the total state representation of the student body to twenty-eight. They line up thus: Michigan 79; New York 29; Ohio 28; Pennsylvania 26; Iowa 25; California 6; New Jersey and Wisconsin 5 each; South Dakota and Texas 4 each; Arizona and Washington 3 each; Delaware, Illinois, Maryland, Minnesota, Nebraska, Oklahoma, and Tennessee 2 each; and 1 each from Colorado, Florida, Indiana, Massachusetts, Mississippi, North Dakota, Oregon, Rhode Island, and West Virginia. Two students represent Hawaii, Iran and Puerto Rico; and British West Indies, Cambodia, and Nigeria (West Africa) each have one.

It is interesting to note that overall approximately 75% of the student body has a Baccalaureate degree representing more than three years of pre-osteopathic training.

am planning on having a complete physical examination soon".

No major conclusions are available to the personal health of general practitioners as compared with specialty practice. It is significant to conclude that the class of 1932 with an average age of 51+ years considers itself perhaps immune or perhaps too young to adopt the necessary precautions to avoid the diagnosis of "cancer too late".

Graduating Class	1922	1927		1932	
	G. P., Retired	G. P., Retired	Specialty	G. P., Retired	Specialty
Type of Practice					
Number of Returns.....	9	21	9	14	3
Never had a Complete Physical.....	2	2	1	7	1
Range in Years Since Last					
Physical Examination.....	1-20	1-10	1-18	1-15	1-7
Active cigarette Smokers.....	4	10	6	9	1
Chest X-ray	3	14	6	11	2
Gastrointestinal Series	2	10	5	3	0
Barium Enema	2	5	4	3	1
Rectal Examination	3	11	4	3	1
Female Pelvic Examination		4	1		
Breast Examination		5	1		
Electrocardiogram	4	13	7	7	1
Complete Blood Count.....	2	18	9	7	2
Urinalysis	4	18	8	2	2

Wives Begin Busy Year

The Still College Student Wives' Club began their first semester schedule the evening of September 19, 1957, by giving a tea in honor of the Freshmen wives. Dr. Shumaker welcomed the new members and spoke to the group on "The Lives of Student Wives." The meeting was held in the Thriftway Clubroom at Sixth and University.

Prior to the tea, the Freshmen wives were entertained by the Club's executive committee members at an informal evening get-together in the home of Mrs. Ben Rodamar, September 12, 1957.

The first regular business meeting of the Club will be held at Still College on Tuesday, October 1, 1957. According to President Gerri Margolis, all business meetings will be held at the College this year since it is more centrally located and has better seating facilities. In previous years the Club has often used the Phi Sigma Gamma house as a meeting place.

The October 17, 1957, meeting will be of particular interest to the wives: Mrs. Claire E. Pike of Long Beach, California, the National Student Wives' Counselor, will meet with the Still College Club Chapter at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Carl Waterbury.

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Iowa.

L. O. G.

L.O.G.'s Freshman Picnic of 1957 was certainly one of the finest in recent years. With the cooperation of the weatherman, upwards of 80 Still students, their wives, and children attended. With the exception of a few stiff muscles the following day, we hope everyone had a good time.

Because of the anxieties of many of the Freshmen, worknight chairman Morton Knopper has planned an Osteology worknite. The session will be conducted by LOG upper classmen. Mimeographer sheets will be passed out and there will be discussions as well as study hints for those attending.

The fraternity wishes to welcome Dr. Atkins, who has been affiliated with the Los Angeles L.O.G. Chapter. We hope that his internship at Still Hospital will be an informative and pleasant experience for him.

FOURTH ANNUAL

Polk County Clinical Conference

October 9, 1957

SUBJECT: CHEST PROBLEMS —
PEDIATRIC and ADULT

PANEL MEMBERS

Dr. J. Don Evans, Surgeon, Detroit,
Michigan

Dr. Ward Perrin, Internist, Chicago,
Illinois (Moderator)

Dr. Dwight Stiles, Radiologist,
Phoenix, Arizona

Dr. Leo Wagner, Pediatrician, Lans-
downe, Pennsylvania

Place: Hotel Savery

Time: 9:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Dinner: 6:30 PM

Speaker: Gary Lenhardt, Radio Com-
mentator

Registration Fee: \$12.50, send to Dr.
Bryce E. Wilson, Treasurer, Wilden
Osteopathic Hospital, Des Moines,
Iowa

I. T. S.

Fall is just around the corner and with it comes Autumn leaves, chilly weather, harvest moons and parties. And speaking of parties, ITS had a wonderful event at Dr. Dresser's house (or it is mansion) last Friday nite. We invited all the incoming Freshmen as guests and everyone had a wonderful time. Roy Howe gave us his very best in impersonations; Dr. Dresser provided his usual magic tricks and Brothers Goble and Slocum went swimming in the punch bowl. There was dancing to the music of Hiram Fi Delity (better known to his followers as Hi-Fi) and Sally Slocum gave us her version of the Charleston, beads and all. Meanwhile back at the punch bowl—but seriously we really enjoyed ourselves and want to thank Dr. and Mrs. Dresser for their generous hospitality in providing the fraternity with a place to hold our meetings and social events. Thanks also to Mrs. Dresser and Mrs. Sloan for their kitchen support.

Our sincerest apologies also go out to those unfortunate Frosh who were not present for the arrival of the six "femme fetale". Better luck at the next party, men.

Things are looking brighter for ITS this year and plans are being made for several worknites and additional social events at the fraternity house, so watch the bulletin boards and the Log Book for further announcements of ITS activities.

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★ STUDENT ORGANIZATION ISSUE ★

Dr. Nelson To Residency

Dr. E. Stanley Nelson, DMS '54, a supervisor in the Still Osteopathic Clinic since December 1955, has begun a residency training program in internal medicine at Riverside Osteopathic Hospital, Trenton, Michigan.



Dr. E. Stanley Nelson

Dr. Nelson attended Iowa State College at Ames for three years before entering Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery in September of 1950. He was married December 3, 1953. Following graduation Dr. Nelson interned at Doctors Hospital in Columbus, Ohio. Our best wishes go with Dr. Nelson in his new work.

Wives Guests of Auxiliary

The Student Wives' Club were guests of the Auxiliary to the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons at 8 p.m., October 30, at the Waveland Club House, 49th and University. This was the annual party given by the Auxiliary for the Wives' Club and centered on a Hallowe'en theme.

The Student Wives' Club Counselor of the AAA, Mrs. Claire E. Pike of Long Beach, California, met with the local Wives' Club October 17. Mrs. Pike spoke generally about the importance of the AAOA and the duties that face the wife of a doctor. The meeting was held at the Des Moines Art Center with mesdames D. E. Sloan, Jean LeRoque and Carl Waterbury acting as co-hostesses for the evening.

Plans are now under way for the annual Christmas Dance sponsored by the Wives' Club. It is scheduled for December 6, at the Val-Air Ballroom. Be sure to mark this date on your calendar!

Christmas Seals Get Good Return

CHICAGO (AOA)—Early response to the annual Osteopathic Christmas Seal Drive has been encouraging, according to Dr. S. V. Robuck of Chicago, seal program chairman.

The campaign goal for 1957 is \$65,000, an increase of \$9,000 from the 1956 contributions.

P. S. A.

P. S. A., the Honorary Fraternity at DMSCOS, has announced the pledging of sixteen Junior students into its ranks. (Requirements being an overall grade average of B or better for the first two years.) The pledges were welcomed by the Fraternity members and advisor, Dr. Harry Elmets, at a dinner October 10 held at Bucknam's Steak House. The new members are Stanley S. Bernhang, New York, N. Y.; Donald M. Cohen, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Lawrence Di Donato, Bayonne, N. Y.; James M. Fox, Jr., Jenkinstown, Penn.; Norman W. Jankowski, Schenectady, N. Y.; Donald L. Kay, Detroit, Mich.; Morton P. Knopper, Detroit, Mich.; Robert E. Lane, Pittsburgh, Penn.; Melvin D. Linden, Detroit, Mich.; John S. Molea, Buffalo, New York; Frank W. Myers, Hudson, So. Dakota; Manoel M. Princeas, Seattle, Wash.; Paul Schneider, Detroit, Mich.; Manuel J. Singer, Detroit, Mich.; Bill C. Stoerkel, Salem, Ohio; and Eugene L. Timmons, Aberdeen, So. Dakota.



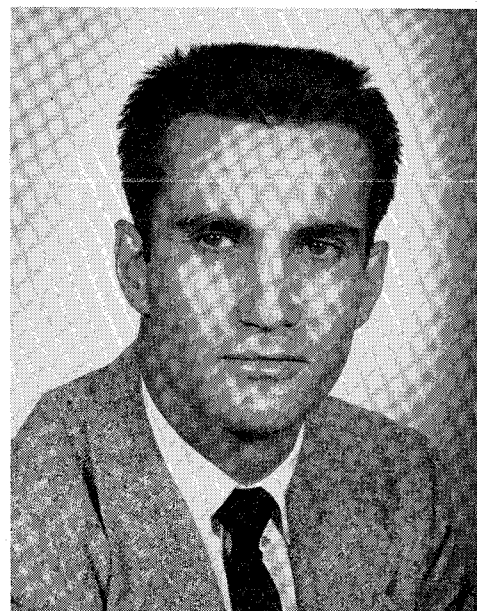
The new officers for the Fraternity pictured here are from left to right, seated: Roosevelt Taylor, Treasurer, Flint, Mich.; Donald J. Miller, President, Royal Oak, Mich.; Stanley Ozog, Corresponding Secretary, Detroit, Mich.; and standing: Clarence W. Wilson, Recording Secretary, Detroit, Mich.; and Robert A. Sybert, Vice-President, Nanty Glo, Penn.

Faculty, Administrators Have Picnic

The Faculty Wives Club of Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery sponsored a pot-luck supper at Birdland Park Oct. 10, for all the faculty and administrative personnel and their respective husbands or wives. One of the first ventures of this type for several years it was a tremendous success.

The committee that worked out the details for the supper was headed by Mrs. John D. Shumaker with the Mesdames E. Lynn Baldwin, W. R. Fuller, B. E. Poundstone, and W. L. Nusser.

New Surgical Resident



Dr. Donald H. Rose

Dr. Donald H. Rose, COP&S '55, began a three year residency in Surgery at Still Osteopathic Hospital, October 7, 1957. Dr. Rose calls San Bernardino, Calif. his home. He did his undergraduate work at the University of Calif. at Berkeley where he received his BA in Zoology and MA in History.

Dr. Rose took his intern training at the Los Angeles County Hospital, then spent five months in 1956 traveling throughout Europe and the Scandanavian countries. He is not married.

Kansas Board Okays Osteopathic Colleges

CHICAGO (AOA)—Kansas, where a new law provides full practice rights for D.O.s, took a step in that direction when the State Healing Arts Board approved all six osteopathic colleges in a September meeting.

A series of weekly refresher courses has been established to prepare doctors for medical license examinations the first week in November. Along with members of the Kansas society, outstanding M.D.s in the state are participating in the effort.

Other legal action in Kansas made doctors of osteopathy eligible for county contracts for medical services as they pass the medical licensing requirements.

CLASSES



SENIOR CLASS

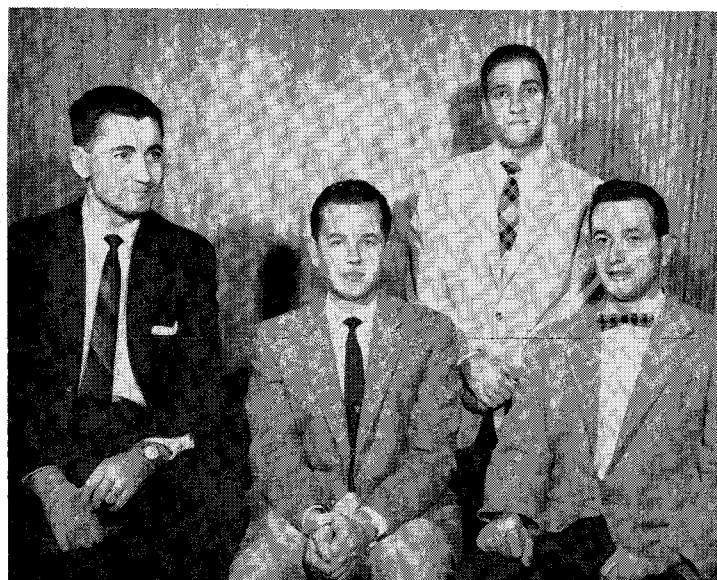
The Junior class officers pictured below are from left to right seated, Frank Myers, Secretary, Hudson, So. Dakota; Norman Jankowski, President, Schenectady, New York; and standing Jack Singer, Vice-President, Detroit, Mich.; and Joe Chirillo, Treasurer, Allen Park, Mich.



JUNIOR CLASS

At the beginning of each school year all the organizations and classes elect officers. Pictured on these two pages are those students which will represent their respective classes and fraternities for the 1957 school year.

Above, the Senior class is represented by (seated L to R) Wilbur Chinn, Vice-President, from Seattle, Wash.; Robert Sybert, President, Nanty Glo, Penn.; Pauline Kopec, Treasurer, Curwensville, Penn.; and standing, Daniel Slevin, Secretary, Lincoln, Nebraska.



SOPHOMORE CLASS

The Freshman class officers pictured below are from left to right seated: James Leach, Treasurer, from Valley View, Texas; Ed Blumberg, President, Detroit, Mich.; Monita Davidson, Secretary, Scottsdale, Ariz.; and standing Robert O'Neil, Vice-President, from Sharon, Penn.



FRESHMAN CLASS

Wilbur Chinn and Daniel Slevin are externing the first semester of this year while Pauline Kopec and Robert Sybert will extern the second semester. Pauline is the only active member of Delta Omega Sorority at Still College at this time.

The Sophomore class officers above are from left to right Robert Slocum, Treasurer, from Des Moines, Iowa; Donald Beckman, President, Dayton, Iowa; Frank Roth, Secretary, Detroit, Mich.; and John Raedy, Vice-President, Newark, New York.

FRATERNITIES

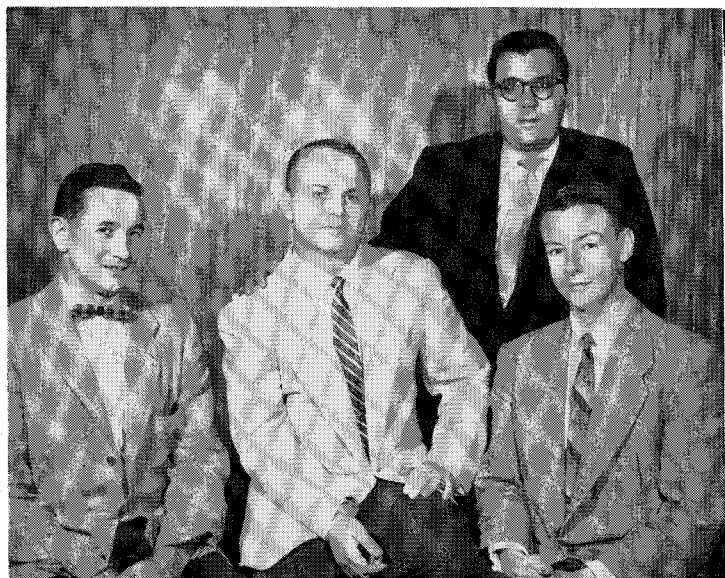
Pictured at right are the officers of the Atlas Fraternity. Seated L to R are Eugene Timmons, Secretary, Aberdeen, So. Dakota; Christy Ventresco, President, Youngstown, Ohio; and James Jackson, Vice-President, Detroit, Mich. Standing is Hugh Furness, Treasurer, from Des Moines, Iowa.

ATLAS FRATERNITY



Pictured at right are the officers of the LOG Fraternity. Seated from L to R are Ned Baron, President, from Philadelphia, Penn.; Paul Schneider, Vice-President, Detroit, Mich.; Jerry Margolis, Sgt. at Arms, Detroit, Mich. Standing: LeRoy Neumann, Recording Secretary, from Detroit, Mich.; Jack Singer, Corresponding Secretary, Detroit, Mich.; and Mel Linden, Treasurer, Detroit, Mich.

LOG FRATERNITY



ITS FRATERNITY



Pictured at left are the officers of the ITS Fraternity. Seated from L to R are Robert Slocum, Secretary, Des Moines, Iowa; Ben Rodamar, President, Waterloo, Iowa; and Donald Beckman, Vice-President, Dayton, Iowa. Standing: Victor Goble, Treasurer, Ravenna, Ohio; and Henry Wick, Jr., Historian, Janesville, Wisc.



PSG FRATERNITY



Pictured at left are the officers of the PSG Fraternity. Seated from L to R are John Raedy, Secretary, Newark, N. Y.; Robert Cornwell, President, Wayne, Mich.; and Frank Myers, Vice-President, Hudson, So. Dakota. Standing is Larry DiDonato, Treasurer and House Manager, from Bayonne, New Jersey.

AOA Committees Set Chicago Meeting

CHICAGO (AOA) — The future and structure of osteopathy will be subjected to analytical discussion at two October meetings at Central Office.

The AOA committee on development will convene October 19-20 for a searching session on support for osteopathy.

"The results of this meeting could shake the foundations of osteopathy," according to G. Willard King, director of the Osteopathic Foundation. "If we are able to come to any sort of solution for the problem of financing for osteopathic education, the profession could move into a new era of service. The success of any adequate fund-raising campaign would help to increase the public awareness of the full potential of osteopathy."

Dr. Roy J. Harvey, Midland, Michigan, chairman of the Department of Public Affairs, will preside at the meeting. Other members of the committee are Dr. Russell M. Husted, Long Beach, California, chairman of the Department of Professional Affairs; Mrs. George S. Cozma of Cleveland; Dr. R. N. Mac Bain, president of the Chicago College of Osteopathy; and Douglas O. Durkin, Chicago.

Dr. True B. Eveleth and members of the Central Office staff will serve as consultants.

In addition, the board chairman and presidents of the six osteopathic colleges; the OPF chairman, Dr. Galen Young of Chester, Pennsylvania; and the speaker of the AOA House of Delegates, Dr. Charles W. Sauter, II, Gardner, Massachusetts, will attend the meeting.

The Committee on National Citizens Committee on Osteopathy will meet October 18 with Dr. Harvey as chairman. Special consultants to the group will be Dr. Alexander Levitt of Brooklyn, former AOA trustee and chairman of the Department of Professional Affairs, and Floyd Brooker, executive secretary of the Michigan Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons.

Newman Club News

The Newman Club of DMSCOS extends an invitation to all interested students to participate in its program of activities for the coming year. Officers of the Club pictured below are from left to right, Michael Bousamre, President, of Detroit, Mich.; Robert W. Greiner, Vice-President, of Wyandotte, Mich.; and James F. Blem, Secretary-Treasurer of Detroit, Mich. Father James Rasmussen will be advisor to the Club this year.



WHO Drive Halves Disease Mortality

CHICAGO (AOA)—Enough lives to populate a city the size of Washington have been saved in the last five years by health campaigns that have halved the mortality rate from contagious diseases, the World Health Organization reports.

WHO estimated the saving at about 816,000 lives. Tuberculosis was still by far the biggest killer among the 17 diseases studied.

Congratulations to Sophomore student Antone Martinho for the donation of \$100 to the Anatomy Department. Dr. Mirovianis informs the Log the money was utilized to purchase new skulls.

ATLAS

The Atlas House opened the 1957-58 school year with new occupants. Many of them are freshmen, working like bees, and certainly doing a good job keeping the house tidy. These new faces at the Atlas House are: Harry Davis, Youngstown, Ohio; William Hendricks, Los Angeles, California; Phil Naples, Youngstown, Ohio; Robert O'Neil, Sharon, Pennsylvania; and Jim White, Wayne, Michigan. Overseeing the House this year is our president, Brother Chris Ventresco. Brother Timmons recently made P.S.A.—An Osteopathic Honor Fraternity. Congratulations!

Our Smoker, given last month, was well attended. Detail men from Squibb, White, and Robbins were present. The Squibb Representative presented a Magic Show which baffled the brainiest of us. Prizes were an added attraction.

We extend to all freshmen a hearty welcome and a prosperous school year.

Dr. Kuolt Speaks At Wartburg College

Dr. Kuolt, Clinic Administrator, traveled to Wartburg College in Waverly, Iowa, Oct. 13, to speak to the Chi Rho Society about his experiences in the Navy Chaplaincy. The Chi Rho Society is a Pre-Theological Group.

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Still Alumni Reorganization Underway

Dr. True Eveleth Speaks at All- College Convocation

Dr. True B. Eveleth, Executive Secretary of the AOA spoke to the student body of DMSOS at a convocation Nov. 13. He expressed pleasure in being able to talk to us about our profession. For we are an important part of the profession as a student, now, and in practice as we strive to keep up on the changes in health care, said Dr. Eveleth. He told us our profession was established as an *improvement* on the medical care of that time. Osteopathy always was and will be a complete school of health care, though tending to emphasize and deemphasize manipulation at different periods in its growth. It is a young profession, unfettered by old ideas, that will allow us, if we do not seek to become as good as, to become better than old school medicine. Dr. Eveleth discussed this profession's current position, emphasizing the fact that we are respected by those acquainted with us.

He acknowledged that we have an advantage—we need not say anything but the truth to influence others. And we have, over the years, earned the right to have our movement in medicine brought to the people. To this end Dr. Eveleth urged that we know and be active in our profession, that we keep our standards high, and realize that the most important public relations is the doctor in the field.

Wives' Club to Sponsor Winter Dance

"Mistletoe Fantasy—1957," a semi-formal winter dance sponsored by the Still College Student Wives' Club, will be held December 6, at the Val-Air Ballroom. Keith Killinger's band will provide music for the evening. It is planned to have a program provided by students and their wives during the intermission period. Students and faculty will soon be able to purchase their tickets from class representatives.

The Wives' Club held a business meeting in Room 202 of Still College, Tuesday evening, November 12. President Geri Margolis appointed a committee chairman for the annual Children's Christmas party, which is scheduled for December 15. Dr. William Matthews, professor in the Drake University political science department, spoke to the group regarding the significance of the Arkansas situation.

Iowa Still College Alumni Association

Officers and district representatives of the Iowa Still College Alumni Association met at the College on September 16, with Dr. John B. Shumaker, acting president of the college.

Purpose of the meeting was to discuss:

- 1) Reorganization of the association.
- 2) The proposed Constitution and By-Laws of the National Alumni Association.
- 3) A membership drive for the association could be of service to the College and the osteopathic profession in Iowa.

The district representatives will contact all of the Still College graduates in their districts for the purpose of securing memberships. The membership fee is \$5.00.

We need 100% membership if our state organization is to lead the way in reorganizing the National Association. Please keep in mind that the more members we have the more delegates we are entitled to when the House of Delegates meets at the AOA Convention in Washington, D.C. next July," stated Dr. McWilliams. *Join Your Iowa Still College Alumni Association.*



Officers and district representatives of the Iowa Still College Alumni Association confer with Dr. John B. Shumaker, acting president of the college. The meeting was held at the college for the purpose of discussing the reorganization of the Iowa Association.

Seated (L to R): Dr. George Slaimoda, Marshalltown, (District VI); Dr. T. P. McWilliams, Bayard, secretary-treasurer; Dr. Carl C. Waterbury, Des Moines, president; and Dr. Shumaker.

Standing (L to R): Dr. Robert Pettit, Des Moines and Dr. Gordon Elliott, West Des Moines (District VII); Dr. Sara Sutton, Renwick (District IV); Dr. Howard Dolyak, Stuart (District II).

Other district representatives are Dr. Arthur Abramsohn, Davenport (District I); Dr. Les McNichols, Fremont (District III); and Dr. William P. Chandler, Jr., Manning (District V).



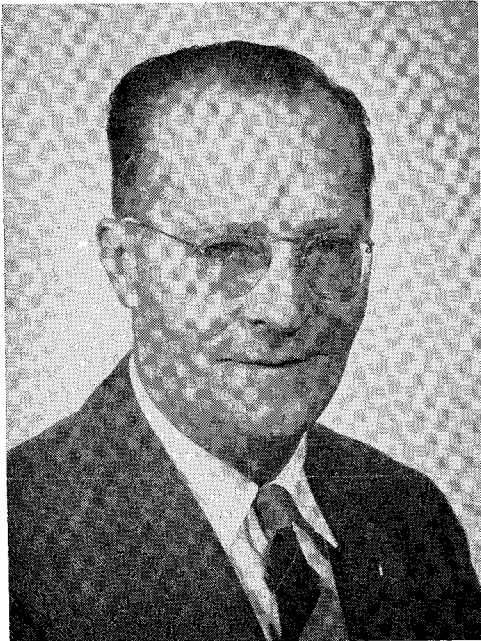
New Arrivals



Congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Ketman on the arrival of a baby girl November 8 at the Still Hospital. Janet Lynn is the name that was given to the 7 lb. 4oz. addition to the Ketman family. Dr. Ketman is the Radiologist at Still Osteopathic Hospital.

Congratulations are in order also to Sophomore student Clark Barczewski and Mrs. Barczewski on the birth Nov. 12 of an 8 lb. 2½ oz. baby boy named Stephen Clark Jr. Stephen was born at Des Moines General Osteopathic Hospital.

Dr. Bigsby, New Clinic Supervisor



Dr. Glenn E. Bigsby

Dr. Glenn E. Bigsby, DMS '35, assumed the duties of a Clinic Supervisor Monday, November 4. In general practice since graduation, Dr. Bigsby comes to the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery immediately from Coon Rapids, Iowa where he had been since 1940. Previously he practiced in Macksburg, Iowa.

Dr. Bigsby has been active in community service, serving as President of the Chamber of Commerce in Coon Rapids, and taking an active interest in Boy Scout work in that community over the years. His other avocations are dabbling in photography and an occasional game of golf. Dr. Bigsby belongs to the Odd Fellows lodge, is a Mason, and member of the Christian Church.

Dr. Bigsby is married and has three children. The family is currently living in West Des Moines.

Doctors Honor Bay Osteopath

Dr. Gerard Nash of Bay View Osteopathic Hospital was notified yesterday of his election to membership in the Society of Nuclear Medicine.

It was believed that he was the first osteopathic radiologist in the United States to be so honored.

Dr. Nash is a graduate of the college of arts of Rutgers University and has his D.O. degree from Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy. He interned at Amarillo (Texas) Osteopathic Hospital and later had training in the use of radioactive isotopes at Georgetown University.

At Bay View Hospital he is the senior resident in diagnostic radiology. He has authorization from the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission for the use of radioactive cobalt and iodine.

(Cleveland Plain Dealer, Friday September 27, 1957)

Development Group Meets at Chicago

Board to Hear Report on Findings

CHICAGO (AOA)—The AOA Committee on Development met in October in Chicago with the AOA president, Dr. Carl E. Morrison, Central Office staff members and college representatives.

Reports of the development committee and of the committee on a national citizens committee for osteopathy, which met a day earlier, will be presented to the AOA Board of Trustees in December.

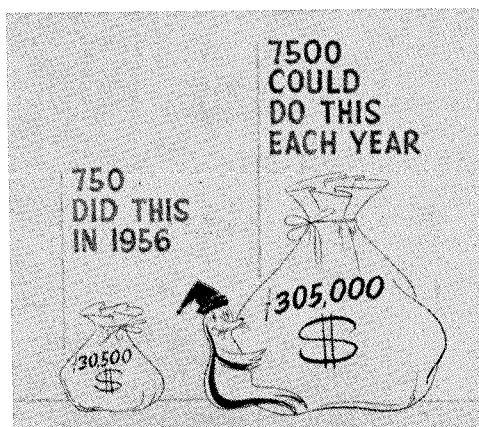
Lawrence W. Mills, director of the Office of Education, was appointed to visit the osteopathic colleges and compile a definite list of short-term needs to be presented with the committee report. He will meet with the development committee on December 3 to discuss his report.

G. Willard King, director of the Osteopathic Foundation, was instructed to continue seeking the names of affluent patients of osteopathic physicians who might be induced to make contributions to osteopathic education.

Dr. Roy J. Harvey, Midland, Michigan, chairman of the Department of Public Affairs and chairman of the development committee, presided. Dr. Morris Thompson, president of the Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery sat on the committee in the place of its regular member, Dr. R. N. McBain, president of the Chicago College of Osteopathy, who was ill.

Mrs. George S. Cozma of Cleveland, Ohio, auxiliary representative on the committee, was elected vice chairman.

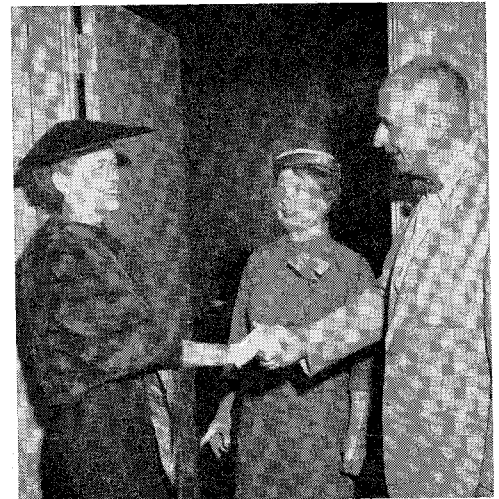
Seal Campaign Potential



In the 1956 Campaign, 750 doctors and auxiliary members distributed seals to the public, produced \$30,500—fifty-five per cent of the year's total. When that 750 is multiplied by ten, and 7,500 members are using the Packet Plan, the total public return can top \$300,000.

Please note the character who shows his preference for the big money. He is making his entrance this year, and the AAOA Record is running a contest to name him.

Auxiliary Director Visits Still College Students Wives' Club



Pictured above are from left to right: Mrs. Claire E. Pike, Mrs. Harold Dresser, and Dr. J. B. Shumaker.

Visiting the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery briefly on a visit to Des Moines and the Still College Students Wives' Club, Mrs. Claire Pike, is shown above as she was greeted by Dr. John B. Shumaker, acting President of Still College. An immediate past president of the California AAOA, Mrs. Pike was appointed to a 3 year term as a Director of the AAOA at the past convention in Dallas, and subsequently chosen as this year's counselor for all the Osteopathic Student Wives Clubs.

While in Des Moines Mrs. Pike talked to the Executive Committee of the Students Wives' Club October 16 at the Hotel Savery, Des Moines, and the Polk County Auxiliary October 17 at a luncheon meeting at the Commodore Hotel, Des Moines. The evening of October 17, Mrs. Pike spoke at the regularly scheduled meeting of the Student Wives Club. She was on her way from Des Moines to St. Louis, where she was present at the installation of her husband as President of the American College of Osteopathic Anesthetists.

3300 Orders In For Xmas Seals

CHICAGO (AOA)—Some 3300 orders for seal packets have been received as the osteopathic Christmas seal campaign moves into its November drive.

This figure places the current drive slightly ahead of the 1956 effort as the same date and encourages the hope that a goal of \$65,000 can be met, according to Dr. S. V. Robuck of Chicago, campaign committee chairman.

During November, campaigns will be launched in the colleges and through osteopathic hospitals. In addition, seals will be mailed from the Central Office to parents of osteopathic students, seal collectors, members of hospital guilds and selected lists of laymen.

Profession Tops Alumni Giving

CHICAGO (AOA)—Osteopathic college alumni averaged more than \$50 per person in contributions to their schools during 1956, according to G. Willard King, director of the Osteopathic Foundation.

"This is the best record of any alumni group in the country," he said. "Our main problem is that even this generosity cannot keep up with the needs of our schools."

A recent publication by the AMA noted that their 160,000 members had contributed about five million dollars to medical education since 1952. This averages one million a year or about \$7 per person.

During the same period, 10,000 AOA members contributed \$535,588 for the average cited, King said.

Osteopathic giving tops alumni generosity for other kinds of schools as well. Private men's colleges fared next best with \$49 a year per alumnus. The overall average was \$36 per alumnus.

During the 10 years of its existence, the Osteopathic Progress Fund has received a total of five and a half million dollars from all sources.

Mattison Named By Health Group

CHICAGO (AOA)—The American Public Health Association has announced the appointment of Dr. Berwyn F. Mattison as executive secretary, effective in 1958.

Dr. Mattison, currently secretary of health for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, will succeed the late Dr. Reginald M. Atwater.

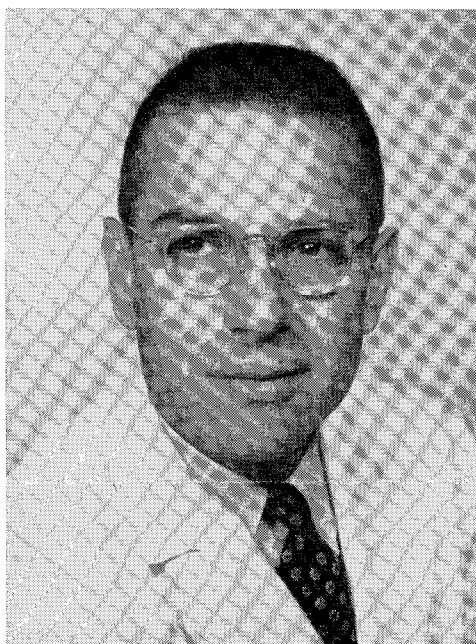
A native of Glens Falls, New York, Dr. Mattison was graduated from the McGill University School of Medicine in Montreal. He took his undergraduate training at Rensselaar Polytechnic Institute, a master of arts at the University of California and a master of public health at Johns Hopkins University.

Dr. Mattison has served as a member of the APHA governing council and is a fellow of the group. He also is a delegate to the National Health Council and serves as an advisor or committee member for numerous health organizations.

DMS Alumnus In Auto Accident

Murray Goldstein, DMS, Oct. 17, 1950, was in a severe auto accident in early September in Washington, D. C. He has been in the Public Health Service Hospital, 31st & Wyman Park Dr., Baltimore, Maryland, since September 20 and is expected to be there several more weeks.

New Instructor Appointed



Roy Solkot

Roy Solkot, B.S., M.S., has been appointed Instructor in Bio-chemistry and Clinical Pathology at the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery. A native of Brooklyn, N. Y., Mr. Solkot attended Brooklyn City College, N.Y., City College of New York where he received his B.S. degree, and Purdue University, where he received his M.S. in Biochemistry. He continued his education at Fordham for 2½ years before enlisting in the Army. Mr. Solkot returned to Purdue for a refresher course several years later, doing some teaching at the same time.

He spent 14 years on active duty with the Army Medical Service Corps in the Bio-chemistry Section. Three of those years he was in the European theatre and 20 months in the Far East. In both areas his work was associated with applied medical biochemistry.

In the United States, Mr. Solkot has been at Ft. Harrison, Indiana, Ft. Sheridan, Illinois, and the St. Louis, Missouri area laboratories; also in the general hospital at El Paso, Texas, and Phoenixville, Pennsylvania. Just prior to coming to Still College he was assigned to the Fitzsimmons Army Hospital, Denver, Colorado, where he worked in the medical nutrition laboratory. Mr. Solkot has recently been married and is living in Des Moines presently.

D.O. Named to Head West Virginia Board

CHICAGO (AOA)—Dr. Roy W. Eshenauer of Point Pleasant, West Virginia became the first D.O. to head his state's board of health.

Dr. Eshenauer was appointed as chairman of the West Virginia Board of Health for a two-year term. He has been a member of the group for several years.

Colleges May Get Government Funds

Bill Pending To Build Teaching Facilities

CHICAGO (AOA)—The six osteopathic colleges would be eligible for federal funds for new teaching facilities under the provisions of a bill now pending before Congress.

If passed, House Resolution 7841, introduced by Representative John E. Fogarty of Rhode Island, would establish a five-year program to provide matching federal funds for the construction of teaching and research facilities by medical, dental and public health schools.

"Inclusion of the osteopathic colleges presents a challenge the profession must meet," according to Dr. True B. Eveleth, AOA executive secretary.

"These and other funds are badly needed if our schools are to expand as they must. It would be a serious reflection on the future of osteopathy if we had to reject a federal grant because of our unwillingness or inability to raise matching funds."

Dr. Chester D. Swope, chairman of the AOA Department of Public Relations, informed the government that the osteopathic colleges will need five million dollars during the next five years if they are to expand as they feel necessary. His figure is based on a survey of the colleges made at the request of the government.

This means that the osteopathic profession would have to raise two and a half million dollars to be eligible for a like amount in federal aid.

As introduced, the act would provide up to two-thirds of the costs of building where the school could demonstrate that freshman enrollment would be raised 5 percent or more by the addition of the new facilities. The same provision would hold for the establishment of a new school if recommended by national accrediting bodies. For all other applications, the ratio of matching funds would apply.

The total of \$45,000,000 would be made available annually for medical schools with any school limited to \$3,000,000 in a single year. Schools are eligible to apply for \$25,000 for preparation of initial plans and estimates for new construction.

Another provision of the bill would permit the designation of 20 percent of the federal grant, or 10 percent of the total cost of building, to be allocated for permanent maintenance of the building.

Determination of the awards and their amounts is to be made by the Surgeon General with the advice of a Federal Council on Health Educational Facilities. This group, established by the bill, will have 12 members appointed by the Surgeon General with the approval of the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare. Six members are to come from the general public and six from the health sciences.

In addition to the money appropriated for medical schools, dental schools would receive up to \$8,000,000 a year and public health schools would be eligible for \$7,000,000 each year. Dental and public health schools would be limited to \$1,000,000 to any school in a given year.

PSG

Phi Sigma Gamma announces with pride the pledging of the twenty-six following men:

Arnold Aaron, Bert Benz, Robert Campbell, Alvin Chong, Joseph Dale, John Eichhorst, John Ferarolis, Dale Gierthy, Floyd Henry, Arnold Jacobs, Stephen Koller

Richard Nuskiewicz, Oliver Popa, Hector Rivera, Neil Russack, John Rusina, Louis Schaver, Earl Scheidler, William Terry, George Thompson, Joseph Treon, Donald Turner, David Uiselt.

Sophomores pledging are:

Bernie Arden, Jack Harten, Ed Yarolin.

Fall activities have included work nights, the showing of an excellent film, "Cancer of the Breast," an address by Dr. LeRoque on "What Fraternity Life Means to Me," a fun-filled excursion picnic to the Ledges, and some great basement parties capped by the big Halloween Frolic.

The next big fraternity event will be our annual Thanksgiving Dinner at the PSG House. Actives and pledges, wives and dates, are invited to sink their teeth into Gretta's hurculean epicurian efforts.

OPF Receipts Ahead of 1956

CHICAGO (AOA)—Contributions to the Osteopathic Progress Fund through October are appreciably ahead of 1956 for the same period, according to G. Willard King, fund director.

A total of \$201,821 or 21 percent of the million dollar goal has been reported.

Leading the divisional societies is Indiana which has surpassed its mark with \$15,625. Following in order of percentage are Oregon, California, New Mexico and Louisiana.

Softball Report

"Take me out to the ball game," was the cry here at Still College. Due to the generosity of the osteopathic physicians of Polk county and Still College we were able to field a team in the American Association of Des Moines class "C" softball league.

Our record may not have been too impressive (won 5, lost 7) but fun was had by all and we're sure no team in the league had more spirit. At times this spirit was dampened, not only by the losses but by the rain that stopped six of the contests.

Wives, girl friends and faculty members were well represented in the stands at many games and at times Dr. DeNise could be seen shagging foul balls.

Player-manager Ned Baron was in charge of collecting funds to support the team and we would like to take this opportunity to thank all the generous physicians for their contributions.

Monday and Wednesday evening was the time the games were held under the lights and due to previous commitments of many of the student players quite a variation in players were fielded. We may not have the depth of Casey Stengels' New York Yankees but he couldn't have shifted more men around than was done by manager Baron. Out pitching staff was made up of John Olszewski and Charles Parrott while the infield consisted of Ned Baron, Jim Blem, Hal Bienenfeld, Joe Chirillo, Bob Koepke, Bob Beech, Lee Neumann, Saul Shapiro and Bob Cornwall. The outfield was patrolled by Don Kay, Bob Griener, Fred Meltz and Martin Siegel.

Now that the season is over the chant of wait till next year can be heard among the players and fans of Still College, but just wait till basketball season—it's just around the corner.

Attend
MISTLETOE FANTASY
Val-Air Ballroom
Dec. 6, 1957

ITS

Once again, the season is open for ducks, pheasants, and pledges. ITS put on a big drive this year to introduce the new frosh to the fraternity, the members, and to the qualities which ITS represents in the study of Osteopathic Medicine. All of our work nights and parties were well attended and as a result we obtained a very select group of pledges. We are very proud of these gentlemen and congratulate them on their desire to be our brothers. The following is a list of names of our future brothers-to-be.

Juniors: Henry Harnish

Sophomores: Tom Henn, Ted Weiner

Freshmen: Harry Cogell, Elwyn Crawford, Fred Carpenter, Robert Dzmura, Seymour Gardner, Arthur Griswold, Fred Khani, Patrick Kirlin, Michel Kurch, Bernard Lang, James Leach, Richard Leech, Scourfield, Gerald Tolan, Robert Waite, and John Richard Walker.

We salute these new pledges and sincerely hope that they will gain the knowledge and benefits by their mutual interest in our fraternity.

The social committee has been working hard on future work night activities and our big Christmas dinner in mid-December, so watch the bulletin boards and signs for these activities.

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College Forms Development Committee

Alumni Elect
Dr. McNerney



Alumni of DMSCOS have elected Dr. J. R. McNerney, West Des Moines, Iowa, Class of '37, as their alumni representative to the Board of Trustees of the College for a one year term. He replaces Dr. E. F. Leininger of Des Moines.

In the future alumni representatives to the Board of Trustees of the College will be elected by the House of Delegates of the association at the time of the annual meeting (held during the A.O.A. Convention) provided the Temporary Constitution & By Laws are adopted in Washington, D. C., July, 1958.

Dr. McNerney is a member of the Board of Trustees of the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians & Surgeons (represents District VII—Polk County); the Executive Committee of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons and the executive committee of the Still Hospital staff.

He is past president of the Polk County Society, the West Des Moines Lions Club and the Chamber of Commerce—presently a Director of this organization.

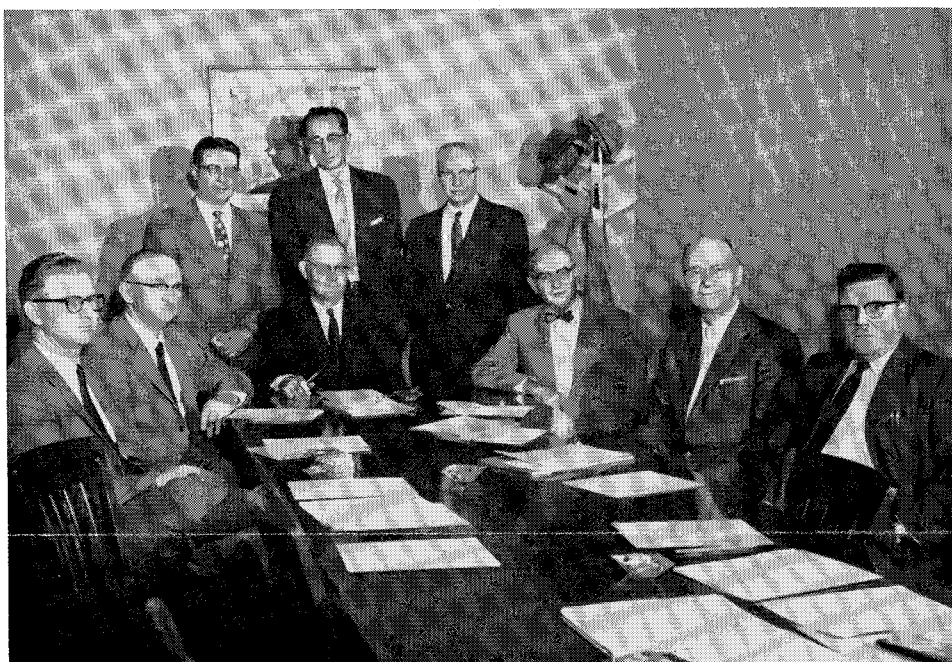
A Candidate in the American College of Osteopathic Internists, he has taken considerable post graduate work. In 1951 and 1955 he took courses in Cardiology at the College of Osteopathic Physicians and Sur-

To Consider College Needs

Mr. Marion E. Wallace, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of DMSCOS, has announced the formation of a Development Committee. The purpose of this committee is to consider and estimate the needs of the College at this time, in the immediate future, and the distant future in all areas in which the College functions (expansion of the faculty, physical plant, etc.)

Members of the committee, pictured below, held their first meeting in the Board Room of the College at 4:00 P.M. Tuesday, November 26, 1957.

Ex-officio members are Mr. Wallace, Dr. Jean F. LeRoque, temporary chairman of the National Alumni Association, and Mr. Wendell R. Fuller, Executive Secretary of the National Alumni Association, all of Des Moines.



Seated, left to right: Dr. Carl C. Waterbury; Dr. J. P. Schwartz; Mr. Karl Greenlee (Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the College) Chairman; Dr. John B. Shumaker, Acting President of DMSCOS; Dr. Howard Dolyak; and Dr. J. R. McNerney (newly elected representative of the National Alumni Association to the Board of Trustees of the College). Standing: Mr. Wendell R. Fuller; Dr. Jean F. LeRoque; and Mr. Wallace.

geons, Los Angeles, California. In 1956 and 1957 he took courses in Electrocardiography and Gastrointestinal Radiology in Mexico City, Mexico.

A tireless worker for the College and the profession Dr. McNerney has taught various courses in the College since graduation. At the present time he is teaching a course in Rheumatology.

Dr. McNerney is engaged in general practice in West Des Moines. He is married and has seven children.

Seal Drive Ahead of 1956 Campaign

CHICAGO (AOA) — The osteopathic Christmas seal drive is 27 percent ahead of the 1956 campaign through November.

In a report prepared for the AOA Board of Trustees, Dr. S. V. Robuck of Chicago, seal chairman, expressed the hope that the campaign would reach another high mark for contributions.

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Dr. Robert B. Bachman Honored

Dr. Robert B. Bachman, DMS '16, Professor Emeritus in Obstetrics and Gynecology of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery, was honored November 13th after 41 years of teaching and practice. The Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons honored Dr. Bachman at their regular monthly dinner meeting held at the East Des Moines Club.

Dr. True B. Eveleth, Executive Secretary of the American Osteopathic Association, paid tribute to Dr. Bachman for his many years of unselfish devotion to this profession.



Dr. J. Shumaker—Dr. Bachman

Letters of appreciation for his contribution to the osteopathic profession and osteopathic education were presented to Dr. Bachman by Dr. Eveleth, on behalf of Dr. Carl Morrison, president of the A.O.A. and by Dr. John B. Shumaker, acting president of Still College, on behalf of the Board of Trustees and the administration of the College. Lifetime memberships in the State and Polk County Societies were presented by Dr. Ray S. Farran (president of the State Society) and Dr. G. P. Peterson (president of the Polk County Society). A pair of binoculars was presented to Dr. Bachman by Dr. John Q. A. Mattern (Past President of the Polk County and State Societies) on behalf of all the osteopathic physicians in the State and Polk County Societies.

1916-1957

A native of Pennsylvania, Dr. Bachman moved to Iowa with his parents in 1909. He attended North High School and Des Moines College, graduating from Still College in 1916. He started his teaching career in July, 1917, completing his surgical training for licensure in 1931. In 1944 he accepted a position at the Kirksville College of Osteopathy in Kirksville, Missouri. He returned to Still College in 1947 as head of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology with the rank of Professor. In 1951 he resigned to enter private practice. Since then he has remained on consultation basis for the institution.

Dr. Bachman made his first delivery as a senior student in December, 1915 and made

Dr. Devine Dies: Served Drake, Preps

*From the Register and Tribune
Des Moines, Iowa*

Dr. Bennie H. Devine, 52, died of a heart attack at his home at 706 Fifty-fifth Street November 1, 1957.

He was closely associated with Drake University and Des Moines high school athletics and also with Golden Gloves boxing tournaments as a physician and trainer.

Dr. Devine lived all of his life in Des Moines, graduating from Drake and Still Osteopathic College. He was in practice as an osteopathic physician and surgeon here for 21 years.

He played football at North High School in 1922-23, later with teams at Gunnison, Colo., and Still College, and with semipro clubs in Des Moines.

In his association with prep athletics here, Dr. Devine often spoke at student pep assemblies and was active in youth programs.

One of his policies, well known to coaches and athletes for many years, was the free treatment at his office of players from all Des Moines high schools for injuries suffered in competition.

Dr. Devine was a Mason and a member of Za-Ga-Zig Shrine here and of Central Presbyterian Church and Elks Lodge.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Celeste Devine, and two children, Danny and Mary Beth, at home.

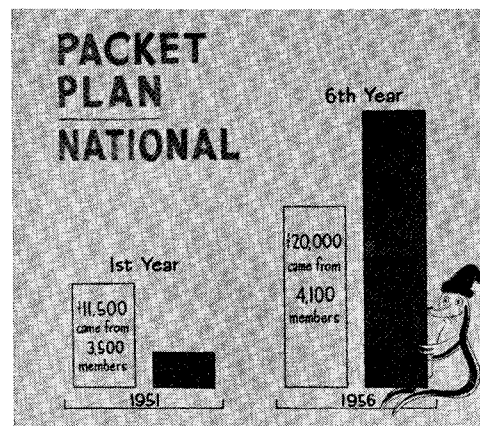
two deliveries on Sunday, November 3, 1957. Between these years he has had the responsibility of about 15,000 Mothers in clinical practice, consultation, deliveries, and observations. He has seen over 10,000 babies born.

His activities have not been limited to teaching and practicing. He was elected to the Rotary Club in 1928 and has been an Elder in the Central Christian Church for over 20 years. A member of the Board of Trustees of Still College for 21 years, 11 years as treasurer, he was instrumental in selecting the present site of Still College. Active in the founding of the American College of Osteopathic Obstetricians and Gynecologists, he was its first vice-president and served as president in 1937. When the certification boards were set up for the various specialties, Dr. Bachman served as chairman of the five-member committee that drafted the first rules and regulations for qualification and examination of applicants in conjunction with the AOA central office.

For years Dr. Bachman has maintained a five acre ranch. He built one half of the barn and put in most of the fence surrounding the land. One of his hobbies has been raising and breaking Arabian horses. He has enjoyed showing these at many horse shows.

For the future he plans to travel through the South and Southwest. Dr. Bachman plans to settle down somewhere near his two children and five grandchildren.

Seal Campaign Potential



In the 1951 campaign, 3,500 doctors and their wives contributed \$11,500, brought in \$3,850 from the public. Six years later, 4,100 gave \$20,000 and 750 produced \$30,500.

Dr. Caldwell Dies at 94

*From the Register and Tribune
Des Moines, Iowa*

Dr. Della Beals Caldwell, 94, who practiced osteopathy in Des Moines for more than 50 years, died October 31 at Des Moines General Hospital. She had been in failing health for about a year.

Beginning her practice here in 1902, Dr. Caldwell continued to treat patients until she was 92. Four generations in some families had been her patients.

Dr. Caldwell was a graduate of the present Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery. As a young woman she taught school four years.

Born Sept. 21, 1863, in Tipton County, Ind., Dr. Caldwell was graduated from Peru State Teachers College, Peru, Nebraska, in 1884. She studied at Still from 1900 to 1902.

Dr. Caldwell's two sons, Loyd Caldwell, a musician, and Frank Caldwell, an engineer, preceded her in death.

She was an honorary life member of the Academy of Applied Osteopathy, affiliated with the American Osteopathic Association. She was awarded 50-year honorary membership certificates by the national and Iowa associations.

Dr. Caldwell was a pioneer in cranial osteopathy and a member of the Osteopathic Cranial Association. She held office in the national and state osteopathic associations.

In 1954 Dr. Caldwell was one of two osteopaths presented the Dr. C. W. Johnson Memorial award by the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons.

She was a member of Still college board until a year ago and of the First Methodist Church and the Eastern Star. She was a charter member of Argonne post, American Legion auxiliary.

Prenatal Clinic Smashing Success

The Prenatal Clinic which is getting ready for its Fourteenth series in the TRAINING FOR CHILDBIRTH PROGRAM reports an overwhelming success in attendance for the last series. There was a registration of over one-hundred twenty-five women and their husbands, attending the series of lectures that began October 10. The next series of six lectures will begin January 9, 1958. They will be held as usual on the third floor of the Clinic building in Room 300. An invitation is extended to all physicians in the surrounding area to acquaint their patients with this educational program. Any questions you or your friends may have about the program can be answered by calling AT 8-7241 and asking for the Obstetrical Clinic.

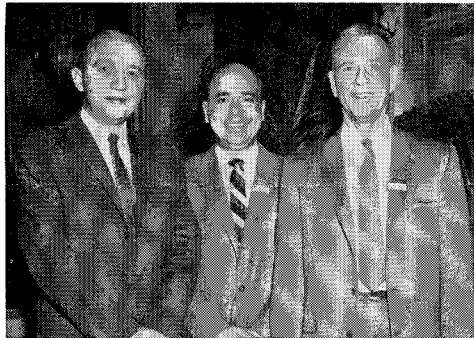
Besides talks by Dr. J. Dudley Chapman and Staff of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Eva Reese, Director of the Public Health Nursing Association gave instruction on care of the newborn at the last series.

Dr. Fred Sutter Opens Office in Ames

Dr. Frederick D. Sutter, DMS '56, opened an office for the practice of General Medicine in Ames, Iowa on October 14, 1957. Dr. Sutter served his internship at Wilden Osteopathic Hospital in Des Moines.

Still College Alumni In Colorado

During the Rocky Mountain Conference held in Colorado Springs, Colorado, November 14-16, the Still College Alumni met at a breakfast November 16. Dr. John Shumaker, acting president of Still College, and Mr. Wendell Fuller, Registrar, were on the program. In charge of the alumni meeting was Dr. Louis M. Radetsky. Small group meetings were held to discuss alumni organization and college affairs.



Pictured, left to right, are: Raymond "Rex" Conyers, DMS '52, Aurora, Colorado, Treasurer COA; Louis M. Radetsky, DMS '42, Denver, Colo.; and C. M. Parkinson, DMS '31, Denver Colo., President COA.

Wishing All A Happy New Year

From the College

Faculty and Administration!

Wives Club News

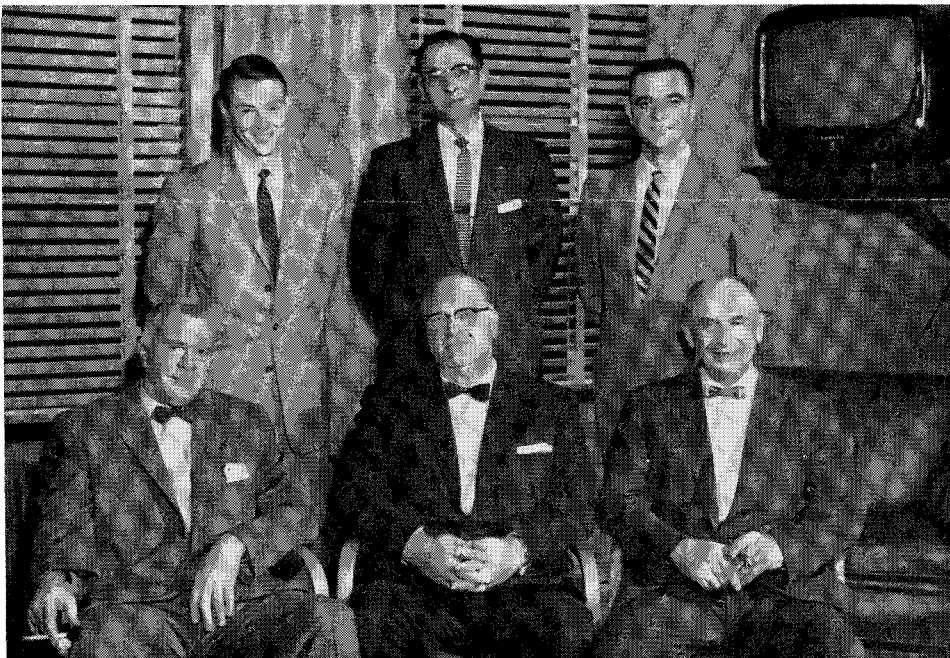
The Still College Student Wives' Club was particularly active during the ever-busy Holiday Season. The first event on their schedule was the annual Christmas dance Friday, December 6, at the Val-Air Ballroom. "Mistletoe Fantasy 1957" featured the music of Keith Killinger throughout the evening. During intermission, several gifts were raffled and those lucky enough to win included Sil Zarins, Roger Senty, Robert O'Neil, Dr. Dresser, Dr. Gaudio, and Hugh Grover. About 140 couples attended the gala affair, the ladies each received a favor as they entered. According to Barb Rodamar, dance chairman, the major portion of profit from the dance will be donated to Still College and Hospital.

The guest speaker of the regular meeting of the Wives' Club at Still College December 10 was Frances Hanson of Frances' Gift Shop. She displayed her gift collection and discussed the interesting histories connected with some of the imported items.

The children's Christmas party Sunday, December 15, was eagerly anticipated by the younger members of the Still College Student families. The party was held at Dr. and Mrs. Dresser's home—guest of honor was Santa who came late in the afternoon to distribute candy canes and gifts before refreshment time. In addition to the children of student families, approximately twenty children from the Des Moines Children's Home attended the party.

The next regular meeting of the Student Wives' Club will be January 7, 1958, at 8 p.m. at Still College. Business will consist of the nomination of officers for the new semester. All wives are urged to attend.

Group Discusses Student Affairs



During the November visit of AOA representatives the group pictured above met to discuss student affairs. Seated left to right are Mr. Lawrence W. Mills, Director of the Office of Education of the AOA; Dr. True B. Eveleth, Executive Secretary of the AOA; and Dr. J. R. Shumaker. Standing: Frank Myers, President of the Inter-Fraternity Council; Dr. Jean F. LeRoque, Vice-president of the Polk County Society; and Norman Janowski, President of the Student Council.

LOG

The members of Lambda Omicron Gamma are very proud to announce their 1957-'58 pledge class which is composed of the following group of men: Frank Aks, Edwin Blumberg, Stanley Abrams, Leon Cogan, Raymond Cohn, Richard Garrett, Paul Glassman, Sidney Grobman, Paul Fleiss, Sheldon Kuole, Herbert Moss, Stan Lubek, Robert Pushkin, Milton Raskin, Jerome Rose, Ronald Rosengard, Norman Sherbin, Robert Silverstone, Gerald Winegarten, and Sidney Weinstein.

The annual Senior Dinner-Dance will be held at the Savery Hotel. Those seniors to be honored will be Martin Wedgle, Conrad Pearl, Howard Weissman, Jerry Margolis, Beryl Chaby, Berton Kessler, Allan Lans, Jack Pearl and Roosevelt Taylor. The guest speaker for the evening will be Dr. Joseph R. McNerney.

Congratulations, although belated, are still in order for the Beryl Chaby's, the Martin Wedgle's and the Ned Baron's on their recent arrivals.

Best wishes to Brother Dick Brown who will be taking the BIG STEP, Dec. 29th in Detroit. To all our classmates and faculty, the members of LOG extend their best wishes for a Happy Holiday Season.

PSG

Our recent elections brought George Koss to the helm of PSG with Roger Senty being chosen as his able right hand. Sincere appreciation goes to Bob Cornwell and Frank Myers for their excellent leadership over the past six months. Our pledge class, consisting of twenty-eight men and one dog, cooperated wonderfully in sustaining the Battle of the Bulge on Thanksgiving Day. Dr. Hsie and family were the guests of honor.

Pledgemaster Jim Blem has set up a series of four demonstrations on Osteopathic technique and these will be interspersed with professional work nights as part of our teaching program. Oliver Popa was elected Pledge Chairman by his fellow candidates at the last meeting, and Steve Kofler became Vice-Chairman.

Rotating externships have brought familiar faces back into town. Len Barrow arrived just in time to make his television debut and Roger Senty arrived just in time to see his girl leave town. That new Sputnik over Des Moines is probably Gil Bucholz, no longer earthbound, but flying high on his new pilot's license. Charter flights to West Des Moines can be arranged. Mike Lackey has likewise abandoned two dimensional travel. Jim O'Day and his magic trumpet are now on display at Flint, Michigan.

With the Christmas season upon us (can bills be far behind?), the PSG house has taken on an air of joy and frivolity. Our fraternity Christmas Party, the Santa Claus party for the kids, the glowing tree and the bedecked windows all announce the season of goodwill. Special glows reside in Norm Jankowski and Arnold Jacobs who will become pleural in New York and Michigan respectively.

To our many brothers around the globe we heartily extend our very sincere and cordial greetings. May the arrival of '58 signify a new surge of ambition and achievement, may it portend a reigning era of health and happiness.

Atlas

The Atlas Club received Bobby Black, Robert O'Neil, Phil Naples, Harry Davis, Franklin Tepner, Anthony Elisco, James White, George Wright, and Silvester Zarins as their new pledges.

Two of our most able frat brothers returned from the difficult "trek" of externing—Jim Brown and Hugh Furness.

A mascot has finally arrived at the Atlas House. He is a pussy cat and is called Catnik. Rumors have it that he eats better than the occupants and of course he does go to bed at night (hasn't started to take physiology or biochemistry yet).

Dr. Fitz, our friendly psychiatrist, gave a worknite on taking case histories. As usual he was dynamic and made us wonder what reality really is! Remember our worknites are for everyone and an invitation is always extended to interested students.

Heard from one of our graduates—Dr. Harry Stiggers. He is at Bay View Hospital in Cleveland Heights, Cleveland, sharing his dynamic personality with the sickly. Many Sophomores and Juniors will remember him from technic.

Merry Christmas and if you leave the books behind—a relaxing New Year.

Community Honors Dr. Bigsby

The Chamber of Commerce of Coon Rapids, Iowa presented a certificate of recognition to Dr. G. E. Bigsby when he recently left that community to become a supervisor in the Des Moines Still College Clinic. The inscription reads, "In recognition of his seventeen years of outstanding service to the Coon Rapids Community, 1940-1957."

ITS

"Activity" seems to be the word around the college and particularly with the I T S fraternity. Some of our recent worknites have included Manipulation, Biochemistry and Radiology in Fractures and Bone Diseases, (presented by Dr. Phillips). There is also a growing interest in establishing a flying club. Brothers Henry Harnish, Robert Lowry and Dick Vermillion are providing the initial direction on getting set up with an aircraft and Dr. Dresser has pledged his complete support to this project.

Preparations are well underway for our gala Christmas Dinner Dance on 20 Dec. Bro. Bob Slocum is in charge of the reservations and to date reports that we have rented the Cloud Room at the D.M. Municipal airport. From all reports, this is going to be one of our finest dinners and with the support of our actives, pledges and alumni we will really have a wonderful time.

In the last issue of the Log Book, we erroneously omitted the names of several of our pledges and therefore we now submit their names and welcome them into the Fraternity. They are: Robert Lowry, Harry Phillips, Neil Purtell, Dick Rhodes, and Ed Touma.

We wish to extend the holiday greetings to all our Bretheren and to all a Happy New Year.

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