Harold L. Calkins, New Board Chairman

Mr. Harold L. Calkins has been elected Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery. He succeeds Mr. Marion Wallace.

Dr. Heinlen Returns to Des Moines

Dr. Walter E. Heinlen returned in September 1957 to Des Moines, Iowa, and presently has his office in the Equitable Bldg., Rm. 801. Originally appointed in March 1951 as Head of the Department of Surgery, Coordinator of Professional Activities at Still Osteopathic Hospital, with the rank of Associate Professor, Dr. Heinlen returned to his former home, Joplin, Missouri, on September 1, 1956.

A native of Mexico, Mo., he graduated from DMS in 1929. He served internship and surgical residency at South Shore Hospital, Chicago, Ill. Then from 1931-1936 Dr. Heinlen was in general practice at Elliott, Iowa. He became Chief Surgeon at the Verona General Hospital, Verona, Missouri, where he remained till 1938, at which time he became Chief of the Surgical Department of the Joplin General Hospital, Joplin, Missouri, where he remained until 1951.

In 1940 Dr. Heinlen became a member of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons; in 1945 he was certified in General Surgery, and in 1949 he received the degree Fellow of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons.

January Convocation

An all college convocation was held January 10, at 10:00 A.M. in the Moingona Lodge. The speaker was Mr. Joe Moore, Polk County Parole Officer, who represented the Greater Des Moines Chamber of Commerce, and told us of its many local activities.

Recent Additions

Five Still College students and one practicing physician swelled the ranks of the osteopathic families since the last Log Book was published. It was a boy to Mr. and Mrs. James Leach, Freshman student, November 17, at Still Hospital and to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Kirlin, Freshman student, November 29, at Des Moines General Hospital. A girl was added to each of the following families: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vermillion, Sophomore student, October 27 at Still Hospital; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tolan, Freshman student, November 29, at Des Moines General Hospital; Mr. and Mrs. Ned Baron, Junior student, November 29, at Wilden Hospital; and Dr. and Mrs. Aldo Pigneri, December 4 at Des Moines General Hospital.

Dr. K. M. Dubowski Speaks at PSA November Meeting

At the November 13th dinner meeting of the PSA Honorary Fraternity, held at the Latin King Restaurant, Kurt M. Dubowski, Ph.D., gave a very interesting talk about his experiences in the field of criminology.

Dr. Dubowski, who is Director of Chemistry, Iowa Methodist Hospital and Raymond Blank Memorial Hospital for Children, is also Criminalist, State of Iowa, Department of Public Safety; Chief Deputy Coroner, Polk County Coroner's Office; and Special Consultant & Toxicology Adviser, Department of Health, Education and Welfare, U. S. Public Health Service.

Dr. Dubowski supplemented his talk with many interesting slides demonstrating the varied aspects of his work as a criminalist and toxicologist.

Student Council Officers

Pictured above are the officers of the 1957-58 Student Council of Still College. The Student Council is comprised of four representatives from each class plus faculty advisors. Seated left to right, front row are: Norman Jankowski, Junior, President; Steve Chankin, Sophomore, Vice-president. Back row: Fred Carpenter, Freshman, Secretary; and Robert Dzmura, Freshman, Treasurer.
Psychiatric Department Grows

Expansion of mental health facilities at Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery in the fall semester have included the addition of a psychologist to the faculty and the establishment of a post-graduate training program in psychiatry. This has provided more adequate psychiatric referral service for osteopathic physicians than heretofore possible.

An undergraduate teaching grant in psychiatry from the National Institute of Mental Health has permitted employment of Leo Subotnik, Ph.D. as instructor in the department of psychiatry. Dr. Subotnik also adds psychological testing and child psychotherapy to the Still College Clinic and Hospital facilities. Adequate psychological testing equipment and child play therapy facilities have also been acquired with Mental Health Grant funds.

The college is now approved for psychiatric fellowship training leading to certification by the American Osteopathic Board of Neurology and Psychiatry. Dr. Lillie Dunlop of Des Moines has started her first year of specialty training in this program.

The undergraduate didactic teaching program has been increased to 162 hours in psychophysiological medicine and psychiatry in the first three years of the curriculum. Forty eight hours of seminars in psychiatry have been added to the senior clinic externship program to provide instruction and supervision in the extern's management of psychosomatic and psychiatric disorders seen in the Still College Clinic for out-patients.

Brief, intensive care for in-patients is provided at Still Osteopathic Hospital. Electro-shock therapy is available for both hospitalized and out-patients. Thus adult and child, either private or clinic in and out-patient psychotherapeutic service is available now at the Still College Clinic or hospital for all types of mental illness except those disorders requiring prolonged psychiatric hospital care.

The objectives of the Mental Health Teaching Grant program of the National Institute of Mental Health is being fulfilled and a more adequate diagnostic and therapeutic psychiatric service is available to the osteopathic profession of Iowa and the mid-west.

The next psychiatric fellow traineeship will be available on September 1, 1958. Applications for this opening should be made to the Intern and Resident Training Committee of the college.

The Columbus Clinical Group Announces Association of Dr. Simmons

Drs. Watson, Conley and Costin announce the association of HARRY L. SIMMONS, D.O. for the practice of general surgery with particular attention to thoracic and cardiovascular diseases.

Dr. Simmons is a graduate of Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery in 1951. He served his internship and residency in general surgery in Still College Hospital.

His training in cardiovascular and thoracic surgery was received under the Trainee Grant of the United States Public Health Service at the L.A.P.C. Hospital, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, with Dr. Jose Hilario and Dr. E. DaRocha.

With the wide attention now being given to cardiac and thoracic problems and the surgical approach to correct many of these problems, we are especially pleased to announce Dr. Simmons' association and the coverage it affords in this important field of diagnosis and surgery.

Enrollment Up At Six Colleges

10% Increase Reported In Freshman Classes

CHICAGO (AOA) — Enrollment at the six osteopathic colleges shows an increase of ten percent in the number of entering students, according to the semi-annual report of the AOA Office of Education.

The schools admitted 553 first year students compared to 495 for 1956. Total enrollment in 1957 is 1921 as compared to 1866 for the previous year.

Improvement in quality as well as in numbers is noticeable, said Lawrence W. Mills, education director. "This freshman class has the best academic background of any group I have seen," he commented.

"Some 70 percent of them hold undergraduate degrees and all have met the basic three year requirement. We may expect many of them to receive degrees after their first year of osteopathic school through arrangements with their previous college."

"This is the youngest class since World War II. They should lose fewer students than previous classes because most of them are accustomed to the academic situation and hold less outside responsibility."

The greatest number of students from a single state comes from Pennsylvania, with 94. There are 82 Californians, 79 from Michigan, 58 from Ohio and 32 from Missouri enrolled in the colleges.

Professor's Book Goes To Press

Stanley D. Miroyiannis, Ph.D., Professor of Anatomy and Chairman of the Department at the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery has awarded the contract for publication of his book to Vantage Press, New York, N.Y. The book entitled "Five-hundred and One Questions and Their Answers in Gross Human Anatomy for All Types of Medical Students for Licensure Examinations" is expected to be out October 1, 1958. Thirty thousand bound copies of this 5½ x 8½ book will be printed for the first edition and will sell for $5.00 a copy. Wide distribution is promised by the Vantage Press which has offices in N.Y., Washington, Hollywood, and International connections in London.

The manuscript received excellent comments from three N.Y. publishers and Cornell University Medical School.

REGISTRATION FOR SECOND SEMESTER 1958
JANUARY 30 - 31
CLASSES BEGIN FEB. 3.
Education Program of the Iowa Division of The American College of General Practitioners
In Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery

The Place: Hotel Savery, Iowa Room.
The Time: Sunday, February 9, 1958

8:30-9:00 Registration
9:00-9:05 Welcome by President Crawford
9:05-9:55 Selected Osteopathic Manipulative Techniques
   Dr. W. J. Huls of Davenport, Iowa.
10:00-10:55 A Symposium on “The Acute Surgical Abdomen”
   Dr. G. A. Whetstine, Wilton Junction, Iowa, Moderator and Discussant.
   Dr. Myron Magen, Pediatric aspects of the problem.
   Dr. Arthur Simon, Radiographic aspects of the problem.
   Dr. E. F. Leininger, Surgical aspects of the problem.
10:55-11:10 A collation of coffee and rolls will be served.
11:10-12:00 Continuation of the symposium and a question and answer period.
12:00-1:30 Luncheon
1:30-2:30 Office Proctology by Dr. Harold Somers, Waterloo, Iowa
2:30-2:45 Coffee period
2:45-3:45 Office Dermatology. By Dr. Harry Elmets

The officers of the division have agreed to invite any and all members of the senior class who care to attend the meeting to be our guests, and to enjoy all privileges.

Still Library Indexes
Osteopathic Publications

For a long time, Osteopathic Physicians have felt the urgent need of a subject and author index of scientific articles which have appeared in the Osteopathic publications, including the Journal of the American Osteopathic Association, and the various state and specialty publications. With the exception of the yearly index to the Journal and Clinical Osteopathy, there are no indexes of any kind available.

Doctors have often had articles in their minds that should be published but the tremendous task of going through the mass of material to find whether or not some one else has said it all before or said it differently, has proven too great an undertaking and the article has never been written.

Students at Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery no longer have this difficulty for they have access to an index from 1949 to date which includes all Osteopathic material published. Mrs. Kenderdine, the College Librarian has been compiling this index using the subject headings from the Cumulative Index Medicus with the addition of Osteopathic headings in common usage. This index is typed on cards and is in the library office and available for reference. All of the publications that are indexed are in the library files and may be consulted.

Realizing that doctors in practice might appreciate making use of this service, we are extending the privilege to them. Write to the College Librarian giving the subject and title of the article you are preparing and she will send you the reference of all Osteopathic articles that have been published from 1949 to date.

Counsel for A.O.A. at Still

Mr. Milton McKay, General Counsel, American Osteopathic Association, visited the Des Moines Still College January 8. During the day he paid a courtesy call on Student Council President Norman Jankowski and Inter-Fraternity President Frank Myers, conferring with them briefly. That evening he spoke at the East Des Moines Club at the regular monthly meeting of the Polk County Society. His subject was “Dual Licensure, Advantages and Disadvantages”.

Left to Right: N. Jankowski, Mr. McKay, and F. Myers.

(Ed. Note: Although bandaged here the wound was not received in Des Moines.)

Dr. Lee Moore Terminates Residency

Dr. Lee Moore DMS ’52 has completed a three year residency in the Department of Internal Medicine. He left Saturday, December 14, for Seattle, Washington, where he expects to open an office sometime in January for the practice of Internal Medicine. On his way to Washington Dr. Moore planned to stop in Salt Lake City and spend Christmas with his mother and brother.

Before he left, the Junior class presented Dr. Moore, a Hi-Fi enthusiast, with a gift record in appreciation of his fine instructional work and all-round willingness to help us become better physicians. We all wish him the best of luck for the future.

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Foundation Board
To Get Lay Members

CHICAGO (AOA) — Laymen will be named as trustees of the Osteopathic Foundation as a result of action by the AOA Board of Trustees.

G. Willard King, foundation director, was instructed to screen the nominations of prominent citizens offered by members of the profession. With King, the Division of Public and Professional Service has begun preparation for a comprehensive brochure to be used in a general educational fund-raising campaign.

The survey of the osteopathic colleges, made by Lawrence W. Mills, director of the Office of Education, showed a pattern of growth during the past 10 years and an obvious need for further expansion of faculty and physical plant for all of the schools.

The indications that the schools are planning for the future was called "encouraging" by AOA executive secretary, Dr. True B. Eveleth.

New U.S. Program
In Basic Research

CHICAGO (AOA) — The government is encouraging basic research. In December the U. S. Public Health Service announced a $1,300,000 program to increase the number of scientists to do basic research.

The National Institutes of Health will administer the project known as the General Research Training Grants Program. Grants for the training at the graduate level will be awarded to medical schools and other qualified institutions. A high NIH official cited shortage areas in basic research pathology, pharmacology, genetics, anesthesiology, epidemiology, biochemistry and biophysics. He also made it clear that the research program "extends and supplements, but does not replace research training opportunities" available in the NIH research fellowship awards to promising researchers.

School daze again after a joyful holiday beclouded only by the threat of State Boards and final exams. So, back to the study of health, which is wealth (they say), though right now the problems of the student serve only to keep the home fires burning.

Returnees to the PSG fortress were impressed with the wall to wall paint job rolled on by DiDonato and able cohorts over the holidays. Likewise our new living room fixtures. Busy hands are currently doing some drape-shaping — our bay windows promise to be the finest in town.

Get-well cards still being sent to the gourmets who dined on the caramel apples whipped up by Dick Cotney and Bill (Chef) Lavandusky at our last party. Soldier-ant steaks will be their next taste-tempter.

Scenes About the House: Harvey Ring washing his car in a rain-storm; Jim Helm out-drawing Wyatt Earp; Gil Bucholz demonstrating the chow-line-charge; John Waite's tired smile; Larry's "light-out" campaign to control the electric bill — glow worms beware!

One of our very finest work nights recently, as Dr. Chapman held a large and rapt audience with an intense discussion on the stepping stones of medical education.

An off-the-cuff lecture which could be repeated to the whole school and which could be of enormous value to our practicing brethren, this was a speech which probed the very depths of the psychology underlying medical training.

As the term draws to a close we wish to express our sincere best wishes and good luck to two of our departing faculty brethren — Dr. Hsie who begins a leave of absence and Dr. Seibert who leaves the teaching staff to begin a residency in Pathology at Kirksville.

P.S.G.

The first business meeting for 1958 was held on Wednesday evening January 8, at Dr. Dresser's home. The meeting was primarily aimed at reorganizing the administrative structure of the fraternity with emphasis being placed on increasing attendance at meetings, changing the fraternity by-laws, integrating the pledges into fraternity organizational activities. An executive council was established and various committees set up to obtain more effective use of the actives and pledges. These committees were as follows: social, alumni, pledge, worknite, and flying club. With reference to the flying club activities, Brothers Harmish and Stoerkel reported that two aircraft were under consideration and that plans were underway to activate the club and purchase one of the planes.

We wish to announce with great pride that Dr. Harold Dresser was elected Vice-chairman of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons, Urological Section for 1957-58. We congratulate Dr. Dresser on this fine achievement.

D. O. in Holiday Bowl Game

Clifford W. Millard, D. O., of Hillsdale, Michigan, was team physician for Hillsdale College football team in the holiday bowl game played at St. Petersburg, Florida, on December 21, 1957.

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NEW OFFICERS INSTALLED—COMMITTEES NAMED

Board Chairman
Names Committees
Mr. Harold L. Calkins, newly installed chairman of the Board of Trustees, has announced the appointment of the following committees effective immediately:

DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEES
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Christmas Seal Drive
This year the Still College Students contributed $175.00 to the Christmas Seal Drive. This amount represented a donation from 87% of the student body. Added to this was $70.00 solicited by the student wives club, for a total contribution of $245.00.

Iowa Alumni Association
Sixty graduates of DMSCOS representing the different sections of Iowa attended a luncheon and business meeting on Sunday, January 26, 1958, at the Savery Hotel in Des Moines. (Considering the weather and travel conditions, it was a good turnout from all over the state.)

The purpose of the meeting was to reorganize the Iowa Alumni Association and to promote financial assistance (monthly contributions) to Still College and membership in the National Alumni Association.

Mr. Lawrence W. Mills, Director of the Office of Education of the AOA, spoke on the progress being made in the osteopathic colleges. He cited that between 1947 and 1957 expenditures in the osteopathic colleges exceeded an increase of 51%. Faculty members increased 56% and the number of full-time instructors increased 120%. In the operation of the colleges, with reference to buildings and hospitals, the increase during this period amounted to 270%.

He also discussed the various factors that confront the osteopathic colleges concerning their expansion programs.

Mr. Karl Greenlee, Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Still College, reviewed plans for the future of the College. The proposals call for an expenditure of $23,000,000 in the next ten years. The money would be spent for physical plant expansion, increase in faculty members, new equipment, etc.

During the business meeting, conducted (Continued on Page 2)
AOA Endorses Retirement Act

Jenkins-Keogh Bill Seeks Tax Exemption

CHICAGO (AOA) — The American Osteopathic Association has told a Congressional committee that it supports the Jenkins-Keogh bill.

Dr. Chester D. Swope, chairman of the Department of Public Relations, said in a statement submitted to the House Committee on Ways and Means that the AOA believes in the principle that self-employed persons should receive tax exemptions for retirement funds.

Also appearing in support of the bill were representatives of the American Medical Association, the American Dental Association, the American Veterinary Medical Association and the American Thrift Assembly. This group spoke for several professional, business and trade associations.

Osteopathic physicians presently may participate in the federal social security program, though medical doctors have stayed outside its coverage.

Provisions of the bill as pending would allow self-employed persons to deduct from yearly gross income a limited amount contributed to a restricted retirement fund or paid as premiums on an insurance policy with retirement features. A maximum of $5,000, or 10 percent of yearly income, could be deducted up to lifetime total of $100,000. Special considerations are made for necessary withdrawal of funds and for their use after retirement.

"The present tax structure offers inducements for the establishment of pension funds for employees. It is only fair and just that professional persons, being self-employed, be permitted to participate in restricted retirement funds that take into consideration the deferred and limited duration of their earning years," Dr. Swope's statement read.

It takes from seven to nine years after high school to train an osteopathic physician. By the time he has experienced the lean years of establishing a practice, another similar period will have transpired. In other words, osteopathic physicians and other professional persons similarly situated, must depend on their middle age earnings to provide for their retirement, a dependency that is dissipated by taxation that ignores it as an equitable consideration."

1st 1958 Baby Floors Father

CHICAGO (AOA) — The Corpus Christi, Texas Osteopathic Hospital is claiming the first baby—and the first casualty of 1958.

Steve John Anthony Cavazos arrived in good shape a few seconds after the stroke of midnight. The father, Steve Cavazos, collapsed a few seconds later in the hospital waiting room when told of the birth of his first child.

If You CHANGE Your Address Please let the LOG Know.
February Convocation

A convocation sponsored by the Student Council was held at 11:00 A.M. Feb. 7. The order of business was conducted by Norman Jankowski, president of the student council. Dean Shumaker gave the introductory speech, welcoming us to the second semester, telling something of the status of the school, and giving us a few ideas on our scholastic endeavor and school spirit.

P.S.A. honorary awards were presented to those students attaining the highest academic average for the first and second years. Freshman award went to Ralph Levy, and Sophomore award to Donald Cohen.

SOPH PSA AWARD

Student Wives Corner

The bi-annual election of officers for Still College Student’s Wives Club was held January 13 at the last meeting of the fall semester. The officers elected were:

President .............. Mrs. Bill Stoerkel
First Vice-President .Mrs. Ludwig Ginkel
Second Vice President .Mrs. Robert Gash
Recording Secretary .Mrs. Sander Kushner
Treasurer .............. Mrs. Neil Purtell

Installation of the new officers was held on February 4 at the Des Moines Art Center. The installing officer was Mrs. G. P. Peterson, senior sponsor of the club.

Plans are underway for a busy and enjoyable semester for all members.

Dr. Borman Joins Teaching Staff

Dr. Richard H. Borman, FCOS ’44, recently joined the faculty of Still College. This is a return trip to Still for Dr. Borman, who took his first year of a general surgery residency at Still Osteopathic Hospital in 1955. The last two years of his residency, from 1956 to 1958, in orthopedic surgery was spent at the Hospitals of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy.

Dr. Borman is opening an office for the practice of Orthopedic Surgery in Des Moines. He can be contacted at 1147 36th Street. He is planning to be available for consultation to the Osteopathic Hospitals in this area.

Dr. Borman entered general practice in New York and Ohio after completion of an internship at the Lancaster Osteopathic Hospital, Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

AOA Exhibits at 85th APHA Meeting

CHICAGO (AOA)—The AOA traveling exhibit was one of 160 educational scientific and commercial displays shown at the 85th annual meeting of the American Public Health Association in Cleveland, November 11-14.

It was the first time the AOA has exhibited at what is recognized as the most outstanding public health meeting held on this continent.

Dr. Leonard A. Schrebe, former surgeon general of the United States Public Health Service, was one of many featured speakers who attracted more than 3000 physicians, scientists, nurses, social workers, PHS officers and others interested in health to the conference.

The electronically-operated exhibit was modified to feature the rural health clinic program of the Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery. The exhibit, staffed by Jack Hank, audio-visual director of the Division of Public and Professional Welfare, was well-attended. Visitors expressed great concern over this country’s rural health problems.

D.O.’s Use Hypnotism For Caesarean Birth

CHICAGO (AOA) — Three osteopathic physicians attended an Oregon mother in a Caesarean delivery under hypnotic anesthesia recently.

Mrs. Marilyn Jones of Corvallis, Oregon told Drs. Lawrence A. Dennis, J. E. Bullock and Wesley P. Goulding that she was awake throughout the operation and “knew what I was going on” but could feel no pain.

Deliveries under hypnotism are becoming more common, but a Caesarean birth with that anesthesia is still one of very few attempted in the United States.

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The usual mid-year lull in fraternity activities has come to an end with the ending of finals and the beginning of the new semester. Our activities began with a Square Dance which was sponsored by the LOG pledges. This affair was well attended and the pledge class is to be complimented for a fine job of preparation and planning.

Closely following the square dance will be an OMT worknite. Chairman Mort Knopper plans to have technique demonstrations by a few of the osteopathic physicians in town. There will also be a group of upper classmen present who will assist the freshmen in some of the fundamentals.

For our athletically minded brothers, Conrad Pearl has planned a Saturday afternoon bowling tournament, and perhaps the top bowlers in LOG could then compete against the top bowlers in the other fraternities. This suggestion will be submitted to the I.F.C. for approval.

We recently saw LOG alumnus, Dr. Harry Handlesman who is currently doing post-graduate work at Brown University. He has been awarded a Public Health Grant.

Congratulations are extended: To Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kessler on the birth of a son; To Brother Dick Brown on his recent marriage to the former Sharon Freedman; and to Brother Sheldon Kafton on his engagement to Miss Mary Topper.

The fraternity wishes to compliment Brothers Donald Cohen and Ralph Levy on their scholastic achievements. Both received P.S.A. awards for having achieved the highest grades in their respective classes.

Dr. Peery (Red) Ball Dies

Dr. Peery (Red) Ball, 61, 25 South Dr., Miami Springs, died at his home January 7, of a cerebral hemorrhage. A 1926 graduate of Des Moines Still College, he was born in Tazewell, Virginia.

Dr. Ball first practiced in Ocala, Fla., and was later associated with the Orlando (Fla.) Osteopathic Hospital. In 1947, he opened his own hospital, The Stanley Memorial at Boca Raton, Fla. Following a cerebral thrombosis in 1956, Dr. Ball relocated in the Miami area. He was a charter and staff member of the Biscayne Osteopathic Hospital in Miami.

A former member of the Florida Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners, Dr. Ball was a World War I veteran and past commander of West Brook Post of the American Legion, Eustis.

He was a member of the American Osteopathic Association, Florida Osteopathic Medical Association and District Society No. 8 of the FOMA.

Surviving are his wife, Irene; a daughter, Mrs. D. H. Brandt, Amerisfoort, Holland, and his father, J. K. Ball, Boca Raton.

Learn the seven danger signals for cancer.

Visit a doctor or cancer detection center annually for a checkup.

Have an annual cell examination for possible uterine cancer in women.

Have semi-annual chest x-rays to spot lung cancer for men over 45.

Get prompt treatment for any minor physical or dental disorder.

Avoid overexposure to sunlight, industrial chemicals and other proven cancer producing substances.
The annual Still College Benefit Ball sponsored by the Auxiliary to the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons will be held at the Val-Air Ballroom, Friday, April 11, 1958, in Des Moines.

Speaking of this year's benefit, Mrs. Wendell R. Fuller, publicity chairman stated: "Everyone knows that each benefit is bigger and better than the last one. This year is no exception. Two changes have been made this year which we feel will contribute to the success of this event: 1. The Benefit Ball will be held at the Val-Air Ballroom and 2. A Buffet Supper at 11:30 P.M. instead of the dinner before the dance."

Dancing will be from 9:00 P.M. to 12:30 A.M., to the music of Carl Bean and his orchestra. Prizes and surprises as usual, but these will be revealed during the evening.

In reviewing the history of the benefits, Mrs. Fuller said, "The Auxiliary to the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons sponsored the first benefit dance in May, 1946. From that date through 1956, the proceeds of this event have gone to Still Osteopathic Hospital. In 1957 it was decided that the name of the event should be changed to the Annual Still College Benefit Ball and that all proceeds would go to the College."

"The proceeds from those benefits have purchased many needed items for the hospital such as floor tiling, steam table, plastic bassinets for the nursery, resuscitator-incubator, cabinets to provide individual care for the newborn, bedside tables, a Heidbrink Anesthesia machine for the obstetrical department, and completely redecorated and refurnished the reception room in the hospital."

COMMITTEES
Assisting Mrs. Henry J. Braunschweig, general chairman, is Mrs. Donald E. Sloan, Treasurer.


Posters: Mrs. Gordon Elliott.

Prizes: Mesdames John C. Luly, Richard Berman, Joseph E. Prior, and John B. Shumaker.

Pacemaker Ball Features Queen Selection
Over one-hundred and fifty couples were in attendance at the 1958 Pacemaker Ball, held February 28 at the Des Moines Golf and Country Club. The first dance of its kind in many years, sponsored by the Student Council, The Pacemaker Ball was held as a kick off affair for the Still College yearbook. The dance had faculty and administration cooperation as well as alumni attendance.

Publicity: Mesdames Wendell R. Fuller and Cecil C. Looney.

Reservations: Mrs. George Kays.


Ticket Sales: (General) Mrs. Milton J. Dakovich. (Student) Mesdames G. P. Peterson and Carl C. Waterbury.

The featured affair of the evening was the choosing of a Queen for the Annual. The Queen was chosen from a group of five girls representing the four fraternities and the independents. Representing Atlas fraternity was Mrs. Hugh Furness, Iota Tau Sigma—Mrs. Robert Slocum, Lambda Omicron Gamma—Mrs. Hal Bienenfield, Phi Sigma Gamma—Mrs. Charles Parrot, and the independents chose Mrs. Robert Sybert. This good looking group of girls is pictured above with the judges for the evening. The student council was very fortunate and appreciative for the fine judges who volunteered their time. They were Lee Harris, WHO announcer; Mrs. Margaret Manning, former T.V. and Fashion editor for the Register and Tribune; Bill Riley, KRNT announcer, who also acted as master of ceremonies for the introduction of the Queen candidate; and Mrs. Hannan.

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American Academy of Sclerotherapy to Meet In June

The American Academy of Sclerotherapy will hold its convention in the Statler Hotel, Detroit, Michigan, on June 8th, 9th, and 10th. They plan to have nationally known speakers in the field, including Dr. L. D. Anderson of Boise, Idaho, and Dr. John F. Mumps of Denver, Colorado. The entire field of Sclerotherapy will be covered with lectures, demonstrations and clinics. Of particular importance will be the treatment of "whip-lash" injuries.

For further information about this convention write J. W. Peterson, D.O.; 619 Mulberry St., Waterloo, Iowa.

Dr. Handelsman Enters Traineeship

Dr. Harry Handelsman, DMS '56, has entered a traineeship at Brown University, Providence, R. I. In this program, sponsored by the National Cancer Institute of the Public Health Service, Dr. Handelsman is working in the Biology Department of Brown University in the field of Experimental Pathology. The appointment is for a twelve month period beginning August 1, 1957. Dr. Handelsman interned at the Detroit Osteopathic Hospital, Detroit, Michigan.

Dr. Rerucha To Represent College

Dr. Victor Rerucha, DMS '54, now practicing in Council Bluffs, Iowa, will represent the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy at the inauguration of Vance Donald Rogers as the thirteenth president of The Nebraska Wesleyan University. The inauguration will take place Friday, April 18, 1958, in the Iva J. Taylor Physical Education Bldg., in Lincoln, Nebraska, at 2:30.

Nusser Receives Ph.D. Degree

Wilford L. Nusser, received his Ph.D degree from Iowa State University at Ames, Iowa, Friday, March 21, 1958. Dr. Nusser came to Still College in 1954 as an Instructor in the Department of Microbiology. He is presently an Assistant Professor in the Department of Physiology and Pharmacology.

Dr. W. L. Nusser hails from Sylvia, Kansas, receiving his Masters Degree from Kansas State. He spent three years in the Navy during World War II. After coming to Still College Dr. Nusser took over the Iowa State University on a part-time basis, majoring in parasitology and taking minors in pathology and physiology. He and Dr. Haie, Head of the Department of Microbiology at Still, have written the first published in the field of bacteriology in the last three years.

Dr. Nusser is married and has five children.

Ottawa Arthritis Hospital Celebrates Its 25th Anniversary

The Ottawa Arthritis Hospital opened its doors on April 3, 1933 with a capacity of 15 beds and a small staff. Today, twenty-five years later, the hospital has undergone four major building expansions, including radiant heating and air conditioning; it has a bed capacity of fifty, and a personnel of fifty-seven. During the past five years over 20,000 patients have been treated from every state in this country, Canada, Cuba, Hawaii and Alaska.

In honor of this occasion a dinner was held for the staff and personnel at which time Dr. E. C. Andrews, president and Director, presented Service pins and lapel buttons to all employees with continuous service records of five to twenty-five years. There were Two—25 year awards, Four—20 year awards, Three—15 year awards, Four—10 year awards and Twelve—5 years of service.

Dr. Fordyce of Oswego Dies

Dr. D. B. Fordyce, SSS '05, one of the most widely known osteopathic physicians in Kansas and former member of the state Legislature, died at the age of 74 in the Joplin General Hospital. Dec. 23, 1957.

Born in Ridgeway, Mo. on March 11, 1883 he grew to manhood there, graduated from Still College and after about 10 years of practice at Ellsworth moved to Oswego in 1916. For many years Dr. Fordyce sponsored a "kiddies day" at the Lafayette County Fair, originally starting the event for children he had delivered.
Iowa Academy Meeting
A two day academy course will be held at DMSCOS April 19-20 under the direction of the Graduate Instruction Committee. Dr. M. C. Beilke of Chicago, Dr. W. V. Cole of Kansas City and Dr. Howard Gross of Kirkville will be speakers. Registration Fee $25.00.

Cancer Grant
President Shumaker announced that the United States Public Health Cancer Grant has been obtained for the seventh consecutive year by the Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery. The grant, for $24,647, is from June 1, 1958 to May 31, 1959. This is a teaching grant and is coordinated by Dr. E. R. Minnick.

Senior Students in Health Survey
The senior student doctors in the clinic participated, on a voluntary basis, in a public health survey of the Urbandale Elementary and High Schools during the months of January and February. All the senior students helped at one time or another with the project which was under the direction of Dr. Edward R. Minnick. Dr. Minnick is the Public Health officer of the community of Urbandale.

Physicians were given to those children in grades 2, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11 and 12, who had family permission for such. The purpose of the survey was to obtain objective information on a broad scope for a public health survey. Approximately 400 students were examined. The overall comparative exams are not yet evaluated for reporting purposes.

Dr. Minnick reports that the student doctors did an excellent overall job. Examinations were accomplished at the Urbandale Elementary School, Congregational Church Annex, and Urbandale High School.

Cancer Achievement Test
The National Cancer Achievement Test will be given April 23, 1958, at Still College according to Dr. E. R. Minnick, coordinator of the cancer teaching. The test will be given simultaneously to all students, including those on externship.

Student Wives' Club
Still College Student Wives' Club began their second semester with a business meeting February 11th at the college. The committees and committee chairmen were introduced along with tentative plans for the semester.

The Ways and Means Committee has been making great progress with the Newborn Photographs and plans to expand the project in the near future. They also announced that March 29th there will be another Bake Sale, which will be held at the Hinky Dinky.

The National President of A.A.O.A., Mrs. Carl Samuels has generously consented to talk with the Student Wives' at their March 31st meeting. It will be of particular interest to the wives and we are hoping to have a large attendance to show our appreciation.

June 5th has been the date set for the Senior Banquet, which will be held at the Commodore Hotel.

PHS to Fill Doctor Spots
CHICAGO (AOA)—The United States Public Health Service has announced that it will conduct examinations May 6 and 8 for appointment of physicians, dentists, nurses, sanitarians, physiologists and other health workers. Osteopathic physicians now serve in the Public Health Service and its reserve.

Completed applications must be returned to the PHS by April 11. Tests will be given throughout the country. Further information can be obtained from PHS offices.

Basketball Team Recovers After Poor Start
After dropping its first five games in a row, the 1957-58 version of Still College's cage team found the winning combination and finished the season with a respectable 4 won - 7 lost record. Included in the season was a final rush which saw the team take four out of its last five games in a fine 4-game winning streak.

The Wilkie House Industrial League's season officially began early in November and ended early in March. Starting off the season, the team played a scrappy type of game leading all the way over a well-versed Ankeny team only to see a constant 4 point lead vanish into a bitter 1 point defeat in the last few seconds. Following this game were rather one-sided defeats suffered at the hands of Wilkie House, 2 games to the Court Jesters and again to Ankeny. Just before Christmas break, Still College broke into the win column with a whopping 14 point victory over the Old Timers. At Christmas vacation the standings showed 1-5 with Still College on the short end. The new year saw successive victories over Wilkie House, the Old Timers, and Simp- son. Then with the team at its peak, the undefeated Court Jesters were met in two successive games. Again the Jesters put down the D. O. Dribblers in rough games.

Thus the league season, a satisfying one in many respects, came to an end with a 4-7 record.

The basketball team is winding up the season by playing in the "59 Wilkie House Men's Open Basketball Tournament. Still plays its first game in the tourney on Monday, March 17, at 7:00 P. M.

Of interest in the results of this years team, coached by Gene Fredericks ('59) and Stephen Koeffler ('51), was the fact that no one on the first team graduate and most of the team members are in the Freshman class. With this in mind, next year appears to hold great promise for Still College.
PSG

PSG athletic supporters are flexing their muscles now that Sol, the oldest settler in the West, is making the days grow longer. Golfers are unwinding the kinks, swimmers are belting the waste line, and baseball, golf, tennis and moth balls will soon be in vogue.

Wedding bells will present arms for Bill Williams on June 4th and for the happy trio of Bob Greinder, Russ Watts, and Joe Treon on June 14th. Steve Koehler will reach the end of the aisle June 15th. Jack Raedy found to be in an engaging mood and Roger Sentys' first pin has flown to a nicer landing field.

Gil Bucholz now driving the latest thing in wing-swept models. No gas required—due to the permanent downhill tilt. John Ferarolis heaving the basketball mightily now that his new playmaker is in town. Jim Payne working on the first real cure for dandruff—a guillotine. Dick Coatney stepped sleeping like a log—is now sleeping like a sawmill. (Report from headquarters)

Nick Conway, when caught keeping his eye on the hose, said he was practicing to be a fireman.

Six days of school make one weak, but there’s still time for some occasional hours of charm. Dr. Higley presented an excellent work-night review on counter-transference, and the PSG buffet supper for the entire fraternity drew ravenous throngs. Whistle-bait Betty Parrott was the frat nomination for Queen of the Pacemaker Ball and the entire fraternity drew ravenous throngs. Entertainment, door prizes, 5-piece pledge dance show that “IT” will be a huge success. However the spotlight for the evening was focused on the main speaker, Dr. J. Dudley Chapman, chairman of the department of OB & Gyn at Still. His subject covered “Philosophy of Practice,” with emphasis upon the fact that we must face reality in our approach to osteopathic medicine and develop mature attitudes toward our colleagues and our profession. We wish to extend to Dr. Chapman our deepest gratitude for his sincere interest in the students of DMCOS, and especially for presenting us with a most appropriate and mature presentation.

In addition, the ITS fraternity honored Dr. Stanley D. Miroyanis, chairman of the department of Anatomy and Mr. Ben Chai-kon, instructor in the department of Microbiology with associate memberships into Beta Chapter. Congratulations gentlemen, and welcome into the brotherhood.

Beta chapter also wishes to thank the social committees and alumni committees for their wonderful work in setting up the dance and also to the alumni for their fine support. We certainly hope to establish closer ties with our alumni in Iowa and provide them with the opportunities of sharing our social and professional activities.

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ITS

Iota Tau Sigma Fraternity was distinctively honored this month with the selection of Mrs. Sally Slocum, wife of brother Bob, as “Queen of the Pacemaker Ball”. The entire fraternity wishes to congratulate Mrs. Slocum on her wonderful success.

Last Saturday night, March 5th, Beta chapter began to realize the fruits of its labors when approximately 100 actives, pledges, alumni and guests attended our Midwinter Dinner Dance at the Cloud Room of the Des Moines airport. Brother Roy Howe (recently returned from his Columbus externship) acted as M. C. and provided everyone with a goody share of side splitting laughter. However the spotlight for the evening was focused on the main speaker, Dr. J. Dudley Chapman, chairman of the department of OB & Gyn at Still. His subject covered “Philosophy of Practice,” with emphasis upon the fact that we must face reality in our approach to osteopathic medicine and develop mature attitudes toward our colleagues and our profession. We wish to extend to Dr. Chapman our deepest gratitude for his sincere interest in the students of DMCOS, and especially for presenting us with a most appropriate and mature presentation.

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Atlas

Well, Spring is trying to roll upon us in spite of the weather. Before we realize it the freshmen will be sophomores and the seniors will be facing the world.

The charming wife of Hugh Furness was selected to represent us at the Pacemaker Ball. We wish to congratulate Mrs. Robert Slocum for being selected Queen of Still. Just before the dance we had a party with some charming ladies from around school as our guests.

Oh! What a time it is
With life at Still,
Oh! To be back on the farm
Or in the city
Where life is but a thought
Without the books we bought.

Oh, what a time it will be
When we give the pills
And find the flexed sacrum
But still we’ll be reminded of Still.
We may work hard
And we may not sleep,
But life at Still is quite a reap
To find the pathway to better days.

Atlas wishes to thank our advisor, Dr. Ketman, for his contributions and guidance to the club.

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Current Laboratory Problems
By Ben Chaiken

One of the problems that is confronting laboratory personnel today is the resistance of microorganisms to antibiotic and chemotherapeutic agents. This phenomenon is occurring more and more throughout the country. The reasons for this are multifold; in the order of their importance they are as follows:

1. The indiscriminate use of antibiotics against disease entities that are actually refractive to modern medicaments. Example: VIRUS DISEASES (Exceptions: Lympho-refractile to modern medicants. Example: Mumps).

2. Under treatment. Dosages of Antibiotics that simply are not enough. Bacteria readily build up a tolerance to antibiotics, when given the opportunity.

3. Prolonged antibiotic therapy that far exceeds the optimum period of successful treatment.

4. Using only what is considered the drug of choice. This is ascertained by sensitivity testing.

Adaptation of microorganisms to therapeutic agents is clearly factual. Today we have organisms that will not survive in the absence of Streptomycin. These organisms contain enzyme systems that make the metabolism of the human body seem inadequate by comparison.

In the very near future, hospital laboratories will have to equip themselves for the diagnosis of vital diseases. This will be performed by employing Complement Fixation, Neutralization tests, Tissue Culture, Animal and Egg inoculations, Agglutination tests, plus other methods and modifications that are currently being developed. Throughout the country today the incidence of viral diseases is on the increase and the detection of these agents is a must for a favorable prognosis of the patient.

Another example of disease on the increase are the fungus diseases. In certain areas of the country, Histoplasmosis is a relatively prevalent disease; in another area, Coccidioidomycosis is prevalent. Candidiasis has had a 400% increase in the last 10 years. When a fungus disease is suspected, or on certain diagnostic problems.

OPF Tops $600,000, Leads 1957 Mark

CHICAGO (AOA) — Contributions to the Osteopathic Progress Fund are appreciably ahead of the same time in 1957, announced G. Willard King, executive director of OPF and the Osteopathic Foundation.

With $608,326 received through March 1, King predicted that the year's total would exceed $700,000 by the end of May. The 1957 March total was $354,977.

Professional giving accounted for $508,822 of the sum, an increase of about $15,000 from a year ago. Public donations, increased from $41,457 to $99,504 in the same period.

"The increase is achieved mostly by an excellent voluntary campaign in Ohio and adoption of the support-through-dues plan in Indiana," King said. "Now that Iowa has adopted the dues plan and other states may follow, we can hope for still greater increases."

In a report for an April meeting of the OPF committee, King called attention to the desirability of determining the proper place of each of the osteopathic fund raising organizations.

He pointed out that OPF serves as a sort of confederated alumni fund for the osteopathic colleges but has no voice in what happens to money raised or how OPF activities could be coordinated with each college's fund raising and public relations program.

A.M.W.A. Members in 1958-59 "Who's-Who"
(From Miss. Valley Med. J., May '58)

Raymond P. Kosecker, D.O., Chicago, Illinois, Editor for the AOA; and Stanley D. Mirovyanis, Ph.D., Des Moines, Iowa, Chairman of the Department of Anatomy of Still College were among 155 members of the American Medical Writers Association who are listed in the current Who's Who. This represents 12.5% of the A.M.W.A.'s 1241 members.

The Journal speaks of these members as "outstanding in today's headline news, living Americans," and who do something which makes them of interest. The names are selected solely on the score of meritorious accomplishment and attainment.

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Herbert E. Evans
Graduation Speaker

Herbert E. Evans, Columbus, Ohio, will deliver the fifty-ninth annual commencement address at St. John's Lutheran Church, Sixth and Keosauqua Way, Des Moines, Friday, June 6th at 8 P. M.

Mr. Evans, until August 1, 1952, was Vice-President-Personnel of the Farm Bureau Companies (now Nationwide Insurance Companies) and affiliated organizations, and was first connected with these Companies in October, 1942. Since May 1, 1952, Mr. Evans has been Vice-President-General Manager of the Peoples Broadcasting Corporation. As of August 1, 1952, Mr. Evans resigned as Vice-President of the Farm Bureau Insurance Companies to devote all of his time to the expansion of the activities of the Peoples Broadcasting Corporation, which organization is wholly owned by the Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company, and which operates Radio Stations WRFD in Worthington (Columbus), Ohio, WITT in Trenton, New Jersey, WMNN in Fairmont, West Virginia, and WGAR in Cleveland, Ohio. As of December 1, 1957, two new stations have been added to this group and they are Radio Station WNAX in Yankton, South Dakota and Television Station KVTV in Sioux City, Iowa.

For five years previous to Mr. Evans' affiliation with the Farm Bureau Insurance (Continued on Page 2)
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Companies, he was Vice-President of the Consumers Distribution Corporation in New York, which was organized by the late Edward A. Filene, merchant and philanthropist of Boston. Mr. Evans was Vice-President in Charge of Personnel and Public Relations.

Mr. Evans spent sixteen years on the staff of Columbia University as counsellor to students.

Mr. Evans is a member of the Board of Governors of Franklin University, Columbus, Ohio; a corporator of Springfield College, Springfield, Massachusetts; a member of the Board of Directors of Doctors Hospital, Columbus, Ohio; a member of the National Board of National Council of the YMCA; a member of the National Council of the USO, and USO Chairman for Ohio; chairman of the John R. Mott Fellowship Fund for Ohio and West Virginia (YMCA); president of the Ohio-West Virginia Area Council of the YMCA; past president of the Ohio Association of Broadcasters; and vice-president and director of the Cleveland Browns Professional Football Team.

In June of 1957, he was presented with the honorary degree of Doctor of Literature from Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery, Kirksville, Missouri. He acted as a radio industry representative, as a member of the American delegation, at the radio frequency negotiations with Mexico in Mexico City. He was accredited as a correspondent to the United Nations covering the Geneva, Switzerland, meeting on the peaceful uses of atomic energy in August of 1955.

Lab Problems
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when there is an indication of pulmonary complication, the idea of skin testing should be entertained.

There will never be a time when problems are not occurring. It must be remembered that there is no such thing as 100% in biological phenomenon. Adaptation, mutation are phenomena that are happening, and will continue to happen. Our understanding of disease is only superficial at best. Man will continue to be plagued with disease, as long as there is life. It is a matter of time before the understanding of the Biochemistry of disease will be restricted to the study of the physical makeup of molecules. It is here that we will find the answers to our unanswered questions.

The best brand of medicine to practice is ... preventive medicine.

"a few seem favorites of fate
in pleasures lay a care;
yet think not all the rich
and great are likewise
truely blest.
For oh what crowds in every
land all ratched and forlorn;
thru weary life this lesson learn,
that man was made to mourn."

Robert Burns

Benefit Ball Success

A few scenes from the College Benefit Ball held April 11th were made into a composite picture by E. Lynn Baldwin, college photographer; and together depict the gay and successful evening. Top left catches Mesdames J. R. McNerney, R. Borman, and J. C. Luly. Below them a group of (receding hair-lines) distinguished gentlemen with their wives seated directly in front of them, and from left to right are, President and Mrs. John Shumaker, Dr. and Mrs. Donald E. Sloan, Dr. and Mrs. Henry J. Braunschweig, general chairman, and Dr. and Mrs. Milton J. Dakovich.

To the right is Dr. and Mrs. Fred Tente, one of the last people to buy a chance on the grand prize which they won.

To Visit PHS AOA Meeting

Session Planned
At NIH in Bethesda

CHICAGO (AOA) — Doctors attending the July AOA convention in Washington will be the guests of the U. S. Public Health Service for an afternoon session at the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda. Federal health officials are planning a program to acquaint the doctors with the scope of PHS activities and allow the guests to meet institute staffs. The session is set for Thursday afternoon, according to Dr. True B. Eveleth, AOA executive secretary and chairman of the Bureau of Conventions and Meetings.

Other preparations for the convention are proceeding in good shape, he reported. General business and scientific sessions of the AOA will be held in the Shoreham Hotel. Meetings of the affiliate groups are set for the Sheraton Park, as are the president's and inaugural banquets.

The program chairman, Dr. Richard O. Brennan of Houston, Texas, announced near completion of scheduling of speakers and panelists. Members of the local committee headed by Dr. Chester D. Swope still are negotiating with government officials for their appearance at the convention.

Form for advance registration will appear in a spring issue of the FORUM OF OSTEOPATHY.
Still College Student
Wives Corner

On March 11, the Still College Student's wives Club held a short business meeting followed by a bingo party. Prizes for the winners were contributed by various business establishments in the city.

A purely social meeting was held on March 25 at Stearns' store in downtown Des Moines. Mrs. Harold Bienenfeld arranged the program and acted as narrator for the fashion show in which student wives participated as models. Mr. Bernstein, of Stearns' donated two door prizes.

Mrs. Carl Samuels, national president of AAOA, visited in Des Moines recently and was guest speaker at the March 51 meeting. Mrs. Samuels' words to the club were both entertaining and informative and the members present at this meeting enjoyed her very much.

On April 22 the annual party honoring the Polk County Auxiliary was held at the school. The program for the evening was by Mrs. Maurine Stanton, supervisor of the Department of Adult Education in the Des Moines Public School System. Mrs. Stanton spoke on interior decorating and inspired everyone to get busy on that spring redecorating job they have long had in mind.

Remember, there are only two more meetings this year, so plan to attend if you possibly can.

Dr. Laycock's Book Has Second Printing

One thousand copies of Dr. Laycock's book "Manual of Joint Manipulation" have been received at the Still College Book Store. This is the second thousand that have been printed.

This book has 437 pages, mostly full page pictures. The basic principles of manipulation are demonstrated. A number of manipulative techniques are demonstrated in pictorial sequence for each type of joint and soft tissue lesion. The purpose of the book, according to Dr. Laycock, is to provide a beginning series of techniques out of which modifications will develop according to the patients needs at the time of treatment.

"Manual of Joint Manipulation" is used as a textbook in manipulative principles and techniques by two of the six osteopathic colleges. Many of the books have been purchased from the college book store by osteopathic and medical physicians throughout the United States and Canada. Private book dealers in Europe and Africa have ordered the book, many going to England and France. Copies have been purchased by the Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation departments of the Veterans Administration in the United States.

Considering that the book limits itself to manipulative procedures exclusively it has been exceptionally well received by all concerned with the musculoskeletal approach in treatment and management.

AOA President Speaks To Students

Dr. Carl E. Morrison, president of the American Osteopathic Association, spoke at an all-college convocation April 21, held in the consistory. A native of Hillsboro, Iowa, he was graduated from Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery. Since 1941 Dr. Morrison has been a general practitioner in St. Cloud Minnesota.

Activities

A trustee of the AOA from 1952 to 1956, he has held numerous committee assignments including the Bureau of Public Health and Education, and was chairman of the Bureau of Public Health and Safety in 1953. He has been a member of the board and will assume the presidency of the Osteopathic Foundation.

A past president of the Minnesota State Osteopathic Association, Dr. Morrison was also a member of the Minnesota state basic science examining board from 1952 to 1956.

Outside his profession, Dr. Morrison is a member of the St. Cloud Lions Club. He is an elder in the First Presbyterian Church and a member of its board of trustees.

He is a Mason, belonging to the Zurah Shrine Temple of Minneapolis. Dr. Morrison is married and has a son, Larry, 15.

Message

Dr. Morrison talked to the students about where our profession has been, where we are now, and where we are going. Speaking of a great past he said our charter of 1892 still stands as a challenge to us. The last 20 years has seen many advances, especially in hospitals and specialty colleges and recognitions on the national level.

He spoke of the legislative hearings he has experienced. Then he reminded us that we are the future of this profession, and many responsibilities and duties as well as privileges go with the degree Doctor of Osteopathy. In concluding he told us there is a lot of the future for each of us.

21 States Show Increase in D.O.S.

CHICAGO (AOA)—Only 21 states have gained D.O. population during the last eight years, a study by the Osteopathic Foundation reveals. Fewer D.O.s practice now than in 1950 in 26 other states.

The trend seems to be for the "rich to get richer and the poor to get poorer," foundation director G. Willard King commented.

Over the eight years Michigan gained 491 new doctors, California 346, Pennsylvania 311 and Ohio 220.

Delaware, with 28 doctors in 1958, had the greatest gain, a 64 percent increase. Florida's D.O.s increased 62 percent and Michigan's gain amounted to 54 percent. Other states with a high percentage gain were Texas, Arizona, Hawaii, Indiana, Ohio and Oregon.

Illinois lost the greatest number of doctors in the eight years. It now has 95 fewer D.O.s than in 1950, despite improved practice rights. Massachusetts lost 65 doctors in eight years.

States which lost more than a fifth of their osteopathic doctors include also Idaho, Kentucky, Louisiana, Connecticut, Montana, Nebraska, South Dakota, Utah, Vermont, Virginia and Wyoming.

Florida Opportunity

Dr. Byron Beville writes that he is moving to Tampa, Florida, and would like to have a D.O. take over his practice in Waldo, Florida. He says there is a hospital 10 miles away in Stark, Fla. It would be appreciated if any interested person contact him.
PSA Initiates Sixteen

PSA honorary fraternity held its initiation dinner Mar. 31, at Wimpy's Steak House. The following men became active members: Stanley S. Bernhang, Donald M. Cohen, Lawrence DiDonato, James M. Fox, Norman W. Jankowski, Donald L. Kay, Morton P. Koeppner, Robert E. Lane, Melvin D. Linden, John S. Molea, Frank W. Myers, Manoel M. Prineas, Paul Schneider, Manuel J. Singer, Bill C. Stoerkel, and Eugene L. Timmons.

Dr. Harry Elmets, advisor to the fraternity attended.

Skip Day — May 7

This is the date the student council has set for this year's festive day away from school. With golf and tennis in the morning and softball in the afternoon we are assured of our exercise. For the evening a fun session, in very informal attire, followed by dancing is being planned.

The rich student council supplies the food for a nominal fee per family, so bring all the in-laws. The place has not yet been definitely announced so watch the bulletin boards. SEE YOU THERE.

Table Takes Trip With AOA Push

CHICAGO (AOA)—It took a three-way international parlay to get an osteopathic treatment table for a patient of France's only osteopathic physician.

Mrs. Eloise Kelty, AOA order supervisor, received a request from Havana, Cuba, for a table to be shipped to Paris, France, for the Spanish ambassador, a patient of Dr. William J. Douglas. By the time she had conferred with the customs and express people and the makers in Kirksville, Missouri, she was ready to concede that the domestic trade has its advantages.

LOG

With the passing of the Spring Recess, fraternity responsibilities will soon pass to a new group of officers and committee chairmen.

Late last month at a dinner dance at the Hotel Fort Des Moines, all eighteen pledges were welcomed to the fraternity as active members. The guest speaker for the evening was Dr. J. Dudley Chapman, who spoke on "The Philosophy of a Physician.

President Ned Baron summarized, briefly, his year in office and the remainder of the evening was devoted to dancing.

The members of LOG would like to congratulate their out-going officers for a fine job. The officers have been Ned Baron, president; Paul Schneider, vice-president; Jack Singer, corr. secty.; Lee Neumann, rec. secty.; Mel Linden, treasurer; and Jerry Margolis, Sg.t. at Arms.

Best wishes are also extended to Lee Neuman on his recent engagement to Miss Brenda Fried of Detroit.

ATLAS

Well, Spring is here and Atlas will greet it with Spring cleaning. Our rally will soon start and we are following the trend of our receded economy and giving a real bargain in rally tickets. The prize is one of those Hi-Fi's that everyone is going crazy about. The rally will be May 24.

The Atlas boys—James Brown and James White—enjoyed themselves at the Polk County Osteopathic Society dance last month. They had a dandy time.

Atlas Club wishes to congratulate Dr. Nusser upon receiving his Ph.D.

We are planning our Senior Banquet which will be held May 17th. At this affair we will say good-by to two of the most worthy students at Still—James Brown and Hugh Furness.

Pictured below is Dr. J. Dudley Chapman, who was the principle speaker at the ITS annual mid-year banquet held this year in March at the Cloud Room of the Des Moines Municipal Airport.

The third and last degree was given April 30 at the pavilion at Avon Lake to the now new activities. Congratulations.

Final arrangements are being made for the annual Senior Banquet to be held this year at Vic's Tally-Ho restaurant, May 30. Be sure to contact one of the officers for your reservation.

We hope to have a picture for the Log Book next issue of the newly formed ITS flying club with their flying “machine.” We are finally getting off the ground!

Entered as Second-Class Matter
At Des Moines, Iowa
48 GRADUATES TO INTERNSHIP

| JAMES SOYE          | DONALD MILLAR     | GILBERT BUCHOLZ   |
| Mt. Clemens Gen. Hospital | Flint Osteopathic Hospital | Doctors Hospital |
| ROBERT SYBERT       | JOHN OLSZEWSKI    | BERYL CHABY       |
| Grandview Hospital  | Mt. Clemens Gen. Hospital | Bay View Hospital |
| ROOSEVELT TAYLOR    | JAMES O'DAY       | WILBUR CHINN      |
| Flint Osteopathic Hospital | Ridgewood-Garden City Hospital | Riverside Osteopathic Hospital |
| THOMAS THEISING     | STANLEY OZOG      | ARTHUR CLEVENGER  |
| Grandview Hospital  | Ridgewood-Garden City Hospital | Oklahoma Osteopathic Hospital |
| MARTIN WEDGLE       | CHARLES PARROTT   | STANLEY DANIELS   |
| Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital | Ridgewood-Garden City Hospital | Doctors Hospital |
| HOWARD WEISSMAN     | CONRAD PEARL      | FRANCIS DONO      |
| Zieger Osteopathic Hospital | Zieger Osteopathic Hospital | Doctors Hospital |
| WILLIAM WILLIAMS    | JACK PEARL        | SHELDON EPSTEIN   |
| Doctors Hospital    | Zieger Osteopathic Hospital | Detroit Osteopathic Hospital |
| CLARENCE WILSON     | FRANK POCHIR      | MARK FOLEY        |
| Flint Osteopathic Hospital | Riverside Osteopathic Hospital | Grandview Hospital |
| ELIAS YURICK        | WILLIAM SEIFER    | HUGH FURNESS      |
| Still Osteopathic Hospital | Still Osteopathic Hospital | Davenport Osteopathic Hospital |
| ROBERT KOEPKE       | ROGER SENTY       | WATSON GUTOWSKI   |
| Oklahoma Osteopathic Hospital | Doctors Hospital | Riverside Osteopathic Hospital |
| GEORGE KONOLD       | SAUL SHAPIRO      | DONALD HARRINGTON |
| Doctors Hospital    | Northwest Hospital | Riverside Osteopathic Hospital |
| PAULINE KOPEC       | DANIEL SLEVIN     | GILBERT HOWE      |
| Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital | Des Moines General Hospital | Dallas Osteopathic Hospital |
| GEORGE KOSS         | AGUSTIN ACOSTA    | MERL JACOBSEN     |
| Portland Osteopathic Hospital | Dallas Osteopathic Hospital | Rocky Mountain Osteopathic Hosp. |
| ALLAN LANS          | LEONARD BARROW    | BERTON KESSLER    |
| Still Osteopathic Hospital | Mt. Clemens Gen. Hospital | Ost. Gen. Hosp. of Rhode Island |
| LOUIS LA RICCIA     | GERALD BRODIE     | DONALD KING       |
| Bay View Hospital   | Civic Center Hospital | Doctors Hospital |
| JERRY MARGOLIS      | JAMES BROWN       |                     |
| Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital | Green Cross Hospital |                     |
President's Message

There comes a day in the life of every student when he feels that he has finally completed a long, arduous course of study, that he is finally free from supervision, and that he will enjoy freedom at last.

He is, of course, only anticipating a change of environment, for after all, he has only laid a foundation for his life’s work during his brief college career. The end of college life is therefore only the beginning of a career.

Your career, graduates of 1958, is exceptional. It will be a career of service, a rare privilege to serve the people. Your instructors have declared you to be prepared to do this service.

You have the basic knowledge to be good doctors. Experience will come with time. Make the most of this experience, for it is precious.

Be faithful to your profession and your school, for without your school you will not have your profession. Success to you all in the commencement of your professional life!

Dr. L. P. Fagen Writes

Second Book

"The Wave Length of God", is the title of the newest book written by Lester P. Fagen, DMS ’56. It covers the author’s half century of service to both man’s spiritual and physical needs. Dr. Fagen is also the author of "Poesms of Devotion and Meditation", published last year.

This book relates how Dr. Fagen, born in 1885 in Iowa, felt the call of God as a farm boy and entered Y.M.C.A. work, then became a circuit rider in Wyoming, a pastor, a social worker and, in 1935, an osteopath. He found, he writes, that his work as an osteopath aided him in his religious work, because persons who originally sought his aid for physical ills also turned to him for spiritual counsel.

Dr. Fagen practiced in Des Moines from 1955 to 1951, then until early in 1958 in Phoenix, Arizona. His present home is in Los Angeles.

Dr. Ruth Gives Seminar

On April 25, 1958, Dr. Royal Ruth, of the Carnegie Institute in Baltimore, Maryland, presented a seminar to the students and staff on the “Cytology of Antibody Formation”. Dr. Ruth’s Seminar, which was illustrated with lantern slides, was well received by the audience. Dr. Ruth is an Immuno-Chemist who received his training at the University of Wisconsin. His father is Verl A. Ruth, M.D., of Des Moines, who is an Orthopedic surgeon.

(A left to right), Dr. Ruth and Dr. R. Tolman.

D.O.S. Must Give

OPF $100 Yearly

CHICAGO (AOA) — Osteopathic physicians must average a yearly contribution of $100 to osteopathic education to meet the goal set by the AOA Osteopathic Progress Fund committee at its April meeting in Chicago.

A million dollars a year is the minimum amount needed by the six colleges as “basic budget support” to close the gap between operating expenses and tuition and other income. “It is the responsibility of the osteopathic profession to supply this,” the committee stated.

Figures compiled by the Osteopathic Foundation in 1957 showed that D.O.’s led all alumni groups with an individual average of $55 a year. This will have to be almost doubled if the colleges are to have sufficient funds for continued operation, the report emphasized.

The OPF campaign for $100 a person should be regarded as the fundamental program but not as sufficient for all needs. The group urged the colleges to coordinate their alumni relations programs and to continue seeking funds within and outside the profession for research and expansion.

While accepting support of the colleges as an AOA obligation, the committee recommended that the individual societies assume the direct task of collecting contributions. State quotas are to be revised on a basis of doctor population to determine a more realistic proportion of funds to be sought by each. Within the state organizations, the committee urged that each doctor be given the prerogative of marketing his donations for the school or fund of his particular choice.

For the first time, the OPF committee recommended the use of “support-thru-dues” plans of organized giving. The plan should be adopted whenever other methods are unsuccessful. The yearly amount should be fixed at $100 or more, the report said.

OPF and Osteopathic Foundation Director G. Willard King pointed out that dues assessments for support of education are tax-deductible as regular business expenses. He said that additional contributions to osteopathic education then might be listed as charitable contributions. King reminded the state societies that the full resources and staff of the national OPF committee were available to any state group.

AOA Meeting Draws

Scientific Exhibits

CHICAGO (AOA) — About 30 scientific exhibits from the osteopathic profession, government and private health agencies and pharmaceutical houses will give the 62nd AOA convention this July in Washington its biggest scientific session, according to Dr. Wilbur V. Cole of Kansas City, section chairman.

A capacity list of commercial exhibits is expected to jam the exhibit space in the Shoreham hotel.

In connection with the convention, AOA business manager Walter A. Saberg issued a plea for affiliate groups to complete their room reservations by May 15. “We will begin turning back unscheduled rooms after that,” he said. “It will be difficult to obtain space we could have had easily with early notice.”

YOUR ATTENTION PLEASE

The House of Delegates of the National Alumni Association of DMS-COS will meet in Washington, D. C. during the national convention of the American Osteopathic Association in July.

Breakfast meetings will be held on Monday and Tuesdays, July 14 and 15. The annual alumni banquet will be held on Wednesday evening, July 16. Business to be conducted by the delegates will include the adoption of the new Constitution and By-Laws, election of officers for the coming year, selection of alumni representatives to the Board of Trustees of the College, and such other business as may come before the House for the good of the association.

It is requested that the president of each state alumni association notify Mr. Wendell R. Fuller, executive secretary of the National Alumni Association, 722 6th Avenue, Des Moines, as to the name of the person or persons representing his or her state to the House of Delegates. For this meeting each state will have one vote regardless of the number of delegates in attendance.

Central Office

Shown In Slides

CHICAGO (AOA) — The Auxiliary to the AOA has completed a series of 26 colored slides depicting the functions of the AOA Central Office.

With a script to explain each scene, the slides describe the function of the executive office and other departments housed at 212 East Ohio street in Chicago.

The series was prepared for the auxiliary by the Division of Public and Professional Service. It will be available for showing to osteopathic audiences from the auxiliary and from the division.
As we look about us, we see the wonderful signs of spring. Brother Stoerkel is traveling incognito (with dark glasses); Dr. Laycock is presenting lectures on Technique of handling the fishing rod; Dr. Dreiser has the top down on his Buick and ITS is bringing to a close another great year.

On Tuesday, May 12, we held elections (with a party following). The following men were selected to govern the fraternity next year:

President—Vic Goble
Vice-President—Art Griswold
Secretary—Bob Waite
Treasurer—Dick Leech
Historian and IFC Rep.—Henry Wick.

To the outgoing fraternity officers we say Thank you for your time and devotion in making this a great year for ITS. To the new officers we extend our support and best wishes for a successful year in 1958-59.

At a meeting of the Council, the following brothers were selected to act as chairman of the standing committees:

Work Nite—Bob Slocum
Social—Harry Phillips
Alumni—Neil Purtell
Pledges—Bob Lowry

With the passing of this school year, we extend our hand of congratulations to our ITS graduating Seniors. These Brothers are on the threshold of the fulfillment of their life's dream and we know that they will carry with them all of the traditions and ethics which all ITS men hold so dearly. We sincerely wish these men all of the best success in their many endeavors in the social, political, and athletic aspects of school life.

Skip day provided an excellent "hostility" outlet for many of our free-swingers who plunged into the golf, tennis and softball fray. Messrs. Henry, Nusecivevich, Thompson and Waite plodded the turf in a valiant effort to win the golf tourney. Prin- eas and Schieidler provided the power in the tennis tournament which developed into an all PSF final.

As the school year closes, we offer our very best fraternal wishes to the following Seniors who have completed their academic studies now go forth to greater con- quers: L. Barrow, G. Bucholz, R. Cornwell, P. Done, D. Harrington, G. Koes, L. La Ricca, J. O'Day, J. Olszewski, S. Ozog, F. Pochik, K. Senty, J. Sanye, T. Thesing, C. Parrott, and W. Williams.

A banquet, featuring an eloquent address delivered by Dr. Minnick, was held in their honor on June 1.

New Seniors Elect Officers

New Senior Class Officers were elected the second week in May and have attempted to get underway the organization required for the senior year. A full slate was elected for both semesters. For the first semester, John Ware is president; Frank Myers, vice-president; Jean Ippolito, secretary; and Donald Kay, treasurer. For the second semester Jack Silver will be president; Bob Brumard, vice-president; John Molea, secretary; and Joe Chirillo, treasurer.

ITS Flying Club

This is it! We are finally off the ground. With this Taylorcraft airplane the Iota Tau Sigma Fraternity Flying Club became a reality. After several months of organizational work a group of twelve fellows with a dream of flying were able to find a plane that would serve their purpose. The plane has a full electrical system with low frequency transmitter and receiver, and is in a very good overall condition. Presently it is hangered at Dodge Airport. Those ITS men that are presently members of the club are Dr. Harold Dresser, advisor; Fred Carpenter, president; Robert Lowry, vice-president and Maintenance officer; Seymor Garten, secretary-treasurer; Henry Har- nish, Bill Stoerkel, Ben Rodman, Victor Goble, Robert Waite, Neil Purtell, Bernie Lang, and Harry Phillips.

It is the hope that this club will grow and serve a very worthwhile purpose in the future.

Atlas

Well, the time has come to leave our books until another season. Our senior banquet for Augustin Acosta, William Seifer, Stanley Daniels, James Brown (interning at Green Cross Hospital, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio), Hugh Furness (Davenport Osteopathic Hospital) and Elias Yurick (Still Osteopathic Hospital) was held at Vic's Tally-Ho on May 19 with Dr. Borman as speaker. Dr. Borman has recently returned from Philadelphia.

Two of our future seniors (next month), Christ Ventresco and Eugene Timmons will extern at Columbus and Flint.

The drawing for the RCA Hi-Fi set was held May 24. The Atlas Club appreciated the support of the fraternities of Still College.

The fraternity house will be occupied by Brother Jackson and his wife for the summer.

To all the incoming freshmen, the Atlas Club welcomes you upon your arrival in September. Have a wonderful summer everyone.

LOG

The membership of Lambda Omicron Gamma extends its hearty good wishes to its graduating seniors who are: Beryl Chaby, Jack Pearl, Conrad Pearl, Howard Weisman, Allan Lanz, Bert Keisler, Mar- tin Wedige, Roosevelt Taylor, and Jerry Margolis.

To all '58 graduates of Still College, our congratulations.
At the May 5th meeting of PSA, election of officers for the 58-59 year took place. Those elected to office for the fall semester were Frank Myers, president; Robert Lane, vice-president; James Fox, Treasurer; Mike Prineas, recording secretary and Donald Kay, corresponding secretary. Those elected to offices for the spring semester were Jack Singer, president; Lawrence Di Donato, vice-president; John Molea, treasurer; Norman Jankowski, recording secretary, and Eugene Timmons, corresponding secretary. Our congratulations to these men.

The PSA Senior banquet was Thursday May 29. Our best wishes for success to go to the senior PSA members who will be graduating June 6th. We wish them luck in their future endeavors.

Seniors Enjoy Lilly Trip

Twelve seniors made the all expense paid trip to Indianapolis, Indiana, April 20-23. Compliments of the E. Lilly Co. the group visited the Indianapolis plants and enjoyed other activities of the town. Free tickets to shows in town were also given to members of the group. At supper Monday night the ladies were given orchids.

The group is pictured above. Front row L to R: Daniel Slevin, Mrs. Slevin, Dr. Dresser, Mrs. Knoll, Dr. Knoll, Mrs. Koss, George Koss, Dr. Poundstone, Mrs. Brodie, G. Brodie, and Gunnar Johnson the Des Moines Representative for the E. Lilly Co.

Back row: James Soye, Hugh Furness, Saul Shapiro, Conrad Pearl, Howard Weissman, D. Harriington, Gil Bucholz, William Williams, and Frank Dono.

Dr. Smick Appointed Health Officer

Dr. Robert J. Smick, DMS ’55, has recently been appointed Health Officer in the communities of Salem and Silverlake, Wisconsin. He is also the high school and grade school physician.

Addendum

Regarding the article “Current Laboratory Problems” printed in the May issue of THE LOG BOOK. A printers error put Psittacosis and Ornithosis with the exceptions of fungus diseases. Both of these diseases are of viral etiology.
Alumni Adopt New Constitution

A new Constitution and By-Law was adopted by the National Alumni Association at its annual meeting in Washington, D. C. on July 16, 1958.

The adoption of the new Constitution and By-Laws (first reading in Dallas, Texas in July, 1957) completes the reorganization of the National Alumni Association.

For the first time in history the alumni elected three of its members as nominees to the Board of Trustees of Still College. (The three names have been submitted to the Board of Trustees of the College for election to the Board.)

The new set-up also calls for an executive committee. This group is made up of the current officers, the immediate past president and two members elected by the House of Delegates as Delegates at Large.

The House of Delegates which meets during the annual convention is the legislative body of the association and represents the delegated powers of the divisional (state) chapters in alumni affairs. Each divisional (state) chapter is entitled to one delegate, and one additional delegate for each ten (or major fraction thereof) of the number of active members of the association located within the territory represented by the divisional (state) chapter.

Dr. Naylor, President

Dr. Charles L. Naylor, Ravenna, Ohio, elected to the presidency said, “I welcome this opportunity to further serve the College and the alumni association. I realize the responsibility which is mine but I would remind you that if we are going to have the kind of association that we want and that if we are going to do our best to support our College, I can not do it alone. I need the help of each graduate to get the job done.”

“This reorganization is what we have wanted for quite some time. Now that we have it we must all work together. The members of the Board of Trustees of our College look to us for our support. They welcome our participation with them in making our College the type of an institution that we want. Neither they nor I can do it alone.”

Dr. Jean F. LeRoque of Des Moines, who has served as President of the association for nine years and the last year as Temporary Chairman, was given a standing ovation.

Pictured above are your newly elected executive officers of the alumni organization, delegates, and nominees to the board of trustees.

Seated from L to R: Edward A. Felmlee DMS ‘52, Tulsa, Okla., Vice-President; W. Clemens Andreen, DMS ’35, Wyandotte, Mich., President-Elect; Charles L. Naylor DMS ’35, Ravenna, Ohio, President; and Jean F. LeRoque DMS ’40, Des Moines, Ia., immediate past President.


Drs. Felmlee, Andreen, Naylor, LeRoque, Dunbar, and Morehouse are members of the executive committee of the alumni organization.

Not pictured was W. J. Blackler DMS ’48, Grand Rapids, Mich., Nominee to the board of trustees; and W. R. Fuller, executive secretary.

Fifth Annual Polk County Clinical Conference
October 2, 1958
Hotel Savery  Des Moines, Iowa

ATTENTION !!!
Sophomore and Junior Students Registration: Fall semester ’58
Freshmen—Wed., Sept. 3, 8 a.m.
Juniors—Thurs., Sept. 4, 1:30 p.m.
Sophomores—Fri., Sept. 5, 9 a.m.
All Sophomore and Junior students are invited to attend orientation on Tuesday, Sept. 2, Rm. 202.
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ion for his services to the alumni association. Dr. LeRoque stated that he felt the association indeed fortunate in having experienced organizational men such as Dr. Naylor and President-Elect Dr. W. Andreen accept the responsibilities or leadership during the coming two years. (Dr. Naylor is a member of the Board of Trustees of the A.O.A. Dr. Andreen is the president of the American College of General Practitioners in Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery. Dr. Walter B. Goff of Dun- ar, W. Va. nominee to the Board of Trustees of the College was installed as the third Vice-President of the AOA in Washington, D. C. on July 17.)

Banquet
The annual banquet was well attended. Dr. John B. Shumaker, acting president of the College reviewed the happenings at the college since the meeting in Dallas in July, 1957. His report to the alumni was well re- ceived. Mr. Wendell R. Fuller, Registrar, gave a brief report on student enrollment and the activities of the student body during the last academic year.

Des Moines Opportunity
Dr. C. Ira Gordon, 2001 Ashworth Rd., Des Moines, Iowa, is looking for a buyer or his combined Home, Office and Practice. It is a large house with two acres of land. Contact him or phone CR 4-0438.

Reunion for Class of ’33

June 6th saw the reunion of “one of the finest groups that ever went thru Still College” quoting Dr. Poundstone. By simple addition one can tell, though not by looks, that they are celebrating their 25th ”Anniversary”. There were 28 graduates in the class of ’33 and eleven were in attendance.

Of the eleven, nine are pictured above: from left to right; Drs. B. E. Poundstone, Des Moines, Iowa; R. McLaughlin, Parkersburg, W. Va.; J. C. Agnew, Des Moines, Ia.; W. G. Nelson, Sidney, Ia.; H. A. Graney, Des Moines, Ia.; C. Myers, Des Moines, Ia.; C. V. Blech, Milwaukee, Wis.; R. Jack, Ogden, Ia.; H. H. Kesten, Flint, Mich. Also in attendance but not pictured were Drs. E. Ramsey from Des Moines and C. Reynolds from Fairfield, Iowa.

SENIOR BANQUET...

June 4, 1958
Senior Reception Committee

A committee composed of one sophomore couple, two junior couples, one senior couple and three other seniors headed by Jan Davis, medical secretary; did a fine job of setting up the senior reception party held June 6, 1958, following graduation.

Miss Davis had charge of the planning and selecting of various subcommittees necessary for such a function. The committee met once each month since December. The various sub-committees were: invitation, decorating, entertainment, refreshment, and clean-up.

Pictured above are the hard working people of this committee. Standing from left to right: Bud Sprague, Gene Fredericks, Mrs. W. Chinn, Wilbur Chinn, Howard Weissman, Mrs. N. Jankowski, and Norman Jankowski. Seated L to R: Mrs. Sprague, Mrs. Fredericks, James Soye, Jan Davis, and Connie Pearl.

Dr. Raymond Juni, head of the EENT department of Still College, has been appointed to a Visual Education Committee by the Superintendent of Polk County Board of Education. This is a precedent breaking move and we offer congratulations.

Word has been received of the Dec. 11, 1957 death of Dr. William Wasner DMS '29. Dr. Wasner, 54 year old Northern Hills osteopathic physician suffered a coronary attack at his home in the Waite Block at Deadwood, So. Dakota.

Visitors to the College of late were Dr. Parkinson of Colorado on July 25, and Kurt Grebe, DO, of Bay City, Michigan, on July 24, 1958.
Freshmen Class of 1958; Sixty-three of whom are pictured above are from Left to Right; 1st Row: David Russack, Ohio; Roger Monsour, Michigan; Thomas Chambers, Ky.; Stephen Fedell, New York; Kathryn Nitzkowski, Minn.; Leon Shore, Penn.; Eugene Trell, Ohio; Richard Josof, Mich.; Claude Oster, Michigan.


8th Row: Stanley Sackner, Penn.; Ralph Barron, Ohio; Carl Otte, Iowa; Walter Siporin, Mich.; John Nelson, Iowa; Robert Ostwinkle, Iowa; Edward Miles, Iowa; Marvin Jaffe, Ohio, and Thomas Honingford, Ohio.

31st Annual
Clinical Assembly
AMERICAN COLLEGE of
OSTEOPATHIC SURGEONS
The Statler Hilton
Boston, Massachusetts
OCTOBER 26 to 30, 1958


Fifth Annual
Polk County Clinical Conference
NOVEMBER 5
9 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hotel Savery, Des Moines
Recent Advances in Diagnosis and Therapy
New Staff Appointments Announced

Pictured above are three additions to the staff of the Des Moines Still College and Hospital. Joining the staff from the Western coast is Miss Elizabeth A. Burrows, D.O., to Head the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology. She came from Villanova University. From Philadelphia she received her A.B. degree at the Washington University in St. Louis. A 1952 graduate of the Kansas City College he interned at Nemours Osteopathic Hospital in St. Louis. After a general practice in St. Louis for two years Dr. Ficke returned to the Kansas City College for a residency in pathology.

Dr. Ficke is married, and with their 14 year old daughter, Barbara, live in Des Moines.

Dr. Rothman has left Denver, Colo., to enter into the private practice of internal medicine. A resident in internal medicine at Still Hospital from 1955 to the present Dr. Rothman returned from an internship at Metropolitan Hospital of Philadelphia.

The Director of Nurses at Still Hospital is Miss Catherine Hess, B.S.N. A graduate of the St. Joseph's Creighton Memorial Hospital in Omaha, and for two years at the St. Anthony's Hospital in Rockford, Illinois. She also was supervisor of surgery at the Creston Community Hospital for one year.

Miss Hess has also done graduate work at Loyola in Chicago. The last three years she has been an instructor in Medical-Surgical nursing at Iowa Methodist Hospital in Des Moines. Previously Miss Hess taught Nursing Fundamentals and Medical-Surgical nursing for two-years at the St. Joseph's Hospital in Omaha, and for two years at the St. Anthony's Hospital in Rockford, Illinois. She also was supervisor of surgery at the Coral Gables Community Hospital for one year.

Needless to say Miss Hess brings to her new work with us a wide background of experience. We are happy to have her with us and wish her success.

Dr. Rothman, D.O., DMS '54, has left for Denver, Colo., to enter into the private practice of internal medicine. A resident in internal medicine at Still Hospital from 1955 to the present Dr. Rothman returned from an internship at Metropolitan Hospital of Philadelphia.

Born and reared in Warrensville, Heights, Ohio. A 1953 graduate of Still College, Dr. Chapman served his resident training period at Still Hospital and remained as Instructor in the Department.

An energetic worker, Dr. Chapman was very active in the field of obstetrics and gynecology, writing several papers while a resident. He established the prenatal clinic which over several years gave fourteen separate series of classes. In civic activities he was especially active in boy scout work conducting first-aid programs. Noted for his dynamic instruction in the classroom and his tireless efforts outside the classroom Dr. Chapman was a devoted teacher. We wish him much success.

Dr. Elizabeth Burrows  
Mr. Robert Beliles  
Miss Catherine Hess

Drs. Phillips and Rothman Complete Residency

Dr. Irwin Z. Phillips, DMS '54, has moved to Southfield, in the Detroit area, to begin the private practice of diagnostic roentgenology, and work in some of the hospitals in the area.

While a resident at Still Osteopathic Hospital Dr. Phillips instructed in the clinical medicine department and was active in the ITS Fraternity, presenting several work-nites for the fellows in the interpretation of x-ray pictures.

Mrs. Phillips was active in the Polk County Auxiliary. They have a young son, Ricky.

Dr. Phillips

Dr. David Rothman

Dr. J. Dudley Chapman

Pathologist Appointed

Joining the staff July 15, Lloyd W. Ficke, D.O., will assume the duties of pathologist for the college and osteopathic hospitals in the city of Des Moines as well as performing service for the osteopathic physicians in this area.

Born in Gerald, Mo., Dr. Ficke graduated from Owensville high school and received his A.B. degree at the Washington University in St. Louis. A 1952 graduate of the Kansas City College he interned at Normandy Osteopathic Hospital in St. Louis. After a general practice in St. Louis for two years Dr. Ficke returned to the Kansas City College for a residency in pathology.

Dr. Ficke is married, and with their 14 year old daughter, Barbara, live in Des Moines.

Dr. Lloyd W. Ficke

Dr. J. Dudley Chapman
Northup Installed, Young Elected

Dr. George W. Northup of Morristown, N. J., was installed as AOA president and Dr. Galen S. Young of Chester, Pennsylvania, was chosen to succeed him. Dr. Young is to take office in 1959.

Dr. Northup replaced Dr. Carl E. Morrison of St. Cloud, Minnesota, in the presidency.

The first and second vice presidents, Dr. Ralph E. Copeland of San Marino, California, and Dr. Wesley B. Larsen of Hinsdale, Illinois, were re-elected. They were joined by a new third vice president, Dr. Walter B. Goff of Dunbar, West Virginia, to succeed Dr. Elmer C. Baum of Austin, Texas.

Dr. Baum was named to the Board of Trustees to replace Dr. Young. Re-elected to the board were Dr. Lydia T. Jordan of Davenport, Iowa, and Dr. Robert D. Anderson of Philadelphia. New trustees are Dr. Campbell Ward, Mt. Clemens, Michigan; Dr. Wallace M. Pearson, Kirkville, Missouri; and Dr. Herbert L. Sanders, Grand Junction, Colorado.

Retiring trustees are Dr. Alden Q. Abbott, Waltham, Massachusetts; Dr. Robert E. Morgan, Dallas, Texas; and Dr. Gus S. Wetzel, Clinton, Missouri.

Dr. Charles W. Swatzer, II, of Gardner, Massachusetts, and Dr. Philip E. Haviland of Detroit, will continue as speaker and vice speaker of the House of Delegates.

The AOA chose Denver as the site for its 1962 meeting.

Mrs. Warner Becomes Auxiliary President

The Auxiliary to the AOA installed Mrs. Francis E. Warner of Bloomington, Indiana, as its president to succeed Mrs. Carl R. Samuels of Pryor, Oklahoma.

Mrs. George W. Northup of Morristown, New Jersey, was named president-elect. Her installation in 1959 will mark the first time a wife has followed her husband into the highest national office of their respective organizations.

Other new officers are: Mrs. Campbell A. Ward, Mt. Clemens, Michigan, first vice president; Mrs. Virgil L. Sharp, Milwaukee, second vice president; Mrs. George F. Marjan, Palos Heights, Illinois, recording secretary; and Mrs. William B. Strong, Brooklyin, New York, treasurer.

Mrs. Richard O. Brennan, Houston, Texas, and Mrs. Ortlieb Dressler, Detroit, were chosen trustees.

Professor Completes Course

Stanley D. Miroziannis, Ph. D., Chairman of the Department of Anatomy and Reserve Army Lt. Colonel, has announced the completion of the Hospital Administration course. Receiving a diploma with the rate of excellence he has been certified as an Hospital Administrator by the Medical Field Service School, Brooks Army Medical Center, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. Credit hours for the seventeen subcourses included in this special series amounted to 564.

Iowa Dues Program

Shown here, Dr. George Sutton, president of the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, presenting a check for $10,013.22 to Dr. John B. Shumaker, acting president of Des Moines Still College, as a first payment in support of the dues program inaugurated by the House of Delegates at the 1958 meeting.

Additional payments will be made to the College of the physicians' choice when payments are made in support of the Dues Program.

Board Approves Eight Projects

The AOA Board of Trustees approved recommendations of its Bureau of Research for support for eight projects totaling $46,966 during the coming year. Three are at the Kansas City College of Osteopathy and Surgery and five will be at the Kirkville College of Osteopathy and Surgery.

To Kansas City will go funds for continuing projects directed by Dr. Wilbur V. Cole, Dr. J. E. Mieleczek and Dr. Theo. Morris.

Kirkville investigators are Dr. J. S. Denlow, Dr. F. T. Dan, Dr. John N. Ebbe, Dr. I. M. Kore and Price E. Thomas. Dr. Kore directs a project for the division of physiological sciences.

Dr. Borman Receives Degree

At the sixty-seventh commencement of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy, on June 8, 1958, Dr. Richard B. Borman received the post-doctoral degree of Master of Science in Orthopedic Surgery. Dr. Borman was enrolled in the Graduate School of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy while serving a Residency in Orthopedic Surgery at the Hospitals of Philadelphia College of Osteopathy from February 1, 1956 to January 31, 1958. His thesis was entitled "Lumbosacral Zygopophysial Tropism and the Radiculodisk Syndrome".

Dr. Richard H. Borman attended the Third Annual Postgraduate Course in Fractures and other Trauma from June 9 to 14, 1958 at the Hospital for Special Surgery and the New York Hospital in New York City, sponsored by the Cornell University Medical College. Of the 87 postgraduate students attending this course, eight were osteopathic physicians.

The Suttons Go Back To School

Born and reared in south central Iowa, Donna Jean Sutton came to Des Moines in 1952 to attend the American Institute of Business. During this time and for two years after this educational year Donna worked for the O'Dea Finance Company. She came to Still College as secretary and receptionist in March of 1954, a job she has admirably filled since.

In 1957 she married Rufus Sutton, medical technologist for the Still laboratories. In her leisure hours Donna has in the past three months completed a course in medical terminology and is currently studying lab procedures. She likes to sew and read also.

Donna's plans for the future are to go with her husband to East Lansing, Michigan, as he enrolls in a hospital management course at Michigan State University this fall.

Rufus received his lab training while in the army from 1953 to 56, and later became a licensed medical technologist. Since coming to Still College in 1956 he has been the head technician at the clinic laboratories and worked nights at the hospital lab.

This fine couple and their diligent efforts will be missed greatly though our best wishes go with them in their new venture.
At the final convocation of the year held just before graduation several students are recognized for outstanding work. Pictured above with Norman Jankowski the master of ceremonies and past president of the student-faculty council are from L to R: Alan Lans, Shelly Epstein, Jankowski, Frank Myers, and Jerry Margolis. Alan Lans, a graduating senior received the Williams Key, a LOG Fraternity award for Fraternity contributions over the past four years. Shelly Epstein received the annual PSA award, given to the student graduate who has attained the highest scholastic average. Frank Myers received the Doctor Louis Kesten Memorial Fund award given to a student at the end of his junior year and based on both scholarship and leadership and interest in his chosen profession. Jerry Margolis received the Ronald Lawrence award given to a member of the LOG Fraternity for his outstanding contributions to underclassmen education.

The Medco-Sonlator introduces a new concept of therapy by combining two proven therapies into one unit. It permits the use of electrical muscle stimulation and ultrasound either individually or simultaneously. The physiological action of the simultaneous application of the stimu-sonic currents, if not completely understood, produces therapeutic results clinically not possible to obtain with either ultrasound or electrical stimulation, when used alone. The machine helps from a diagnostic standpoint in locating "trigger points" of pain, and tenderness in the muscles and fascia.

The above machine being demonstrated by K. L. Huntsman, representative of the Medco Electronics Company, Inc., of Tulsa, Okla., has been placed in the Still Clinic for our use.

The Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery has been provided a fund in trust which may amount to as much as a quarter million dollars . . . "for the purpose of establishing and maintaining an osteopathic research department and clinic for the hospitalization of needy children . . ." This fund is created by the wills of the late George S. Rees and Eugenia Farr Rees, wife, and is given as a memorial to the late Dr. Ralph W. Rice of Los Angeles.
Sigma Sigma Phi Returns

Initiation In November
An old and honored fraternity has by stimulus from within, because of the need for such an organization, been re-established at this College. Long absent from the College, Sigma Sigma Phi has served continuously at the other Osteopathic Colleges. The purpose of the organization is both service and honor to, with emphasis on service. Students who have at least a 1.5 (C plus) point average and have served either their college or the profession and are willing to continue this service to advance the profession are eligible for membership.

Under the guiding eye of Dr. B. Poundstone as advisor and other sympathetic faculty members the ground work and basis was laid for the November initiation of senior members chosen. The junior members chosen will be pledged until next spring when they will be initiated.

College Name Changed
Dr. John B. Shumaker, acting president of the College in announcing the change in name stated that the Board of Trustees issued the following statement:

“In the last two decades a profound change has occurred in the teaching and practice of the healing arts. As improvements in the practice of medicine and surgery have developed, these improvements have been reflected in the changing curricula. The curriculum of our college includes the teaching of medicine and surgery in all their branches. Recognizing this progressive educational change, the Board of Trustees of this college have sought to simplify the name of the college and to select for its name one which is more completely descriptive and modern.

The name which best conveys this description and simplicity is, “The College of Osteopathic Medicine & Surgery.”

Professor Moon Dies
Dr. Merl P. Moon, 67, professor of public health and hygiene at Still College died September 23 in John Noble Hospital at Alexandria Bay, N. Y. He had suffered a stroke several weeks ago while vacationing at Thousand Island Park, N. Y.

A native of Beaver Fall, Penn., he received his doctor of philosophy degree from Cornell University in 1925 and took graduate work at Yale University. He formerly lived in Kentucky, where he was administrative assistant for the Kentucky State Medical Association.

Dr. Moon came to Des Moines and Still College in 1947. Besides his duties as head of the Bacteriology Dept. and Public Health and Hygiene Dept. he was active in State public health work and in the Des Moines Civic Music Association. He was well liked by all his students.

An officer in both World Wars, Dr. Moon was a member of the Masonic Lodge, the Za-Ga-Zig Shrine, Des Moines Consistory and the Uptown Lions Club.

Surviving is his widow, Katherine, a piano instructor at Drake University, who was vacationing with him in New York.

Christmas Seals Seek $75,000
CHICAGO (AOA) — “Give today for tomorrow’s health,” is the slogan for the 1958 osteopathic Christmas seal campaign. A goal of $75,000 has been set for this 28th campaign. It opens officially October 1 when seals will be sent to AOA and auxiliary members. The new quota is $10,000 higher than the 1957 goal, surpassed by $1,000.

The rise in contributions during recent years has been attributed to greater use of the “packet plan” by most Christmas seal workers. The plan not only allows the doctor and his family to use the seals but provides him with ready-made packages to send his patients to ask their support.

U. S. To Make Student Loans
Osteopathic Schools Eligible for Program
WASHINGTON (AOA) — Students in osteopathic colleges will be eligible for low-cost government sponsored loans under provisions of a bill passed by the Congress in its closing days and signed by President Eisenhower September 2.

A students may borrow up to $1,000 a year or a total of $5,000 during his enrollment in an "institution of higher learning" from a fund established by the National Defense Education Act of 1958.

“Passage of this bill undoubtedly will cut down annual student dropouts in the osteopathic colleges,” commented Lawrence (Continued on Page 2)
Alumni Representatives To Board

Many of the staff and faculty of the college have been and are planning to attend meetings over the countryside. Although your editor has not been able to contact all the faculty many are listed for your interest.

Dr. Jen-Yuh Hsie attended the National conference on control of staphylococcal infections. Sponsored by the Department of Health and the National Academy of Science the conference was attended by 59 professional organizations. Dr. Hsie was appointed as the official representative of the A.O.A. The conference was held in Atlanta, Ga., at the Communicable Disease Center on September 25. Dr. Hsie gave a seminar for the Des Moines area medical technologists covering material of the above conference.

Also on Dr. Hsie's calendar is an October 27-31 meeting of the American Public Health Association to be held in St. Louis, Mo. This will be primarily on the control of infectious diseases.

Dr. DeNise, a member of the A.O.H.A., will be also gazing at the Old North Church and eating in bean-town October 27 to 29.

Drs. Ronald Woods and E. Minnick were at the Argonne National Laboratories, Lemont, Ill., October 9-11 at a meeting for the Coordinators of Cancer Teaching.

Dr. Minnick also attended the American Cancer Society meeting in New York October 19-21. He was in Detroit, Michigan, October 26-29 at the 11th Annual Scientific meeting of the Detroit Institute of Research.

Dr. E. Burrows spoke October 14 to the Student Wives Club.

Dr. J. B. Shumaker, acting president, visited the Des Moines externs at Doctors Hospital, Columbus, Ohio, October 3; and at Flint Osteopathic Hospital October 4. From there he traveled to Grand Rapids to meet with the Still Alumni at the Michigan State University. Mr. Fuller also attended this society meeting.

October 16, Dr. Shumaker spoke to the Vocational Guidance Counselors in city and county schools of District 6 and 7 of the State of Iowa. Then October 22 he left for a vacation, which of course includes some work, as he attends the convention of the A.C.O.S. in Boston. He and his wife continued their vacation then as they traveled North from Boston into Quebec and Monrival and followed the St. Lawrence, made their way to Detroit.

Drs. Woods, Bornman, Heinlen, and Dresser are all planning to journey to Boston for the October convention of the American college of Surgeons. At this October 27-28-29 convention Dr. H. Gruney will be installed as President of the A.C.O.S.

Mr. Parmenter, Administrator of Still Hospital, will attend the meetings of the American College of Hospital Administrators and the American Osteopathic Hospital Association held in conjunction with the convention of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons in Boston.

In charge of a two-day seminar at the Grandview Hospital, Dayton, Ohio, September 13 and 14, were Dr. Floyd Dunn, professor of neuro-psychiatric practice, K.C.O.S.; Dr. Harold Higley, professor of neurology and psychiatry, Des Moines Still College; and Dr. E. Fitz, practicing psychiatrist in Des Moines, Iowa. More than 50 physicians from the Dayton District Academy attended.

September 21, the State Osteopathic Radiological Society met at Still Hospital. This society meets four times a year. About 15 heard Dr. Bornman discuss fractures of the distal radius, ulna, tibia, and fibula.

Dr. B. Poundstone attended a symposium on "Cancer of the Colon and Rectum," sponsored by the A.C.S. October 20-21 in New York, N. Y.

Dr. Miroiyanni To Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas J. Nemmers of 1088 Melrose Terr. announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Elizabeth, and Dr. Stanley D. Miroiyanni, both of Des Moines.

Dr. Miroiyanni is the son of the late Dr. and Mrs. Demetrius G. Miroiyanni. Miss Nemmers was graduated from Bayless Business College and is employed as office supervisor for Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. in Des Moines.

Her fiance holds three degrees from the Boston University and has, for many years, been professor and chairman of various departments of anatomy in several universities. He is presently a professor of Human Anatomy and Neuroanatomy and chairman of the Department at Still College in Des Moines.

A Fall wedding is planned.

P. P. S.

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Beckman, S. Chankin, N. Cowxay, V. Goble, T. Hebb, T. Tovyn, S. Kushner, Wm. Lavender, F. Roth, and R. Slocum.

Dr. Poundstone would appreciate hearing from any S. S. P. alumni in the area for inclusion in this fraternal activities.

Loans—(Continued from Page 1)

W. Mills of Chicago, director of the AOA Office of Education, "During 1957-58 some 14 students withdrew from the colleges because of financial difficulties."

Some $47.5 million is appropriated for the current fiscal year with $75 million more for 1958-60 and $82.5 million for 1960-61.

To be eligible for a loan, a student must show need, regular full-time enrollment and an academic standing satisfactory to his school.

The federal government will furnish one-tenth of the money and require a participating school to provide the other nine-tenths. Provision is made for the school to borrow its share from the government.

Repayment of the loans will not be required until after a student's graduation. There is to be no interest until a student graduates. After that 3 percent will be charged.

Bureau Lists Hospital Rules

CHICAGO (AOA) — The responsibility for qualifying doctors in all departments of a hospital is placed more definitely on the staff and board of trustees in revised regulations issued by the Bureau of Hospitals of the American Osteopathic Association.

"The staff must show evidence that the privileges of each member of the staff are determined on the basis of professional qualifications and demonstrated ability," states the 12th edition of Minimum Requirements, Standards and Regulations for Osteopathic Hospitals Approved for the Training of Interns and Residents published by the bureau.

In a change, the chairman of each required organized department is now expected to be "qualified" in that specialty and to assume responsibility for training interns and residents.

However, under the resident training section, a clause requires that the department chairman or an active staff member be a certified specialist. This person must demonstrate by experience and teaching ability his qualification to conduct residency training in keeping with specialty college and Bureau of Hospitals requirements.

The surgery section has been deleted. Specific requirements for the dietary and pharmacy departments have been added. The staff organization requirements are defined more clearly.

In the future, applicants for internships will be obligated to notify hospitals of their rejection, as well as their acceptance of offered internships.
Freshmen Orientation Program Successful

The Freshmen Class this year underwent a fine orientation program beginning September 2, and ending with a "get-acquainted" tea September 6. In charge of academic arrangements was Mr. Fuller, with the tea given by the faculty wives organization under the direction of Mrs. Cecil Looney.

Welcomed by Dr. Shumaker, acting president; Dr. Ralph Jack extended greetings from the Iowa Alumni Association and Herman Walter for the Iowa Society. Other speakers on the program were Dr. Lawrence W. Mills, director of the Office of Education, American Osteopathic Association, Chicago, speaking on "The Osteopathic Profession;" Dr. Byron E. Laycock, professor of Principles and Practice of Osteopathy, speaking on "Osteopathic Principles and the Basic Sciences;" Dr. Stuart F. Harkness spoke on the Importance of the Basic Science Subjects in the Clinical Years;" Dr. Jean R. LeRoque, past president and member of the executive committee of the National Alumni Association.

Also, Dr. Edward R. Minnick, director of the Tumor Clinic, "Student Consideration of National Examination in Cancer;" Frank Myers, president of Psi Sigma Alpha, honorary fraternity, and Phi Sigma Gamma, social fraternity, "Student Affairs." Pictured below are two of the scenes at the Freshmen Tea; the reception line and the punch bowl.

Introducing Two Residents

Two of the new residents at Still Hospital are pictured below. Resident in Internal Medicine is Frank W. King, DMS '54. Returning from general practice in Milo, Iowa, Dr. King is entirely familiar with Still Hospital having been resident physician in '55-'56. He came to Still College after 2 years at Iowa State and 3 years of undergraduate work at Drake University. An I.T.S. member while in college, he served in the Airforce in W.W. II. Dr. King is not married.

Dr. Frank King

Lee F. Ghormley, KCOS '53, is resident Roentgenology. Receiving his B.S. from the University of Oregon he took post-graduate work at the University of Washington and at Seattle University. He is a member of Sigma Sigma Phi. After interning at Waldo Hospital, Seattle, he entered general practice in Sunnyside, Washington for 4 years. While in the W.O.A. he was on the board of Governors for 2 years, Chairman of the Ethics Committee, Alternate delegate to the 1957 Nat'l Convention, and Chief of Staff last year of Valley Osteopathic Hospital in Yakima, Wash.

Dr. Lee Ghormley

A veteran of 3½ years military service in W.W. II as an Infantry Officer he is a member of the American Legion, V.F.W., Masonic Order, and was on the Sunnyside Chamber of Commerce. Dr. Ghormley is married, wife Marie, and they have three children, 2, 4 and 8 years old.

FIFTH ANNUAL
Polk County Clinical Conference
November 5, 1958
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L. O. G.

A good time was had by all at the L. O. G. picnic at Birdland Park, Sept. 20. After a week’s delay due to rain, the Sunday morning and afternoon proved perfect for baseball, football, relay, and egg throwing contests. The picnic is an annual event of the fraternity and is open to all the members of the college’s faculty and students. Thus it serves to acquaint the freshmen with the upperclassmen and facility, and to allow classmates to get together again as in past years.

L. O. G. again leads the other social and professional fraternities on campus in scholarship. This honor has come to the fraternity with consistent regularity in the past, and it is hoped that the succeeding years will prove to be no different.

Congratulations are in order for Donald Cohen, Sidney Grobman, Sheldon Kaftron, and Norman Sherbin, who married during the summer. Also to be congratulated are Frank Aks, Ralph Levy, LeRoy Neuman, and Jerry Weingarden who got engaged and expect to be married by next year.

Steens Move To Columbus, O.

Drs. Robert and Ruth Steen, formerly members of the AOA central office staff, have joined the staff of Doctors Hospital at Columbus, Ohio. Dr. Bob will be the hospital director of education and Dr. Ruth will be secretary of the staff.

P. S. G.

June, July and August saw the sophomore members of P. S. G. in various and sundry places over the country. In the month of June, Dan Cupid’s arrow found suitable targets in Steve Kofler and Joe Teeron. As we go to press we also fired Ollie Pops with a new addition to his life as he tripped down the aisle.

The ball and chain union wasn’t limited to the sophomore class. Congratulations are also in order for Jack Ready. Those long yard walks at Iowa Methodist proved too much when Barbara cornered him down the last mile. Jack was backed up in this venture by brothers Knable, Lavendusky, and Bousamra. Other P. S. G. attendants were John Waite and Bernie Arden.

Jack Knable had previously met his match with Pat Bayde also an Iowa Methodist graduate. His futile attempts at escape ended in St. Ambrose Cathedral in June.

The summer toils of P. S. G.’s sophomores covered a variety of fields. It is reported that Arnold Aaron learned much (counseling and otherwise) at a camp in upper Michigan. The College Builders of America under the direction of Arnold (Hoffa) Jacobs concentrated their efforts when they weren’t under investigation for building water skis and fishing wharves. Don Turner trudged through rain, sleet, hail and dark of night in pursuit of his daily rounds. Dick Nuskievich, it is understood, almost fell off a roof while looking at the local scenery. Bert Bez became a regular over the counter prescriber at a Detroit pharmacy. Finally it is rumored that Earl Scheidler is still shining those cups he won for his yacht races on the wide Ohio river.

I. T. S.

Iota Tau Sigma opened their 1958 social season with a freshman smoker at Dr. Dresser’s home. We welcomed the freshman into the college and wished them success in the coming year. Brother Harry Phillips did a fine job in setting up the party and we wish to say many thanks to the wives and girl friends for their fine support in preparing the food, decorations, etc. Don’t forget the big party at Dr. Dresser’s house November 1st.

Brother Bill Stoerkel represented Beta chapter at the meeting of the Supreme Council, ITS, in Washington, during the AOA convention in July. He reported that the Supreme Council was well satisfied with the annual chapter reports and that they were especially interested in our chapter Flying Club. We want to thank Bro. Stoerkel for his fine effort in representing the chapter.

The flying club reports Brothers Hansh and Stoerkel have passed their private pilot written examination. These two characters are spending the last two weeks in October at Still-Hildreth Sanitarium in Macon, Mo. (We hope they are allowed to return.)

REMEMBER NOVEMBER 1st, at Dr. Dresser’s. H. W.

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SCLIIJ JAMA PHI
Initiates Seniors

Initiation for the senior members of S.S.P. Fraternity was held November 10 at Johnny and Kay’s Restaurant, in Des Moines. The evening began with a social hour held in a private room at the restaurant. Introduced at this time to the aspiring members and pledges were Drs. Harold W. Witt, Administrator of the Osteopathic Hospital of Kansas City and President of the Grand Chapter; S. V. Robuck, Chicago, Ill., Secretary of the Grand Chapter; and Wilbur V. Cole, Kansas City College of Osteopathy, a Director of the Grand Chapter. Also present were Dr. B. E. Poundstone, advisor to the Des Moines Chapter; and Dr. Lee Ghormley, a S.S.P. alumnus.

After a fine dinner together the initiation ceremonies were conducted by the Grand Chapter members for the seniors. At the conclusion of the ceremonies each senior member was given the distinctive emblem of the Fraternity. Drs. Witt, Robuck and Cole had remarks for the entire B Chapter. (The seniors on externship will be initiated with the Juniors this spring.)

Pictured from left to right, seated: M. Siegel, R. Lane, Drs. Cole, Robuck, Poundstone and Witt.


Missouri D.O.S. Urge Joint License Board

ST. LOUIS—The Missouri Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons has joined the Missouri State Medical Association in sponsoring the creation of a combined licensing board for Missouri osteopathic and medical doctors.

A draft bill to replace the present separate boards was approved by the MAOPS at its October convention and by the medical group last spring. It is similar to unsuccessful legislation sponsored previously by the two groups.

The bill calls for the creation of a seven-member board of two D.O.s and five M.D.s. The board “shall not be permitted to favor any particular school” and shall give a standard examination to all applicants.

Dentists, optometrists, nurses, pharmacists, chiropractors and chiropodists are excluded from provisions of the act. The earlier efforts of the two groups were opposed strongly by chiropractic organizations.

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The purpose of the conference is to provide the people of Iowa both in large and small industry in the fields of management, personnel, safety, and medicine a means of dissemination of information, education and discussion on varied problems relating to health arising in these industries.

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D.O.'s Oppose Discrimination In Tax-Supported Hospitals

DETROIT— Osteopathic physicians in southwestern Wayne county, Michigan are pressing their bid for admission to the staffs of three hospitals operated by the People's Community Hospital Authority in three Detroit suburbs.

Eleven of the 21 villages and townships served by the tax-supported PCHA back osteopathic admission to the hospitals, according to Dr. William Costello of Grosse Isle, spokesman for the D.O.s.

"It is definite discrimination," he said. "Exclusion of osteopathic doctors in an area served by about 125 M.D.s and 32 D.O.s means that almost half of the people who support the hospitals cannot be treated in them by a doctor of their choice."

Kenneth Gremore, executive secretary of the PCHA, has said that the authority's objection to osteopathic doctors is that their admission to the staff would preclude hospital inspection or approval by the Joint Commission on Hospital Accreditation, an agency sponsored by the American Medical Association and other medical bodies.

Dr. Costello and Gremore exchanged charges over PCHA efforts to induce the village of Gibraltar to join the organization. Gibraltar is served only by osteopathic doctors. None of the hospitals presently are approved by the Joint Commission.

Accreditation of a hospital is necessary both for its management and for the protection of its patients, Gremore said.

Dr. Costello replied that the accreditation program of the American Osteopathic Association requires the same high standards as does the Joint Commission while leaving the staffs open to all properly licensed doctors.

Pointing out that the two professions are licensed equally in Michigan, Dr. Costello said that "it is not the function of minor government officials to discriminate between physicians licensed by the state, or to promote a monopoly at the expense of the taxpayers, or to deny to the citizens in the use of a hospital the rights the state already has granted those citizens in the free choice of their physicians."

The PCHA operates hospitals in Ypsilanti, Wayne and Lincoln Park. It is operated by a four mill tax on its participating communities and operated by a board of directors representing them.

Columbus Group Interviews Students

November 20, Mr. Richard Sims and Dr. Steen from Doctor's Hospital, Columbus, Ohio, interviewed those Seniors and Juniors interested in Ohio as a practice site. Many students showed interest in their education program, and the many facilities available at Doctor's Hospital in Columbus.

U.S. Surgeon General Burney to be Principal Speaker at L.A. County Osteopathic Hospital Dedication Dinner, December 3

United States Surgeon General Leroy E. Burney, M.D., will deliver the principal address at the Los Angeles County Osteopathic Hospital dedication dinner, December 3. The event, sponsored by the Los Angeles County Osteopathic Society, is scheduled in the Pacific Ballroom of the Statler-Hilton Hotel.

The distinguished Surgeon General was commissioned in the Regular Corps of the Public Health Service in 1932 immediately after receiving his Master of Science Degree in Public Health through a Rockefeller Fellowship at Johns Hopkins University School of Hygiene and Public Health.

He was appointed Surgeon General, Public Health Service in 1956 following an outstanding 24-year career with the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. Prior to his appointment, he had served as Assistant Surgeon General and Deputy Chief, Bureau of State Services. During the war he was detailed to the Navy for overseas assignment in connection with venereal disease control in various Mediterranean ports.

Dinner reservations may be made through Dr. Joseph P. Bean, California Osteopathic Association, 4775 Santa Monica Blvd., Los Angeles 29, Normandy 5-5766. Tickets are $10 per person. Checks should be made payable to LACOS.

Seniors and Juniors Guests Of Eli Lilly Co.

For three wonderful days, November 5, 6, and 7, 1958; twenty-seven students of COMS and their wives and two staff and faculty members were guests of the Eli Lilly Company at Indianapolis. A picture taken the third day, of the group with the Lilly detail man from the Des Moines area, Gunmar Johnson, is below. Very interesting tours of the three plants in the Indianapolis area were conducted for the group. The Lilly Co. also took the group to the Hockey game and to see South Pacific the two evenings in town. For those who stayed over the third night free theatre tickets were provided.

Tours through both the production and research divisions of the Eli Lilly Co. provided educational information as to how these pills are discovered, manufactured and marketed. Especially interesting were the tests and procedures new drugs go through before they are released on mankind. We thank the Eli Lilly Company for a very nice three days.

Post Graduate Seminar

The Michigan Society of Osteopathic Obstetricians and Gynecologists is sponsoring a Post Graduate Seminar in Obstetrics and Gynecology to be held on February 12, 13, and 14, 1959, in Detroit, Michigan. This session will be held at Detroit Osteopathic Hospital and Art Center Hospital and will immediately follow the annual convention of the American College of Osteopathic Obstetricians and Gynecologists.

Please contact the Reservations Chairman Dr. Jerry Polesini, 21541 W. McNichols Road, Detroit 10, Michigan, for any further information.

The fee is $125 and payable in advance.
THE LOG BOOK
Atlas Club
This year finds the Atlas Fraternity House filled to capacity, making room for three new freshmen; Nick Redenio, Chuck Roman and Jim Medola. This raises the Youngstown, Ohio, area men to seven. Judging from the number of hours the Frosh don't sleep, something tells us that the schools standards are rising each year.

Officers for the following year, '58-59, are Harry Davis, President; Phil Naples, Vice-President; Frank Tepner, Secretary; Bobby Black, Treasurer; and Bob O'Neil, House Manager. Harry Davis was a great team with Harry Davis sparking the backfield.

The social calendar saw several very successful parties, one an "Open House" and another a "Euphoria Night", which speaks for itself. Everyone had an adequate amount of food and drink, not to mention the card games. Att: Eli Yurick.

Bobby Black, Treasurer; and Bob O'Neil, Vice-President; Frank Tepner, Secretary; and Sophomores Dick Garrett and Stan Lubin, better known as "Mutt and Jeff".

A relatively new idea was initiated at the house a few weekends ago. A group of outdoors and stags staged a rustic type outdoor weiner-roast in the shelter of the living room. The cracking of the log fire in the fireplace was heard above the hum of the TV set. This new trend will be great for those cold winter weekends that are coming rapidly upon us.

For those Juniors that traveled to Arkansas to write State Board Exams, the trip was not in vain. The outcome for the most part was jubilant, as the passing rate ran rather high. Congratulations!

The Davey Crockett, Daniel Boone, and Jim Bowie of the house returned from South Dakota with an abundance of birds. It is rumored however, that the birds were so thick that one of the fellows tripped and while falling his gun went off, bringing down a bird. This was his only one, though.

Who has more trouble than Steve Koffler? Last year he was infiltrated with "bugs" and this year he is again inhabited. Only this new crop of creatures is so demanding and this year he is again inhabited. Only this new crop of creatures is so demanding that it was voted to make it an annual event.

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L. O. G.

This month has been marked by much activity by Lambda Omicron Gamma. Initiating the fall social calendar was the Gala "Fall Frolic" held at the Jewish Community Center. A five piece Rhumba and Mambo band played sweet music to the best attended affair of the season. The schools turnout was very good with almost all of the Freshman Class attending.

Changing the pace slightly, L.O.G. presented a worknight featuring a Grand Rounds Movie dealing with the subject "Diabetes". Participating in a panel discussion afterward were Doctors Burrows, Harkness, and Magen. Coffee and cake were served, as usual, afterwards. L.O.G. would like to extend its appreciation to the aforementioned physicians for their enlightening discussion as it particularly related to their specialty. The worknight was indeed one of the finest ever presented at the College.

Climaxing the month, a stag was held at the Cloudroom of the Airport which was also a huge success, especially for the fellows with my ten dollars. On the same evening the wives of the fraternity entertained the freshmen wives in a "get-together tea" at Fred Melts' house.

P. S. G.

A hearty welcome is extended to all the incumbent pledges of P.S.G. Those that swell the ranks include: Chris Bakris, Roy Fuller, Hank Sonnenschein, Herb Fischman, Earl Crawford, Dave Harris, Tom Honingford, Dick Mackay, Roger Monsour, Don McDonnell, Marv Jaffe, Perry Kaplan, Stan Ruggapart, Dave Russack, Leon Shore, Lou Torpeter, Barry Szczesny, Jerry Tepner, Sue Tepner, Keith Simpson and Sophomores Dick Garrett and Stan Lubin, better known as "Mutt and Jeff".

A relatively new idea was initiated at the house a few weekends ago. A group of outdoors and stags staged a rustic type outdoor weiner-roast in the shelter of the living room. The cracking of the log fire in the fireplace was heard above the hum of the TV set. This new trend will be great for those cold winter weekends that are coming rapidly upon us.

For those Juniors that traveled to Arkansas to write State Board Exams, the trip was not in vain. The outcome for the most part was jubilant, as the passing rate ran rather high. Congratulations!

The Davey Crockett, Daniel Boone, and Jim Bowie of the house returned from South Dakota with an abundance of birds. It is rumored however, that the birds were so thick that one of the fellows tripped and while falling his gun went off, bringing down a bird. This was his only one, though.

Who has more trouble than Steve Koffler? Last year he was infiltrated with "bugs" and this year he is again inhabited. Only this new crop of creatures is so demanding that it was voted to make it an annual event.

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I. T. S.

"Lady Luck" ran wild on Saturday night, November 1, as Iota Tau Sigma entertained the freshmen and guests at a "Monte Carlo Night" party, held at Dr. Dresser's home. As each person was greeted at the door they were given $10,000 (play money), and then proceeded to play the various games of chance. Needless to say, "the bank" was broken early in the evening, and several players emerged with winnings totaling several thousands. In the evening, an auction was held, and several items (cigarette lighters, stuffed animals, nappa, a pipe, etc.) were auctioned off and purchased with the winnings. We really had a wonderful time and a chance to become better acquainted with the freshmen. The fraternity had such a wonderful time that it was voted to make it an annual affair.

During the first week of pledging I.T.S. offered pledgehship to the following students: Freshmen: Arthur Angove, Thomas Chambers, William Chambers, Richard Clark, Elwin Ernst, Fred Hansen, Rex Oldom, Robert Ostwinkle, Eugene Rongaus, Val Rongaus, Gerald Blue, John Nelson and Carl Otte; Sophomores: Robert Dzumura and Hugh Grover; Juniors: Ludwig Ginkle and Thomas Hoxa. We wish to welcome these men as pledges and feel that the bene-fits will be mutual.

Plans are underway for our annual Christmas Dinner Dance, and according to Chairman Harry Phillips, the event will be held on December 12, at the Cloud Room, Municipal Airport, so all actives, pledges and alumni should set aside this date for a wonderful evening.

Physiograph Purchased Thru Grant

The Department of Physiology has a new teaching instrument which was purchased from funds of the College Teaching Grant, administered by Dr. Richard P. De-Nise, Professor of Internal Medicine. This instrument called the "Physiograph" is an all electronic machine, designed to do away with the old Kymograph with its smoked drum and its often faulty levers and manometers. The instrument was developed by the Baylor University, College of Medicine, and consists of four recording channels which write with ink on a continuous strip of paper. Three of the channels are used for recording physiologic phenomena while the fourth channel is a timing and stimulus signal. With the proper transducers such things as blood pressure, respiration, electrocardiograms, electro-myograms, electroencephalograms, myograms and heart sounds may be recorded. The instrument has a built-in stimulator, respirator and variable paper speed control, and accessory instruments such as a cardiac defibrillator are available. This apparatus was developed for student use and the maker's claim for it is that "it is student proof, and almost faculty proof". It is hoped that the Physiology Department will eventually be able to replace all of the kymographs with Physiographs.
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The loans are made at 3 percent interest and come due two years after the completion of school or internship.

California Osteopathic Association Opens New State Offices

LOS ANGELES—New state headquarters of the California Osteopathic Association were opened officially March 2 (4778 Santa Monica Blvd.) in Los Angeles, it has been announced by Dr. Charles Dieudonne, COA president.

A highlight of the ceremonies was an open house celebration attended by more than 300 members and friends of the osteopathic profession who toured the facilities.

Dr. Dieudonne revealed that the new $150,000 COA headquarters had clear title and no general solicitation of funds was necessary in erecting the one-story building. “The COA was in a position to meet the necessary expenses through a fiscal policy evolved out of sound managerial principles,” he said.

C.O.M.S. Graduate Directs First Nuclear Course for Osteopathic Physicians

A new Osteopathic Hospital will be constructed on six acres of land in Central Point, Oregon.

Ground will be broken this spring for a 25 bed hospital according to Dr. Paul T. Rutter, owner of the Medford Osteopathic Hospital.

The new hospital is expected to be ready for occupancy by the end of 1959, and will replace the Medford Osteopathic Hospital.

The future construction at Central Point is part of a statewide expansion of osteopathic hospital facilities. The new Portland Osteopathic Hospital will be occupied before the end of this year. Future plans also call for other osteopathic hospital construction in Oregon.

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A course in the Diagnostic Use of Radioiodine was presented this summer, specifically for Osteopathic Physicians, jointly at Bay View and Detroit Osteopathic Hospitals. This was the first major course in Nuclear Medicine to be presented for D.O.'s and accepted by the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission.

The course was directed by Dr. Gerald K. Nash, COMS '58, Chairman of the Department of Nuclear Medicine, Bay View Hospital, Bay Village, Ohio.

Additional courses in the diagnostic and therapeutic use of radioactive isotopes are being planned for future presentation.

NIH Proceedings

D.O.S. Can Get

CHICAGO (AOA)—The National Institutes of Health will send copies of staff conference minutes and other information to osteopathic doctors and medical groups upon request.

Dr. Jack Masur, director of the NIH clinical center at Bethesda, Maryland, has already made the first mailing of a report on agammaglobulinemia. The step is taken to build a closer relationship between the center and private physicians who refer most of its patients.

Requests for inclusion on the mailing list should go to Director, Clinical Center, NIH, Bethesda 14, Maryland.

In Memorium

Dr. Frederick C. Green, 47, of Alva, Oklahoma died on September 4, 1958, of Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever contracted while on vacation in Colorado.

Dr. Green graduated from the College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons at Des Moines, Iowa in 1936. Since 1940 he has resided in Alva, Oklahoma, where he owned and operated a hospital. He was a surgeon and also specialized in Urology.

At the time of his death he had begun an expansion program on his hospital which Mrs. Green will complete.

The Log Book

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- Sigma Sigma Phi Initiates
- Industrial Health Conference
- OPF Doubling Receipts
MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Here is the exhibit booth sponsored by the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons that was present at the recent Iowa Society Education Association. The booth was prepared by Mr. Wendell Fuller and Mr. Lynn Baldwin and had photographs showing various scenes at C.O.M.S.

College Benefit Ball

The 13th annual College Benefit Ball sponsored by the Auxiliary to the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons will be held at the Hotel Savery, Des Moines, Iowa, Saturday evening, January 31, 1959.

Mrs. R. B. Juni, publicity chairman, has announced the following changes in arrangements for this event: (1)—change of location — Hotel Savery, (2)—dinner to be served from 7 P. M. to 9 P. M. (3)—dancing to Don Hoy and his orchestra from 9 P. M. till midnight.

Letters and tickets will be mailed to all osteopathic physicians in Iowa the first week in January. Reservations and checks should be mailed to Mrs. D. E. Sloan, 1237 Edgemont Street, Des Moines, Iowa, not later than January 22, 1959.

All proceeds will go to the Osteopathic Progress Fund of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.

The proceeds from past benefits have purchased many needed items for the hospital such as floor tiling, steam table, plastic bassinets for the nursery, resuscitator-incubator, cabinets to provide individual bath care for the new-born, bedside tables, a Heidbrink Anesthesia machine for the obstetrical department, and completely redecorated and refurnished the reception room in the hospital and an Addressograph Machine.

Committees

Assisting Mrs. Milton J. Dakovich, general chairman, is Mrs. Donald E. Sloan, Treasurer. Other committee chairmen are: Mrs. E. R. Minnick, decorations; Mrs. Richard Borman and Mrs. Gordon Elliott, prizes; and Mrs. Ralph A. Gaudio, ticket sales.

MISSOURI D.O.S. URGE JOINT LICENSE BOARD

ST. LOUIS — The Missouri Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons has joined the Missouri State Medical Association in sponsoring the creation of a combined licensing board for Missouri osteopathic and medical doctors.

A draft bill to replace the present separate boards was approved by the MAOPS at its October convention and by the medical group last spring. It is similar to unsuccessful legislation sponsored previously by the two groups.

The bill calls for the creation of a seven-member board of two D.O.’s and five M.D.’s. The board “shall not be permitted to favor any particular school” and shall give a standard examination to all applicants.

Dentists, optometrists, nurses, pharmacists, chiropractors, and chiropodists are excluded from provisions of the act. The earlier efforts of the two groups were opposed strongly by chiropractic organizations.

New Officers

Sigma Sigma Phi recently elected new officers to run and administer the fraternity’s affairs. The responsibilities of office were assumed as of December 1st. Norm Jankowski is the new president and is followed by Joe Chirillo as vice-president. Secretary-treasurer is Jack Singer while Vince Granowits is the editor. Larry DiDonato and Gene Fredericks were elected historian and sergeant-at-arms respectively.
Seal Returns In Action!

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Public Health Report

Notes

Under the Kansas Healing Arts Board 158 doctors of osteopathy have received a license to practice medicine and surgery under the new 1957 law. The doctor completes a 10-day refresher course and is then examined in general medicine; eye, ear, nose and throat; general surgery, obstetrics and gynecology.

Since the enactment of this 1957 law, the two professions have completely resolved their differences. D.O.'s participate fully under Blue Cross-Blue Shield; consultations and referrals between M.D.'s and D.O.'s are ethical among proper postgraduate education is available to D.O.'s at the University of Kansas School of Medicine; and staff membership in public hospitals is available unless prevented where a hospital is accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals.

Education Council for Foreign Medical Graduates conducted examinations of approximately 1,100 foreign medical doctors on September 22nd. Medical hospitals are deeply concerned over the failure rate which was 48% in the previous examination. Results of the last exam is not available.

Doctors of osteopathy are now serving as members of the State Board of Health or equivalent state governmental agencies in California, Connecticut, Michigan, Kentucky, Maine, Oklahoma, West Virginia, South Dakota, Texas and Vermont.

D.O.'s are serving on State Advisory Boards for hospital survey or licensing in California, Colorado, Iowa, Maine, Michigan, Missouri, New Jersey, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Oregon and Washington.

New appointments of D.O.'s as Reserve Officers in the United States Public Health Service have also been announced in recent months. Several D.O.'s are taking postdoctoral fellowships in foreign countries in the specialty fields of heart and surgery under the auspices of the U. S. Public Health Service.

All School Dance

The annual all school dance was held this year on Wednesday, November 19 at the Des Moines Golf and Country Club.

Considering that the affair was held during the week, the dance was well attended. The band played until midnight and all those present thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

This dance is an annual affair sponsored and paid for completely by the College. This year, however, all the arrangements were made by Sigma Sigma Phi, honorary service fraternity.

Since the dance was just before Thanksgiving, a turkey raffle was held. This netted $55; which was given to the Osteopathic Christmas Seal Fund.

Appointed To Surgeon General's Committee

President Morris Thompson of the Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery has been appointed to a Surgeon General's Advisory Committee to study the problems of medical education. President Thompson is the third member of the Faculty and Staff of the College to receive appointment to major federal advisory bodies. Dr. J. S. Denslow is serving as a member of a similar advisory committee concerned with the national health survey and Dean R. McFarlane Tilley has for many years served on a Healing Art Advisory Committee to the Director of Selective Service.

Wayne County Student Ball

The Osteopathic students are cordially invited to be the guests of the members of the Wayne County Osteopathic Association Student Ball. Student wives and girl friends are also invited.

The Ball will be held during the Christmas season, on December 27th, at the Sheraton-Cadillac Hotel in downtown Detroit, Michigan. There will be a band and a vocalist. Her d'oeuvres will be served.

Reservations must be made to the Sheraton-Cadillac by the 23rd of December. Admission is by ticket only.

TO GET YOUR RESERVATION: Mail your name and address to the Wayne County Osteopathic Association Student Ball, in care of its Central Office, 185 Highland Avenue, Highland Park 3, Michigan.

No tickets will be available at the door and only those reservations received before December 23rd will be accepted.

Dr. Graney, Greenlee, Installed At Boston

Two Des Moines men were named to high positions recently at the meeting of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons in Boston, Mass.

Dr. Howard A. Graney was installed as president of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons at the 51st annual convention.

He has been president-elect during the past year and has been a member of the group's board of governors since 1952.

A graduate of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, he has been a professor of surgery and was a member of its board of trustees until last year.

Kurt E. Greenlee, of Des Moines, secretary of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, was elected vice-president of the American College of Osteopathic Hospital Administrators at the Boston meeting.

MAKE YOUR PLANS NOW
To Attend
The 13th Annual College Benefit Ball
HOTEL SAVERY
January 31, 1959 Des Moines
Sponsored by the Auxiliary to the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons
By now the uniform of the day is "long johns" with ear muffs, and according to the weather man we can expect a steady diet of snow and ice cubes.

Amid all of this cold weather we didn’t freeze out any of our pledges. With snow ball in hand looking like St. Nick, we have Nick Rimedio, and cool and calm Chuck Ball in hand looking like St. Nick, we have a happy holiday keeping one thing in mind: glasses can’t change one’s personality, especially if emptied too often.

Question of the month: In Gene Timmons really conducting guided tours through his bedroom? R.O.

Dr. J. F. Hardy Dies
John F. Hardy, C.O.M.S., '41, Seattle, Washington, passed away while watching television in his home on November 12, 1956. Dr. Hardy had authored a severe heart attack in September and was hospitalized for four weeks at the Waldo General Hospital. He had been convalescing at home for several weeks when he suffered a fatal second attack. Dr. Hardy was a native of Seattle, born in 1912. He received his preprofessional training at the University of Washington and at Washington State College. He earned his D.O. degree at the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery at Des Moines, Iowa. He interned and practiced in the Seattle area until the time of his death. He was currently the treasurer of the Waldo General Hospital staff.

Other than local and state professional organizations he was affiliated with Greenwood No. 253, F. and M. A., and the Lake City Elks Club.

ELECTED TO BOARD
Dr. Raymond B. Juni of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery was elected to the board of governors of the Osteopathic College of Ophthalmology in Philadelphia, Pa., at its recent annual meeting.

L. O. G.
L.O.G. fraternity held its annual Senior Banquet on November 22nd, in the Cloud Room of the Des Moines Municipal Airport. There was a complete turnout of actives and pledges to do honor to the outgoing seniors of the fraternity. Dr. Magen presented the Key Address entitled “Your Obligation,” seemingly an appropriate topic which reminded the seniors and the other fraternity members the important aspects of their professional future other than just the treatment of human ills.

Following Dr. Magen’s address, senior keys were presented to each senior. A conclusion to the evening’s presentations was the William’s Key award to Ned Barron for being the senior who did most to further the fraternity. Those seniors who were out of town exterminating, will receive their senior keys at the Freshman Banquet to be held in March.

The evening was concluded by dancing to the music of Bill Bates and his Bluesnotes. Speaking about the seniors, each of them came back to Des Moines with a big smile on their face. We are trying to figure out whether they are glad to be through with their externship or glad that these is only six months of school left for them. Maybe they’re just happy to be back in the “City” of Des Moines?

The members of L.O.G. fraternity wish to take this opportunity to wish everyone seasons greetings and a pleasant vacation.

OSTEOPATHIC STATISTICS FOUND IN NEW BOOK
CHICAGO (AOA) — Who does what where and with whom in the osteopathic profession is expected to be considerably clearer November 1, when the AOA releases its first complete statistical study of the osteopathic medical practice.

“This marks the first time the osteopathic profession has attempted a statistical evaluation of itself,” explained Miss Josephine Sevly, supervisor of information and statistics.

For her, the survey has been a two-year project beginning with questionnaires in 1956. Responses were transferred to machine cards and correlated to produce an accurate index to osteopathic practice laws, specialties, education, post-graduate training, age and urban-rural distribution.

The survey will be reported in a twocolor, 86-page booklet with 21 tables and descriptive text, Miss Sevly said.

P. S. G.
Bleak December, the month of bearded men, reinder, and, ah yes, the returning seniors. The family alleles have been heard sounding through the halls of the house. Warren Christison has also made 3205 Grand his mailing address for the next six months.

Election of officers was held at the last meeting. These are to replace the past officers who are going on externship. The successful candidates Joe Chirillo and Larry D’Donato were elected President and Vice-president respectively. Congratulations!

Another one of the now traditional “Jam Sessions” was held Sunday the 14th. This event was preceeded by a buffet luncheon. The session was a “gasser,” the sounds coming from the hip stick men were the wildest. The cats cut mesmerized as if momentarily conveyed to the Blue Note on Chicago’s north side.

Tragedy struck fast as the P.S.G. house house one night last week when both Earl Scheidler and Earl Gonyaw were victims of athletic mishaps. One came as the result of basketball and the other from wrestling. I guess this is what happens when we pass into the age of maturity.

Representing P.S.G. and the College at the International Festival was our own Hector Valdes Reveral Chico who really cuts a mean “merengue.”

The well earned vacation is nearly upon us and I know we are waiting for it with open arms. So until we see you next year, have a “Cool Yule and a Prantie First.”

D.T.

Joint Staff Hospital
Voters in Guyman, Oklahoma, will decide this month on a $250,000 bond issue for the second joint-staff hospital in that state. M.D.s will operate the first floor and D.O.s the second floor of the expanded city hospital if the issue passes. The other half of the cost will be covered by a federal Hill-Burton grant already made.

Also in Oklahoma, the doctors viewed completion of a new wing for Oklahoma Osteopathic Hospital with a drive for $126,860 to furnish it.

In Washington, Michigan Congressman Alvin M. Bentley announced that the federal government would allocate $272,825 to the Saginaw Osteopathic Hospital toward the cost of its new wing.

The New Mexico Hospital Advisory council recommended to its state board of health that Albuquerque Osteopathic Hospital be granted $66,000 for general expansion and a nursing home.

Architects have announced that the Otto C. Epp Memorial Hospital in Cincinnati should be open by next summer. The hospital is financed in large part by a gift of $500,000 from Otto C. Epp, a Cincinnati industrialist. It will be an open-staff institution.

West Virginia’s large osteopathic hospital began operation in September at South Charleston. Southern Hills Hospital was purchased by a group of West Virginia D.O.s from a medical doctor who had operated it privately.
Basketball Teams Joins Y.M.C.A. League

Standing, l. to r.: Jay Nelson, Walt Siporin, Ralph Barron, Dick Nuskievich, Sid Grobman and Steve Koffler.
Seated, l. to r.: Earl Scheidler, Perry Kaplan, Eugene Rangaus and Richard Beck.

The 1858-59 edition of the C.O.M.S. cagers became an entrant in the Class A open league of the Y.M.C.A. The team, “The Student D.O.’s”, met some stiff competition in the form of such well-balanced and drilled teams as Home Federal, last year’s champs, Ankeny Pharmacy, and Miller’s Laundry led by two former all state Junior College champs.

The team entered this league as a change from last year in an attempt to be in a better balanced league.

So far the team has played three games and has lost two. Powerful Home Federal dopped the D.O.’s 73-46. High man for C.O.M.S. was Sid Grobman, putting 18 points through the hoop. Younker’s Sports was an exciting game. After trailing by as much as 10 points during the game the team suddenly clicked to catch Younker’s at 34 points apiece at the end of regulation time. In the overtime period the D.O.’s out-drilled the Younker's team 3-2, and took the game 37-36. Miller's Laundry was our most recent game. We lost 62-39.

Future games include: Proctor’s Drugs, Ankeny Pharmacy, and Clarkston Realty. The schedule for the second round has not yet been announced.

All games are played at the Central Y.M.C.A., 4th at Keo Way and begin at 7:00 P.M. A good crowd always makes a good team better!

Steve Koffler is this year’s coach. Members of the team are pictured above.
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