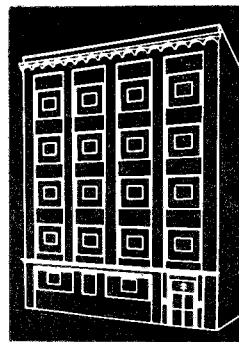


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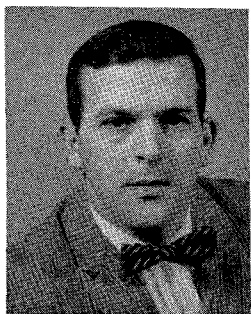
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## AUXILIARY BENEFIT BALL FEBRUARY 13

### Donora Medical Student Awarded Patent on Device

(Eugene Rongaus is a sophomore student)

The following article appeared recently in a Donora, Pennsylvania newspaper:



"A medical student from Donora has been awarded a U. S. patent on a device he conceived while serving with the army in Korea. He is Eugene Rongaus, and has titled his new invention 'Aiming Stake Lighting Device.' It is used in achieving

accuracy for artillery firing at night. The army has long used aiming stakes for accuracy, however, the devices were not too effective at night since they could not be illuminated without attracting aircraft.

Rongaus' invention overcomes this shortcoming with a cylindrical tube attached to a deflecting device. An electrical bulb inside is clearly visible to the gun emplacement, but cannot be seen by aircraft.

Rongaus applied for the patent in 1957. It was granted earlier this month."



Mrs. Harkness (seated left) visited the College to review the history and purposes of the last thirteen benefits with student leaders, Mrs. Roslyn Kule, president of the Student Wives Club; (standing left to right) Mr. John Nelson, Des Moines, Iowa, president of the Student Council; Thomas Kovan, Detroit, Michigan, secretary-treasurer of Sigma Sigma Phi; and Harry Davis, Poland, Ohio, president of the Inter-Fraternity Council.

Mrs. Kule will be in charge of student ticket sales, assisted by Messrs Nelson, Kovan and Davis.

The 14th Annual College Benefit Ball (this year known as the Valentine Benefit Ball), sponsored by the Auxiliary to the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, will be held at the Savery Hotel in Des Moines, Saturday, February 13, 1960.

Mrs. Wesley W. Glantz, publicity chairman, has announced that the changes made last year in the arrangements for this event were so successful that they are being repeated this year. Dinner will be served this year from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m., and dancing from 9:30 to 12:30 to the music of The Esquire's Orchestra.

Mrs. Myron S. Magen, ticket chairman, has stated that letters and tickets have been mailed to all osteopathic physicians in Iowa. Mrs. Magen requests that reservations and checks be mailed to Mrs. Cecil C. Looney, 3960-74th Street, Des Moines, Iowa, not later than February 8, 1960.

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. In 1957, the proceeds were used to purchase an Addressograph Machine for the College. Proceeds from the event held on Saturday, January 31, 1959, in the amount of \$989.50 were placed in the Endowment Fund of the College.

Assisting Mrs. Stuart F. Harkness, general chairman, is Mrs. Robert Kramer, secretary, and Mrs. Cecil C. Looney, treasurer. Other committee chairman in addition to Mrs. Wesley W. Glantz and Mrs. Myron S. Magen are Mrs. Lloyd W. Ficke, decorations and Mrs. Richard H. Borman, prizes.

### Calendar of Events

- February 10—Convocation 10:00 a.m.—Dr. John R. Pike, Albany, New York
- February 13—Valentine Benefit Ball
- March 6-7-8—Post Graduate Course in Orthopedics
- March 9—Convocation 9:00 a.m.—Dr. Alan M. Potts, president of Michigan Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons
- March 21—Kansas College Visitation Committee
- April 8—Pacemaker Ball
- April 4—Public Health Banquet
- April 15-18 (inclusive)—Easter recess
- April 26—Alumni Banquet—Child Health Conference, Kansas City, Missouri
- May—Students Day (date to be announced)
- June 2-3-4—Aumni Refresher Course
- June 2—Alumni Banquet Honoring Graduating Class of 1960
- June 3—Graduation
- June 4—Meeting of the Board of Trustees and the members of the Corporation of the College



Dr. Emil Braunschweig (left) class of '37, El Cajon, California, presents President McLaughlin with a check for \$500.00, thus becoming a Charter Member of the recently formed "500 Club."

The presentation was made during Dr. Braunschweig's annual visit to the College.

### College Visitors

Dr. Robert Stein and Mr. Dick Sims of Doctors Hospital in Columbus, Ohio visited with students in the College on December 3 and 4.

On December 3 they were guests of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons and the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons at a Buffet Dinner given for Senior students from the Des Moines Public Schools following an Open House at the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.

## Student Wives Club

At the November meeting of the Student Wives Club of COMS we were privileged to have as our guests Dr. and Mrs. Toriello. They showed films of their 1958 trip to Europe and the World's Fair. The films were beautiful, indeed, and everyone enjoyed them.

The December meeting featured a "Gift Shop Show." Items from many countries were displayed and a profile given about each article and the country it represented.

The annual Christmas Dance was held at the Val Air Ballroom on December 4. Both students and faculty members attended. The highlight of the evening was the drawing for door prizes. All the ladies received beautiful fern and holly corsages. A profit of \$100.00 was realized. Mrs. Samuel Kligerman and Mrs. William Silverstone were co-chairmen of this successful event.



Mrs. Pat Walker, wife of junior student John A. Walker, Jackson, Michigan, presents check representing the proceeds of the Christmas Dance to President McLaughlin.

December 13 found the Student Wives Club entertaining their children at the annual Christmas party. This year it was under the chairmanship of Mrs. David O'Mara and held at the PSG House. The children participated in organized group games and were served punch and cookies. Santa Claus was on hand to distribute gifts to each child.

At our January meeting our guest speaker was Dr. William Strong. His topic was "Osteopathy Now and in The Future." A question and answer period followed his most stimulating speech. We were all very sorry to learn of the resignation of our president, Mrs. James Leach, due to circumstances beyond her control. However, Mrs. Sheldon Kule, our 1st vice president, has accepted the president's position and we will all give her our full support.

March 4th from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. the Student Wives Club will have a rummage sale at the Rummage Center on 2nd Avenue. Clothing, dishes, furniture, etc., will be sold. We urge everyone to contribute to this worthwhile project.

## ORTHOPEDICS FOR THE FAMILY PHYSICIAN

March 6-8, 1960

Sunday, March 6, 1960

8:00 a.m. Registration—College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery

8:45 a.m. Welcome—Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, president

### Morning Session

#### PRINCIPLES OF FRACTURE CARE AND SOFT TISSUE INJURIES

Harold E. Clybourne, D.O., Moderator

9:00 a.m. First Aid and Emergency Treatment

9:45 a.m. Immediate versus Delayed Management

10:30 a.m. Recess

10:45 a.m. Principles of Splints and Traction Procedures

12:00 noon Lunch

### Afternoon Session

#### REHABILITATION FOLLOWING INJURIES

Chester H. Lyon, D.O., Moderator

2:00 p.m. Active versus Passive Exercise

2:45 p.m. Physical Medicine

3:30 p.m. Coffee Break

3:45 p.m. X-ray Diagnosis of Traumatic Disabilities

5:00 p.m. Dinner

### Evening Session

#### PROBLEM CLINIC

Henry J. Ketman, D.O., Moderator

7:00 p.m. Bring your own X-ray films of problem cases

Monday, March 7, 1960

### Morning Session

#### UPPER EXTREMITY

John M. Wright, D.O., Moderator

9:00 a.m. Shoulder Girdle

9:45 a.m. Elbow

10:30 a.m. Recess

10:45 a.m. Fractures of Humerus, Radius and Ulna

12:00 noon Lunch

### Afternoon Session

#### UPPER EXTREMITY (continued)

Frederick J. Auwers, D.O., Moderator

2:00 p.m. Colle's Fractures

2:45 p.m. Wrist and Hand Injuries

3:30 p.m. Recess

3:45 p.m. Cervical and Thoracic Spine Injuries

### Evening Session

#### BANQUET

Dean Shumaker, presiding

7:00 p.m. Hotel Savery—Des Moines Room

Tuesday, March 8, 1960

### Morning Session

#### LOWER EXTREMITY

Robert Friedman, D.O., Moderator

9:00 a.m. Low Back Problems

9:45 a.m. Pelvis and Hip

10:30 a.m. Recess

10:45 a.m. Upper and Lower Leg Fractures

12:00 noon Lunch

### Afternoon Session

#### LOWER EXTREMITY (continued)

Richard H. Borman, D.O., Moderator

2:00 p.m. Knee Injuries

2:45 p.m. Ankle and Foot

3:30 p.m. Recess

3:45 p.m. Plaster of Paris Clinic

Tuition \$50.00 (\$10.00 deposit with application). Deadline, February 20, 1960



## Alumni News

### MICHIGAN

Members of the Michigan Alumni Association have elected James T. Haffenden, Battle Creek, as their new president for the 1959-60 year. Other new officers are Lee J. Walker, Grand Rapids, vice-president, and Ralph E. Hinz, St. Clair Shores, secretary-treasurer. The election was held at the close of the alumni banquet during the Michigan State Convention in Grand Rapids. Forty-six alumni were present. The oldest was Dr. Howard W. Sechrist of Detroit, Class of '24.

In a letter to the College, Dr. Haffenden requested that it should be mentioned that everyone attending the alumni banquet enjoyed getting together and getting acquainted with the graduates of the school located throughout the State of Michigan. He also wanted it mentioned that the program was very informative and gave each one of those present a word picture of the situation of the College at the present time and the hopes for the future.

Representing the college were: President McLaughlin, Dean Shumaker, and Wendell R. Fuller, College registrar and alumni executive-secretary.

### OKLAHOMA

Members of the Oklahoma Association have elected Dr. Charles W. Ball, of Blackwell, as president and Thomas L. Wilson, of Tulsa, secretary-treasurer. The election took place at the annual alumni luncheon held during the Oklahoma Osteopathic Convention. Dr. Edward A. Felmlee of Tulsa was in charge of the luncheon meeting. President McLaughlin and Dean Shumaker represented the College.

### FLORIDA

Dr. Paul E. Kimberly of St. Petersburg, Florida, informs us that he has been re-elected chairman of the Florida Alumni Association and that Dr. Eugene Keig, also of St. Petersburg, has been re-elected secretary-treasurer. Dr. Kimberly also sent alumni dues for the following: Edwin C. Brookman, St. Petersburg; Gordon R. Fischer, Pinellas Park; Charles U. Gnau, Fort Myers; Howard E. Hattesen, Miami Shores; Calvin J. Houpt, Starke; Eugene R. Keig, St. Petersburg; Paul E. Kimberly, St. Petersburg; John J. Latini, North Miami; Donald T. Leigh, Coral Gables; John P. Nunley, Oklawaha; Talmage T. Spence, West Palm Beach.

### DUES RECEIVED

Alumni dues have been received from the following: L. A. Nowlin, Phoenix, Arizona. From the State of Iowa, John M. Lyle of Colfax, Dorothy V. Mullen of Ellsworth and Teddy R. Fredericks of Thompson. A. P. Warthman, Detroit, Michigan; Paul W. Panakos, Dayton, Ohio; M. W. Myers, Hudson, South Dakota; L. V. Cradit, Amarillo, Texas; L. S. Parkhurst, Kirkland, Washington; and Ralph E. Davis, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

## N. I. H. Official Visits Here

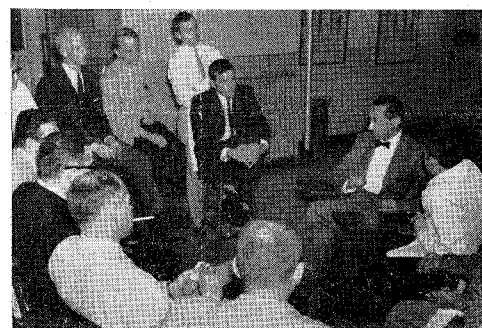
Dr. Murray Goldstein of the United States Public Health Service visited the college on November 23 and 24th. Dr. Goldstein who holds the rank of Medical Director, is the Assistant Chief - Research Grants, Review Branch. Currently he is the only osteopathic physician holding a permanent commission on active duty with the Public Health Service. A 1950 graduate of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, Dr. Goldstein interned and served a residency in Internal Medicine at Still Osteopathic Hospital.

Dr. Goldstein was invited to the college by the President's Committee on Development, to explain the role of the federal government in medical education. In addition, Dr. Goldstein discussed the Research Grants Program of the National Institute's of Health and their impact on medical research. Another purpose of Dr. Goldstein's visit was to interest students in the public health service as a career. Dr. Goldstein met with members of the board of trustees of the college and also addressed an all-student convocation, in addition to holding meetings with members of the student body.



The picture on the left above shows Dr. Goldstein meeting with the members of the President's Development Committee. (Left to Right)—Dr. J. R. McNerney, member of the board of trustees of the college, Dr. William B. Strong, medical director, Dr. Goldstein, Dr. Myron S. Magen, chairman of the committee and chairman of the department of pediatrics, Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, president of the college, Dr. Wilford Nusser, head of the department of psychology.

The picture on the right above shows Dr. Goldstein in one of his meetings with members of the student body.



## L. O. G.

The annual senior banquet was held at the Sylvan Restaurant on December 12. Dr. William B. Strong, medical director, represented the administration of the College. Out-of-town guests included national LOG officers Dr. Alex Maron of Ashbury Park, New Jersey, president; Dr. Herman Kohn of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, president-elect; and Dr. Aaron Feinstein of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, executive-secretary.

Following the talk by Dr. Maron, certificates and keys were awarded to Sandy Kushner of Detroit, Michigan, past-president and to Ralph Levy of Brooklyn, New York. Senior students receiving fraternity keys were: Richard Brown, Detroit, Michigan; Stephen Chankin, Philadelphia, Penna.; Milton Fields, Detroit, Michigan; Bunny Goldman, Detroit, Mich.; Vick Gordon, Detroit, Mich.; Sheldon Kaftan, Detroit, Mich.; Sam Kligerman, Elkins Park, Penna.; Tom Kovan, Detroit, Mich.; Sander Kushner, Detroit, Mich.; Ralph Levy, Brooklyn, New York; Herbert Micklin, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Frank Roth, Detroit, Mich.; Larry Rubinoff, Detroit, Michigan; Fred Seligman, Toledo, Ohio; Jerry Thurer, Brooklyn, New York.

New little ones in the fraternity family are daughters to Ed Blumberg and Walt Siporin, both of Detroit, Michigan.

## P. S. G.

Dr. Harold E. Higley, department of psychiatry, as the guest speaker at our November work-night. Dr. Higley's topic was "The Problems Confronted by Married Students While Attending Professional School."

Rushing ended with a jazz concert at the fraternity house which was followed by a buffet dinner. New pledges welcomed to the fraternity include: Donald Beaver, Petoskey, Michigan; Herbert Bez, Detroit, Michigan; Jerry Freiberg, St. Clairsville, Ohio; Monroe Harris, Flushing, New York; Robert Heidepriem, Flint, Michigan; Charles Johnson, Wauwatosa, Wisconsin; Robert Kapanjie, Clifton, New Jersey; Patrick McCaffery, Wichita, Kansas; Norman Rose, Brooklyn, New York; Michael Roth, Sharpsville, Pennsylvania; Fabious Russell, Youngstown, Ohio; William Stanley, Jr., Birmingham, Michigan; Harry Stenzel, Detroit, Mich.; James Young, Seattle, Washington.

Those brothers losing their single status are Harvey Ring of Ann Arbor, Michigan, who was married to Vicky Wasserman of Flint, Michigan on December 1, and Earl Scheidler who will marry Gladys Smith on December 26th in Dayton, Ohio. Arnold Aaron and Iris Breitberg have announced wedding plans for next summer.

## Trustees Approve Club Plans

Members of the College board of trustees approved three Club Plans at their November meeting.

Designed to strengthen the financial situation of the College, the plans were submitted to the board members by Dr. Charles L. Naylor, Ravenna, Ohio, president of the National Alumni Association and other members of the executive committee on November 17. These proposals were approved by the members of the House of Delegates of the alumni association during the national A.O.A. convention in Chicago, July 1958.

### 500 CLUB

#### Financial support to the College—\$500.00 Annually

Amounts accruing to the College from your Society dues will be credited to the above total:

- If Dues support is \$150.00 per year—monthly contribution would be \$29.17
- If Dues support is \$100.00 per year—monthly contribution would be \$33.34
- If Dues support is \$50.00 per year—monthly contribution would be \$37.50

### 350 Club

#### Financial support to the College—\$350.00 Annually

Amounts accruing to the College from your Society dues will be credited to the above total:

- If Dues support is \$150.00 per year—monthly contribution would be \$16.67
- If Dues support is \$100.00 per year—monthly contribution would be \$20.84
- If Dues support is \$50.00 per year—monthly contribution would be \$25.00

### 250 Club

#### Financial support to the College—\$250.00 Annually

Amounts accruing to the College from your Society dues will be credited to the above total:

- If Dues support is \$150.00 per year—monthly contribution would be \$8.34
- If Dues support is \$100.00 per year—monthly contribution would be \$12.50
- If Dues support is \$50.00 per year—monthly contribution would be \$16.67

College and Alumni Association agree as follows:

1. To cooperate in maintaining the present high level of osteopathic education and service.
2. To devote every possible energy to further planning and development of undergraduate and graduate educational and research programs.
3. To place 20% of my annual contribution into a Development Expansion Fund.
  - a. Purchase of land for the college.
  - b. New building construction.
  - c. Remodelling and repair of old buildings.
  - d. Purchase of equipment and new facilities.
4. To provide paid-up membership in the National Alumni Association of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.
5. To provide a copy of the Pacemaker (Year Book) in which my name will be listed as a sponsor of the Year Book.
7. To provide paid registration at the annual spring refresher course at the time of Commencement.
8. To provide an annual physical examination in the Still Osteopathic Clinic.
9. To provide courtesy staff membership in the Still Osteopathic Hospital.
10. To provide a bibliography in any professional subject from the College Library.
11. To provide a certificate of membership in the club that I join.
12. To provide complete annual reports on the affairs of the College.

NOTE: The benefits listed are neither accumulative nor transferable.

## I. T. S.

The annual Christmas dinner was held in the Arbor Room of the Kirkwood Hotel, Friday, December 11. William S. Strong, D.O., medical director of the college, was the after-dinner speaker. Dr. Strong interpreted the philosophy, development, and direction of the osteopathic branch of medicine, with special emphasis on the progress we will have to make in order to furnish our share of the physicians America will need for the future.

On the night before Thanksgiving, we held a "Beatnik" party at Avon Lake to welcome the new pledge class. Honored that evening were the following pledges: Don-

ald Andrysiak, Wyandotte, Michigan; Harvey A. Bergren, Muskegon, Michigan; Thomas DeResta, Lawrence, Massachusetts; Sheridan Thiringer, Spokane, Washington; John Edleman, Grand Rapids, Michigan; Robert Leonard, Ferndale, Michigan; Lawrence Baker, Des Moines, Iowa; Richard Reel, Mount Ayr, Iowa; Val Rongaus and Eugene Rongaus of Donora, Pennsylvania; Richard Clarke, Pasco, Washington; Thomas Lavaty, Dearborn, Michigan; Oscar Gutierrez, San Antonio, Texas; Chester Christianson, Tipton, Iowa; Victor Jurcenko, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Emanuel Kourakis, Chicago, Illinois.

## Morehouse Library Memorial Fund

Mrs. Mary Belle Kenderdine, college librarian, states that 58 books costing \$555.00 have been purchased for the College library from the Dr. P. Ralph Morehouse Library Memorial Fund. This fund, which was initiated by members of the Michigan Osteopathic Association, was established in memory of Dr. Morehouse who was killed in an automobile accident in Albion, Michigan, Christmas Eve, 1958.

A graduate of the class of '35, Dr. Morehouse served the Michigan Association as its secretary-treasurer for 12 years and as technical editor of the Michigan Osteopathic Bulletin for 10 years. He was also a delegate of the National Alumni Association of the College.

The books purchased from this fund have been carefully selected by members of the faculty. A record is on file in the library showing the name of the book, the author, the company from which the book was purchased, and the purchase price. A complete record of the above is sent each year to the Michigan Association.

At this time of the year, it is only fitting that we again seek contributions in order that we might insure the perpetuation of this fund. Contributions can be sent to Dr. W. Clemens Andreen, of Andreen Clinic, 1475 Ford Avenue, Wyandotte, Michigan, or Mr. Wendell R. Fuller, alumni secretary-treasurer, College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, 722 6th Ave., Des Moines 9, Iowa. Make checks payable to National Alumni Association of the College. It is suggested that the notation Morehouse Library Memorial Fund be made in the lower left-hand corner of your check. Contributions to this fund will be acknowledged.

## Memorial Fund For Library

Dr. J. Paul Leonard, secretary, the American Osteopathic Academy of Orthopedics, has notified President McLaughlin that the college will receive a gift of \$1,000.00 to be used to purchase Orthopedic texts for the college library.

The gift is to be named "The Warren G. Bradford Memorial Library Fund" in memory of the late Dr. Warren G. Bradford, orthopedic surgeon of Dayton, Ohio.

Dr. Richard H. Borman of Des Moines, a member of the academy and a member of the teaching staff of this institution, has been named local chairman of the library fund.

Mrs. Kenderdine, college librarian, and Dr. Borman are now in the process of compiling a list of orthopedic books from which the final selection will be made. It is estimated that the purchases probably will be made over a three or four year period.

## OAKRIDGE AREA—

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The annual payroll of the college and its hospital and clinic is \$611,000.00 he said. He estimated expenditures here, including those by the college's students and their families, exceed 1½ million dollars a year.

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Plans for the expansion call for a hospital and clinic building, a dormitory, married students' housing, a playground and parking areas.

In describing the events leading to the above newspaper story, Mr. Karl Greenlee, secretary of the College board of trustees had this to say,

"On Friday, December 4, 1959, Mr. Hannan and I appeared before the Urban Renewal Committee and presented the proposed plans for expansion of the College facilities.

"The reception by that committee was very favorable and encouraging to us. Your representatives of the board of trustees did not commit the College or alumni to anything except an opportunity. We were informed that if we expected to be considered as a part of this portion of the Urban Renewal Program, it was necessary that we make application at this time. In addition the necessity that we soon consider the possibility of expanding the facilities of the College to provide room for additional students as another factor in our presenting future plans at this time.

"While the Board has not made a commitment to any program, we do feel that some plan very similar to this would be exactly what the profession should work to achieve.

"We are well aware that an undertaking of such magnitude cannot be accomplished without the continued hard work and support of the loyal alumni; however, that will not be nearly enough, because it will be necessary to enlist the help of the general public if we expect to carry out anything such as this plan."

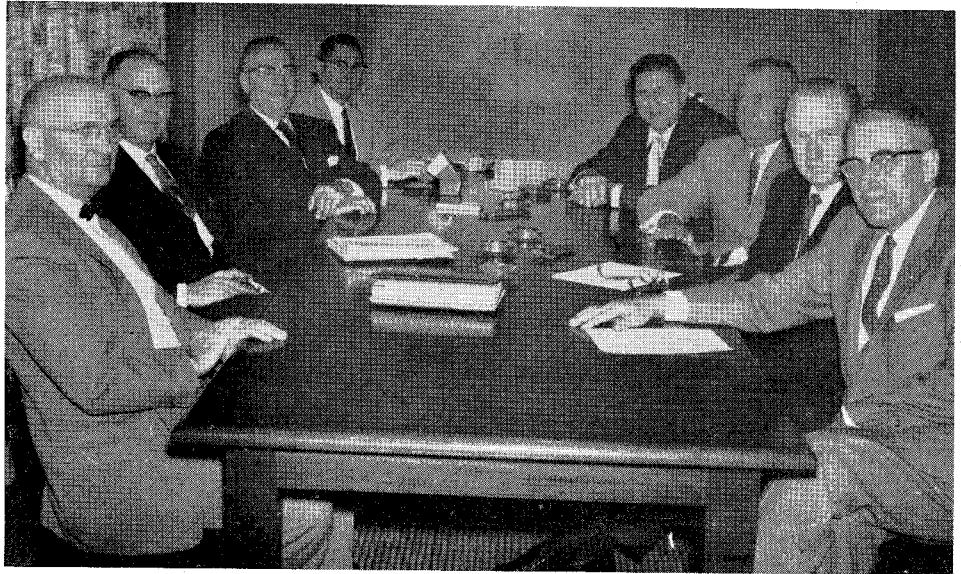
## Neurosurgeon Here January 4

Dr. Raymond Ruberg of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, chairman of the department of neuro-surgery of the hospitals of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy and Metropolitan Hospital, will visit the College for a few days beginning January 4, 1960.

While at the College, Dr. Ruberg will perform several neuro-surgical procedures, hold a clinic for neurological consultation, and deliver lectures to the undergraduate students. He will also be the guest speaker at the monthly meeting of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons.

Physicians wishing to consult with Dr. Ruberg regarding patients should contact Dr. William B. Strong, medical director of the College.

## Alumni Executive Committee Meets



Alumni representatives on the board of trustees of the College and other members of the executive committee of the National Alumni Association, met with President McLaughlin, and Mr. Karl Greenlee, secretary of the board of trustees on November 17. (Left to Right)—Dr. Paul Rutter, Medford, Oregon, (board member); Mr. Greenlee; Dr. W. J. Blackler, Grand Rapids, Michigan, (board member); Dr. Paul E. Dunbar, Paducah, Kentucky, delegate-at-large of the alumni association; Dr. Walter B. Goff, Dunbar, West Virginia, (board member); Dr. W. Clemens Andreen, Wyandotte, Michigan, president-elect of the alumni association; President McLaughlin; and Dr. Charles L. Naylor, Ravenna, Ohio, president of the National Alumni Association.

## THREE CLUB PLANS APPROVED GRADUATION WEEK ACTIVITIES PLANNED

One of the most profitable meetings of the executive committee of the National Alumni Association was held at the College on November 17. The activation of three new clubs—the 250 Club—the 350 Club—and the 500 Club—was proposed to the College board of trustees. This proposal was enthusiastically accepted by the board. Material regarding the three new clubs will be sent to each one of our graduates beginning in January, 1960.

### Graduation Week

In addition to the new club plans which are explained on the next page, steps were taken to make arrangements for graduation week at the College. Preliminary arrangements call for a spring refresher course under the direction of Dr. William B. Strong, a banquet honoring the alumni as well as the members of the graduating class of 1960, and other events to be announced in the near future. Graduating classes to be honored in addition to the class of 1935 will be announced in January. Local arrangements for alumni activities will be under the direction of Dr. Bryce E. Wilson of Des Moines, Iowa, president of the Iowa Alumni Association.

### Positive Action

Commenting on the events of the day, President McLaughlin stated: "The forma-

tion of these clubs by the executive committee of the National Alumni Association is to me a most positive action on the part of the alumni association. The formal activation of these clubs, which are designed to strengthen the financial situation of the College through personal contributions from our alumni, will, of course, be a step in the right direction toward building a greater College. The initiation of plans designed to make graduation week a week not only for members of the graduating class of 1960, but one for the alumni and friends of the institution, will certainly be good news for all of our alumni.

"The members of the board of trustees join with me in thanking these men—the members of the executive committee—for taking time from their practice and from their families, to come to the College at various times throughout the year at their own expense to meet with us to help us build a bigger and better college."

(For other activities of November 17, don't fail to read your letter from Dr. Charles L. Naylor, alumni president of Ravenna, Ohio, and for other news of the College not printed in the Log Book, be sure and read your letter from President McLaughlin. Both letters make interesting reading.)

"We, the Class of 1960, dedicate this book to Ernst V. Enzmann, Ph.D., in appreciation of his outstanding representation of those who teach." With these words Donald G. Beckman of Lake City, Iowa, senior student and associate editor of the yearbook, presented the first copy of the 1960 Pacemaker to Dr. Enzmann during an all-student convocation held in the Moingona Lodge Room on November 23rd.

## Students Honor Dr. Enzmann



As if by a pre-arranged signal, the entire student body and faculty rose to their feet to give Dr. Enzmann the greatest ovation that has ever been accorded a member of the faculty of this institution.

A secret had been well kept for over a year. Only the members of the yearbook staff knew that the second yearbook to be published by the students of the College in over twenty years would be dedicated to one of the most beloved instructors of the institution.

Following the convocation, Dr. Enzmann, too surprised to speak after the formal presentation, stated that he was, of course, greatly surprised, but very proud. "One can never forget such an honor bestowed upon him by his students," stated Dr. Enzmann.

John Nelson, (right), Des Moines, Iowa, sophomore student and president of the Student Council, presided.

## Atlas Club

Our thanks to Dr. and Mrs. Henry J. Ketman for the beautiful kitchen range. The range and our new kitchen cafe curtains add a touch of home.

On Sunday, November 29, the pledges were welcomed to the fraternity house by the active members. Refreshments were served and ideas freely exchanged.

Our annual Christmas party was held at the fraternity house on December 12 and included all the trimmings. This brings to mind the beautifully decorated tree which was meticulously trimmed by Ralph Mar-

tin. The exchange of gifts was the highlight of the evening. It usually represents the sentiment of the giver for the person who is to receive the gift. The food was the best in the fraternity's history—but then so were so many other things.

The curtain of life is drawing to a close on another year. To some, 1959 brought its share of sorrow; but, by and large, the majority of us saw some ray of sunlight shining in our direction. With faith and hope, we look forward to a new year, knowing that each one must radiate his own bit of brightness if there is to be sunlight in life.

## P. G. Course In Orthopedics

A three-day post-graduate course "Orthopedics for the Family Physician" is scheduled to be held at the College on March 6, 7, 8, in 1960.

This course will be sponsored jointly by the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, The American Osteopathic Academy of Orthopedics, and the American College of General Practitioners in Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.

The program will be open to all osteopathic physicians and will be directed primarily toward office orthopedic diagnosis and procedures. A banquet is planned for the final evening at which time diplomas will be awarded to those completing the course. Osteopathic physicians in Iowa and adjoining states are encouraged to plan now to attend.

## \$100.00 Gift

A check for \$100.00 was sent to the College by Dr. H. K. Rydell, (class of 1907), 4374 Dart Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota. The check was given to Dr. Rydell by one of his patients who stated that the money was to be used by the College wherever it was needed.

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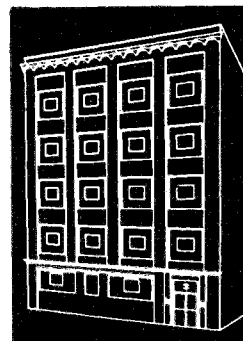
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# The Log Book

THE COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE & SURGERY



FEBRUARY, 1960

## BOARD APPROVES "PLAN FOR PROGRESS"

### Hospital Facilities Survey Made

Charles U. LeTourneau, M.D., renowned authority in the hospital field was in Des Moines recently to survey the osteopathic hospital facilities. He was invited to make the survey at the request of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons in cooperation with Des Moines General Hospital and Wilden Osteopathic Hospital.

Dr. LeTourneau's written report will be discussed in detail at the March meeting of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons held at the East Des Moines Club on Wednesday evening, March 9.



Dr. LeTourneau, (left) visits with Mr. A. C. Parmenter, administrator of Still Osteopathic Hospital.

Dr. LeTourneau is a professional advisor and counselor to hospitals all over the world. He is, in addition, the editorial director of Hospital Management, a journal for administrators and department heads in hospitals and the director of the program in hospital administration at Northwestern University in Chicago. He holds a degree in medicine from McGill University in Montreal and also boasts of degrees in law, liberal arts and hospital administration.

Doctor LeTourneau began his hospital career in the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps where he served with distinction during World War II. He was decorated by King George VI with the Order of the British Empire and retired from the Canadian Army with the rank of Colonel at the end of the war. Subsequently he was superintendent of Queen Mary Veterans' Hospital in Montreal from which position he was

The Board of Trustees of the College has approved the first report of the President's Committee On Development. The report reproduced through the use of College facilities, was submitted to the Board on January 19, 1960.

Members of the committee, in addition to Myron S. Magen, D.O. the chairman, are: Joseph R. McNerney, D.O. (board member); Wilford L. Nusser, Ph.D. (faculty member), and William B. Strong, D.O. (medical director). Ex-officio members include President McLaughlin and Dean John B. Shumaker.

The seventy page report including charts and graphs in color, covered: No. 1. The objectives of the research program and its value in education, No. 2. Sources of research funds; No. 3. Problems in medical education; No. 4. Medical students; No. 5. Curriculum; No. 6. New developments in medical schools; No. 7. The utilization of research grants; No. 8. Proposed development plan for the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery and eight recommendations.

This report has been presented by the committee to the Board of Trustees (See picture below) and to the officers of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, and representatives of the Des Moines General Hospital, North Central Iowa Hospital Corporation, and Wilden Osteopathic Hospital. (See picture on page 2).

In the near future the report will be presented to the members of the student body by classes. The report will be presented to the members of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons at their regular monthly meeting on March 9, at the East Des Moines Club.



LEFT TO RIGHT: Myron S. Magen, D.O. (D.C.); J. R. McNerney, D.O. (B.M.); William B. Strong, D.O. (D.C.); President McLaughlin; Wendell R. Fuller (director of public relations and registrar); Wilford L. Nusser, Ph.D. (D.C.); E. Lynn Baldwin, chief, Medical Photography Department; Dean Shumaker; A. C. Parmenter (administrator, Still Osteopathic Hospital); Mrs. Jeanine Swenson (secretary to the president); and board members Mr. Karl Greenlee, Mr. Ted Flynn, Mr. J. R. Astley, and Mr. H. L. Calkins.

Legend: (B.M.) Board Member; (D.C.) Member of the Development Committee.

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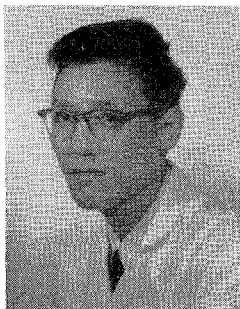
recruited by the late Dr. Malcolm T. MacEachern for service as a consultant in the hospital field. Immediately prior to his present activities, Doctor LeTourneau served as assistant director of the American Hospital Association and editor of Trustee

magazine. He is a Fellow of the American College of Hospital Administrators. Dr. LeTourneau compiled ten years of research into the duties and responsibilities of the hospital trustee and authored the book, Hospital Trusteeship.



## Dr. Mori Appointed To Faculty

The latest addition to the basic science faculty was announced by the administration early this month. Dr. Kanaka Mori from the University of Montreal, P.Q., Canada, assumed his duties as assistant professor in chemistry.



Dr. Mori has an extensive background in education and in research. He was born in Tokyo, Japan, February 4, 1925. He attended Tokyo University where he majored in biochemistry, minored in physiology and received his

V.M.D. degree in March, 1948 and his M.D. degree in March of 1950.

He was appointed assistant professor at Tottori University, Tottori, Japan, in July of 1950 and remained there until May of 1956. Dr. Mori was an Invited Research Fellow to the Faculty of Medicine of Tokyo University from May of 1956, and served for one year in this capacity. In October of 1957 he accepted a position as chief biochemist at the University of Montreal, and in 1959 served as a resident histological and pathological chemist at the Institute of Gerontology Notre-Dame de la Merci Hospital, a 500 bed hospital in Montreal, Canada.

Dr. Mori is currently a member of the New York Academy of Sciences, the American Gerontology Society, and the Montreal Biochemical Society. To date Dr. Mori has 44 publications to his credit, including books, reviews and experimental reports. His book, *THE METABOLISM OF SEX STEROIDS*, was published in Tokyo in 1958. Dr. Mori speaks Japanese, English, French and German.

## ATLAS

With the turning of the calendar, we look back on many interesting happenings at the fraternity house, such as the disappearing TV set and the accidental furnace installation.

Toward the end of 1959 President James Jackson stepped down and handed the reigns to Harry Davis of Poland, Ohio. To James we say Thank You for your untiring efforts on behalf of the fraternity, and to Harry we say Best Wishes for a successful term as president.

We are very proud that Atlas made Christmas time more enjoyable for some fourteen boys and girls at the Children's Home in Des Moines. Fourteen study lamps were purchased and installed for every desk in the home and also favorite presents were given to each child. The privilege of seeing their happy faces and the receipt of personal letters made our holiday season one of the best ever.

## PROGRESS

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LEFT TO RIGHT: Wilford L. Nusser, Ph.D. (D.C.); Paul E. Terrell, D.O. (P.C.); Henry J. Ketman, D.O. (P.C.); Carl C. Waterbury, D.O. (P.C.); J. R. McNerney, D.O. (B.M.); Alixe Nuzum (administrator of Des Moines General Hospital); Walter E. Heinlen, D.O., president of the North Central Iowa Hospital Corporation; Myron S. Magen, D.O. (D.C.); President McLaughlin; Ralph A. Gaudio, D.O. (P.C.); Cecil C. Looney (College accountant); Richard A. Borman, D.O. (P.C.); Edward F. Leininger, D.O. (Des Moines General Hospital); William B. Strong, D.O. (D.C.); and Milton J. Dakovich, D.O. (P.C.).

Legend: (B.M.) Board Member; (D.C.) Member of the Development Committee; (P.C.) Member of the Polk County Osteopathic Society Executive Committee.

## Attend Association Meetings



Wilford L. Nusser, Ph. D. head of the Department of Physiology at the College, attended the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science in Chicago, Illinois, December 26-31, 1959.

It was estimated that there were 6,000 scientists representing 101 different local and/or national scientific organizations. They listened to presentations in 21 different fields of science ranging from mathematics to dentistry.

Dr. Nusser thought that one of the more interesting sessions was the "Symposium on Aging." A total of 17 papers was presented during the two days utilized for the symposium. Dr. Nusser stated that the list of world renown scientists presenting papers testified to the importance attached to this specific problem.

Other interesting presentations ranged from studies of marine life on the ocean floor to the psychological problems of human space travel.



Mr. E. Lynn Baldwin, chief of the Medical Photography Department, and Dr. Wilford Nusser, head of the Physiology Department of COMS, attended the winter meeting of the Upper Midwest Chapter of the Biological Photo-

tographic Association, January 9-10, held at Iowa State University in Ames, Iowa.

The scientific program consisted of five papers from faculty members of the departments of Engineering, Botany, Zoology and Entomology, and Biochemistry and Biophysics. The general theme of the program was the use of photography as a research tool. Among the techniques used by the researchers at the University and discussed at the meeting were high speed and time lapse cinematography, electron and light microscopy, as well as more conventional techniques.

## Speaks To Study Group

Dr. Bernard Kay, resident in pediatrics, was selected as the first speaker for the newly organized Moore Pre-School Study Group. This is one of several similar groups in the city of Des Moines, sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association's and composed of mothers with pre-school age children. Dr. Kay addressed the group and showed films regarding the growth and development of an infant. A question and answer period followed his presentation. Congratulations to Dr. Kay. It was reported that his presentation was well received.

Faculty and staff personnel of the College give of their time to appear before groups to discuss any phase of a health program.

## P. S. G.

Our newly elected president, John Waite, of Bridgeville, Pennsylvania, and Vice-President Keith Simpson of Marietta, Ohio, have announced that one of their major projects for the coming semester will be achieving better relations within the school and the community.

Before forgetting the old year of 1959, we would like to mention that we are proud of our brothers for purchasing and donating to one of the welfare homes, toys for the children. We also want to extend best wishes to brother Earl Scheidler on his marriage, December 26, and to say congratulations to James Hicks and his wife, Sue, on the birth of their daughter, Rebecca, born December 18th.

All of us are proud of the fact that our queen of last year's Pacemaker Ball, Belinda Blanchard Ferris, made her television debut on the Pat Boone Show on January 14th.

## Calendar of Events

- March 6-7-8—Post Graduate Course in Orthopedics
- March 9—Convocation 9:00 a.m.—Dr. Alan M. Potts, president of Michigan Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons
- March 21—Kansas College Visitation Committee
- April 4—Public Health Banquet
- April 8—Pacemaker Ball
- April 15-18 (inclusive)—Easter recess
- April 25—Alumni Banquet—Child Health Conference, Kansas City, Missouri
- May—Students Day (date to be announced)
- June 1—Wives Club Banquet
- June 2-3-4—Alumni Refresher Course
- June 2—Alumni Banquet Honoring Graduating Class of 1960
- June 3—Graduation
- June 4—Meeting of the Board of Trustees and the members of the Corporation of the College

## Curriculum Study

During the Convention of the American Association of Osteopathic Colleges in Colorado Springs, December 10-13, it was proposed that the Deans of the Osteopathic Colleges should meet periodically to consider the revision and modernization of the curriculum in the six osteopathic colleges. The pharmaceutical house of Smith, Kline and French in Philadelphia have contributed money to the Osteopathic Foundation toward the support and further development of Osteopathic education and research.

The board of directors of the Osteopathic Foundation approved the recommendation of the Osteopathic Foundation Committee on Scholarships and Fellowships in order that this grant be used to support such a project by the Deans of the colleges.

It is expected that this will not only strengthen the curriculum of our six osteopathic colleges, but will at the same time serve to more nearly unify all curriculum in the Osteopathic Profession.

## S. S. P.

New officers for the second half of the school year are:

President, Stephen Chankin. Philadelphia, Pa.; vice-president, Sander Kushner, Detroit, Michigan; sec.-treas., Thomas Kovan, Detroit, Michigan; secretary, Frank Roth, Detroit, Michigan; sgt. at arms, Richard Brown, Detroit, Michigan.

The fraternity wishes to announce the pledging of:

Harry Davis, Youngstown, Ohio; Arthur Griswold, Des Moines, Iowa; Donald Turner, Dayton, Ohio; John Ferris, Detroit, Michigan; Sidney Grobman, Philadelphia, Pa.; Earl Scheidler, Cincinnati, Ohio; James Leach, Valley View, Texas; Norman Sherbin, Detroit, Michigan.

Initiation of our new members will be held in February. We plan to hold at least one more fraternity function before June.

We are proud to announce the Christmas Seal Party sponsored by our fraternity and the Student Council, held in December at the PSG House netted over \$500.00 for the Osteopathic Foundation.

## February Convocation

At the all-school convocation February 10, Dr. John R. Pike of Albany, New York, spoke about the basic science and practice boards in New York, and the State's potential for practice.

The convocation was held in room 202 of college building because of the raging snowstorm which was responsible for the absence of many members of the student body and faculty. Dr. Pike, who was introduced by Dr. W. B. Strong, met that afternoon with several students to discuss further the need for osteopathic physicians in New York, and to answer any questions.

The student body appreciates the efforts exerted by these men who come to the College with information of vital interest.

## Recorder Appointed

Mrs. Frances N. Lynn, secretary to the registrar since September, 1957, has been appointed recorder. Her appointment will enable the registrar, Mr. Wendell R. Fuller, to devote more time to public relations, alumni, and development activities.

As recorder, in addition to being assistant to the registrar, Mrs. Lynn will be responsible for the keeping of academic, attendance, and student records, as well as the supervision of certain detail work.

Mrs. Lynn has a varied background in administrative work. While in California, she attended the Hollywood Secretarial School, was employed in the Story Department at the Paramount-Lasky Studio, and also worked at the University of California in Los Angeles as secretary to Assistant Professor Ruth Atkinson, Head of the Department of Women's Physical Education. Before coming to the College, she worked in an insurance office and also served as branch office manager of the Farmers Home Administration, USDA.

Mrs. Lynn is the wife of Mr. H. A. Lynn, principal of the Newton Community High School, Newton, Iowa. She has two married daughters, Mrs. Richard Breckenridge, Lawndale, California, and Mrs. W. W. Van Wyngarden, Newton, Iowa. Her son, James, is a senior at Cornell College, Mount Vernon, Iowa.

## Wives Club President

Roslyn Kule (Mrs. Sheldon) is the new president of the C.O.M.S. Student Wives Club. Mrs. Kule assumed the presidency in December of 1959, stepping up from the position of first vice president to take the place of Mrs. James Leach who was forced to retire because of a severe illness.



Mrs. Kule is from Syracuse, New York. She has been married since 1957 and has a 13 month old child, Leslie Howard. Before the birth of her son, Mrs. Kule worked in the psychiatric division of Broadlawn Hospital in Des Moines.

Some of the Wives Club plans for the remainder of the year are as follows: On March 1, they will entertain the Polk County Auxiliary with a fashion show at the new YMCA building. March 4 is the date of the annual rummage sale. In May they will entertain at the banquet of the Iowa State Osteopathic Convention and on June 1 will hold the senior banquet at the Des Moines Golf and Country Club.

## L. O. G.

On February 3, L.O.G. and Atlas fraternities jointly sponsored a work night which concerned the problems of setting up a practice. Representatives of Mead Johnson and Company presented the program after which refreshments were served. Congratulations to:

Sanford Berlin and Dave O'Mara on their recent election as vice president and treasurer, respectively, of the Freshman class.

Mandy Much, Freshman student council representative.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kovan on the birth of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Oster for their new baby girl.

Mrs. Sheldon Kule, new president of the Wives' Club.

## I. T. S.

Another successful worknight was held Wednesday, Feb. 17, 1960, the topic, "Unwed Mothers—the Physician's Role." Mr. Arthur Marck, of the Iowa Lutheran Welfare Society, and Dr. M. S. Magen were the speakers. We are planning a series of programs on vital subjects such as this and urge everyone to participate.

We extend hearty congratulations to: President Jim Leach, recipient of a \$300.00 scholarship.

Sophomore Eugene Rongaus, awarded a patent on his "artillery aiming stake lighting device."

Freshman Tony Bergren and Larry Baker, on the birth of their children.

Initiation will be held in February for the finest group of pledges we have had in a great while, and we wish to acclaim that—publicly.

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## Graduation Week Activities

Honoring graduates of the classes of 1900 - 1905 - 1910 - 1915 - 1920 - 1925 - 1930 - 1935 - 1940 - 1945 - 1950 - 1955 - 1960.

Student Wives Club Banquet, June 1

Refresher Course June 2 - 3 - 4

Banquet honoring alumni and the graduating class of 1960,  
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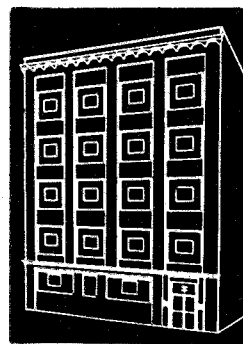
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## Orthopedics For The Family Physician

Fifty osteopathic physicians from Iowa, Minnesota, Colorado, South Dakota, Missouri, and Ohio attended a 3-day postgraduate course in "Orthopedics for the Family Physician" held March 6-7-8 at the college.

The course was sponsored by the American Osteopathic Academy of Orthopedics, the Midwest Section of the American Col-

lege of General Practitioners in Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, and the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.

Dr. Richard H. Borman, Regional Chairman, A.O.A.O., presided during the course and the following physicians served as instructors: Dr. Frederick J. Auwers, Dayton, Ohio; Dr. James C. Bolin, Kansas City, Mo.; Dr. Arthur Simon, Dr. T. Bruce Farmer and Dr. Henry J. Ketman, Des

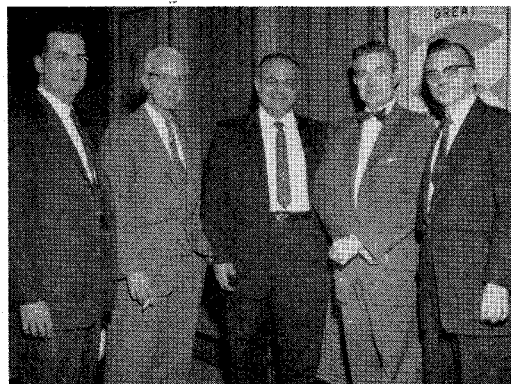
Moines; Dr. Chester H. Lyon, Los Angeles, Cal., and Dr. Jack M. Wright, Toledo, Ohio.

### LOCAL COMMITTEE

Richard H. Borman, D.O., Regional Chairman, A.O.A.O.

Jean F. LeRoque, D.O., Vice-President and Chairman, Midwest Section, A.C.G.P.

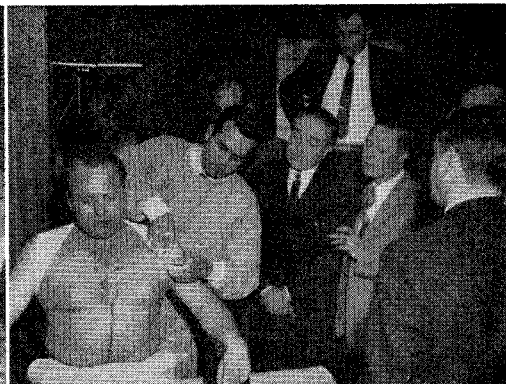
Harold C. Higley, D.O., Faculty Chairman in Postgraduate Education, C.O.M.S.  
(List of physicians attending on page 2)



Lecturers for the course, left to right: Drs. Auwers, Wright, Lyon, Borman, and Bolin.



Dr. Russell J. Brown, Westminster, Colorado, receives Certificate of Attendance from Dr. John B. Shumaker, dean, C.O.M.S.



Dr. Auwers demonstrates a casting procedure on Gene Messenger, employee of Still Osteopathic Hospital.

## President Represents U. S. In Paris

Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, president of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, flew to Paris, France early this month to represent the United States in the fifty-third general conference of the Federation Aeronautique Internationale held March 2-4 at the Aero Club of France in Paris.

This is the fifth time Dr. McLaughlin, an officer in the air force eight years, has been the U. S. representative to the meeting of the international commission on aeronautical education.

Reports on the Aviation Education developments in the respective countries were given by representatives from a number of the member nations. The eighteen nations reporting were as follows: Belgium, British Empire, Canada, Denmark, France, Greece, Hungary, Israel, Italy, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Yugoslavia, and the United States.

All new publications which are suitable

for use in the classroom will be reported each six months by the member nations to the F.A.I., and a bibliography will be compiled and distributed in the proper languages to all members of the F.A.I.

Provisions were also made for the exchange of scholars and teachers of Aviation between the member nations.

Annual election of officers was held, with Gilbert Salomon of France elected President, and Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin of the United States, Vice President.

## A Valuable Record for State Organizations

Our college librarian has been binding the publications of the various state organizations and placing them upon our library shelves. This makes a permanent record of the activities of the state and is used by students and doctors alike, when they wish information as to what the state is doing or whether any inducements are being offered to new doctors to locate in the state. Here they find a reliable answer to their questions.

A complete file of the journals is neces-

## Chamber Official Addresses Students

Mr. Frank DePuydt, immediate past-president of the Greater Des Moines Chamber of Commerce, was the speaker at a recent student convocation.

After his introduction by Dean Shumaker, Mr. DePuydt spoke on the Chamber of Commerce—how it functions, the part physicians should play, and some of its recent accomplishments in Des Moines, which include approval of the new thoroughway across the city, the urban renewal program, and solution of the bus strike.

Mr. DePuydt further emphasized the importance of each student becoming active in a chamber as soon as possible after beginning his practice.

sary before binding the material and so the librarian is asking that our library receive each issue as it is published. We know that you will want to cooperate in this enterprise.



## Chief of Nursing Services Appointed

Mrs. Shirley Eulberg assumed her duties as Chief of the Nursing Service at Still Osteopathic Hospital on February 1.

A native of Iowa, she was born in Stratford and remained there until she entered St. Luke's School of Nursing in Chicago. Following her graduation in 1937, she remained at St. Luke's for one year as a surgical nurse. In 1938 she went to Ada, Oklahoma, for six months as operating room supervisor, and then returned to St. Luke's as night surgical and O.B. supervisor until 1941 when she was appointed day supervisor.



In February 1942 she was appointed a 2nd Lieutenant in the United States Army and trained with the Northwestern University Unit for Army Nursing Service. She spent three years abroad serving in North Africa and Italy and attained the rank of captain.

After leaving the army in 1946 Mrs. Eulberg lived in California until she returned to Des Moines in 1947. Since that time she has been employed at Iowa Methodist Hospital as supervisor and instructor of non-professional personnel.

Mrs. Eulberg says that in the 2 months she has been here she feels she has been "welcomed with open arms". Her desire is the attainment of a good nursing service and the only immediate problem is the ever existant need for professional nurses—a problem, she says, which is by no means unique to this hospital, but is universal.

Mrs. Eulberg has a twelve-year-old daughter and they live at 4925 Franklin, Des Moines.

## Attends Inauguration

Fletcher C. Sharp, D.O., '17, of High Point, North Carolina represented the College at the inauguration of Dr. Wendell M. Patton as President of High Point College, High Point, North Carolina, February 6, 1960.

## Calendar of Events

- April 4—Public Health Banquet
- April 8—Pacemaker Ball
- April 15-18 (inclusive)—Easter recess
- April 25—Alumni Banquet—Child Health Conference, Kansas City, Missouri
- May 11—Students Day
- June 1—Wives Club Banquet
- June 2-3-4—Alumni Refresher Course
- June 2—Alumni Banquet Honoring Graduating Class of 1960
- June 3—Graduation
- June 4—Meeting of the Board of Trustees and the members of the Corporation of the College

## Attend Postgraduate Course

Osteopathic physicians in attendance for the postgraduate course "Orthopedics for the Family Physician" were:

Russell J. Brown, Westminster, Colorado;

From Iowa—Joseph B. Baker, Greenfield; L. D. Barry, Williams; Harlan H. Bobenhouse, Earlham; Conrad E. Burns, Adair; C. J. Cooper, Davenport; Oliver Doll, Knoxville; John C. Edgerton, Manning; Gordon L. Elliott, West Des Moines; H. C. Furness, Blue Grass; Ralph A. Gaudio, Des Moines; David H. Grau, Muscatine; Joseph A. Herman, Des Moines; Elwin S. Honsinger, Ames; W. J. Huls, Davenport; G. Keigh Howland, Lenox; Robert F. Herrick, Clinton; George C. Keays, Ankeny; Jean F. LeRoque, Des Moines; Paul O'Shana, Carlisle; J. W. Peterson, Waterloo; G. P. Peterson, Des Moines; H. M. Perryman, Pleasantville; R. A. Regier, Pocahontas; C. R. Reynolds, Fairfield; Sara E. Sutton, Renwick; F. D. Sutter, Ames; and C. E. Worster, Des Moines.

Raymond D. Forsyth, Detroit, Michigan; Lionel A. Gaten, Southgate, Michigan; Dale Dodson, Northfield, Minnesota; M. W. Myers, Hudson, South Dakota; O. C. Jungman, Scotland, South Dakota; M. L. Sanfelippo, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Residents attending from Des Moines were:

John B. Farnham, Lee F. Ghormley, Sanford S. Herr.

## The National Defense Education Act

Nearly one and one-half years ago, Congress passed the N.D.E.A., thus making it possible for thousands of students to attend school on money borrowed at a very low rate of interest. By this Act, students have been enabled to borrow money from a college student loan fund which is composed of funds contributed by the government and the college in the ratio of 9 to 1.

Prior to this Act, the College had no student loan fund. Immediately upon establishment of our eligibility, a determined effort was made to create a fund which could be combined with government funds for student loan purposes under the provisions of the Act.

In the short space of one year, by personal contact and restricted publicity, a total of \$3,634 has been raised by contribution. More than 71 doctors have participated. The fund has benefited from memorial contributions, individual students, faculty members, businessmen, auxiliary and other individuals totaling one hundred have created this reserve fund.

The College has received from the government the sum of \$12,932. To this has been added money from the college reserve fund to comprise a total of \$16,895, which has been loaned to worthy and needy students.

The reserve fund has been reduced to \$2,124. It is held in escrow, awaiting the receipt of additional government funds in the near future.

It is estimated that the reserve fund will be exhausted within two more years, whereupon further contributions will be

## Dr. Hohn '55 Joins Staff

Dr. Gerald Hohn has been appointed assistant clinical supervisor of Still Osteopathic Clinic, a position in which he will function until June, 1960, when he will enter a one year residency in pediatrics.

Dr. Hohn, a native of Detroit, Michigan, graduated from Wayne University with a B.S. degree in 1951. While attending D.M.S.C.O.S. he was affiliated with Phi Sigma Gamma fraternity. After internship at Grand Rapids, Michigan, Dr. Hohn practiced for two and a half years in Davenport, Iowa. He then entered a residency training program in pediatrics in Dallas, Texas, and is completing this training at C.O.M.S.



Pictured are Dr. Hohn with his wife, Mary Catherine, Randal, 4; Michael, 3; Tamara, 2; and Stephen, 6 months.

## L. O. G.

"Let There Be Spring" was the appropriate title given to the L.O.G. freshmen party, which was open to the entire school. The music of Jack Oates provided a very enjoyable evening for all who attended.

The annual pledge induction dinner is planned for April 23. This promises to be the biggest one of them all.

Congratulations to Carl Boris on his recent marriage; Sally Katz, wife of freshman Norman Katz, on being chosen L.O.G. candidate for the "Pacemaker Queen".

the generosity of the many contributors. It has been clearly demonstrated that people are interested in the cause of education and are willing and happy to do something about it, even if they may be limited in their way.



## Valentine Ball Raises \$1,000

One thousand dollars was raised in the annual Valentine Ball, sponsored by the Auxiliary to the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons and held February 13 at the Hotel Savery in Des Moines.

Proceeds will go to the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.

Mrs. Stuart Harkness was general chairman of the event. Assisting her were Mesdames Joseph McNeerney, president of the auxiliary, Robert Kreamer and Cecil Looney.

Mrs. Myron Magen was ticket chairman.

## Dr. Magen Addresses Rotarians

Dr. Myron S. Magen, chairman of the department of pediatrics, C.O.M.S., spoke before the Des Moines Rotary Club at a luncheon at Hotel Fort Des Moines, March 17.

The timely topic of "Federal Aid for Medical Schools" was supplemented with slide charts and graphs by Dr. Magen in pointing up the need to have 10,000 graduates from medical schools by 1975 in order to adequately care for the expanding population.

Medical graduates now total about 7,000 annually from the 84 colleges of medicine and the six colleges of osteopathic medicine.

## 11½-Ounce Baby Dies Smallest Infant Lived 28 Hours

An 11½-ounce baby boy died here early Monday about 28 hours after his birth at Still Osteopathic Hospital.

The infant was believed to be the smallest ever to survive birth.

The child was born to Mr. and Mrs. Morris Vermeulen of 6003 Winona Ave. at 11:22 p.m. Saturday. It died at 3:16 a.m. Monday.

Mrs. Vermeulen, mother of three other children, was reported doing well.

The American Medical Association lists a 12-ounce girl that died in Chicago 54 hours after its birth last year, and Jacqueline Benson, 22, of Palatine, Ill., who weighed 12 ounces at birth, as the previous smallest babies.

The resident pediatrician at the hospital said the child started breathing about two minutes after birth and was well-formed despite the fact he was three months premature.

Dr. Madelene M. Donnelly of the Iowa Division of Maternal and Child Health, said statistics show any infant under two pounds, four ounces has about one chance in 10 of living.

Dr. Bernard Kay, '57, was the pediatric resident.

(Reprinted from the Des Moines Tribune, Des Moines, Iowa, February 8, 1960.)

## Valentine Ball Committee



Left to right, standing: Mrs. Robert Kreamer, Mrs. Ralph Gaudio, Mrs. Myron Magen, Mrs. J. R. McNeerney, Mrs. W. H. Glantz, Mrs. Stuart F. Harkness. Seated, left to right: Mrs. Richard Borman, Mrs. Cecil Looney, Mrs. Lloyd Ficke.

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## Refresher Course Program

Recent Advances in Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery

JUNE 2 - 3

Thursday, June 2

9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Advances in Pharmacotherapy

Friday, June 3

9:00 a.m. - 12 noon Recent Advances in the Management of Medical Disorders  
1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Recent Advances in Surgery. A Panel Discussion

Some of the topics to be discussed during the two day session are: The Use of Adrenal Hormones in Pediatrics; Changing Concepts in Pre-anesthetic Medication; Midline vs. Mediobilateral Episiotomy; Diagnostic Techniques Utilizing Radiation; What's New in Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat; Measurable Factors in Manipulation and Physical Medicine; Prophylactic and Therapeutic Use of Antibiotics in the Neonatal Period; Discography in the Diagnosis of Low Back Disorders; and Therapeutics in Surgery.

## P. S. A.

Psi Sigma Alpha has elected new officers for the last half of this school year. They are: President, Sander A. Kushner, Detroit, Michigan; Vice-president, Harvey Micklin, Brooklyn, New York; Treasurer, Frank Roth, Detroit, Michigan; Secretary, Fred Seligman, Toledo, Ohio; Parliamentarian, Gerald Thurer, Brooklyn, New York.

Monthly dinners are held with guest lectures presenting topics of vital interest to the senior students. In January, Dr. John P. Schwartz, Jr. addressed the group on "How to Open an Office Practice". February's meeting was highlighted by Dr.

## Dr. Boatman Heads Basic Sciences

Dr. Lawrence C. Boatman, '33, of Santa Fe, New Mexico was recently re-elected president of the American Association of Basic Science Boards. He is the first practicing physician to be elected to this office, and is also serving as vice-president of the New Mexico Basic Science Board.

Merlyn McLaughlin speaking on "Progress at C.O.M.S."

This month, Dr. Carl Waterbury will be the speaker at our initiation dinner to be held at the famous Breese House in Ankeny.

## I. T. S.

On March 18th an old friend and mentor, M. D. Cramer, D.O., conducted a worknight on "The Management of Athletic Injuries." The worknight was open, and followed by a party for members and their ladies. Weather being agreeable a good attendance heard an old master discuss his field.

Now is the time to consider just what you would most like to see improved on campus. I.T.S. will select its spring work project by vote right after pledge induction: start now to choose the best thing we can do.

Our college has a proud new name: The College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery. Let's keep it before the public, by word and deed.

We are pleased to announce that our candidate for Queen of the Pacemaker Ball is lovely Helga Jurczenko, wife of freshman, Victor Jurczenko.

## P. S. G.

We wish to extend an invitation to the alumni of P.S.G. to visit the fraternity house when they are in Des Moines, especially during the special homecoming program to be held in June.

Dr. Stuart Harkness gave a spirited off-the-shoulder discussion on points of interest in practice to students attending a worknight last month. In March, Dr. Harry Elmetts will discuss "Allergic Emergencies," complete with anecdotes, as is his custom. For April, we have scheduled Dr. William Strong, and his subject is to be announced.

Congratulations to: elected freshman class president, Mike Roth; new P.S.A. members, Dale Gierthy, Stan Lubeck, Ollie Popa, and Don Turner; new S.S.P. members, John Ferris, Earl Sheidler, and Don Turner; also to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Mullens, on the birth of their son.

The date of our pledge party is April 30; it promises to be a good one!

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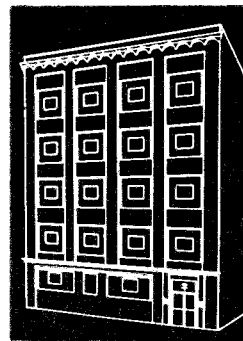
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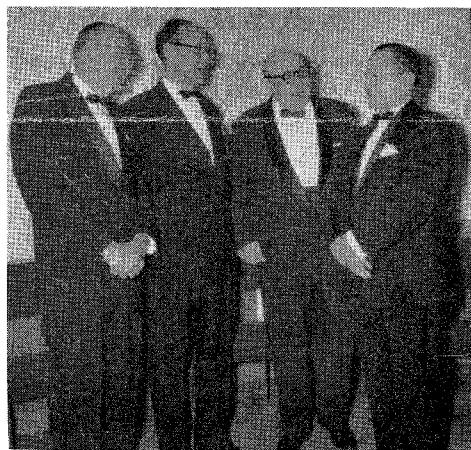
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## PUBLIC HEALTH BANQUET HELD

### Banquet Guests



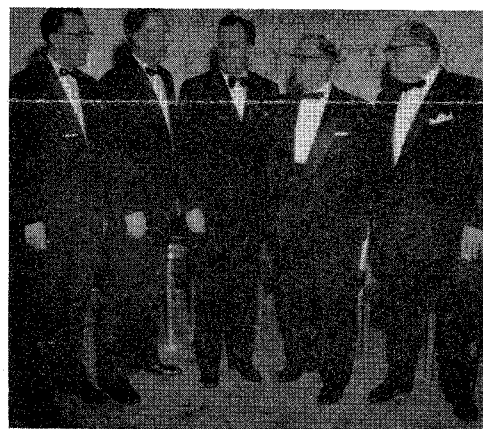
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Dr. Galen S. Young, President, American Osteopathic Association.

Dr. Morris Thompson, President, Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery.

Dr. Edmund G. Zimmerer, Commissioner of Health, State of Iowa.

The Honorable Herschel C. Loveless, Governor, State of Iowa.



Left to Right—

Rheinhold Carlson, mayor of the City of Des Moines.

Daniel E. Hannan, Chairman, Board of Trustees, C.O.M.S.

Dwight Adams, Executive Director, United Community Services.

Edwin F. Kingery, Executive Secretary, Polk County Medical Society.

Dr. True B. Eveleth, Executive Secretary, American Osteopathic Association.

The profession's first public health banquet was held at the Hotel Savery, April 4, 1960. The banquet, sponsored by the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery and the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, featured an address by Dr. Morris Thompson, president of the Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery.

On this page appears a newspaper account of Dr. Thompson's message, with pictures of some of the guests attending this historic event and the committee members responsible for its success.

### Cites Need of Medical Men

By 1975 the nation must be graduating 3,600 more osteopathic and medical physicians a year to hold the present ratio of physicians to population, an osteopathic college president said Monday night.



Dr. Morris Thompson, president of Kirksville (Mo.) College of Osteopathy and Surgery, addressed a public health banquet at Hotel Savery.

The banquet was sponsored by the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, Des Moines, and the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons.

Dr. Thompson was a member of the surgeon general's consultant group on medical education.

He said that group recommended 50 per cent federal grants for enlarging and improving plants of osteopathic and medical schools and establishing new ones.

But both the initiative and the first 50 per cent must properly come from communities and states, he said.

"A further great challenge to the nation lies in the fact that even our present capacity for teaching medical manpower is not being fully utilized," Dr. Thompson said.

"Young men and women of the proper age group are now applying to osteopathic and medical schools at the lowest rate in the past decade.

"Illness and accident are taking a toll of this nation's human resources which it cannot afford, and unless comprehensive measures are taken to increase our supply of health manpower this toll will grow rather than diminish."

Among those at the banquet were Dr. Galen Young, president, and Dr. True B. Eveleth, executive secretary, both of the American Osteopathic Association.

(Reprinted from Des Moines "Register and Tribune", Tuesday, April 5, 1960.)

### Banquet Committees



Left to Right—

Dr. Ralph A. Gaudio, President of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons.

Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, President of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.

Dr. Jean F. LeRoque, President-Elect of The Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons.

Dr. Richard H. Borman, Chairman, Health, Education and Welfare Committee of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons.



Back Row, Left to Right:

Dr. William B. Strong, Dr. Frew W. Tente, Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, Wendell R. Fuller, Dr. John C. Agnew.

Front Row Left to Right:

Dr. Vern J. Wilson, Dr. Harry A. Barquist, Dr. Richard H. Borman, Dr. Mary E. Golden, Dr. Harry B. Elmets.

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June 1-2

Thursday, June 2

ADVANCES IN PHARMACOTHERAPY.

Registration at the College beginning at 8:15 a.m.

- 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Pharmacodynamics of Present Day Drugs  
Byrl E. Benton, Ph.D., Professor, Pharmacy  
Dean, College of Pharmacy  
Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa
- 10:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. Coffee Break
- 10:15 a.m. - 11:06 a.m. Collagen Diseases  
William B. Strong, D.O., FACOI (certified)  
Professor, Osteopathic Medicine
- 11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. The Use of Adrenal Hormones in Pediatrics  
Myron S. Magen, D.O. (certified)  
Associate Professor, Pediatrics

## LUNCH

- 1:00 p.m. - 1:45 p.m. Prophylactic and Therapeutic Use of Antibiotics in the Neonatal Period  
Carl C. Waterbury, D.O., (certified, Sg.), Des Moines, Iowa
- 1:45 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Therapeutics in Use Today  
Bryce E. Wilson, D.O., Lecturer, Urology
- 2:30 p.m. - 2:45 p.m. Coffee Break
- 2:45 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Psychotropic Drugs—Harold E. Higley, D.O. (certified)  
Associate Professor, Psychiatry
- 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Reception honoring Merlyn McLaughlin, Ph.D., president of the College, in the Des Moines Room of Hotel Savery. Reception arranged by the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons.
- 7:30 p.m. Banquet  
Terrace Room, Hotel Savery.

Friday, June 3

ADVANCES IN MEDICAL AND SURGICAL TECHNIQUE.

- 9:00 a.m. - 9:50 a.m. Oral Hypoglycemic Drugs  
Stuart F. Harkness, D.O., FACOI (certified)  
Lecturer, Osteopathic Medicine
- 9:50 a.m. - 10:40 a.m. Measurable Factors in Manipulation and Physical Medicine  
Byron E. Laycock, D.O., (certified)  
Professor, Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation
- 10:40 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Coffee Break
- 11:00 a.m. - 11:50 a.m. Diagnostic Techniques Utilizing Radiation  
Henry J. Ketman, D.O. (certified)  
Associate Professor, Diagnostic Radiology

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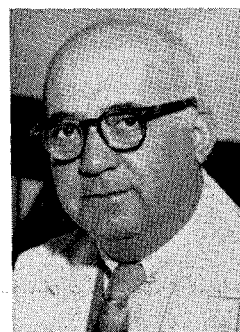
## Student Coaches Champs

Paul Glassman, junior student from Detroit, Michigan, recently led the Salvation Army "Biddy Basketball" team representing Des Moines to the Iowa State Championship. Des Moines defeated Waterloo



30-19 earning the right to represent Iowa in the international "Biddy Basketball" finals to be held in Bridgeport, Conn., in April. At the International finals the boys will be playing against teams from all over the world. Their first opponent will be Puerto Rico, whose team has finished third the last three years. "Biddy Basketball" is a special program sponsored by the Salvation Army allowing only players who are less than 13 years of age and under 5' 6" in height. A special court, rules, basketballs and baskets are also used. We congratulate Mr. Glassman for his team's fine record and wish them continued success.

## Dr. Miroyiannis Honored



Dr. Stanley Miroyiannis, Chairman of the Department of Anatomy, C.O.M.S., was recently informed of his election to membership in the Society of Systemic Zoology. The announcement dated Dr. Miroyiannis' election March 31, 1960, and admitted

him as the 1,331 member in the world to this exclusive organization.

## Objectives of Council On Development

The following objectives are those set forth by the Council on Development of the A.O.A. for the decade of 1960-1970:

Increased support for osteopathic colleges.

Development of public understanding of the profession.

Recruitment of qualified students.

Increase the size, number and quality of osteopathic hospitals.

Obtain funds for clinical facilities, faculties, and research.

Obtain funds for another college.

(Dr. William B. Strong, Medical Director of Still Clinic, is the chairman of this committee.)

## A New Advance With A New Book

The increasing acceptance of osteopathic philosophies in every quarter, especially since the close of World War II, has been both gratifying and noteworthy, clearly reflecting well-merited and growing recognition by the public at large of the basic concepts of the profession as both valid and effective in every aspect of therapy.

In particular, the great American press has largely come to a rapidly developing appreciation of the true nature and efficacy of osteopathy, obviously a matter of prime importance to all. Certainly, a good case in point is an announcement just released by Crown Publishers, Inc., of New York, which is currently offering a full-sized, hard-cover volume written with an osteopathic-medical background, by an osteopathic physician as co-author, and directed expressly to the general reader. As such, the venture unquestionably represents a milestone in the publishing industry—a genuine contribution to public welfare as well as to the rising tide of public understanding of osteopathy.

It bears a provocative apt title: **YOUR ACHING BACK And What To Do About It.** YOUR ACHING BACK was written by David Shuman, D.O., an outstanding Pennsylvania practitioner, and George R. Staab, a veteran Philadelphia newspaperman and holder of a 1959 Journalism Award of the American Osteopathic Association for reporting of osteopathic medicine.

Done in a relaxed yet serious vein, sincere yet informal and even occasionally humorous where humor is warranted, this book presents one of the most searching and comprehensive discussions of the low back problem available in popular print. It is based on Dr. Shuman's 25 years of research and practice in the low back field, well supported by an extensive and authoritative bibliography.

An appendix, "For Doctors Only," can conceivably be read with profit by any physician regardless of the inescapable and not entirely undesirable controversial aspects of some of the technological views expressed. Besides containing a helpful index, the book is generously illustrated, including a number of clear, practical renditions of some highly interesting, new and effective techniques.

YOUR ACHING BACK is plainly a readable book with an appeal far beyond mere topical interest. It should go a long way towards providing the public not only with a much better understanding of this vital aspect of good health, but also a far greater grasp of the role of the osteopathic physician in American medicine.

## 1958-9 Osteon Wins Award

A First Place Certificate was won by the 1958-9 Osteon, yearbook of the Chicago College of Osteopathy student body, in a competition among college annuals held at Columbia University in New York City by the Scholastic Press Association.

## Pacemaker Ball

The annual Pacemaker Ball, sponsored by Sigma Sigma Phi, honorary service fraternity, was held at the Val Air Ballroom Friday, April 8, 1960. The proceeds of this year's gala student event will be used in the establishment of a "Student Scholarship-Loan Fund."

Pacemaker Queen for 1960 is Vicki Ring, wife of senior student Harvey Ring, and representative of P.S.G. fraternity. Other candidates for queen were:

Helga Jurczenko, I.T.S.

Sally Katz, L.O.G.

Lynette Chinowth, Atlas.

Raffle tickets were sold and a score of door prizes distributed by President McLaughlin who drew the winner's numbers.

According to some of the more experienced, this was the finest Pacemaker Ball ever to be held since its initiation several years ago, and much of the credit goes to junior student Earl Scheidler, S.S.P.'s Pacemaker Ball chairman.



Bill Riley introducing the Pacemaker Queen candidates who are, left to right: Lynette Chinowth, Atlas; Helga Jurczenko, I.T.S.; Sally Katz, L.O.G.; and Vicki Ring, P.S.G.

## Student Council

Within the past two months, the student council has been in contact with the other osteopathic colleges and personnel of the A.O.A. regarding the possible formation of a "Student A.O.A." or some similar organization for the purpose of unifying the students of our profession and the correlation of our activity toward common goals. We would appreciate comments from the readers of the LOG BOOK concerning such an organization.

A suggestion box has been installed and written application will be reviewed by the student council and faculty members. Those suggestions considered worthy will be acted on insofar as is possible. Received thus far, and currently being studied, are suggestions for a student lounge, alteration in the student health program, and the posting of quiet zone signs in the area of Still Hospital, across the street from the college.

Intramural activity continues in the form of weekly bowling and a softball program is being set up and will start as soon as weather permits.



Mr. Bill Riley, prominent Des Moines television personality, has just awarded the crown to new Pacemaker Queen Vicki Ring.



President McLaughlin draws names in raffle. Pictured at right is Earl Scheidler, Pacemaker Ball chairman.

## Academic Achievement

Preceding the convocation highlighting Dr. Phil Russell of Texas, held early this month, Psi Sigma Alpha honorary fraternity awarded certificates of scholarship to the member of each class, sophomore, junior and senior, who maintained the highest scholastic record throughout the preceding year. Receiving the awards, presented by PSA president Sander Kushner, were:

Sophomore—James Grekin, Detroit, Michigan.

Junior—Sidney Weinstein, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Senior—Samuel Kligerman, Elkins Park, Pennsylvania.

The social fraternity who achieved the highest collective grade point during the preceding academic year was Lambda Omicron Gamma. Norman Sherbin, president of L.O.G. received the award.

Stephen Chankin, senior student and president of Sigma Sigma Phi Honorary Service Fraternity, explained the functions of S.S.P. and the requirements for membership. Chankin announced that a "Student Scholarship-Loan Fund" has been established by S.S.P. and will be available to C.O.M.S. students for the forthcoming fall term.

The president of the senior class, Richard Brown, participated in the assembly by presenting three new lecterns to Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, college president, on behalf of the class of 1960.



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**FRIDAY AFTERNOON  
PANEL**

*Moderator*

W. Clemens Andreen, D.O.  
Wyandotte, Michigan

Changing Concepts in Pre-anesthetic Medication

Joseph E. Prior, D. O., Assistant Professor, Anesthesiology

Cardiac Resuscitation

Ronald K. Woods, D.O., Lecturer, General Surgery

Parallel Forceps

Elizabeth A. Burrows, D.O., Associate Professor, Obstetrics and Gynecology

What's New in Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

Raymond B. Juni, D.O. (certified)

Associate Professor, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

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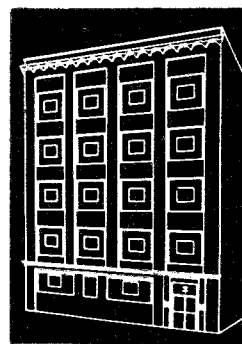
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## SIXTY-FIRST GRADUATION JUNE 3

### Herbert E. Evans Commencement Speaker

Herbert E. Evans, Columbus, Ohio, will deliver the sixty-first annual graduation address at North High School, Des Moines, Friday, June 3rd at 8 P.M.



Mr. Evans, until August 1, 1952, was Vice President - Personnel of the Farm Bureau Insurance Companies (now Nationwide Insurance Companies) and affiliated organizations, and was first connected with these Companies in October of 1942. On May 1, 1951, Mr. Evans became 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; WTTM in Trenton, New Jersey; WMMN in Fairmont, West Virginia; WGAR in Cleveland, Ohio; WNAX in Yankton, South Dakota; and Television Station KVTU in Sioux City, Iowa.

On April 3, 1959, Mr. Evans was elected President of the Peoples Broadcasting Corporation.

For five years previous to Mr. Evans' affiliation with the Farm Bureau Insurance Companies, he was Vice President of the Consumer Distribution Corporation of New York, which was organized by the late Edward A. Filene, merchant and philanthropist of Boston. Mr. Evans was Vice

### 1960 Senior Class

Beckman, Donald G.....Dayton, Iowa  
Berkowitz, Marvin, Selle Harbor, New York  
Brown, Richard M.....Detroit, Michigan  
Cesnac, Winston, B. P., Soufriere, St. Lucia  
Chankin, Stephen....Philadelphia, Penna.  
Cotney, Richard F.....Tulsa, Oklahoma  
Crosby, Allan R. . .Minneapolis, Minnesota  
Faymore, Leonard..Wilkes Barre, Penna.  
Fields, Milton, .....Detroit, Michigan  
Ginkel, Ludwig F...San Diego, California  
Goble, Victor A .....Ravenna, Ohio  
Goldman, Lawrence.....Detroit, Michigan  
Gordon, Victor C .....Detroit, Michigan  
Grace, John M. ....Brokfield, New York  
Henn, Thomas W. ....Des Moines, Iowa  
Hicks, James A....Signal Mountain, Tenn.  
Jackson, James.....Detroit, Michigan  
Kafton, Sheldon N .....Detroit, Michigan  
Klingerman, Samuel..Elkins Park, Penna.  
Knable, John W. ....Youngstown, Ohio  
Kovan, Thomas.....Detroit, Michigan  
Kushner, Sander A....Detroit, Michigan  
LaCasse, Joseph D....Detroit, Michigan  
Lackey, Myron V.....Detroit, Michigan

President in charge of Personnel and Public Relations. Prior to that time, he 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 and National Council of the YMCA; a member of the National Council of the USO; and Vice President and Director of the Cleveland Browns Professional Football Team. Mr. Evans is also a member of the board of the Radio Advertising Bureau, and is on the board of the All-Industry Radio Music License Committee. He is vice president of the Peoples Travel Service of Columbus, Ohio, and is Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the National Osteopathic Foundation.

Lavendusky, William L...Henryetta, Okla.  
Lee, Timmie, C. T.....Honolulu, Hawaii  
Levy, Ralph.....Brooklyn, New York  
Livonia, Robert.....Detroit, Michigan  
Lossos, Samuel.....Brooklyn, New York  
Martinho, Antone.....Wilmington, Dela.  
Micklin, Harvey G...Brooklyn, New York  
Mullens, Lester G.....Youngstown, Ohio  
Raedy, John H...Richmond Hill, New York  
Ring, Harvey V.....Flint, Michigan  
Roberts, Carl S.....Starke, Florida  
Roth, Frank.....Detroit, Michigan  
Schulman, Delores.....Detroit, Michigan  
Seligman, Fred M.....Toledo, Ohio  
Siegel, Howard F.....Bronx, New York  
Slocum, Robert E. ....Des Moines, Iowa  
Sprague, Darwin C.....Lake Lucerne, Chagrin Falls, Ohio  
Strickman, Ronald...Brooklyn, New York  
Truan, Philip B.....Knoxville, Tennessee  
Vermillion, Richard E.....Newton, Iowa  
Waite, John G.....Bridgeville, Penna.  
Weiner, Theodore.....Detroit, Michigan  
Wick, Henry O....Janesville, Wisconsin  
Yarolin, Edward J....New Milford, Ohio

Mr. Evans speaks and lectures at colleges, universities and business organizations. In June of 1957, he was presented with the honorary degree of Doctor of Literature from Kirksville College, Kirksville, Missouri. In June of 1958, he was awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Business Administration from Yankton College, Yankton, South Dakota. He is also a member of the Board of Trustees of Yankton College. On June 1, 1959, Mr. Evans was awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Humanities from Morningside College, Sioux City, Iowa.

Mr. Evans 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 and 1958. He has also been named United States Radio and Television Industry representative to the Inter-American Association of Broadcasters and is a member of its Directive Board.

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7:30 p.m. Banquet, Terrace Room, Hotel Savery.

June 3 - 9:00 a.m. Advances in Medical and Surgical Technique.

1:00 p.m. Panel - Moderator, W. Clemens Andreen, D.O., Wyandotte, Michigan.

8:00 p.m. Graduation — North High School.

June 4, 1960

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10:30 a.m. Meeting with the officers of the National Alumni Association.

## Alumni Groups Elects Officers

### California

President — Harry F. Talbot, D.O., '50, San Diego.

Secretary-Treasurer — Richard L. Pascoe, D.O., '48, San Diego.

### Minnesota

President — Dale Dodson, D.O., '51, Northfield.

Secretary-Treasurer — William J. Donkers, D.O., '51, Faribault.

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President — Lawrence C. Boatman, D.O., '33, Santa Fe.

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### Ohio

President — Francis C. Ayers, D.O., '45, Amanda.

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Vice-President — William P. Williams, D.O., '58, Milan.

Secretary-Treasurer — Thomas A. Thesing, D.O., '58, Centerville.

### Texas

President — Dwight H. Heaberlin, D.O., '55, Dallas.

Secretary-Treasurer — G. LeRoy Howe, Jr., D.O., '58, Dallas.

## Student Council Holds Skip Day

Wednesday, May 11, (a perfect day) was the date and Birdland Park, Des Moines, the place of the 1960 skip day. Activities included golf, tennis, softball and chowing.

Freshman Chet Christianson was golf medalist at the Grandview course with an impressive 76 for the long 18 holes, barely edging stalwart Fred Carpenter, junior, who was one stroke higher with his 77. I.T.S. retired the Inter-fraternity golf trophy by scoring low gross for the third straight year. Incidentally, a course record was broken and a trophy won by Sherry Thiringer, freshman, who turned in a 64 for 18! Not bad for your third time out, even with a handicap of 88—and Sherry improved by 31 strokes on the back NINE!

Rich Perry, to keep the freshmen topside in tennis, upset junior Earl Scheidler who was favored, and the sophomores, class of '62, gained revenge in softball by trouncing the juniors, class of '61 and last year's champs, 22 - 9.

The strenuous activities were followed by a picnic dinner for all athletes, their families and friends, served graciously by members of the college faculty. The student council thanks all those representatives who were a part of this successful day, especially junior student John Ferris, skip day committee chairman.

## I. T. S.

Beta Chapter is proud to announce our new officers, elected at the first May meeting.

President.....John W. Nelson '62  
Des Moines, Iowa

Vice-President.....Eugene E. Rongaus '62  
Donora, Pa.

Secretary.....Carl W. Otte '62  
Clarinda, Iowa

Treasurer.....Oscar E. Gutierrez '63  
San Antonio, Texas

Corresponding Sec'y. Elwyn D. Crawford '62  
Reading, Mich.

Historian.....Richard W. Clarke '62  
Pasco, Wash.

Editor.....Richard H. Reel '63  
Des Moines, Iowa

Our hearty congratulations to these men and sincere thanks to outgoing President James Leach and his slate of officers who conscientiously have lead us the past year.

The annual senior banquet, honoring the I.T.S. June grads, will be held at the Casa Loma Lounge, Sunday, May 22, beginning at 7:00 P.M. Social chairman Robert Lowry has worked commendably during his office and from all indications this banquet, the last function he will arrange, promises to be by far our nicest. Seniors to be honored are:

Donald G. Beckman, Dayton, Iowa; Allan R. Crosby, Minneapolis, Minn.; Ludwig F. Ginkle, San Diego, Calif.; Victor A. Goble, Ravenna, Ohio; Thomas W. Henn, Des Moines, Iowa; Robert E. Slocum, Des Moines, Iowa; Darwin C. Sprague, Lake Lucerne, Chagrin Falls, Ohio; Richard E. Vermillion, Newton, Iowa; Theodore Weiner, Detroit, Mich.; Henry O. Wick, Janesville, Wisconsin.

## FASEB Meets

The annual meeting of the Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology, held in Chicago last month was attended by Dean Shumaker and Dr. Wilford Nusser of C.O.M.S. This is the largest annual gathering of research men in the country, with some 12,000 scientists and scores of other non-professional persons present.

## Faculty Serves at Picnic



Left to Right, front row: Drs. Nusser, Fitz, Poundstone, Hohn, Juni.

Back row: Students, Stenzel, Bez, and Dr. Hsie.

## Flint Men Visit College



Pictured with a group of upperclassmen are Drs. E. George Sexton and Ralph Johnson, from the Flint Osteopathic Hospital who visited the college early in May.

## Attend Meetings

Recently attending the Linn County Osteopathic Society Meeting was Dr. Byron Laycock, C.O.M.S., principle speaker of the evening. Dr. Laycock conducted the seminar-type meeting, attended by all the osteopathic physicians in the area, on "Cervicodorsal and Brachial Trajectory."

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Dean Shumaker, Dr. Prior, and Dr. Laycock were present March 26-27 at the A.O.A. office in Chicago for a meeting of the "Committee on Ways of Improving the Teaching of Osteopathic Principles and Manipulative Techniques."

## L. O. G.

L.O.G. fraternity recently sponsored two very interesting and informative work-nights. The first, was concerned with the management of the cardiac patient in work, stress and pregnancy. The second, which was presented by L.O.G. and ATLAS fraternities and Meade-Johnson and Co., was the second in a series dealing with the problems of setting up a practice.

At a recent award convocation, the fraternity was honored for having the highest scholastic average for 1958-59. Three L.O.G. members, Jim Grekin, Sid Wernstein, and Sam Kligerman, received individual awards for their scholastic achievement.

Newly initiated members of L.O.G. fraternity are: Sanford Berlin, Donald Bernstein, Joe Doctor, Arnold Gilner, Norman Katz, Jerald Kramer, Stuart Megdall, Dave O'Mara, Jerome Sitner, Nelson Sklar, Gerald Sussman, Howard Waranker, and Ray Failer.

Fifteen needy children were the guests of L.O.G. at the Shrine Circus. This was a pledge project and all concerned had an enjoyable time.

The new fraternity officers for the coming year are: Jim Grekin, President; Leon Rosky, Vice President; Alan Belkin, Treasurer; Murray Hurwitz, Recording Secretary; Irwin Eisenberg, Corresponding Secretary; and Bob Cohen, Sgt. at Arms.

Congratulations to Sandy Kushner and Irwin Eisenberg who are proud new papas.

## National Alumni Dues Have Been Received from the Following:

ARIZONA: Elisha Kirk, Tucson; Sherman W. Meyer, Phoenix. CALIFORNIA: L. R. Chapman, Vista; R. L. DeFord, Long Beach; Lester Fagen, Los Angeles; Harry F. Talbot, Jr., San Diego. COLORADO: Jennie Ione Clark, Denver; Louis Hasbrouck, Dove Creek; Walter C. Mill, Denver; C. M. Parkinson, Denver. FLORIDA: Sidney Adler, Hallandale; GEORGIA: W. C. Holloway, Thomasville. INDIANA: Milton C. Hammer, Indianapolis; Julius Nesbitt, South Bend. IOWA: Joseph Baker, Greenfield; Glen E. Bigsby, West Des Moines; G. J. Cooper, Davenport; V. A. Englund, Des Moines; D. V. Goode, Bondurant; Howard A. Graney, Des Moines; R. L. Gustafson, Dallas Center; W. E. Heinlen, Des Moines; W. W. Kiehlbaugh, Earling; T. C. Kaper, Greenfield; James D. Lott, Clarion; Martha B. Morrison, Shenandoah; Herbert Rosen, Runnells; John P. Schwartz, Des Moines; H. E. Wing, Ottumwa. KANSAS: E. F. Stark, Abilene. MARYLAND: Murray Goldstein, Bethesda. MASSACHUSETTS: Ward C. Bryant, Greenfield; J. Philip Gurka, Lawrence. MICHIGAN: W. Clemens Andreen, Wyandotte; Scott Fisher, Detroit; Clifford M. Millard, Hillsdale; J. B. Miller, Flint; Robert P. Ogden, Inkster; Jack W. Pearl, Oak Park; Edward E. Rugenstein, Roseville; Howard Sechrist, Detroit; John W. Slater, Detroit.

MINNESOTA: Dale Dodson, Northfield; H. K. Rydell, Minneapolis. MISSOURI: Edward Lake, Potosi; Russell W. Watts, St. Louis. NEBRASKA: Earl A. Purtzer, Scottsbluff. NEW JERSEY: Allan M. Lans, Bergenfield. OKLAHOMA: Edward Felmlee, Tulsa; Roy Honeywell, Beggs; Ivan E. Penquite, Sapulpa. OHIO: Robert C. Bennington, Powell; James F. Brown, Akron; J. W. Clark, Delphos; J. E. Dunham, Akron; Ervin Emory, Medwar; Boris Fiyalko, North Olmsted; Carl B. Gephart, Dayton; Keigo Hase, Cleveland; C. L. Naylor, Ravenna; J. C. Robertson, Johnstown; Tom L. Sefton, Dayton; Bill Stoerkel, Columbus; Thomas Thesing, Centerville. OREGON: Vernon E. Hall, Estacoda; Bertha Rocine, Portland. SOUTH DAKOTA: James F. Cheney, Sioux Falls; L. A. Deitrick, Bison. TEXAS: T. D. Crews and W. L. Crews, Gonzales. WEST VIRGINIA: Walter B. Goff, Dunbar; WISCONSIN: I. J. Ansfield, Milwaukee; Leon Gilman, Milwaukee; W. L. Johnson, Mt. Hope; Robert J. Smick, Salem.

## ATLAS

On April 23 we held the drawing for our annual raffle. A good time was had by all at the party preceding the drawing. Congratulations to the five lucky winners.

Congratulations to Phil Naples on his recent pinning to Mary Anne Tolan. Lots of luck Phil.

We are all looking forward to our next meeting on May 19 at which time elections will be held. The present administration has done a commendable job. A big thanks to Nick Rimedio, who handled the presiden-

## Child Health Conference

A scientific exhibit was presented by the College at the recent National Osteopathic Child Health Conference at Kansas City, Missouri, April 25, 26, and 27, 1960. The exhibit, designed by Mr. Lynn Baldwin of the Department of Medical Illustration and Dr. Bernard Kay of the Department of Pediatrics was devoted to the New Born. In two sections, one devoted to the normal newborn, the other to the abnormal, the exhibit consisted of a series of color photographs with explanatory comments below the pictures. It was well received and will again be shown at the A.O.A. convention in Kansas City in July.

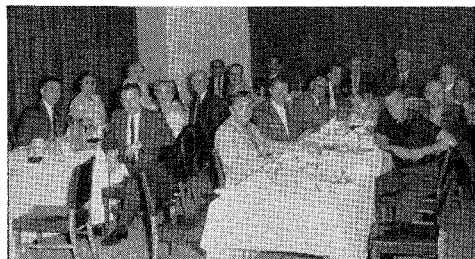


Pictured above at the exhibit from C.O.M.S. are Dr. Arnold Melnick, left, of Philadelphia, Pa., and Dr. Harold Finkel, of Ephrata, Pa.

Dr. Myron Magen of the Department of Pediatrics participated in the Child Health Conference program. He presented a paper on "Acute and Chronic Diarrhea." In addition, Dr. Magen took part in the panel discussions and clinical presentations.

On Monday evening a banquet was held for the alumni. Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, president, Mr. Wendell Fuller, registrar, and Dr. Magen presented the report of the Development Committee. Dr. McLaughlin then led the discussion regarding the current and future plans for the College.

Dr. Magen is in charge of procuring scientific exhibits for the combined Pediatrics-Gynecology Convention, Las Vegas, Nevada, February 7-8-9, 1961.



Shown here are some of the physicians attending the Child Health Conference.

tial helm this semester and steered the good ship ATLAS through a very successful 18 weeks.

Thought for today: Will Ralph Martin be able to make it to school Monday after the stag held in his honor on Friday?

That's it till next time. Hope to see you all at the Atlas-Log worknight sponsored by Meade-Johnson Drug Company.

## Lynn Baldwin Cited

Mr. Lynn Baldwin, chief of the Medical Illustration Laboratory of C.O.M.S., attended the second annual sectional meeting of the Biological Photographic Association held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, last month and presented a paper entitled "Photomurals For the Biological Photographer." Mr. Baldwin contributed four photographs to the scientific photographic exhibit, was awarded a certificate of merit for a photograph in the clinical division, and was made general chairman of the third annual meeting of this organization which will be held in Des Moines in 1962.

## Pacemaker Convocation Held

An all-school convocation was held Friday, May 6, for the purpose of creating student interest in participating in the advertising program from the yearbook. Pacemaker business manager, Neil Purtell, junior student from Milwaukee, Wisconsin, explained the new program to the students with reinforcement from co-editors Richard Rhodes and Donald Turner. The yearbook staff spends many extra hours outside their allotted study time working for the college annual—this we acknowledge with appreciation.

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## Graduation Week Activities

Honoring graduates of the classes of 1900 - 1905 - 1910 - 1915 - 1920 - 1925 - 1930 - 1935 - 1940 - 1945 - 1950 - 1955 - 1960.

Student Wives Club Banquet, June 1

Refresher Course June 2 - 3 - 4

Banquet honoring alumni and the graduating class of 1960,  
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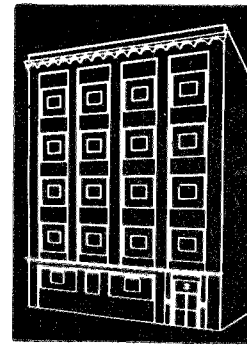
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JUNE, 1960

## COLLEGE GRADUATES 52 SENIORS



### Internships

ART CENTRE HOSPITAL, Detroit,  
Michigan

Dr. Lawrence E. Goldman  
Dr. Victor C. Gordon  
Dr. Sheldon N. Kaftan

LOS ANGELES COUNTY HOSPITAL,  
Los Angeles, California

Dr. Delores Schulman  
Dr. Howard F. Siegel

BRENTWOOD HOSPITAL, Cleveland,  
Ohio

Dr. Victor A. Goble  
Dr. John W. Knable

CIVIC CENTER HOSPITAL, Oakland,  
California

Dr. Ludwig F. Ginkel  
Dr. Edward J. Yarolin

DALLAS OSTEOPATHIC HOSPITAL,  
Dallas, Texas

Dr. Robert E. Slocum

DETROIT OSTEOPATHIC HOSPITAL,  
Detroit, Michigan

Dr. Antone Martinho  
Dr. Harvey G. Micklin  
Dr. Fred M. Seligman  
Dr. Gerald W. Thurer

DOCTORS HOSPITAL, Columbus, Ohio

Dr. Stephen S. Chankin  
Dr. James D. Payne

FLINT GENERAL HOSPITAL, Flint,  
Michigan

Dr. Harvey V. Ring

FLINT OSTEOPATHIC HOSPITAL,  
Flint, Michigan

Dr. Milton Fields  
Dr. Carl S. Roberts, Jr.  
Dr. Malcolm L. Rubinoff

FOREST HILL HOSPITAL, Cleveland,  
Ohio

Dr. Theodore E. Weiner

GARDEN CITY HOSPITAL, Garden  
City, Michigan

Dr. Myron V. Lackey  
Dr. Philip B. Truan  
Dr. John G. Waite

GRANDVIEW HOSPITAL, Dayton, Ohio

Dr. Lester G. Mullens

LAKEVIEW HOSPITAL, Milwaukee,  
Wisconsin

Dr. Allan R. Crosby  
Dr. Henry O. Wick, Jr.

LAKEVIEW GENERAL HOSPITAL,  
Battle Creek, Michigan

Dr. Winston B. P. Cenac

LANCASTER OSTEOPATHIC  
HOSPITAL, Lancaster,  
Pennsylvania

Dr. Leonard F. Faymore

METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL,  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Dr. Samuel Kligerman  
Dr. Ralph Levy

MONTE SANO HOSPITAL,  
Los Angeles, California

Dr. Timmie C. T. Lee

MUSKEGON OSTEOPATHIC HOS-  
PITAL, Muskegon, Michigan

Dr. James Jackson  
Dr. Robert Livonia

NORMANDY OSTEOPATHIC HOS-  
PITAL, St. Louis, Missouri

Dr. James T. Hicks

OKLAHOMA OSTEOPATHIC HOS-  
PITAL, Tulsa, Oklahoma

Dr. William L. Lavendusky  
Dr. Dawin C. Sprague

PONTIAC OSTEOPATHIC HOSPITAL,  
Pontiac, Michigan

Dr. Samuel Lossos

RIO HONDO MEMORIAL HOSPITAL,  
Downey, California

Dr. Marvin Berkowitz

RIVERSIDE OSTEOPATHIC HOS-  
PITAL, Trenton, Michigan

Dr. Joseph D. LaCasse

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# ANNUAL ALUMNI—SENIOR CLASS BANQUET

The annual alumni and senior class banquet was held at the Savery Hotel, Thursday evening, June 2.

Preceding the banquet was a reception honoring Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, President of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.

A representative of the classes of 1900-05-10-15-20-25-30-35-40-45-50-55 were among the 300 persons honoring the members of the 1960 graduating class.

Awards were made as follows:

The Alumni Plaque to Dr. Jean F. LeRoque of Des Moines, Iowa, for his outstanding leadership in the National Alumni Association during the years 1949-1955, and 1957-1958.

Special student awards went to Henry O. Wick, Jr., of Janesville, Wisconsin, for his contribution to Iowa Tau Sigma Fraternity and the student body of the College during his four years at the College.

The Williams Key was awarded to Sander A. Kushner of Detroit, Michigan, the Lambda Omicron Gamma award, to the senior who contributed most to the fraternity during his four years at the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.

The Lawrence Award to Ralph Levy, Brooklyn, New York, to the senior who assisted members of the freshman class the most during the past year.

Student Council Merit Awards were presented to the following seven seniors for their outstanding service to the student body during the four years at the College.

Donald G. Beckman .....	Dayton, Iowa
Richard M. Brown .....	Detroit, Michigan
Stephen S. Chankin .....	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Thomas Kovan .....	Detroit, Michigan
Sander A. Kushner .....	Detroit, Michigan
William L. Lavendusky, Jr. ....	Henryetta, Oklahoma
Philip B. Truan .....	Knoxville, Tennessee

Dr. Louis Kester Award to Donald L. Turner, Dayton, Ohio in recognition of his scholarship, leadership and interest in his chosen profession in Osteopathy. Paul T. Rutter Award to Richard E. Vermillion, Newton, Iowa, in recognition of his superior interest and ability in Osteopathic Technique.

Dr. E. V. Enzmann, Associate Professor, Histology and Embryology, rank was changed to Professor Emeritus. Dr. Enzmann has been with the College since October, 1949 and will remain as Research Associate in the Department of Anatomy.

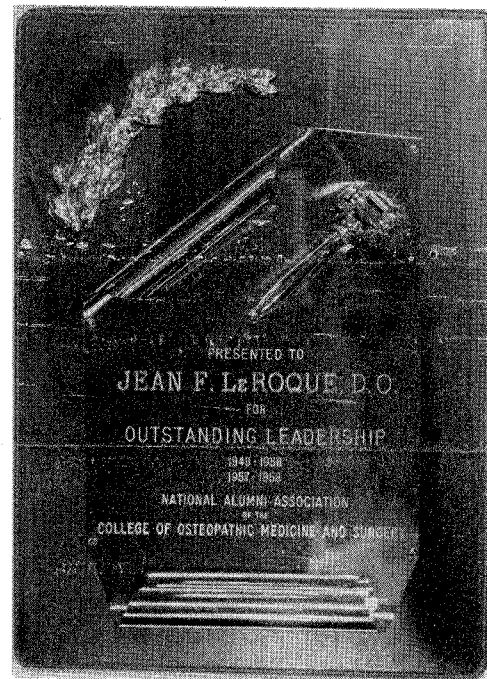
## Receive Special Awards



Left to right: Graduating seniors, Richard E. Vermillion, Henry O. Wick, Jr., Sander A. Kushner; Dr. Jean F. LeRoque; graduating senior, Ralph Levy; and junior student, Donald L. Turner.



Dr. Jean F. LeRoque, left, of Des Moines, past president of the National Alumni Association, C.O.M.S., is honored for his outstanding service (plaque pictured below) by Dr. Charles L. Naylor of Ravenna, Ohio, president of the National Alumni Association.



## Reception Held For President

The Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons held a reception honoring Merlyn McLaughlin, Ph.D., president of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery on Thursday, June 8, in the Des Moines Room of the Hotel Savery. Dr. Harry Elmetts, a member of the Health, Education and Welfare Committee of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons was in charge of the arrangements for the reception.



Senior Facts

Fifty-two graduates (there were 61 in this class when they entered C.O.M.S. on September 6, 1956, as freshmen).

Average age is thirty. Ages range from 23 to 38.

Thirty-four are married. (Length of time married—from 2 days to 12 years—average of years married 6.)

Twenty have children (grand total of 32), ranging in ages of 3 days (time of graduation) to age 9 years. (Average age of children 2 years.,

Thirty-six have Baccalaureate degrees. (None have less than 3 years pre-professional education.)

Nineteen are veterans: 11 Army, 5 Navy, 1 Air Force, 2 Marines.

Two graduating seniors are sons of D.O.'s: Dr. Robert E. Slocum, son of Dr. Anna L. Slocum, Des Moines, Iowa; and Dr. Dawin Sprague, son of Dr. Homer R. Sprague, West Lake, Ohio.

Home States represented—16. California 1, Delaware 1, Florida 1, Hawaii 1, Iowa 5, Massachusetts 1, Michigan 15, Minnesota 1, New York 9, Ohio 6, Oklahoma 2, Pennsylvania 4, Tennessee 2, West Virginia 1, Wisconsin 1.

Foreign Countries—West Indies 1.

Fifty-two will intern starting on or about July 1. Location by states of internships: California 5, Colorado 2, Iowa 3, Michigan 26, Missouri 1, Ohio 7, Oklahoma 2, Pennsylvania 3, Texas 1, Wisconsin 2.

Forty mothers and 31 fathers of graduating seniors attended the graduation ceremony.

INTERNSHIPS

(Continued from Page 1)

ROCKY MOUNTAIN OSTEOPATHIC HOSPITAL, Denver, Colorado  
Dr. Donald Glen Beckman  
Dr. Edwin N. Running, Jr.

SAGINAW OSTEOPATHIC HOSPITAL, Saginaw, Michigan  
Dr. John M. Grace  
Dr. John H. Raedy  
Dr. Ronald Strickman

WILDEN OSTEOPATHIC HOSPITAL, Des Moines, Iowa  
Dr. Richard F. Coatney  
Dr. Thomas W. Henn  
Dr. Richard E. Vermillion

ZIEGER OSTEOPATHIC HOSPITAL, Detroit, Michigan  
Dr. Richard M. Brown  
Dr. Thomas Kovan  
Dr. Sander A. Kushner  
Dr. Frank Roth

Fraternities Award Seniors

ATLAS CLUB

James Jackson ..... Detroit, Michigan  
IOTA TAU SIGMA

Donald G. Beckman ..... Dayton, Iowa  
Allan R. Crosby ..... Minneapolis, Minn.  
Ludwig F. Ginkel ..... San Diego, Calif.  
Victor A. Goble ..... Ravenna, Ohio  
Edwin N. Running ..... Oelwein, Ohio  
Robert E. Slocum ..... Des Moines, Iowa  
Dawin C. Sprague ..... Lake Lucerne, Chagrin Falls, Ohio  
Richard E. Vermillion ..... Newton, Iowa  
Theodore E. Weiner ..... Detroit, Michigan  
Henry O. Wick ..... Janesville, Wisconsin

LAMBDA OMICRON GAMMA

Richard M. Brown ..... Detroit, Michigan  
Stephen Chankin ..... Philadelphia, Penna.  
Milton Fields ..... Detroit, Michigan  
Lawrence Goldman ..... Detroit, Michigan  
Victor C. Gordon ..... Detroit, Michigan  
Sheldon N. Kafton ..... Detroit, Michigan  
Samuel Kligerman ..... Elkins Park, Penna.  
Thomas Kovan ..... Detroit, Michigan  
Sander A. Kushner ..... Detroit, Michigan  
Ralph Levy ..... Brooklyn, New York  
Harvey G. Micklin ..... Brooklyn, New York  
Frank Roth ..... Detroit, Michigan  
Malcolm Rubinoff ..... Detroit, Michigan  
Fred M. Seligman ..... Toledo, Ohio  
Gerald Thurer ..... Brooklyn, New York

PHI SIGMA GAMMA

Richard F. Coatney ..... Tulsa, Oklahoma  
Leonard F. Faymore ..... Wilkes-Barre, Penna.  
John M. Grace ..... Brooklyn, New York  
James A. Hicks ..... Signal Mountain, Tenn.  
John W. Knable (Past President) ..... Youngstown, Ohio  
Joseph D. LaCasse ..... Detroit, Michigan  
Myron V. Lackey ..... Detroit, Michigan  
William L. Lavendusky ..... Henryetta, Okla.  
Antone Martinho ..... Wilmington, Delaware  
Lester G. Mullens ..... Youngstown, Ohio  
James D. Payne ..... Philippi, W. Virginia  
John H. Raedy ..... Richmond Hill, N. Y.  
Harvey V. Ring ..... Flint, Michigan  
Carl S. Roberts ..... Starke, Florida  
Ronald Strickman ..... Brooklyn, New York  
John G. Waite (Past President) ..... Bridgeville, Penna.  
Edward J. Yarolin ..... New Milford, Ohio

PSI SIGMA ALPHA

Donald G. Beckman ..... Dayton, Iowa  
Thomas W. Henn ..... Des Moines, Iowa  
Samuel Kligerman ..... Elkins Park, Pa.  
Thomas Kovan ..... Detroit, Michigan  
John W. Knable ..... Youngstown, Ohio  
Sander A. Kushner ..... Detroit, Michigan  
Ralph Levy ..... Brooklyn, New York  
Samuel Lossos ..... Brooklyn, New York  
Harvey G. Micklin ..... Brooklyn, New York  
James Payne ..... Philippi, West Virginia  
John Raedy ..... Richmond Hill, New York  
Carl Roberts ..... Starke, Florida  
Frank Roth ..... Detroit, Michigan  
Howard Siegel ..... Bronx, New York  
Ronald Strickman ..... Brooklyn, New York  
Gerald Thurer ..... Detroit, Michigan  
Fred Seligman ..... Toledo, Ohio

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Student Council

The Student Council has recently adopted a program in which all alumni and prospective students who live in the home-town areas of the present Freshman and Sophomore classes will be contacted. Interviews will be conducted during the coming summer vacation and results compiled and presented to the Administration, Student Council and Classes.

This is an activity of the newly instituted Student Council Public Relations Committee. Other plans by this committee call for an annual Student-Faculty Dinner to be held during the coming School year, a Student Speakers Bureau, an informative College Convocation Lecture Series and a generalized program to increase the Des Moines community's awareness of COMS. Chairman is Raymond Failer, Flint, Michigan; Vice-Chairman, Sanford Berlin, Detroit, Michigan; Carolyn Stocksdales, West Carrollton, Ohio.

"P. H. T." Banquet



Mrs. Edward R. Minnick, Wives Club sponsor, receives an appreciative token at the "Pushing Hubby Through Banquet" for her devoted service to the student wives. Making presentation is Mrs. Stan Abrams, wife of senior student Stan Abrams, left. At right is author Henry G. Felson, banquet speaker.

Alumni Dues Received

ARIZONA: W. R. Hildebrand, Parker. CALIFORNIA: Howard Crum, Orangevale; Paul R. Kohlmeyer, Pasadena. CANADA: G. G. Elliott, Toronto. FLORIDA: George P. Evans, Largo; Thomas F. Hardin, Jacksonville; T. T. Spence, West Palm Beach. IDAHO: Andrew McCauley, Idaho Falls. INDIANA: W. E. Doberenz, Elkhart. IOWA: Bert Adams, Ames; R. B. Anderson, Sioux City; Geogia Chalfont, Oskaloosa; James M. Dockum, Monroe; Thomas Griffin, Des Moines; H. L. Gulden, Ames; Don R. Hickey, Bayard; Henry J. Ketman, Des Moines; Faye Kimberly, Des Moines; Jean F. LeRoque, Des Moines; Fred A. Martin, Fonda; R. C. McLaughlin, Des Moines; Edward R. Minnick, Des Moines; H. M. Perryman, Pleasantville; Edwin L. Ramsey, Des Moines; Charles D. Schultz, Davenport; Daniel J. Slevin, Des Moines; Anna L. Slocum, Des Moines; J. F. Steckler, Eldora; F. D. Sutter, Ames; Sara E. Sutton, Renwick; Fred W. Tente, Des Moines; Robert F. Weissinger, Des Moines; G. A. Whetstine, Wilton Junction.

MICHIGAN: W. J. Blackler, Grand Rapids; Joseph Cullen, Detroit; Leonard J. DeLooff, Cedarville; Verne H. Dierdorff, Trenton; Lyle L. Fettig, Novi; R. E. Hover, Burr Oak; Neil R. Kitchen, Detroit; T. Roy Massin, Mount Clemens; Stanley Ozog, Detroit; F. E. Schaeffer, Detroit; Michael Schmid, Muskegon; George H. Voyzey, Kalamazoo; Paul P. Walter, Lincoln Park; Norman B. Welch, Detroit; Clarence Wilson, Flint.

MINNESOTA: G. A. Stohlberg, Minneapolis. MISSOURI: Forest Barnes, Kansas City; L. E. Stiles, Carl Junction. NEBRASKA: Angela M. McCreary, Omaha. NEW JERSEY: Philip A. DiSalvo, Fair Lawn; Harold S. Powell, Blackwood. NEW MEXICO: F. E. Toland, Portales. NEW YORK: Jack Roth, Bronx. OKLAHOMA: Paul F. Benien, Tulsa; Robert J. Haas, Crescent; C. D. Heasley, Tulsa; Ivan E. Penquite, Sapulpa; M. J.

Schwartz, Oklahoma City. OHIO: Paul M. Caris, Greenville; A. W. Conway, Dayton; George Evans, Norwalk; Arnold S. Miller, Warren; John S. Molea, Columbus.

PENNSYLVANIA: Irving Epstein, Philadelphia; Robert H. Gillon, Philadelphia; Watson Gutowski, King of Prussia. RHODE ISLAND: Berton J. Kessler, Providence. SOUTH DAKOTA: D. A. Jungman, Scotland. TEXAS: Dwight W. Heaberlin, Dallas. VERMONT: Raymond L. Martin, Montpelier. WASHINGTON: A. E. Borchardt, Sunnyside; D. D. Clarke, Colville. WISCONSIN: M. B. Landis, Butler.

Journal Editor Dies

Dr. Raymond P. Keesecker, of Chicago, Ill., editor of the AOA Journal, died recently at the age of 68.

Dr. Keesecker had been editor of the Journal and other AOA publications since 1951. He practiced in Cleveland, Ohio, 27 years as a general practitioner and then as a specialist in anesthesia and radiology.

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## Alumni Activities At Graduation

A "Refresher Course" for Alumni was held at the college on June 2 and 3. The program, coordinated by Dr. Harold E. Higley, D.O., associate professor of psychiatry, included Advances in Pharmacotherapy, Advances in Medical and Surgical Technique, and panel discussions on a variety of timely subjects.

An alumni banquet and program, held in honor of the graduating seniors Thursday evening, June 2, in the Terrace Room of the Savery, was arranged by Mr. Wendell R. Fuller, Executive Secretary-Treasurer of the National Alumni Association.



Dr. Henry Ketman, chairman of the Department of Radiology, C.O.M.S., addresses alumni during a session of the alumni refresher course.



Osteopathic representatives attending the course on Health Services Aspects of Health Mobilization at Battle Creek, Michigan, May 8-13.

1st row: Dr. Robert J. Kromer, Sandusky, Ohio; Dr. Floyd E. Smith, Flint, Michigan; Dr. John W. Campbell, Davenport, Iowa; Dr. William Kuchera, Albert Lea, Minnesota; Dr. Richard W. Adams, Chesaning, Michigan.

2nd row: Otha Linton, Chicago; Dr. Walter Parsons, Orlando, Florida; Dr. G. Stevens McDaniel, East Greenwich, Rhode Island; Dr. Arthur H. Witthohn, Grand Rapids, Michigan; Dr. Ronald Woods, Des Moines, Iowa; Dr. W. Fulton Abercrombie, Washington, D. C., course director.

## Seniors Honored . . .

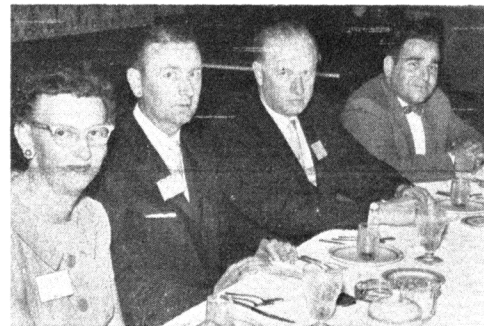


Richard M. Brown, president of the senior class, receives an award presented by Malcolm Rubinoff on behalf of the senior class.



Dr. Henry O. Wick, Jr., left is shown receiving the first award presented by Iota Tau Sigma fraternity for outstanding contribution to the student body and to I.T.S. Eugene Rongaus, Vice-President of the fraternity, makes the presentation.

## At Alumni Luncheon



From Right: Dr. Myron S. Magen, Chairman of Department of Pediatrics, C.O.M.S.; Dr. Merlyn S. McLaughlin, President, C.O.M.S.; Dr. Bryce E. Wilson, President, Iowa Alumni Association; and Dr. Sarah E. Sutton, Secretary, Iowa Alumni Association.

## Office Assistants

Miss Jan Davis, Office Assistant to Dr. H. J. Ketman at Still Hospital was elected President of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Office Assistants during the business meeting Wednesday evening, May 18, held at the College Clinic. Other officers elected were Izetta Kahley, President-Elect; Dorothy Stahl, Vice-President; Marilyn Mercier, Secretary and Irma Myers, Treasurer.

## Reception Honoring President

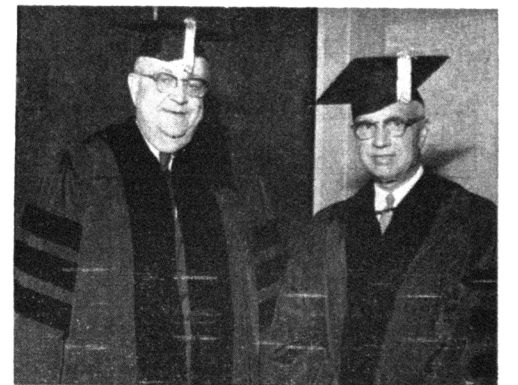


Picture above shows the receiving line at the reception honoring President McLaughlin.



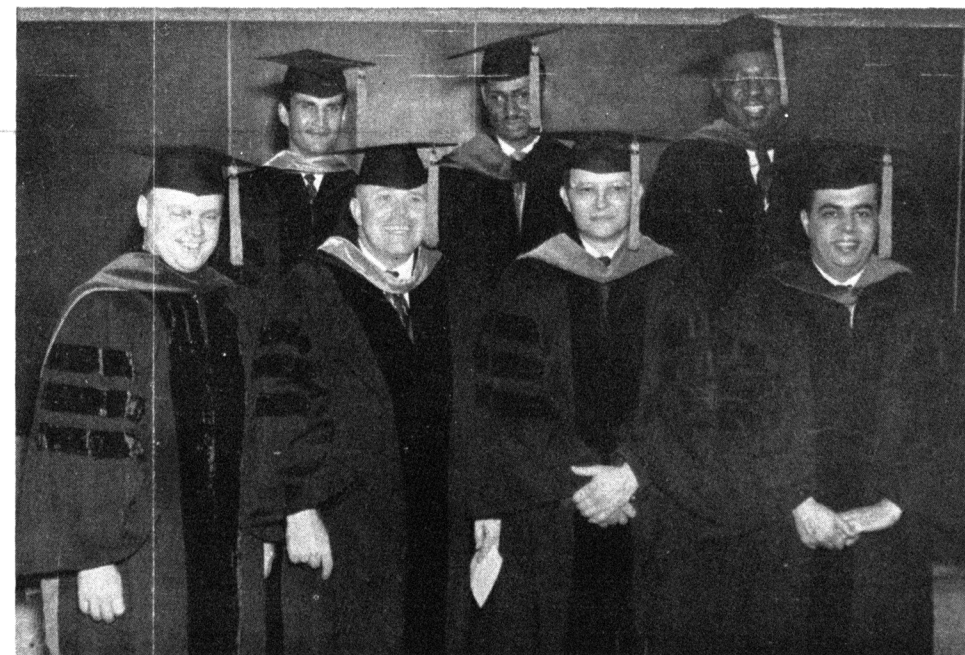
Ladies of the receiving line at the reception for President McLaughlin, left to right: Mesdames Richard Brown, Merlyn McLaughlin, Richard Borman, Paul Terrell, and Daniel Hannan.

## Honors Conferred At Graduation Ceremonies



Pictured with the commencement speaker, Dr. Herbert E. Evans, left, is Marion E. Wallace, past president of the board of trustees, C.O.M.S., both of whom received the degree, Doctor of Humanities.

## Residents and Interns, Still Osteopathic Hospital



Left to right, Front row: J. Wakefield (I); L. Ghormley (R); S. Herr (R); B. Kay (R); back row: D. Rose (R); E. Ware (I); H. Chambers (I).

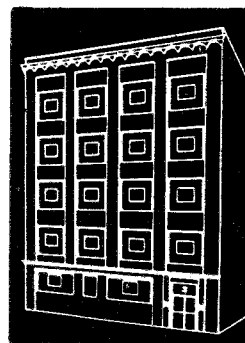


Dr. Ernest V. Enzmann is promoted to Professor Emeritus by Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin at the graduation ceremonies.



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JULY, 1960

## NEW BOARD MEMBERS ELECTED



### Board Members

Front Row, Left to Right: Mr. Roy L. Swarzman, Dr. W. J. Blackler, President Merlyn McLaughlin, Dr. J. R. McNerney, Mr. Marion E. Wallace.

Standing, Left to Right: Mr. Karl E. Greenlee, Mr. Daniel E. Hannan, Mr. Ted Flynn, Mr. J. R. Astley, Mr. Leonard P. Howell (new board member), Mr. J. D. Armstrong (new board member). (Board members not shown in above picture: Mr. Harold L. Calkins, Des Moines; Dr. Walter B. Goff, Dunbar, West Virginia; Dr. Don R. Hickey, Bayard, Iowa; and Dr. Paul T. Rutter, Medford, Oregon.)

Two new board members were added to the College Board of Trustees during the annual meeting of the members of the corporation at the Des Moines Club, Saturday, June 4.

Newly elected were Mr. J. D. Armstrong, Ames, president of Armstrong Construction Company; and Leonard G. Howell, Des Moines, former city manager—and now general manager of Weitz Company, Inc.

Re-elected to the board of trustees were Harold L. Calkins, Des Moines, president, H. L. Calkins Real Estate Company; Ted Flynn, Des Moines (vice-chairman of the board), Ted Flynn Insurance Agency; Daniel E. Hannan, Des Moines (chairman of the board), Attorney; and Dr. Paul T. Rutter of Medford, Oregon (representative from the National Alumni Association).

Other board members include Mr. J. R. Astley (treasurer), vice-president, Valley National Bank; Mr. Karl B. Greenlee (secretary), administrator, Wilden Osteopathic Hospital; J. R. McNerney, D.O., West Des Moines; Mr. Roy L. Swarzman, general agent, Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States; and Mr. Marion E. Wallace, president, Stoner-McCray System—all of Des Moines. Others include W. J. Blackler, D.O., Grand Rapids, Michigan, and Walter B. Goff, D.O., Dunbar, West Virginia—both representatives of the National Alumni Association.

Mr. W. K. Niemann, agency manager, Bankers Life Company, Des Moines, was elected a member of the corporation. Re-elected members of the corporation were: Dr. Roger B. Anderson, Sioux City; Dr. Howard Dolyak, Stuart, Iowa; Dr. H. L. Gulden, Ames; Dr. George W. Sutton, Mount Pleasant; and Dr. Mary E. Golden, Dr. Jean F. LeRoque, Dr. John Q. A. Mattern, Dr. Gustaf P. Peterson, all of Des Moines.

Other members of the corporation are: Dr. V. E. Goode, Bondurant; Dr. James G. Lott, Clarion; Mr. John R. Hansen, Manning; Dr. Paul O'Shana, Carlisle; Dr. C. R. Reynolds, Fairfield; and Dr. Richard C. Rogers, Eldora. Corporation members from Des Moines are: Dr. Harry A. Barquist, Dr. Ralph E. Gaudio, Dr. Howard A. Graney, Dr. Stuart F. Harkness, Dr. Ruth M. Paul, Dr. Fred W. Tente, Dr. Carl Waterbury, and Dr. Bryce E. Wilson.

### REGISTRATION

September 6, 7, 8

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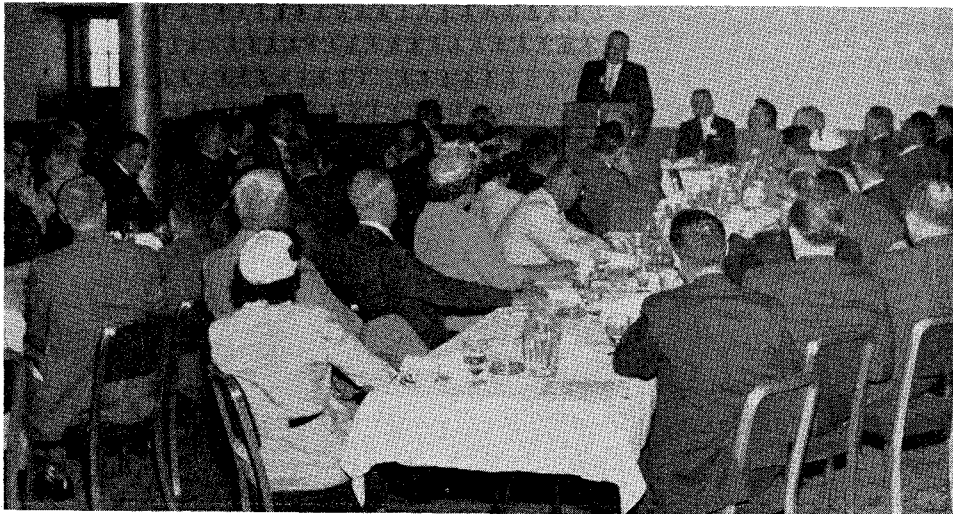
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**Friday, September 9**

8:00 a.m. .... Classes Begin



## President Addresses Iowa Alumni



Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, president, COMS, is shown addressing an alumni luncheon held during the Iowa State Convention.

## National YMCA Board Member Honored



The scene above was taken from a luncheon held at the new YMCA, in honor of Dr. Herbert Evans, a member of the National Board of the National Council of the YMCA, and 1960 commencement speaker.

## New Faculty Member

Mark Goldie, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Zoology, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, will join the faculty on September 1, 1960, as Assistant Professor in Anatomy. Dr. Goldie will work in the areas of Embryology and Histology and will also do research.



Dr. Goldie was born in Hartford, Connecticut. He received his B.S. degree in 1950 from the University of Connecticut, majoring in Zoology with a minor in Chemistry;

his M.A. degree in 1953 from Columbia University in New York, majoring in Zoology; and in 1957, his Ph.D. degree from the University of Connecticut, majoring in Zoology.

His experience includes: Research Fellowship, Predoctoral, National Cancer Institute, United States Public Health Service, University of Connecticut, 1955 to 1957; Research Associate, in Biochemistry, Institute of Living, Hartford, Connecticut, September 1957 to August 1958; Biology Instructor, Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island, September 1958 to 1959.

Dr. Goldie is married, has five children, writes and reads French and German and is a member of the American Institute of Biological Sciences, Sigma Xi.

## Profession to Receive \$1,000,000.00

NEW YORK—Osteopathic colleges and researchers will receive \$1,000,000.00 from the Rockefeller family, it was announced here June 21.

### Osteopathic Principles Professorship

The Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery will receive \$500,000.00 from Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., to endow and support a professorship of osteopathic principles and practice. The foundation for research of the New York Academy of Osteopathy will receive another \$500,000.00 from the Rockefeller Brothers Fund to be used for research seminars and curriculum enrichment at the six osteopathic colleges.

"This action by the Rockefeller Brothers Fund and Mrs. Rockefeller, Jr., gives evidence of the long continuing interest of our family in the field of osteopathy," said Laurance S. Rockefeller, president of the fund. "It is our hope that through this program the doctors of osteopathy of the future will be enabled to increase still further Public Health and that new avenues of cooperation with colleagues in other branches of medicine will be opened."

### Personal Physician

The Kirksville professorship will be a memorial to Dr. Perrin T. Wilson of Cambridge, Massachusetts, past president of the American Osteopathic Association and Mrs. Rockefeller's personal physician. Dr. W. Kenneth Riland of New York City is president of the foundation for research of the New York Academy of Osteopathy.

### AOA Grateful

"We are grateful for this display of confidence by a family which has achieved the respect of our nation for its numerous and thoughtful contributions to the betterment of society," said AOA president Dr. Gayland S. Young of Chester, Pennsylvania.

"The problem of adequate support for research into the underlying causes of health and disease has been a pressing one for the six osteopathic colleges. As private institutions they have been caught up in the universal struggle to maintain standards of instruction in medicine and surgery despite rising costs. The availability of these funds will permit the advancement of projects vital to a better understanding of the way the human body functions. With this help we will be better able to serve the people of America," said Dr. Young.

The Kirksville grant was announced by President Morris Thompson in May as an anonymous gift. Mrs. Rockefeller declared her gift at the same time the announcement was made of the contribution from the Rockefeller Brothers Fund.

### Enables Greater Contribution to Health

Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, president of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, on being informed of these grants stated, "Private philanthropy has been the

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## Miss Lunsford Welcomed

More than seventy representatives from forty-eight voluntary and official health agencies were guests at a "get-acquainted" coffee-break held in the Library of the College on Tuesday afternoon, June 28th. The occasion honored Miss Alvira Lunsford recently appointed to the staff of the College as Health Educator.

Officials of the College have long recognized the possibilities for a cooperative program with other health agencies. During the past year the College has been developing an expansion program and adding to its facilities and staff in order to help existing organizations provide a more complete public health service in Des Moines and other Iowa communities.



Pictured above at a coffee-break held in honor of Miss Alvira Lunsford, new Health Educator for the college, are left to right—Miss Lunsford; Dr. Edmund G. Zimmerer, Commissioner, Iowa State Department of Health; K. E. Hartoft, Director of Personnel, Iowa State Department of Health and Miss Hortense Minson, Administrative Assistant, Iowa State Department of Health.

Miss Lunsford, a graduate of Simpson College, Indianola, Iowa, served as a Health Educator for the Iowa State Department of Health for five years. Prior to that she was Publicity and Education Director for the Polk County Tuberculosis and Health Association, Des Moines, Iowa. Before entering military service during World War II, where she served as a Postal Officer in the Army Air Corps, Miss Lunsford was a Director of Health and Physical Education in the Ames High School, Ames, Iowa.

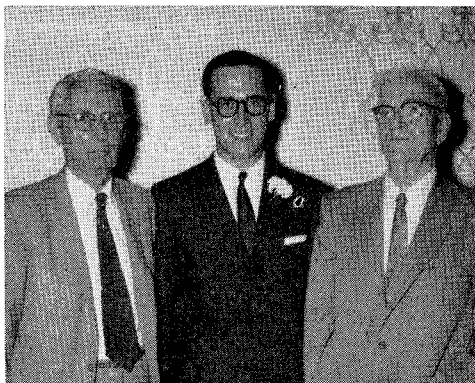
Wendell R. Fuller, director of the Department of Public Relations, served as host for the coffee-break. Assisting him as hostesses were Mrs. Ralph Gaudio, Mrs. Robert Kreamer, and Mrs. J. R. McNerney of the Auxiliary to the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons.

## \$1,000,000 Award

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means of keeping the osteopathic profession in the forefront of medical advancement. This expression of interest in furthering the educational and research potential of the six osteopathic colleges will in the years to come enable our graduates to make a greater contribution to the health care of the peoples of this nation."

## It's Been A Long, Long, Time



Richard M. Brown (center), 1960 senior class president welcomed the Alumni to the graduation activities. The two gentlemen above represented the classes of 1900 and 1910.

Left: Albert F. Steffen, 1910, Long Beach, California. Right: W. H. Albertson, 1900, Austin, Minnesota. Dr. Brown is interning in Zieger Osteopathic Hospital located in his home town of Detroit, Michigan.

## AHA Lists Four More Open Staff Hospitals

CHICAGO — Four additional hospitals with osteopathic doctors on their staffs were listed during May by the American Hospital Association.

Newly listed are: South Coast Community Hospital, South Laguna, California; Boone County Hospital, Boone, Iowa; Boone County Hospital, Columbia, Missouri; and Ogallala Community Hospital, Ogallala, Nebraska.

Mary Greeley Hospital, Ames, Iowa, last January became the first hospital with D.O.'s on its staff to be listed by the AHA.

The new listings follow AHA policy laid down in August, 1959, under which these hospitals may be listed provided that general supervision of all clinical work is made by medical doctors.

## Notify Log Book of Address Change

### 7th Annual Polk County Clinical Conference

"NEUROLOGICAL PROBLEMS IN GENERAL PRACTICE"

October 19, 1960

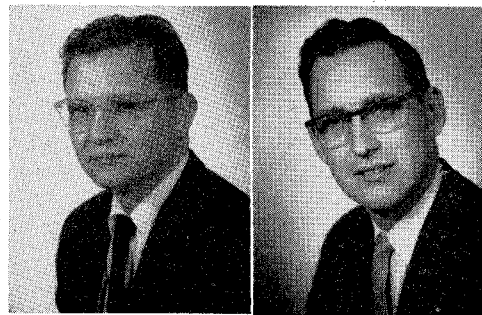
Savery Hotel Des Moines, Iowa

## \$3,900 Awarded to Students, Faculty

Two students and two faculty members of C.O.M.S. have received \$3,900 in scholarships, fellowships and other grants. This is part of a grand total of \$39,500 awarded to osteopathic students and faculty across the country according to Dr. John W. Mulford of Cincinnati, chairman of the AOA committee on educational grants. The funds were provided during the year by pharmaceutical houses, industrial firms, and memorial funds.

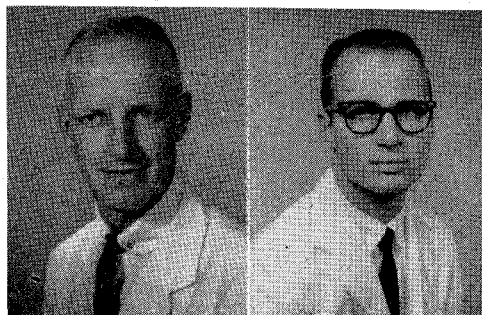
A \$1500 grant from the Burroughs Wellcome company was awarded to Dr. Sanford Herr of Johnston, Iowa, resident in internal medicine at Still Osteopathic Hospital and associated with the faculty of C.O.M.S., for work in internal medicine.

Dr. Gerald J. Hohn, of Des Moines, Iowa, received a \$1,000 fellowship from Mead, Johnson and Company for study in pediatrics. Dr. Hohn is a pediatric resident at Still Osteopathic Hospital and also associated with the faculty of C.O.M.S.



Dr. Sanford Herr

Dr. Gerald J. Hohn



John W. Nelson

John B. Dolven

John W. Nelson, junior student from Des Moines, Iowa, has been awarded a \$1,000 scholarship by the Pfizer Foundation, the first ward of its kind received by a student of this college.

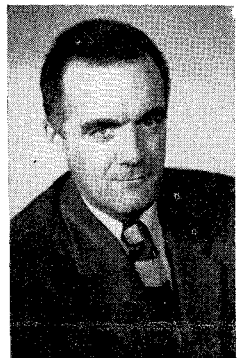
John B. Dolven, sophomore student from Hawley, Minnesota, has received a \$400 Russell C. McCaughan memorial scholarship, a grant given to osteopathic college sophomores.

## Dr. Hewitt Returns

William F. Hewitt, PhD., assumed professional duties as Professor of Pharmacology at COMS on July 1, 1960, after an absence of 3 years from the college.

Dr. Hewitt received his A.B. degree from Princeton University in 1935, his M.Sc.

degree from Chicago University in 1937, and his Ph.D. degree (physiology) from Chicago University in 1942. He served as associate professor in physiology and acting head of the Department of Physiology of the College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, Los Angeles, California, until 1946 when he became head of the



Department of Literature Research for Smith, Kline and French Laboratories of Philadelphia, Penn. From 1948 until 1952, Dr. Hewitt was assistant professor of physiology, College of Medicine, Howard University, Washington, D.C. In 1952, Dr. Hewitt was appointed chairman of the Departments of Physiology and Pharmacology of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, Des Moines, and served in this capacity until April of 1957.

In the spring of 1957 Dr. Hewitt became Associate Director of Technical Information in the research laboratories of Mead Johnson & Company (Evansville, Indiana), and later was medical and technical writer for the Nutritional and Pharmaceutical Division of the Company.

He returns to the College from Plough, Inc. (Memphis, Tennessee), where he was pharmacologist in the Research and Development Department, responsible for the development of new ethical pharmaceutical specialties. In both of these drug-industry

positions Dr. Hewitt continued to be engaged in research and teaching, as he had been at COMS. The stimulating difference was that the audiences were patients, physicians, research scientists and industrial executives instead of medical students.

The background of experience in the pharmaceutical industry should be helpful in Dr. Hewitt's major responsibilities here: teaching pharmacology, and promoting clinical and basic-science research (as executive Secretary of the Research Committee of the Faculty). While Dr. Nusser is absent on leave for postgraduate study, Dr. Hewitt will serve as Acting Department Head in physiology.

The Hewitts have four daughters, are members of The Religious Society of Friends (Quakers) and are interested in reading and discussion, having served as discussion leaders for the Great Books Foundation.

## Alumni Groups Elect Officers

### OREGON

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*Vice President*

Dr. Paul G. Hutson, Des Moines  
*Secretary*

Dr. Joe B. Baker, Greenfield  
*Treasurer*

## Alumni Dues Received

ARIZONA: L. A. Nowlin, Phoenix. CALIFORNIA: J. P. Hutchins, Wilmington; Herman Mirkin, Chino; A. F. Steffen, Long Beach. FLORIDA: Stewart W. Woofenden, Lake Worth. IOWA: H. A. Barquist, Des Moines; Paul E. Eggleston, Winterset; Mary E. Golden, Des Moines; Marvin L. Hodson, Jewell; K. George Shimoda, Marshalltown. MICHIGAN: Bernard Dash, Southfield; Chase E. Mathews, Detroit; John N. Olszewski, Warren; Conrad R. Pearl, Detroit; John N. Secor, Rockwood; William H. Stoler, Detroit. MINNESOTA: John H. Voss, Albert Lea. OHIO: Donald King, Norwalk; Robert L. Kirk, Smithville; J. E. Miller, Dayton; Robert A. Sybert, Ravenna. OREGON: Aloys J. Daack, Portland. VERMONT: Raymond L. Martin, Montpelier.

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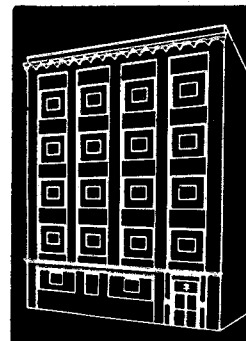
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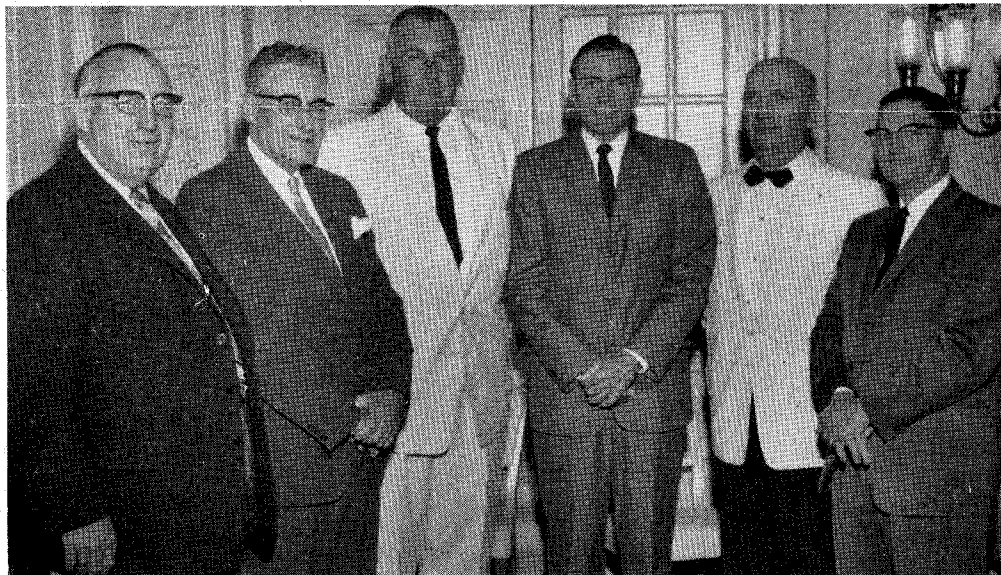
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## NATIONAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION MEETS

### N.A.A. Officers



Officers of The National Alumni Association and college board members pose for the photographers following the annual alumni banquet in the Muehlebach Hotel, Wednesday evening, June 20.

Left to right: J. R. Forbes, Phoenix, Arizona, president-elect; Charles L. Naylor, Ravenna, Ohio, immediate past president; W. Clemens Andreen, Wyandotte, Michigan, president; Dale Dodson, Northfield, Minnesota, nominee to the College Board of Trustees, to replace Dr. W. J. Blackler, Grand Rapids, Michigan, effective June, 1961.

Paul T. Rutter, Medford, Oregon, Member of College Board of Trustees; Paul E. Dunbar, Paducah, Kentucky, Delegate-at-Large.

Other members not shown above: O. O. Wentling, Erie, Pennsylvania, vice president; C. M. Parkinson, Denver, Colorado, Delegate-at-Large; Stanley J. Sulkowski, Kansas City, Missouri, Delegate-at-Large; Walter B. Goff, Dunbar, West Virginia, College Board Member; W. J. Blackler, Grand Rapids, Michigan, College Board Member.

Interest in alumni activities reached an all-time high in recent years during the Sixty-Fourth Annual American Osteopathic Association Convention held in Kansas City, Missouri. Dr. Charles L. Naylor of Ravenna, Ohio, president of the National Alumni Association for the past two years commented as follows: "When we were reorganizing the Alumni Association three years ago six people made up the House of Delegates, two years ago there were ten people, last year there were twelve, and I'm very happy to say that today there were thirty-five of our graduates who met at a breakfast meeting to discuss the present and the future of our national organization and our College. It is very significant to note that during this reorganization period we have developed an excellent constitution and by-laws. We asked the College Board of Trustees to permit us to nominate three of our representatives to serve on the Board of Trustees. As you know, this was granted to us and now we have three representatives on the College Board of Trustees instead of one—as we had for so many years. At your suggestion, your Executive Committee presented to the College Board of Trustees three club plans, namely: the 500 Club, 350 Club, and the 250 Club. The Board, of course, was unanimous in its approval of these plans and they are now a reality. At this time there are six members in the 500 Club, two members in the 350 Club, and seventeen members in the 250 Club. We feel that greater emphasis should be placed on adding more members to these three Club plans. As you know, funds received through this program will be used for a greater faculty program, expanded facilities, improved curriculum, and increased enrollment. It is to be noted that 20% of the annual contribution from an individual to one of these Club plans goes into a development expansion fund which is a restricted fund that can be used only for the purchase of land for the College, new building construction, remodeling and repair of old buildings, or the purchase of equipment and new facilities.

"During this year we have heard much about the proposed expansion program, and I know that we will hear more in the months ahead. Of course, this is great news for all of us. We are on our way, but it is going to take a lot of planning on the part of the Board of Trustees and the administration of the College, and a lot of cooperation on the part of every graduate

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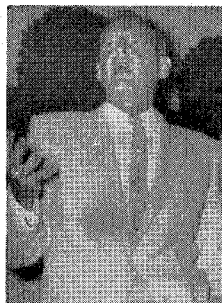
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of our College if we are to succeed and to bring about the realization of our dreams for a bigger and better College."

Seventy-five persons attended the Annual Alumni Banquet on Wednesday evening, July 20, in the Tearoom of the Hotel Muehlebach. The theme of the evening was "The Present Projected into the Future" with much emphasis on the fact that these are "The Progressive '60's, Our Years of Opportunities". Those in attendance will long remember the presentations of the several speakers. From the time of the opening remarks of outgoing President Naylor until the acceptance of the presidency by the new president, Dr. W. Clemens Andreen of Wyandotte, Michigan, the program moved along rapidly. Mr. Daniel E. Hannan, Chairman of the College Board of Trustees, reviewed the past year touching on some of the activities of the Board, the administration, and the financial situation of the College at the present time. "This past year was a very good year," he stated, "but this is only the beginning." He praised the work of the Board members and the members of the administration for the performance of their duties. Dr. John B. Shumaker, Dean of the College, spoke on some of the progressive changes to be made in the curriculum, the number of new faculty to be recruited before school opens in the fall, and projected the student enrollments for the future. Dr. William B. Strong, Medical Director, spoke of the many changes that were taking place in the Clinic and the Hospital: Changes that would bring about an expansion of the services to the students as teaching units, services to the community and to the Osteopathic Profession in general. "In order to do the job that must be done we need more supervisory personnel," he stated. "This is a challenging position for any Osteopathic Physician." Mr. Wendell R. Fuller, Registrar, reviewed important events leading up to the present time—starting with the arrival of Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin as the new president, Dr. William B. Strong as the Medical Director, and continuation of the Benefit Ball of the Auxiliary to the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, the renewed activity on the part of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons in putting on the first Annual Public Health Banquet in cooperation with the College, in the city of Des Moines and also for sponsoring a reception for President McLaughlin at the time of the Annual Alumni-Senior Banquet at the Savery Hotel in Des Moines on June 2.

Dr. McLaughlin reviewed briefly his first year as president of the institution, and through the use of maps of the urban redevelopment area in Des Moines, pointed out the different sites for a possible new college development. In his discussion he brought out the need for a new Clinic, new Hospital, new class rooms, and student housing. Dr. McLaughlin pointed out that

## Banquet Speakers



Daniel E. Hannan chairman of the College Board of Trustees, speaks on events of the past year with special emphasis on progress.



John B. Shumaker, Ph.D., described the educational program for the forthcoming academic year and announced new faculty personnel.

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W. Clemens Andreen, D.O., new president of the national alumni association, shown here making his acceptance speech, asked for 100% support for the college program.

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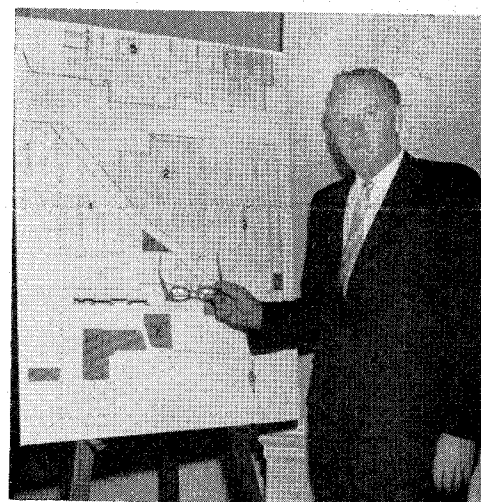
William B. Strong, D.O., medical director, COMS, reviewed proposed clinical and hospital teaching programs.



Jean F. LeRoque, D.O., immediate past president of the alumni association, presented new members of the official family of the national alumni association.

the Alumni Association would be of great service to the College if they would seek out and send outstanding students in their area to the College. He also reminded those assembled that great progress at the College depended upon the full support of every graduate in a united cooperative effort.

Newly installed President Dr. W. Clemens Andreen also noted the progress being made in reorganization of the National Alumni Association and commented brief-



Merlyn McLaughlin, Ph.D., president, COMS, proposed plans for the future of COMS, including possible re-location and new college facilities.

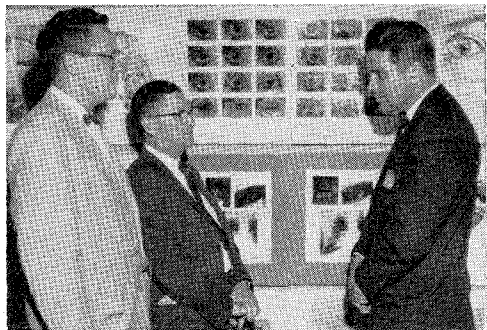
ly on remarks made by representatives of the College relative to their plans for the future—not only in the training of more osteopathic physicians, but in the far-sightedness of the Board and administration in preparing for a proposed college expansion program. "During the last three years," stated Dr. Andreen, "we have become a better informed alumni than ever before in our history. By our growing interest and participation in the College programs we can expect to be the best informed Alumni Association of any college in the land. If we, as graduates of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, want to see these changes that have been projected here this evening, we must give our personal wholehearted support to this program and encourage other graduates of our institution to do the same. As has been stated before, these are the years of decision and with these decisions go great responsibilities. These are "The Progressive '60's, The Years of Opportunities." The time has arrived when we are called upon to participate and to contribute to this great program. Unless our answer is a wholehearted 'yes', we cannot succeed."

Thus ended another Annual Meeting of the National Alumni Association of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.



## Alumni Active At Convention

Members of The National Alumni Association visit the exhibit of The National Biological Photographers Association which was under the supervision of Mr. E. Lynn Baldwin, chief of medical photography and illustration, COMS.

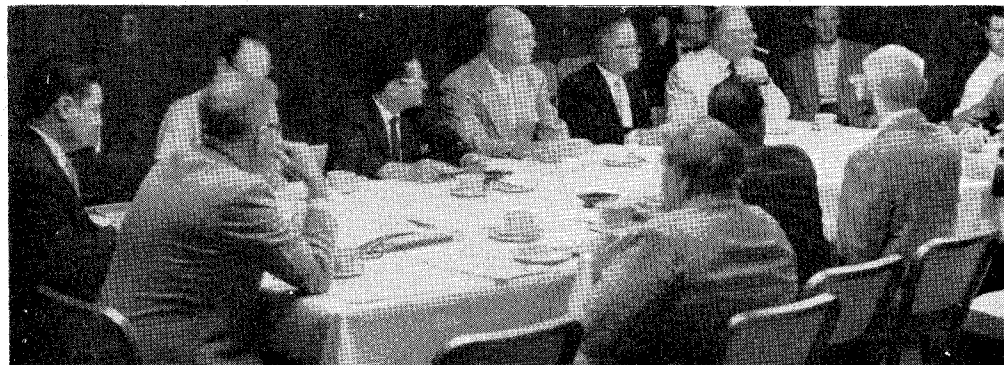


Left to right: Milton R. Snow, Medford, Oregon; Paul E. Dunbar, Paducah, Kentucky; Ralph C. Blackwell, Troy, Missouri.



Executive committee members of the National Alumni Association met the night before the House of Delegates meeting on Wednesday morning, July 20.

Left to right: W. R. Fuller, Des Moines, Iowa, executive secretary-treasurer; Dr. W. Clemens Andreen, Wyandotte, Michigan, president-elect; Dr. Paul T. Rutter, Medford, Oregon, member of the College Board of Trustees; Dr. Jean F. LeRoque, Des Moines, Iowa, immediate past president; Dr. Paul E. Dunbar, Paducah, Kentucky, Delegate-at-Large; Dr. Charles L. Naylor, Ravenna, Ohio, president.



Officers of the National Alumni Association are shown having a breakfast meeting with the members of the House of Delegates. Thirty-five representatives voiced approval of the starting of the "500-350-250 Club Plan" program and urged an all-out effort for building this program. Final approval for the revised Constitution and By-Laws was voted. Printed copies will be distributed to alumni in the fall.

### Dr. Elmets Cited



Dr. Harry B. Elmets (right) lecturer in osteopathic medicine reviews a paper with Dr. Paul Courtney, St. Louis, Missouri, president-elect of the American Osteopathic College of Dermatology.

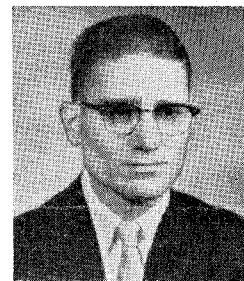
Dr. Elmets presented papers at the general session of the American Osteopathic Association convention and at the American Osteopathic College of Dermatology's annual meeting.

During the A.O.A. convention, Dr. Elmets was elected a trustee of the American Osteopathic College of Dermatology, and elected to a three year term on the Board. He will also serve as chairman of the examination committee.

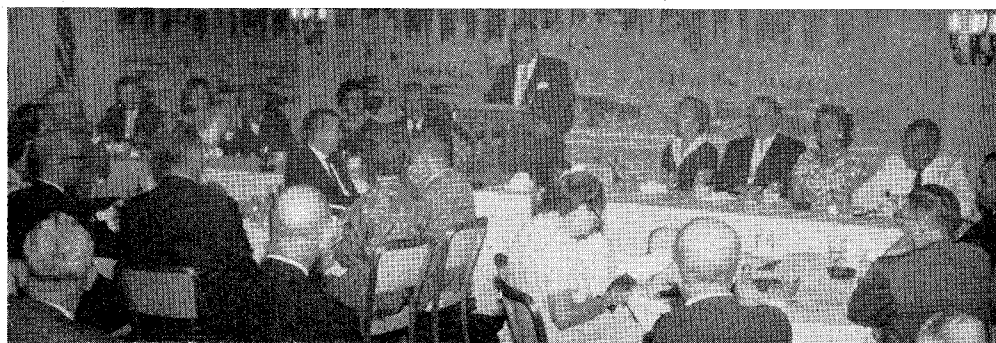
### Faculty Appointments

Sandra C. Jellinghaus of Wilmington, Delaware, and Harold Collins, of Krebs, Oklahoma, will join the college faculty on September 1.

Miss Jellinghaus has been appointed instructor in biochemistry and research. A graduate of the Connecticut College for Women at New London, Connecticut, she received her A.B. degree in 1957. She received her A.B. degree in 1957. She received her M.S. degree from the University of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia in 1960 and was an assistant instructor in biochemistry there from 1957 to 1959. She is a member of Sigma Xi, honorary science society.

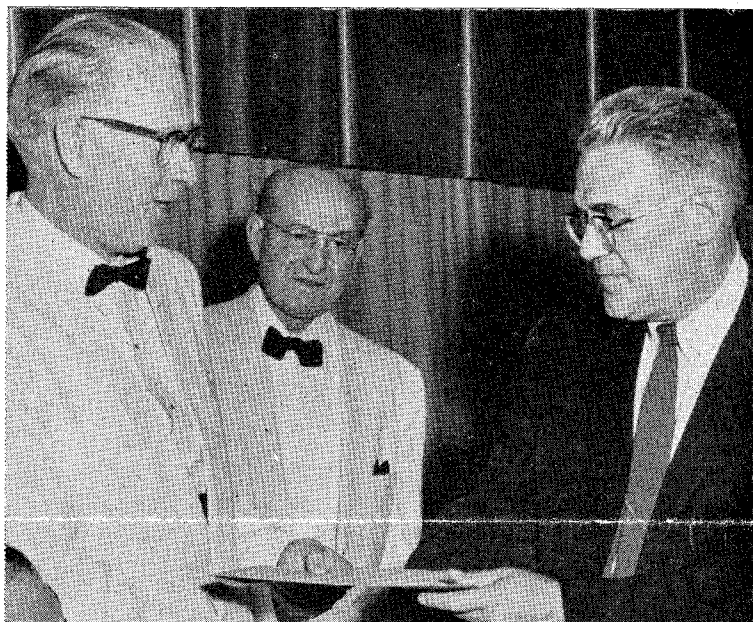


Mr. Collins has been appointed an instructor in anatomy. He is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma, Norman, Okla., and received his B.S. degree in 1957 and his M.S. degree in 1960. He reads and writes German, is unmarried and a member of the Presbyterian church.



Dr. Charles L. Naylor, Ravenna, Ohio, outgoing president of the National Alumni Association gives his farewell address after presiding over the annual alumni banquet on Wednesday, July 20, at the Hotel Muehlebach in Kansas City, Missouri. Dr. Naylor thanked the membership for their support and urged greater support for Dr. Andreen, the new president, and the college program.

## COMS President Honored



While attending the Annual Convention of the A.O.A. in Kansas City, in July, Merlyn McLaughlin, PhD., president of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, was awarded an honorary membership in the Sigma Sigma Phi (a National Osteopathic Fraternity). This award was made at the annual banquet on Thursday evening.

President McLaughlin was also appointed to the Osteopathic Progress Fund Committee by Dr. Roy Harvey, new President of the A.O.A. and was elected vice-president of the Flying Osteopathic Physicians Club.

## Students Manage Dispensary



Senior students Fred Carpenter, Newton, Iowa, and Hugh Grover, Flint, Michigan, hold sick call for members of the 389th Engineering Battalion at Fort Des Moines. Sick call was held each morning at 6:45 during the two week reserve training program in July for 750 officers and men.

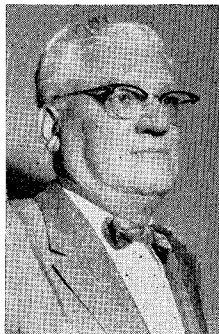
Carpenter and Grover were on call round the clock each day.

## Students at Convention



Among several COMS students attending the convention were, left to right, while visiting a booth in the exhibit hall, James R. Leach, senior, Valley View, Texas; Pfizer representative; John W. Nelson, junior, Des Moines, Iowa; and Carl W. Otte, Clarinda, Iowa. Nelson is the recipient of a Pfizer Foundation scholarship.

## New Delegate



Dr. Stanley J. Sulkowski, Kansas City, Missouri, newly elected Delegate-at-Large of the National Alumni Association. Dr. Sulkowski represents the Midwest area which includes the states of:

Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Dakota and Wisconsin.

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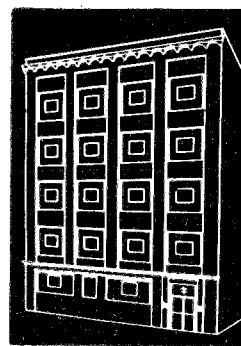
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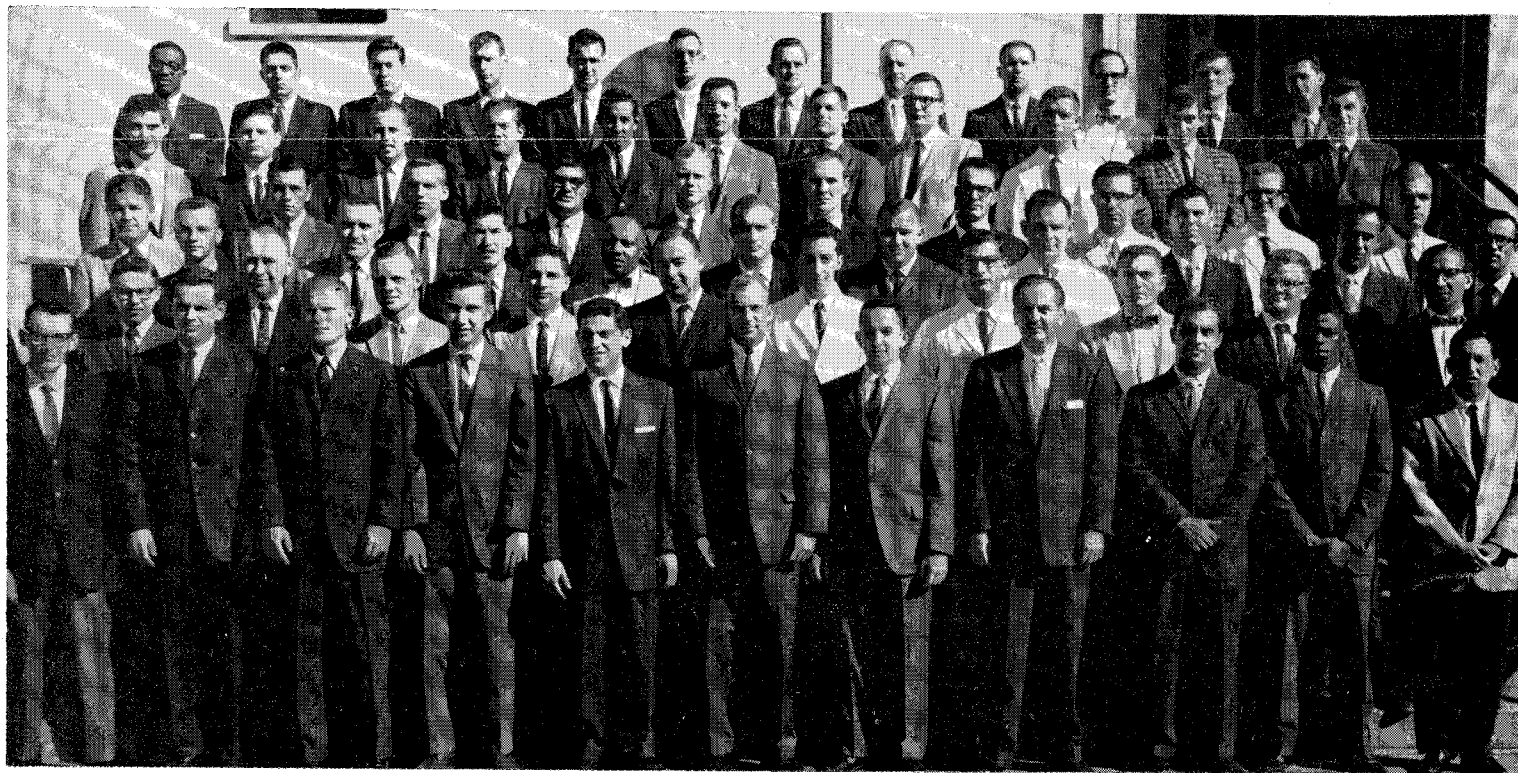
# The Log Book

THE COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE & SURGERY



OCTOBER, 1960

## College Welcomes 71 Freshmen



### Row 1, Left to Right:

Stephen A. Isaacson, Brooklyn, New York  
Burton A. Eisenberg, Oak Park, Michigan  
Jim L. Johnston, Canton, Ohio  
Ronald Zarzycki, Dearborn, Michigan  
Lionel Katchem, Detroit, Michigan  
Ronald E. Wolf, Dayton, Ohio  
Max E. Robins, Detroit, Michigan  
Louie Hood, Montgomery, Alabama  
Charles L. Pigneri, West Des Moines, Iowa  
Ambrose W. Wotorson, Monrovia, Liberia  
Paul A. Lippman, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

### Row 2, Left to Right:

Norman A. Klegon, Detroit, Michigan  
David M. Mac, Detroit, Michigan  
Patrick K. McClellan, Leadville, Colorado  
Herbert Greenbaum, New Milford, New Jersey  
Benjamin Kohl, Ventnor City, New Jersey  
J. Barry Rubin, Detroit, Michigan  
Howard L. Rubin, Detroit, Michigan  
Thomas M. Di Resta, Lawrence, Massachusetts  
Richard Lane, Houston, Texas  
John A. Zuransky, Dedham, Massachusetts

### Row 3, Left to Right:

Kent D. Rens, Orange City, Iowa  
Edmund F. Volk, Jr., Akron, Ohio

James Reuter, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan  
Wilbur Franklin, Jr., Des Moines, Iowa  
Samuel Williams, Clinton, Iowa  
Stanley Sacks, New York, New York  
Ronald R. Ganelli, Brooklyn, New York  
Charles Gilman, Detroit, Michigan  
Johnny Eloian, Phoenix, Arizona  
Anthony Salomony, Columbus, Ohio

### Row 4, Left to Right:

Randall H. Willis, Springfield, Ohio  
Allen Birrer, Camden, New Jersey  
Dean R. Nickel, Lakewood, Ohio  
Richard M. Touma, Port Huron, Michigan  
George Gustavson, Gibraltar, Michigan  
Richard J. Zimmer, Algonac, Michigan  
Louis Fortuna, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
Nadeem M. Hether, Flint, Michigan  
F. Leith Mitchell, Albuquerque, New Mexico  
Alfred W. Driscoll, Cleveland, Ohio

### Row 5, Left to Right:

James F. Hogan, Merrill, Michigan  
Harold Steinbaum, Jackson Hts., New York  
Robert A. Komer, Detroit, Michigan  
Rodney Shaw, Detroit, Michigan  
Robert Verona, Detroit, Michigan  
Frederick Green, Alva, Oklahoma  
Carl P. Deyhle, Camden, New Jersey  
Kenneth E. Neff, Detroit, Michigan

Grant R. Born, Jr., Detroit, Michigan  
Ronald J. Stewart, Detroit, Michigan  
Saul Bresalier, Brooklyn, New York

### Row 6, Left to Right:

Robert Sims, Detroit, Michigan  
Louis Ricci, New York, New York  
Allen Waldman, Detroit, Michigan  
Herbert Gearhart, Hopkinton, Iowa  
Douglas A. Dunham, Akron, Ohio  
Vernice Strickland, Stark, Florida  
Francis W. O'Connor, Brockton, Massachusetts  
William V. Utter, Kansas City, Missouri  
Gary D. Garrett, Flint, Michigan  
Ben Raines, Kansas City, Missouri  
Harvey Blum, New York, New York  
Chorde W. Davidson, Tulsa, Oklahoma

### Not Pictured:

Willis B. Anderson, Jr., Birmingham, Michigan  
Henry Gonte, Detroit, Michigan  
Stanley Halprin, Detroit, Michigan  
Richard C. Harrison, St. Petersburg, Florida  
Albert T. Luster, South Bend, Indiana  
Bernard Schwartz, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
John M. Vargo, Aurora, Illinois



# ORIENTATION PROGRAM FOR CLASS of '64



Picture No. 1. Dr. William B. Strong, Medical Director of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery and trustee of the American Osteopathic Association extends greetings to the incoming freshmen on behalf of the American Osteopathic Association. Dr. Strong has been reappointed to two committees of the American Osteopathic Association—Chairman of the Council on Development and representative to the National Health Council.

Picture No. 2. President McLaughlin and Dean Shumaker visit with the incoming freshmen on coffee break during freshman orientation program. Reading left to right: Dean Shumaker; Dean Nickel of Lakewood, Ohio; Herbert Greenbaum of New Milford, N. J.; President McLaughlin; and Burton Eisenberg of Oak Park, Michigan.

Picture No. 3. Miss Evelyn Norman, secretary to Dean Shumaker, serves coffee and doughnuts during coffee break. Freshmen students are Henry Gonte of Detroit, Michigan; Ambrose W. Wotorson of Liberia; and Louie W. Hood of Montgomery, Alabama.

Picture No. 4. Dr. Jean F. LeRoque of Des Moines, president of the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, brings greetings from his group as well as the National Alumni Association of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.

Picture No. 5. Dr. Paul E. Terrell, Des Moines, president of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, welcomes the freshmen on behalf of his organization.

Picture No. 6. Dr. Howard Dolyak of Stuart, Iowa, president of the Iowa State Alumni Association of C.O.M.S., brings greetings from the Alumni in the state of Iowa.

Picture No. 7. Freshmen students begin their registration for the fall term, immediately following the orientation program. Shown collecting tuition are members of the business office—Mrs. Opal Andrew, Mrs. Juanita Gray, and Cecil C. Looney, business officer.

Picture No. 8. Dr. Stuart F. Harkness of Des Moines was on hand for his annual visit with incoming students regarding the importance of the Basic Sciences to the Clinical Years.

## Post Doctoral Program

### AVIATION MEDICAL SEMINAR

November 10-11-12, 1960

Savery Hotel

Des Moines, Iowa

Speakers of national reputation headed by Dr. James L. Goddard, Civil Air Surgeon and Chief Medical Officer of the Federal Aviation Agency.

A program of interest for all osteopathic physician—a must for one interested in qualifying as an aviation medical examiner. Check your mail for details on this most important program.

Cosponsored by the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery and the Flying Osteopathic Physicians Association.

# ENROLLMENT STATISTICS

Fall—1960

	Freshmen	Sophomore	Junior	Senior	Unclass.	Total
Number of Students	71	68	62	69	13	283
Women	0	2	0	1	0	3
States represented	16	13	10	17	5	27
Colleges represented	46	39	32	38	13	114
Degrees—A.B., B.A., B.S.	40	46	41	50	10	187
Married	28	37	34	39	9	147
Veterans	13	21	22	24	4	84
Enrolled under G. I. Bill	4	3	3	7	0	17
Foreign Countries	1	1	0	2	1	4

Members of the student body came from 27 states: Michigan 101, Ohio 36, Pennsylvania 31, New York 28, Iowa 24, New Jersey 10, Texas 7, Illinois 4, Arizona 3, California 3, Colorado 3, Florida 3, Massachusetts 3, Washington 3, Wisconsin 3, Kentucky 2, Missouri 2, North Dakota 2, Oklahoma 2, Alabama 1, Hawaii 1, Indiana 1, Kansas 1, Nebraska 1, New Mexico 1, South Dakota 1, West Virginia 1.

Foreign countries represented—India 1, Iran 2, Liberia 1, and Puerto Rico 1.

Colleges and universities represented by 7 or more students are: Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan, 40; University of Detroit, Michigan, 19; Youngstown University, Youngstown, Ohio, 14; Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 13; Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa, 12; Michigan State University, East Lansing, Michigan, 10; University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan, 10; Hillsdale College, Hillsdale, Michigan, 9; Brooklyn College of Pharmacy, Brooklyn, New York, 7; The State University of Rutgers, New Brunswick, New Jersey, 7; State University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa, 7; University of Dayton, Dayton, Ohio, 7.

It is interesting to note that 187 members of the student body have received their Baccalaureate degrees.

Year	Total Enrollment	Degrees	Year	Total Enrollment	Degrees
1950	299	127	1956	227	160
1951	281	154	1957	249	185
1952	258	155	1958	265	181
1953	249	182	1959	270	189
1954	232	162	1960	283	187
1955	233	175			

## Atlas

The Atlas fraternity wishes to commend the college on its progressive new look taking shape. The newly formed biochemistry offices and research lab on the main floor and the new paneled offices on the second floor of the college building were a welcome sight on returning from summer vacation.

Atlas has elected the following officers for this year:

President: David Uiselt, Wheatland, Pa.  
Vice President: Anthony Elisco, New Castle, Pa.

Secretary: John Block, Flint, Mich.

Treasurer: Herbert Kaufman, Youngstown, Ohio.

The fraternity is looking forward to a good professional and social calendar this year which should be of interest to all members.

## Recent Visitors

Dr. John E. Hodges, '51, Laurens, Iowa  
Dr. Eugene R. Keig, '33, St. Petersburg, Florida

Dr. Edgar Kornhauser, '51, Youngstown, Ohio

Dr. Lee C. Moore, '52, Pasadena, California

Dr. Wm. C. Rankin, Jr., '56, Marietta, Ohio

Dr. Charles L. Ballinger, Coral Gables, Florida

Dr. Jack M. Wright, Toledo, Ohio

## Program for the Deaf

"Few persons realize the tremendous need for more instruction in the language used by the totally deaf—the sign language," Leland Ahern, director of the Polk County Welfare Department said during a recent discussion with him concerning the ways our college and clinic facilities might be of help to that department.

"Language", Mr. Ahern pointed out, "is a means of communication—be it oral, sign or a combination of both. The totally deaf person lives in a narrow world because few others know the sign language."

As a result of this conference the College will, as a part of its public service program, provide class room facilities for the Friends of the Deaf, Inc., to conduct a six-week class of instruction in sign language and finger spelling beginning on Thursday, October 13th. Classes will meet each Thursday evening in Room 304 (entrance on Center street) from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

The classes will be open to any normal hearing, hard-of-hearing or totally deaf person. The college's student doctors are urged to attend as preparation for serving their future deaf patients.

Mr. Ahern said that many persons study German, French, or Spanish in order to communicate with natives of those counties. Learning to "talk" with the totally deaf

## I.T.S.

Beta Chapter begins a new academic year with a new slate of well-chosen officers. They are:

President—John W. Nelson, Des Moines, Iowa

Vice-President—Eugene E. Rongaus, Donora, Pennsylvania

Secretary—J. W. Otte, Clarinda, Iowa

Treasurer—Jear E. Gutierrez, San Antonio, Texas

Historian—Richard W. Clarke, Pasco, Washington

Corres. Secretary—Elwyn D. Crawford, Reading, Michigan

I.F.C. Representative—Thomas E. Chambers, Owensboro, Kentucky

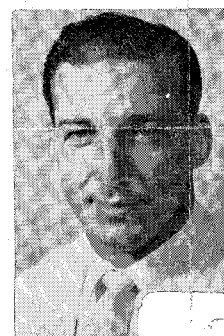
Editor—Richard H. Reel, Mount Ayr, Iowa

Our first social function was a worknight held at the Casa Loma Lounge, Wednesday, Sept. 21, by Dr. Milton J. Dakovich, speaking on "The Osteopathic Physician and Progress of the Profession." This program was very well attended and the information appreciated, particularly by the new freshmen.

The I.F.C. has assigned weekend dates to each fraternity for 'rushing,' and the Chapter plans to hold a number of delightful programs and parties, all under the competent direction of Social Chairman William D. Chambers.

We look forward to this year with enthusiasm and high aspirations, knowing that we have as fine a group of men as are gathered in any professional college in the country. Greetings to I.T.S. Alumni everywhere and we cordially invite you to join us for any or all of our fraternity functions.

## New Internal Medicine Resident



Dr. Don Kay, C.O.M.S., 1959, is the new Internal Medicine Resident at Still Hospital. While attending C.O.M.S. he was associated with L.O.G. fraternity and P.S.A. He graduated from Michigan State University in 1954 and served his internship at Art Centre Hospital in Detroit, Michigan.

Residing with him at 716 Sandahl, Des Moines, are his wife, Beverly and two children, Andria Gayl, 6, and Reid Scott, 2.

Dr. Kay plans to locate in Detroit, Michigan upon completion of his residency.

not only will enlighten those who study the sign language but will benefit and open a new, wide horizon for a large segment of our population.

There is no charge for attending the classes. Advanced registration for student doctors and other college personnel may be made through Alvira Lunsford, Health Educator.



## CLUB MEMBERS

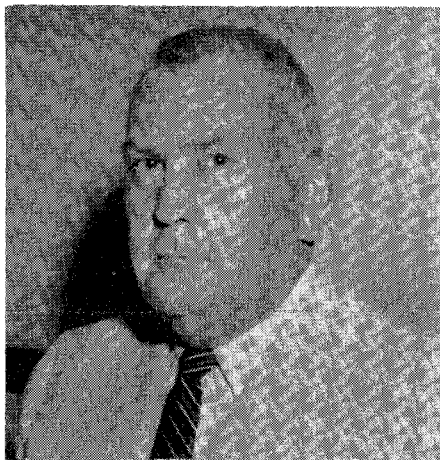
*Alumni pictured below are members of the "500" Club (members contribute \$500.00 to the College each year); the "350" Club, (members contribute \$350.00 to the College each year); and the "250" Club, (members contribute \$250.00 to the College each year). The + indicates the individual is contributing more than \$250.00 each year.*

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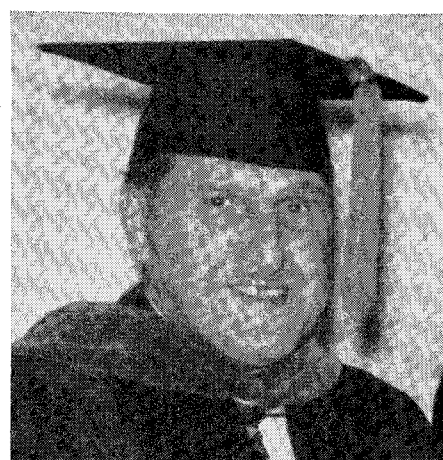
Dr. Emil Braunschweig, '37  
El Cajon, California

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Dr. W. Clemens Andreen, '35  
Wyandotte, Michigan

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Dr. Walter B. Goff, '44  
Dunbar, West Virginia

"250" +



Dr. Bryce E. Wilson, '49  
Des Moines, Iowa

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Dr. O. O. Wentling, '42  
Erie, Pennsylvania

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Dr. Jean F. Le Roque, '40  
Des Moines, Iowa

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Dr. T. P. McWilliams, '43  
Bayard, Iowa

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Dr. Charles L. Naylor, '33  
Ravenna, Ohio

"250"



Dr. W. J. Blackler, '48  
Grand Rapids, Michigan

## Freshmen Orientation

The annual Freshmen Orientation program was held in Room 305 of the Clinic Building on Tuesday, September 6, 1960. President Merlyn McLaughlin and Dean John B. Shumaker opened the program by formally welcoming the students to the College—after which members of the College faculty spoke to the students.

Byron E. Laycock, D.O., Lecturer in Osteopathic Medicine and Rehabilitation, spoke on "Osteopathic Technique in Osteopathic Medicine". Dr. Stuart F. Harkness, Lecturer in Osteopathic Medicine spoke on "The Relationship of the Basic Sciences to the Clinical Years". Mrs. Marybelle Kenderdine, Associate Professor, spoke on "Your College Library". Dr. William B. Strong, Medical Director and a trustee of the American Osteopathic Association, spoke on "Your American Osteopathic Association".

Organization representatives on hand to greet the students were: Dr. Jean F. LeRoque of Des Moines, president of the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons and representatives of the National Alumni Association; Dr. Paul E. Terrell of Des Moines, president of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons; and Dr. Howard Dolyak, Stuart, Iowa, president of the Iowa Alumni Association of C.O.M.S.

Organization representatives were: Harry Davis, president, Interfraternity Council; John W. Nelson, president of the Student Council; Sidney Grobman, president of Psi Sigma Alpha, honorary scholastic fraternity; and Donald Turner, president of Sigma Sigma Phi, service fraternity.

Other speakers were: Mr. Cecil C. Looney, business officer, and Mr. Allan Pickett, Blue Cross-Blue Shield representative.

Wendell R. Fuller, Registrar, was chairman of the program assisted by John W. Nelson, president of the Student Council. Mr. Fuller spoke to the students on Registration and Regulations.

Hostesses for the coffee breaks were: Miss Janet Davis, secretary to Dr. Henry J. Ketman and president of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Office Assistants; Mrs. Frances Lynn, Recorder and secretary to Wendell R. Fuller, Registrar; Miss Evelyn Norman, secretary to Dean Shumaker; and Miss Dorothy Stahl, surgical secretary, and vice president of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Office Assistants.

## Enter Private Practice

Raymond B. Juni, D.O., Associate Professor in E.E.N.T., to private practice in Phoenix, Arizona. A graduate of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy, Class of '38, Dr. Juni joined the College faculty in 1950.

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Edward R. Minnick, D.O., Associate Professor in Osteopathic Medicine to private practice in Wayne, Michigan. Dr. Minnick joined the College faculty following his graduation in 1948. He will be associated with Edward C. Reuter, COMS '51.

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Burton E. Poundstone, D.O., Associate Professor in Proctology, to private practice in Des Moines. A 1933 graduate he joined the College faculty in 1948.

## Charles Parker Cancer Victim

Mr. Charles L. Parker, Chief of Custodial Services of COMS, passed away at the age of 59 in Still Osteopathic Hospital on Monday, September 12, 1960, a victim of cancer.

Known by the graduates of the last 32



years as "Charlie", "Parker", or "Deacon", he had undergone surgery last March.

Pallbearers from the College were: Troy Hamilton (custodial services), Dr. Henry J. Ketman (radiologist), Cecil C. Looney (business officer), Leonard Madison (custodial services), Al C. Parmenter (hospital administrator), and Dr. John B. Shumaker (dean). Burial was in Glendale Cemetery, Des Moines.

Charlie is survived by his wife Theresa and daughter Charlene, age 13.

Returning alumni always inquired about Charlie and few left the premises without saying hello. Through the years he was a most popular and faithful employee. His passing is a great loss to this institution. He will be missed by all of us.

## Aviation Medical Examiner

The Administrator of the Federal Aviation Agency of Washington, D. C. and the Regional Medical Officer for Civil Aeronautics, Charles W. McMillian, M.D. of Kansas City, Missouri, announced the appointment of J. B. Baker, D.O. of Greenfield, Iowa, as designated Aviation Medical Examiner for the Federal Government.

As of July 1, 1960, Dr. Baker will be in charge of all physical examinations for private and commercial pilot's license, for this area.

Dr. Baker is at present serving as President of the Iowa Flying Osteopathic Physicians Association and President of the Adair County Pilots Association.

In accepting the appointment as designated Medical Examiner, Dr. Baker becomes one of the first osteopathic physicians in the United States to receive this honor, and he is among the first 100 physicians to receive the appointment.

## President Receives National Honor

Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, president of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery and a Lt. Colonel in the United States Air Force Reserve, was presented with the W. A. Wheatley Trophy at a luncheon honoring him on Friday, September 23, at the fourth annual aerospace education seminar in San Francisco, California. The seminar was a part of the 1960 National Convention and Aerospace Panorama of the Air Force Association.

The W. A. Wheatley Trophy, the highest such award given in the United States, was presented to Dr. McLaughlin in recognition of his outstanding contributions in the field of aerospace education. Recipients are selected by the University Aviation Association.

Dr. McLaughlin served for several years as liaison officer between the United States Air Force Headquarters and 187 educational institutions having Air Force ROTC units. He was assigned Chief of the Liaison Division for the Reserve Forces, USAF, and later Commander of the Iowa Air Reserve Center in Des Moines. During this assignment he established a new Center and developed reserve training programs throughout Iowa, Northern Missouri, Western Illinois and Southern Wisconsin.

He was the United States representative for the education to the Federation Aeronautique Internationale at The Hague, Netherlands in 1953; Istanbul, Turkey, in 1954, and San Francisco, California, in 1957. He was also the United States representative for education to the Federation Aeronautique Internationale Aviation Education Commission at Las Vegas, New Mexico in 1959, and at Paris, France, in 1960.

Dr. McLaughlin was elected President of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery in August, 1959.

## Research in Anatomy

Over the past summer the Department of Anatomy, C.O.M.S. carried on a number of research projects in areas of recent vital interest to all the medical sciences. They were:

1. The uses of oxadine dyes on neural tissues; neural staining with Celestine-Blue B, a supravital staining which stains nuclei blue to black in 3-5 minutes and also stains metachromatic substances.

2. Evaluation of the Acridine Orange—a cytological screening technique.

3. Extrauterine pregnancy—ectopic gestation—of a human foetus.

The team involved was Rex E. Ollom, Assistant Instructor in Anatomy, of New Braunfels, Texas, Hugh L. Grover of Flint, Michigan, A. Robert Dzmura, Assistant Instructor in Anatomy, of Clairton, Pa. These men were under the direction of Dr. Stanley D. Miroyiannis, Ph.D., Chairman of the Department of Anatomy.

Ollom and Grover worked under a National Institute of Health Research grant and Dzmura under the Reynolds Tobacco grant.

CONGRATULATIONS



Dr. Charles L. Naylor, '33, Ravenna, Ohio, new president-elect of the American Osteopathic Association. Immediate past-president (two one year terms) of the National Alumni Association of C.O.M.S., he has been a staunch alumni-supporter and O.P.F. contributor. Dr. Naylor is one of the Charter Members of the "250" Club.

## Wives Club Opens Its Fall Semester

The Student Wives' Club opened its fall semester activities with an informal get-together for the freshmen and new wives at the home of Mrs. H. E. Higley. It was an enjoyable evening for all who attended as it enabled everyone to get acquainted once again for the new semester. The Student Wives were very anxious to meet the freshmen and the new wives.

On Oct. 4th at the Art Center, the Student Wives' Club will honor the freshmen and new wives with a tea. Along with the tea there will be a short business meeting.

The evening will be high-lighted by the appearance of Mrs. Francis Warner, Student Wives' advisor.

Mrs. Warner is from Bloomington, Indiana. She was a charter member of the Indiana Osteopathic Auxiliary and was its first president. Wives' Club is sure to benefit from her visit.

If you are not already acquainted with the new officers at this time, I would like to help you meet them. Roz Kule is our most able President. Connie Diamond and Ruth Ann Chambers are first and second Vice Presidents, respectively. The office of Secretary is held by Harriet Brooks and Treasurer is held by Sue Eisenberg. Helping the officers and sponsoring the Wives' Club are Mrs. L. Higley and Mrs. L. Ficke.

Here's hoping everyone has a very enjoyable and successful year.

## Dr. Miroyiannis Cited

Dr. Stanley D. Miroyiannis, Chairman of the Department of Anatomy, C.O.M.S., became a Fellow of the Academy of Zoology, an international organization. This is the fourth fellowship that Dr. Miroyiannis holds. The others are:

Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science;

Fellow of the Iowa Academy of Science; and

Fellow of the American Medical Writers' Association.

## 7th Annual Polk County Clinical Conference

The 7th Annual Polk County Clinical Conference sponsored by the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons will be held at the Savery Hotel in Des Moines, Iowa, on Wednesday, October 26, 1960. The theme of this year's conference is "Neurological Problems in Practice."

### PROGRAM

#### Des Moines Room

- 9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.—Dr. Nelson D. King, Kirksville, Missouri  
"Convulsive Disorders" and "Space Occupying Lesions in Childhood"
- 9:50 a.m. - 10:35 a.m.—Dr. Wm. F. Quinlivan, Dayton, Ohio  
"Diagnosis of Neuro Surgical Problems and Their Treatment"
- 10:35 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.—Coffee
- 11:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.—Dr. E. Kani, Detroit, Michigan  
"Cerebral Angiography"
- 11:45 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.—Lunch—Des Moines Room
- 1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.—Panel—"Neurological Problems in Practice"  
Dr. M. Dakovich (Moderator), Dr. E. Kani, Dr. Nelson D. King, Dr. Wm. F. Quinlivan
- 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.—Social Hour  
West Rooms C and D

Send reservations to: Dr. Milton J. Dakovich, Chairman, Clinical Conference, 2628 Beaver Avenue, Des Moines, Iowa. Registration Fee of \$12.50 includes lunch.

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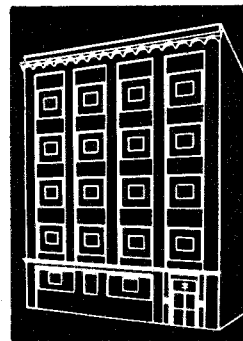
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NOVEMBER, 1960

## CLINIC GETS NEW FACE

### Faculty Members Present Programs

Four members of the faculty at COMS presented a program for members of the Minnesota State Osteopathic Association Convention, held September 23 and 24 at the Saint James Hotel in Redwing, Minnesota. Those speaking were:

Dr. Richard Borman, Dept. of Orthopedics

Dr. Harold Higley, Dept. of Psychiatry

Dr. Henry Ketman, Dept. of Radiology

Dr. Joseph McNerney, Dept. of Medicine

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Participating in the program of the Nebraska Osteopathic Association Convention at the Hotel Cornhusker in Lincoln, September 26 and 27 were Merlyn McLaughlin, President, COMS, who delivered the banquet address; Dr. Byron E. Laycock, Dept. of Physical Medicine; and Dr. William B. Strong, Dept. of Medicine and Medical Director, COMS.

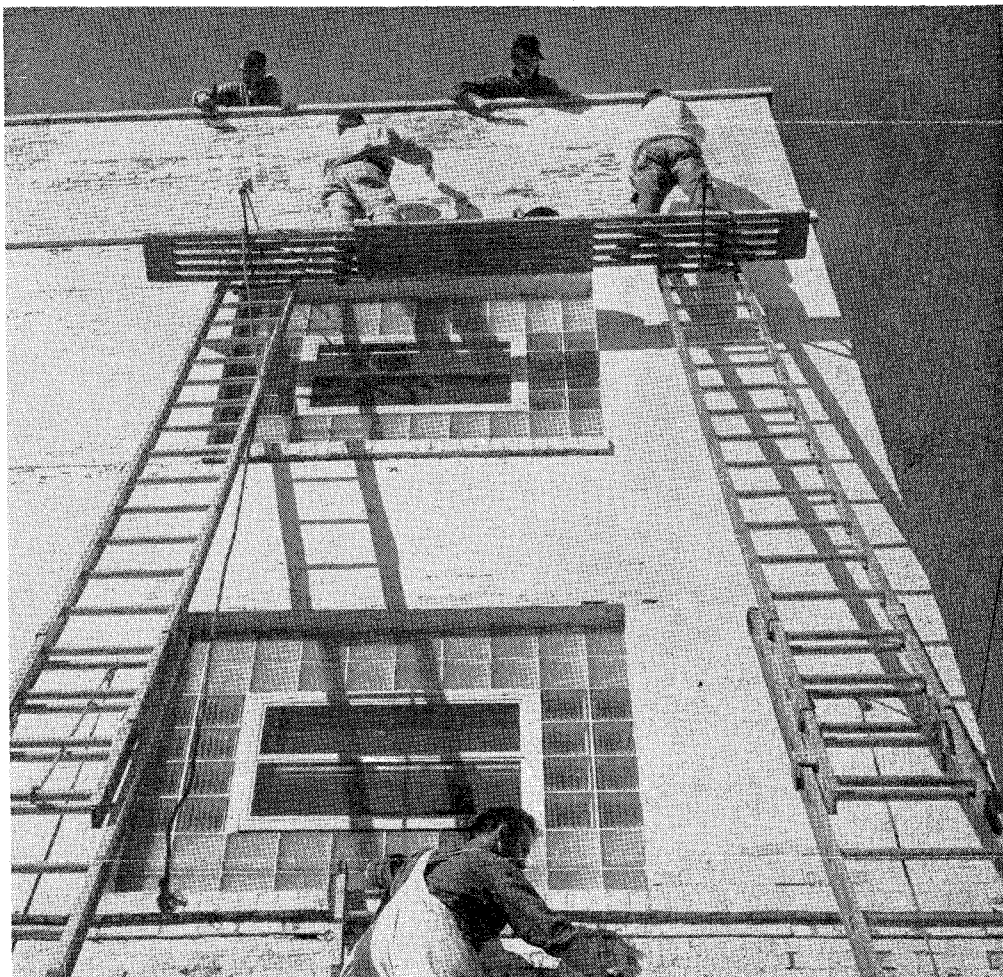
### Attend Civil Defense Conference

Mr. A. C. Parmenter, administrator of Still Osteopathic Hospital, and Dr. Ronald K. Woods, Chairman, Department of Surgery, C.O.M.S., attended the Ninth Annual Conference of the U.S.C.D. held September 21 and 23 in Minneapolis, Minnesota. Mr. Parmenter served as a representative for the American Osteopathic Hospital Association.

Speakers for this intensive program were from the Department of Civil Defense and the U.S.P.H.S. These men report that since disaster doesn't show partiality, the Osteopathic profession and its affiliate organizations must cooperate with all existing health agencies in promoting the cause of civil defense.

### C.O.M.S. Alumni Group Forms

An Alumni Association was formed in the State of Nebraska on the 26th of September, 1960, with Doctor Earl Purtzer, President, and Doctor Angla McCreary, Secretary.



They said it couldn't be done—but the students did it, painted the outside of Still Clinic and now you would hardly believe it is the same building! It was a monstrous job, requiring all kinds of equipment most of us had never heard of, but good fortune sent us Mr. Glen Lambi, a professional painter and decorator in Des Moines and a long-time friend of the Clinic and Hospital. Mr. Lambi volunteered equipment and supervision for the project and with the help of some thirty or more students gave the clinic its new face. This required two Saturdays, working from 7 A.M. until late afternoon, plus a few hours to finish up another day, and a job it was: ladders 40 feet into the stratosphere, scraping, wire-brushing, then painting (by brush) over 8,000 square feet of "ill brick." The city noticed our effort also, since both television stations and the newspaper carried it in picture story. Our results were splendid—come and see for yourself.

## HOMEcoming — JUNE 1, 2, 1961

Classes of: 1901-06-11-16-21-26-31-36-41-46-51-56

# 1st Postdoctoral Course In Aviation Medicine

Savery Hotel, Des Moines, Iowa

November 9-10-11

*Presented by: Federal Aviation Agency; Flying Osteopathic Physicians Association; College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.*

## Program . . .

### NOVEMBER 9—Morning Session

- 0845 Introduction—Dr. Roy J. Harvey
- 0900 Welcome—The Honorable Reinhold O. Carlson, Mayor, City of Des Moines, Iowa
- 0915 The Medical Program of the Federal Aviation Agency—Dr. J. L. Goddard
- 0945 Questions
- 1030 Coffee
- 1100 The Medical Certification Process—Dr. James Britton
- 1140 Questions
- 1215 Luncheon

### NOVEMBER 9—Afternoon Session

- 1400 Visual Standards for Airmen—Dr. William Hart
- 1445 Questions
- 1515 Demonstration of Horizontal Prism Bar and Maddox Rod—Dr. William Hart
- 1545 Questions
- 1700 Adjourn

### NOVEMBER 10—Morning Session

- 0900 Medical Aspects of Aircraft Accidents—Dr. Carl Wilbur
- 1000 Questions
- 1030 Coffee
- 1100 Aviation Physiology—Dr. Robert T. Clark
- 1200 Questions
- 1215 Luncheon

### NOVEMBER 10—Afternoon Session

- 1400 Research in Aviation Medicine—Dr. John E. Smith
- 1500 Questions
- 1545 Coffee
- 1615 Problems in Medical Certification—Case Conference—F.A.A. Staff
- 1715 Adjourn

### NOVEMBER 11—Morning Session

- 0900 Cardiovascular Evaluation—Dr. John E. Smith
- 1000 Questions
- 1045 Coffee

- 1115 Conference Critique—Dr. Joseph B. Baker
- 1200 Luncheon—Mr. Leslie L. Thomason

### NOVEMBER 11—Afternoon Session

- 1330 Tower to Pilot—How to Improve Your Communications—F.A.A. Staff
- 1415 Questions
- 1500 Visit to Airport Tower

## Lecturers . . .

**DR. JOSEPH B. BAKER, Chairman**  
Iowa Chapter, Flying Osteopathic Physicians Association  
Greenfield, Iowa

**DR. JAMES BRITTON, Chief**  
Medical Certification Division  
Bureau of Aviation Medicine  
Federal Aviation Agency  
Washington, D. C.

**DR. ROBERT T. CLARK,**  
Federal Aviation Agency  
Washington, D. C.

**DR. J. L. GODDARD**  
Civil Air Surgeon  
Bureau of Aviation Medicine  
Federal Aviation Agency  
Washington, D. C.

**DR. WILLIAM HART**  
Federal Aviation Agency  
Washington, D. C.

**DR. ROY J. HARVEY, President**  
American Osteopathic Association  
Midland, Michigan

**DR. JOHN E. SMITH, Chief**  
Research Requirements Section  
Bureau of Aviation Medicine  
Federal Aviation Agency  
Washington, D. C.

**MR. LESLIE THOMASON, Director**  
Air Age Education & Training  
Cessna Aircraft Corp.  
Wichita, Kansas

**DR. CARL WILBUR, Chief**  
Accident Studies Branch  
Bureau of Aviation Medicine  
Federal Aviation Agency  
Washington, D. C.

**PROGRAM CHAIRMAN:**  
**DR. MERLYN McLAUGHLIN, President**  
College of Osteopathic Medicine & Surgery  
Des Moines, Iowa

**ASSISTANT PROGRAM CHAIRMAN:**  
**DR. W. W. KIEHLBAUGH, President**  
Flying Osteopathic Physicians Association  
Earling, Iowa

## Student Council Activities

The Annual Welcome dance was held October 19th at the Val-Air ballroom. Don Hoy's nine piece band played from 9 to 12 P.M.

Work on the student A.O.A. is moving forward thanks to the energy of Ed Blumberg and a few interested students.

The Student Council's new advisor is Dr. Erle W. Fitz, Department of Psychiatry, C.O.M.S., and the meetings are approximately every other Monday at 1:00 P.M.

The Intramural Sports Program has begun with football practice scheduled every Sunday morning. Plans for basketball and bowling will be forthcoming.

The results of the summer work of the Public Relations Committee have been submitted and are being tabulated.

Our thanks to Bob Leonard, '63, Detroit, Mich., for his work on the Student Locker assignments.

## Student Council Officers



First Row: Left, Richard D. Mackay, '62 President, East Lansing, Mich.; R. Keith Simpson, '62, Vice-president, Marietta, Ohio.

Second Row: Left, Donald R. Beaver, '63, Treasurer, Detroit, Mich.; Charles F. Johnson, '63, Secretary, Spencer, Iowa.

## Don't Forget . . .

Your Donations For  
**OSTEOPATHIC  
CHRISTMAS SEALS**

Provide loans for students  
and grants for research.

## Alumni Dues Received

JULIUS L. ABRAMSOHN, '52  
Guthrie Center, Iowa

AGUSTIN ACOSTA, '58  
5435 Woodward Avenue  
Detroit 2, Michigan

HENRY W. HARNISH, '59  
755 W. 11th Street  
Tulsa 7, Oklahoma

## ENROLLMENT APPLICATION

### Post Doctoral Course in Aviation Medicine

Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Please enroll me in the first annual post doctoral course in aviation medicine, to be held at the Saery Hotel, Des Moines, Iowa, November 9-10-11, 1960

I enclose a check for \$35.00, full enrollment fee.

Make checks payable to: College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.

Send to: Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, 722 6th Ave., Des Moines, Iowa.



## CLUB MEMBERS

*Alumni and one faculty member pictured below are members of the "250" Club (members contribute \$250.00 to the College each year). There are two other clubs, the \$500.00 and the \$350.00. The + indicates that the individual is contributing more than \$250.00 each year.*

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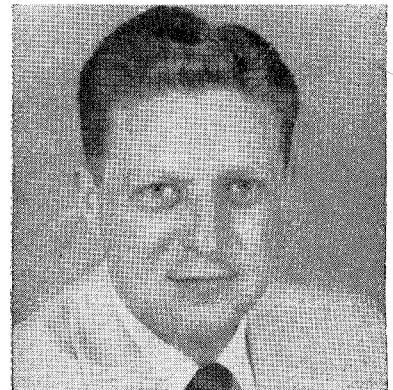
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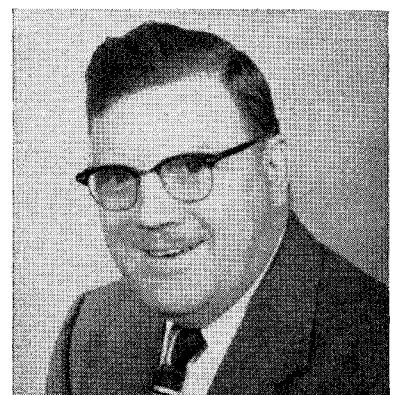
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324 W. Fifth Street  
West Des Moines, Iowa

## C.O.M.S. Presents Pre-Natal Clinic

We are now well into the fifth session of a semi-annual educational program for expectant and experienced mothers and fathers. This year's increased clinic registration reflects the co-operation of Sigma Sigma Phi, Miss Alvira Lunsford, Health Educator, and the Departments of Pediatrics and Obstetrics.

On September 20th, Dr. Gerald Hohn, Resident in the Pediatrics Department and Harry Davis, President of Sigma Sigma Phi, were guests on the Mary Jane Chinn television show on KRNT. Weekly reminders

appear in the Des Moines Register and Tribune.

Senior Student Doctors Davis, Tolan, Henry, Grobman, Naples, Walker, J. Leach, Ferris Gardner, Wright, Eichorst and Rhodes have been discussing the following subjects: Conception, Pre-Natal Care, Lying-in Period, Delivery, After Care of Mother and Baby and Hypnosis.

Every Thursday evening at 7:30 p.m., on the third floor of the clinic building, thirty or more people gather to participate in this program designed to allay the fears of childbirth. When the formal explanations are over we adjourn for coffee, doughnuts and a question and answer period, where supplemental information is added by Dr. E. A. Burrows, the Obstetrical Instructor.



These are the people responsible for the success of the prenatal clinic: First row, from left: Floyd E. Henry, Des Moines; George Wright, Carlisle, Iowa; Sy Gardner, Farmington, Mich.; Gerald Tolan, Green Bay, Wis.; Miss Alvira Lunsford, Health Educator. Standing, from left: Dr. Elizabeth, Chairman, Dept. of OB-GYN; Harry Davis, Youngstown, Ohio; John Walker, Jackson, Mich.; James Leach, Valley View, Texas; Dr. Gerald Hohn, Resident in Pediatrics; John Ferris, Detroit, Mich.; Richard Rhodes, East Liverpool, Ohio. All the above named students are seniors.

## Bacteriology Research

As part of the active research program of the Department of Bacteriology, Sidney M. Grobman, '61, Philadelphia, Pa., and Thomas E. Chambers, '62, Owensboro, Ky., have been doing extensive original work on 23 types of the Staphylococcus phage. The program is under the supervision of Dr. Jen-Yah Hsie, Chairman of the Department of Bacteriology, and has been underway since June, 1959. This particular program has been greatly aided by part-time grants to the Department from the National Institute of Health Fellowship.

Results were presented by Thomas E. Chambers, as co-author with Sidney Grobman and Dr. Hsie, to the annual meeting of the North Central Branch of the American Bacteriological Society at Ames, Iowa on October 1, 1960 in a paper entitled: "Studies on the Various Types of Staphylococcus Phage".

A paper entitled: "The Effect of Restricted Air Flow and Temperature on the Growth of Fungi" was presented by Miss Kathryn Chisholm, Instructor in Microbiology, to this regional meeting.

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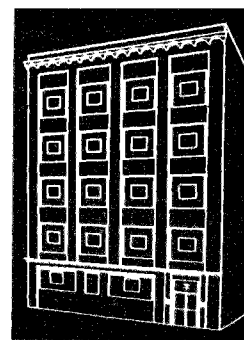
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DECEMBER, 1960

## COURSE IN AVIATION MEDICINE HELD

### Faculty Additions

Following the departure of Dr. R. B. Juni in August of 1960, Drs. Fergus Mayer and Verne J. Wilson of Wilden Osteopathic Hospital are voluntarily filling the Chair of Ophthalmology and Rhinology. In addition to their teaching duties they maintain the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Clinic two afternoons weekly.



Dr. Mayer

Dr. Wilson

Dr. Mayer was born in Des Moines General Hospital, September 10, 1921. A life long resident of Des Moines, he graduated from East High School in June, 1939. Following service in the Army Air Corps from February 23, 1943 to October 30, 1945—he was a 1st Lieutenant at the time of separation from service—he attended Drake University from the fall of 1945 through the spring of 1947.

Dr. Mayer entered Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy and Surgery on September 10, 1947. Following graduation in June, 1951, he interned in Wilden Osteopathic Hospital. He has taken post graduate training in Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat each year since finishing his internship. At the present time he is a candidate in the Osteopathic College of Ophthalmology and Otorhinolaryngology.

One of the co-owners of Wilden Osteopathic Hospital, he is associated with Dr. Verne J. Wilson in the specialty practice of Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat. He and Dr. Wilson are the local representatives of the American Eye Bank.

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### Dr. Mary E. Golden Passes Away

Dr. Mary E. Golden '12, died of cancer on November 8 in Des Moines General Hospital.



Born at Kellogg, Iowa, in 1882, Dr. Mary attended Bellevue College and Drake University before enrolling in Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy.

A member of the College faculty (Professor of Pediatrics) from 1912 to 1944 in addition to conducting a large general practice, Dr. Golden was also active in organizational and civic groups. She was a past-president and trustee of the American Osteopathic Association, the only woman to serve as president of the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, a member of the College Board of Trustees from 1944-1958, Chairman of the Des Moines Still College Foundation Fund Drive in 1945-47, president of the National Association of Osteopathic Women.

At various times Dr. Golden served as chairman of the women's department of the Greater Des Moines Chamber of Commerce.

She often was a speaker before professional and lay groups interested in health and was very active in the Big Sister movement of the Y.W.C. A.

Services for Dr. Golden were held at Westminster United Presbyterian Church, Friday, November 11.

### Oklahoma Society Makes Funds Available

The Tulsa District Osteopathic Society of Oklahoma has made its scholarship fund available for the 1960-61 school year, in the form of two interest-free loans, one of two hundred fifty and one of five hundred dollars. Any student from Oklahoma, now at COMS, who has satisfactorily completed one semester's work, may apply. The loan will be granted on the basis of financial need and potential of the student for the profession.

### 71 D.O.'s From 13 States

(Pictures on Page 2)

Seventy-one osteopathic physicians from 13 states attended the first Annual Post Doctoral course in Aviation Medicine held at the Savery Hotel November 9, 10, and 11. This most successful course was presented by the Federal Aviation Agency, Flying Osteopathic Physicians Association, and the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.

#### Course Lecturers

Lecturers for the course were Dr. James Britton, Chief of the Medical Certification Division, Bureau of Aviation Medicine; Dr. Robert T. Clark; Dr. J. L. Goddard, Civil Air Surgeon, Bureau of Aviation Medicine; Dr. William Hart; Dr. John E. Smith, Chief Research Requirements Section, Bureau of Aviation Medicine; Dr. Carl Wilbur, Chief of the Accident Studies Branch, Bureau of Aviation Medicine—all of the Federal Aviation Agency, Washington, D. C. Also appearing on the program were Dr. Joseph B. Baker, Greenfield, Iowa, chairman of the Iowa Chapter, Flying Osteopathic Physicians Association; Mr. Leslie Thomason, Wichita, Kansas, Director of Air Age Education and Training, Cessna Aircraft Corporation; Dr. Roy J. Harvey, Midland, Michigan, president of the American Osteopathic Association; Dr. Charles L. Naylor, Ravenna, Ohio, president elect of the American Osteopathic Association; and the Honorable Reinhold O. Carlson, mayor of the city of Des Moines. The program chairman was Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, president of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, assisted by Dr. W. W. Kiehlbaugh, Earlring, Iowa, president of the Flying Osteopathic Physicians Association.

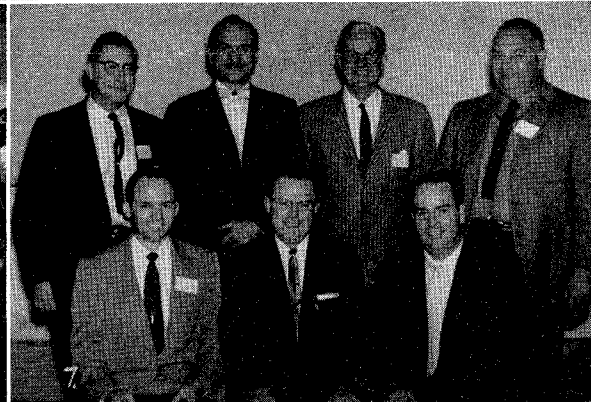
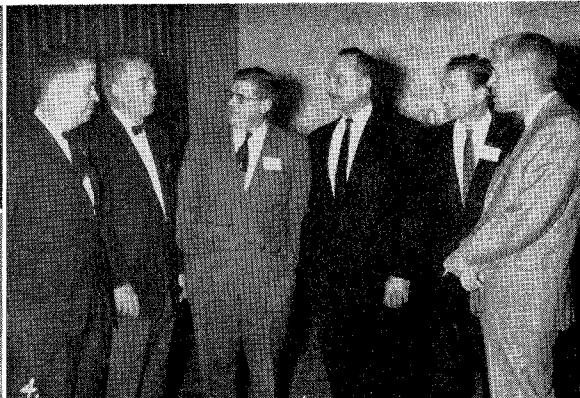
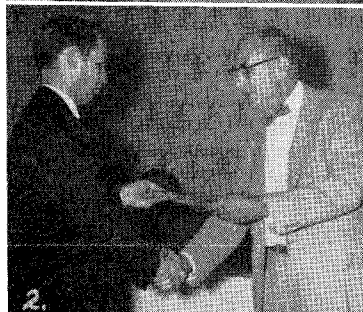
#### D.O.'s Attend

Osteopathic physicians in attendance were: E. E. Allaby and H. L. Sanders from Colorado; Alfred J. Bennett from Florida; Roland G. Lentz and R. A. McBride from Illinois; Arthur E. Damm and Paul G. Vandervort from Indiana; Robert N. Sampson from Minnesota; Paul R. Reichstadt from Nebraska; C. W. Ball, Edward A. Felmlee, William L. Lavendusky, Jr., and Thomas G. Wygant from Oklahoma; James W. Caton, Richard J. Sievers, J. M. Woods, Jr. from Ohio; Dwight W. Heaberlin from Texas; Glenn Hoberg and Virgil L. Sharp of Wisconsin.

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# Aviation Medicine Course — 'Most Successful'



1) Dr. James Britton, Chief of the Medical Certification Division, Bureau of Aviation Medicine, Federal Aviation Agency, Washington, D.C., lectures to the group on the subject of "The Medical Certification Process".

2) Dr. Alfred J. Bennett (left) of Tampa, Florida, receives a Certificate of Attendance from Dr. John B. Shumaker, dean of the College at the end of the three-day course.

3) Mr. Leslie Thomason (left) Wichita, Kansas, Director, Air Age Education and Training of the Cessna Aircraft Corporation, and Mr. John E. Shildberg (center) of Greenfield, president of the Iowa Airport Owners Association visit with Mr. Ric Jorgensen, Special Agent, Bankers Life Insurance Company and President of the Iowa Aero Space Education Council—just before the Friday luncheon meeting. Mr. Thomason was the luncheon speaker.

4) Lecturers from the Federal Aviation Agency, Washington, D.C., and the program moderator confer before the opening of the Wednesday afternoon session. Left to right: Drs. William Hart; Carl Wilbur; John E. Smith; W. W. Kiehlbaugh (Earling, Iowa), program moderator; Robert T. Clark; J. L. Goddard.

5) On hand to officially open the 1st Annual Post Doctoral course in Aviation Medicine were Dr. Roy J. Harvey (left), Midland, Michigan, president of the American Osteopathic Association; the Honorable Reinhold O. Carlson (center), mayor of Des Moines; and Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, president of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery and program chairman.

6) Co-pilots attending the meeting have lunch with their hostess Dr. Dorothy V. Mullin (right) of Ellsworth, Iowa, the only female osteopathic physician registered for the courses. Left to right: Mesdames Walter H. Wehmeyer, Chaffee, Missouri; Arthur Dannin, Frankfort, Indiana; James W. Caton, McConnelville, Ohio; C. P. Christiansen, Tipton, Iowa; V. S. Sloan, Quasqueton, Iowa; John E. Schildberg and Joseph B. Baker, both of Greenfield, Iowa.

7) Aviation Medical Examiners attending the course pose for their official photograph. Seated left to right: Drs. Alfred J. Bennett, Tampa, Florida; Joseph B. Baker, Greenfield, Iowa; Don C. Ross, Detroit, Michigan. Standing left to right: Drs. Peter J. Moor-ton, Detroit, Michigan; W. W. Kiehlbaugh, Earling, Iowa; E. E. Allaby, Denver, Colorado; and Homer Matz, Ash Grove, Missouri.

## Dr. Wooliscroft— Team Physician

Dr. Kenneth S. Wooliscroft, a graduate of our Des Moines College in 1940, has been appointed Team Physician for the new Dallas, Texas Professional Football Team.

Dr. Wooliscroft has traveled from coast to coast with the Dallas Texans this year, having accompanied them on all of their trips, and has been on the sidelines ready to attend any player's injury which he might have suffered in the game.

Dr. Wooliscroft specializes in Proctology and Urology and has been an active member of the Dallas Osteopathic Hospital for many years.

## Dr. Hsie Awarded Fellowship

Dr. Jen-yah Hsie, chairman of the department of bacteriology, COMS, was recently informed that he has been selected as a fellow in the American Public Health Association. We congratulate Dr. Hsie and all our faculty members who continue to honor themselves, our college, and our profession.

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Bert R. Adams, James W. Allender, Roger Anderson, Clive R. Ayers, Joseph B. Baker, C. P. Christianson, T. S. Clark, Milton J. Dakovich, H. L. Gulden, R. L. Gustafson, R. W. Gustafson, R. W. Jack, Carl G. Johnson, W. W. Kiehlbaugh, Jean F. LeRoque, W. J. Mack, F. A. Martin, R. M. Martin, Fergus Mayer, J. R. McNerney, Dorothy V. Mullin, R. A. Regier, C. R. Reynolds, Herbert Rosen, J. I. Royer, Vernon J. Sloan, Richard F. Snyder, William B. Strong, Lawrence E. Urban, Robert F. Weissinger, Hosea B. Willard, Ronald K. Woods, and C. E. Worster, all from Iowa.

Graham H. Chesnut, W. C. Herbold, William D. Hospert, John Kalenak, George W. Kantzler, Clifford Lightstone, Peter J. Mor-ton, O. G. Neilson, Don C. Ross, David T. Salvati, Henry F. Tyson, and R. M. Woods from Michigan.

H. P. Fowler, John W. Geiger, Homer F. Matz, H. Vard Nelson, A. L. Pfauth, D. W. Streitenberger, and W. H. Wehmeyer from Missouri.



## Board Member Of The Month

Osteopathy was not a new field to Daniel E. Hannan, present chairman, when he joined the Board of Trustees of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery in 1957. "In fact," he said, "with my father and an uncle both graduating from the Des Moines college I literally grew up with the profession."



His father, Dr. Daniel Hannan, was a graduate of the class of 1915, and his uncle, Dr. H. A. Graney, is presently a staff member at Des Moines General Hospital.

With such a background one might have expected young Daniel to consider a medical career, but he chose law for his profession and is today a well-known attorney and member of a Des Moines law firm. Mr. Hannan is a graduate of the University of Notre Dame where he received an A.B. degree, Magna cum Laude, and Harvard University where he was awarded the LL.B. degree. Although he was interested in all sports and participated in many, he favored baseball and was a member of the university ball team at Notre Dame.

During World War II, Captain Hannan served four years as a bomber pilot in the United States Air Force and was stationed in the European theater. "Those four years of military service," he reminisced, "were four of the most interesting years of my life."

Perhaps one of the most amusing incidents Captain Hannan recalls was during a leave of absence when he returned home to visit his family after flying on several bomber missions and was "picked up" by a WAC MP (military police) for being out of uniform. He had forgotten to wear his tie and before he could be released from his "arrest" he had to buy a regulation tie and put it on!

Hannan is a native Iowan and married to a Des Moines girl, the former Jeanne Gordon, Miss Iowa of 1945. They are the parents of two boys, aged seven and nine; and one daughter, aged three.

## FACULTY ADDITIONS—

(Continued from Page 1)

Dr. Mayer is married and has four children, Jeffrey 13, twin sons, Mark and Marshall 8, and Mollie 6. He is a member of the Reorganized Latter Day Saints Church.

Dr. Wilson was born in Des Moines in 1912. Following his graduation from Roosevelt High School in June, 1930, he attended Drake University for two years, 1930-1932.

Following his graduation from Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy, he interned in McAllister Hospital, Houston, Texas, and then spent two years in the Reed and Husted Post Graduate College, Denver, Colorado, preparing for his specialty of Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat.

In 1952 Dr. Wilson founded Wilden Osteopathic Hospital, a ten-bed institution (he lived in one separate section and had his office and hospital in the other). Today, there are 49 beds and 11 bassinets.

Each year Dr. Wilson takes time out from a busy practice to attend post-graduate courses in his specialty. In 1951 he spent six months at the State Hospital in Lenz, Austria, studying under Professor Raeger, an outstanding teacher in the field of Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat. He is a member of the Osteopathic College of Ophthalmology and Otorhinolaryngology and received his certification in 1951.

Dr. Wilson is married and has three children—a daughter Deborah now Mrs. William J. Fultz, Des Moines; David James, a pre-medical student at Wentworth Military Academy in Missouri and a daughter Mollie Catherine, a senior in Roosevelt High School.

Dr. Wilson is a member of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, The Masonic Lodge and the Shrine.

## Alumni Officers

### Oklahoma

President—Dr. Ivan Penquite '37, Sapulpa.  
Secretary—Dr. Thomas L. Wilson, '27, Tulsa.

## CALENDAR

Student Wives Club Benefit....Dec. 9  
Christmas Vac.....Dec. 22-Jan 4, Inc.  
Spring Semester registration .....January 20  
Fall semester closes.....January 21  
Spring semester starts....January 24  
Easter vacation.March 30-Apr. 4, Inc.  
Public Health Banquet.....April 10  
Homecoming .....June 1-2  
Graduation .....June 2

In spite of a busy career, Daniel Hannan finds time to actively participate in many professional and civic organizations including the Bar Associations, Knights of Columbus, Elks Lodge, the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars. He is also a member of the Des Moines Golf and Country Club.

## Joy to the World The Lord Is Come!

As we approach Christmas Day in these troubled times, may we be reminded that this is a day of joy in commemoration of the birth of the Christ Child—a day which can only be found in the countries believing in the One whose birth we will celebrate.

As we prepare for this Holy Day, may we be mindful of the true significance of this great season of the year.

As citizens of this great nation, let us give thanks for our liberty, democracy, freedom of religion, and our Free Country.

As osteopathic physicians, let us re-dedicate ourselves to helping those who need us and give thanks to Him that made possible our many talents.

May His blessings be on all of us now and in all years to come.

The officers of your National Alumni Association wish you and yours a Very Merry Christmas and a most Joyous New Year.

W. Clemens Andreen, D.O.  
President  
National Alumni Association.

## Sigma Sigma Phi

The activities of Sigma Sigma Phi are many. The national fraternity has recently been expanded to six chapters by the addition of Zeta Chapter at Philadelphia this semester. The chapter at COMS is the Beta Chapter. The requirements for membership are scholarship, high moral character, and extracurricular service to the profession or to the college. Total membership is further limited to no more than 15% of the combined total of the members of the third semester Sophomore class and Junior and Senior classes, or no more than 40 members at any time.

The pledges for this semester, all from the Junior class, are: Raymond Failer, Thomas Chambers, Keith Simpson, Dick MacKay, John Nelson, Earl Gonyaw, and Eugene Rongaus.

Sigma Sigma Phi is also responsible for the **Pacemaker** yearbook published by the Senior class each year. This year the editors have been Don Turner and Richard Rhodes. Business manager has been Neil Purtell. The co-editors for the 1962 yearbook are Earl Gonyaw and Richard Josof.

For the first time this year, SSP, through its Student Loan Fund, presented Sophomore students David J. O'Mara and James Young with \$250 loans. Loans are presented on the basis of scholarship, moral character, and need. Applications are available through the Secretary-Treasurer of SSP and must be presented for consideration by August 15th prior to the Sophomore year of the applicant.

Some of the other activities in which Sigma Sigma Phi is active are management of the Pacemaker Ball and Christmas Seal drive, ushering at the annual graduation exercise, and tours of the school for prospective students.

## CLUB MEMBERS

*The D.O.'s below are giving the amount of money indicated to the college each year.  
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Top, Left: Neil R. Kitchen, '39,  
18820 Woodward Ave., Detroit 3,  
Michigan.

Center: Verne J. Wilson, '36, Wil-  
den Osteopathic Hospital, East 14th  
and Caapitol Avenue, Des Moines,  
Iowa.

Right: Joseph H. Sage, '52, 44 Green  
Road, North Madison, Ohio.

Bottom, Left: Erwin M. Iverson, '39,  
304 West Hill St., Gallup, New Mexico.

Right: Edward A. Felmlee, '52, 819  
South Denver, Tulsa, Oklahoma.



**To All—Merry Christmas, and  
A Happy New Year!**

## Post Graduate Education Supported By E. R. Squibb & Sons

Through the donations of E. R. Squibb & Sons the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery has been able to present, without cost to the associations, programs in osteopathic medicine and surgery. This is a most worthwhile endeavor on the part of a great pharmaceutical house and will serve to provide the opportunity for post graduate education in many areas. The College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery is extremely grateful and honored to be a part of this forward looking program.

On September 23 and 24 a program on Geriatrics was presented to the Minnesota Osteopathic Association by a team from the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery. The team was composed of Dr. Henry J. Ketman, Associate Professor of Radiology, Dr. Joseph R. McEnerney, Lecturer in Osteopathic Medicine, Dr. Richard H. Borman, Lecturer in Orthopedic Surgery and Dr. Harold E. Higley, Associate Professor in Psychiatry, all from the faculty of the College.

On September 26 and 27 another team composed of Dr. Byron Laycock, Professor of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, President of C.O.M.S., and Dr. William B. Strong, Professor of Medicine of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, presented a program on a variety of subjects concerned with osteopathic medicine to the Nebraska Osteopathic Association at the Hotel Cornhusker in Lincoln, Nebraska.

Both of these programs were remarkably well attended and enthusiastically received. The College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery has prepared many programs of this type. Its expanding faculty will make possible a wide variety of presentations.

## Dr. Miroyiannis

Dr. Stanley D. Miroyiannis, Ph.D., professor of Anatomy and Chairman of the department at COMS, has been called to participate in the new U. S. Army Reserve Affairs program.

Dr. Miroyiannis, who is a Lt. Colonel in the Medical Service Corps, has been asked to organize the medical and dental corps of the newly formed U. S. Army Garrison at Fort Des Moines.

He is one of the 17 Lt. Colonels picked to become a member of the U. S. Army Garrison, whose mission is to furnish, in the event of war or national emergency and at such other times as national security may require, units effectively organized, trained and equipped in time of peace for rapid mobilization, expansion and deployment for necessary replacement and expansion of the Army and bring this unit to the highest state of readiness.

Lt. Colonel Miroyiannis is an operations and staff officer TNG and has served in various capacities in the U. S. Army and its service schools and hospitals.

## A Child's Gift

When ten-year-old Diane Lewis, 1014 Creston, Des Moines, received a letter recently from Dr. William Hewitt, acting head of the department of Physiology and Professor of Pharmacology at the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, it erased much of the regret she felt after she had agreed with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis, to part with her pet dog, Skipper. (Skipper had developed a tendency to bite people and to keep him safely fenced in was becoming a problem.)



The letter from Dr. Hewitt, quoted in part here, reveals that Diane is perhaps one of Iowa's youngest recent contributors to the field of scientific research.

"Dear Diane Lewis:

Thank you very much for the gift of your dog, Skipper, yesterday.

We appreciate what it means to you to part with your pet. My own girls have had dogs and I know how much they loved them. I'm sure Skipper is one of the more lovable kind, because, for one thing, he's so intelligent.

We owe it to you to tell you how we hope to use Skipper. He will be used in medical research in a problem concerned with prevention and care of blood diseases. We are studying how the kidneys help control the redness of your blood. The kidneys supply a chemical which is carried in the blood stream to the inside of your long bones where red blood cells are made.

(A red blood cell is a tiny doughnut-shaped object. They are so tiny that there are millions of them in every drop of blood. If you were to lay them edge to edge, so as to make a sort of sidewalk, it would take about three thousand of them to make one inch.) Skipper is behaving himself very well. He hasn't bitten anyone or any other dog, and as far as I know he hasn't even growled at anyone. It's too bad he has to be cooped up, but he will be let loose often for a run around to keep him healthy.

Someday, if you are interested, I'd be glad to show you around the college . . . where we keep animals . . . the classrooms . . . and the Clinic where not-very-sick-people come, and the Hospital where we try to help those who must be in bed. It's very good to know that what you're doing helps people.

Thank you again.

William F. Hewitt, Ph. D."

Because Diane and her fifth grade classmates at Park Avenue School are studying a project involving the various parts of the human body they are all interested in her gift to the college.

When accepting Skipper Dr. Hewitt em-

## P.S.G.

The mansion at 3205 Grand once again resounds with activity as Delta Chapter is well into another year. The officers for this year are:

President—Floyd E. Henry, '61, Des Moines, Iowa

Vice President—Earl F. Gonyaw, '62, Algonac, Michigan

Secretary—Dick Josof, '62, Berkley, Michigan

Treasurer and House Manager—Herb M. Fichman, '62, Philadelphia, Pa.

Sergeant of Arms—George Thompson, Watertown, South Dakota

Pledge Master—Rick F. Perry, '63, Stillwater, Ohio

I.F.C. Representative — Keith Simpson, '62, Marietta, Ohio

Our Freshman Welcome Dance was a merry occasion. The evening was concluded with a series of songs led by Brother George Thompson.

The Biochem Worknight given at the house was very valuable as Dr. Hewitt aided in solving some of the problems of the many freshmen who were present.

Our second party of the year brought Floyd Henry and Ken Neff to the keyboard, while Jim Young and his trumpet kept the music swinging. This event was honored by the presence of Dr. Fitz, Department of Psychiatry; Dr. Goldie, Department of Anatomy; and Dr. Hewitt, Department of Chemophysics.

Congratulations to Brother Rick Perry of Fort Lauderdale, Florida and Sally Niffenegger of Whiting, Iowa on their recent engagement.



## Officers

First row, from left: D. Josof, F. Henry, H. Fichman, K. Simpson, E. Gonyaw.

Back, from left: B. Miracle, G. Thompson, R. Perry.

## Attention Alumni

Start the New Year right. Attend the Alumni Luncheon Meeting on Wednesday, January 25, 1961, during the annual convention of the American Osteopathic Association in Miami Beach, Florida.

phasized that although the college's research departments have been the grateful recipients of many gifts by individuals who wanted to contribute toward their programs, the scarcity of experimental animals is of real concern. It is only through such experiments that the work in the fields of osteopathic medical research may advance rapidly.



## 1903 Graduate Returns

"I'm impressed with today's students! The questions they ask and the interest they show indicate they know what they want and where they're going," asserted Dr. W. R. Arnold, Vancouver, Washington, after he lectured to Dr. Byron Laycock's classes in Osteopathic Principles and Manipulative Techniques on November 8 and 9.

Equally impressed were the students as they listened and watched the tall 85-year old doctor demonstrate the techniques of the "10-fingered osteopathy" he has used during his 56 years of practice.

Dr. Arnold's visit to Des Moines and the college was the first one since he graduated here in the class of 1903. Mrs. Arnold accompanied him on the trip.

Born in Iowa in 1875, Dr. Arnold spent his boyhood on farms near Newton and Ames and graduated from Grinnell college in 1901 before enrolling in the Dr. S. S. Still College of Osteopathy—as the college was then known.

When reminiscing about his days as a student here Dr. Arnold said one of the things he enjoyed most was being a member of the college football team. "Those were the days when a player had to be rugged to play for thirty minute halves with no rest period or substitution of players," he said.

Dr. Arnold moved his office from downtown Vancouver, where he has practiced since his graduation, to an office in his home about ten years ago. He still maintains an active practice.

Dr. and Mrs. Arnold made the visit to Des Moines and the college after a personal invitation was extended to them by Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, president of COMS, when he addressed the Washington state osteopathic association meetings early last summer.



Dr. Arnold Is Pictured fourth from left.

## L.O.G.

This year's officers for L.O.G. fraternity are:

President, James Grekin  
Vice-President, Leon Rosky  
Treasurer, Alan Belkin  
Recording Secretary, Murray Hurwitz  
Corresponding Secretary, Irwin Eisenberg  
Sergeant at Arms, Bob Cohen

Congratulations to the new L.O.G. members who were initiated last month. They are Julian Kutinsky, Jerome Kwartowitz, Harris Ross, Jerry Uzansky, and Gershon Weiner.

The annual L.O.G. picnic, again this year, was a huge success. The turnout was excellent, the food was palatable, and all who were there had a fine time. The egg-throwing contest this year was won by Herb Goodwin and wife.

The second L.O.G. affair this year was a semi-formal dance held at the Jewish Community Center.

Another rushing affair was the annual L.O.G. stag which was held in November.

The first of many worknights that L.O.G. presents throughout the year was on the subject of Osteology, after which refreshments were served.

Six men entered into the holy bonds of matrimony during the past months. They were: Mo Belkin, Don Bernstein, Jerry Kwartowitz, Stuart Megdall, Sheldon Schore and Nelson Sklar. Also two men became engaged—James Grekin and Jerry Sitner.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. L. Soverinski who are now the parents of a baby girl.

## I.T.S.

Beta Chapter of this beloved fraternity is pleased to announce to our alumni that we are carrying on the tradition of 'Independence, Truth, and Skill.' Both the professional and social calendars are filled for the balance of the year and we approach each activity with increasing enthusiasm.

Pledging took place last month and each of the fraternities received many prospective D.O.'s. More men selected I.T.S. than any other organization, and a new record for number of applicants to this chapter has been established at 22—with more to come! We trust each will conduct himself through this pledging as a "scholar and gentleman"—which thus will allow his election to join ranks with the finest men of the greatest profession in the world. This we believe. . . .

The pledges will be introduced in the next edition of the Log Book and until then, our heartiest wishes to everyone for a happy holiday season!

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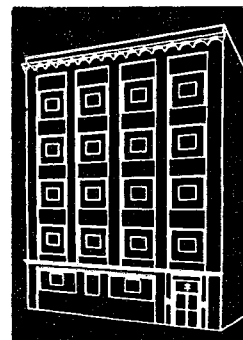
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JANUARY, 1961

## College Benefit Ball February 4

### Auxiliary Will Sponsor

The 15th Annual College Benefit Ball sponsored by the Auxiliary to the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, will be held at the Savery Hotel in Des Moines, Saturday, February 4, 1961.

Mrs. Robert Weissinger, publicity chairman, has announced that the changes made last year in the arrangements for this event were so successful that they are being repeated this year. Dinner will be served this year from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., and dancing from 9:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. to the music of The Velvetones featuring Speck Redd.

Mrs. Richard Kotz and Mrs. J. R. Mc-Nerney, co-chairmen of ticket sales, state that letters and tickets have been mailed to all osteopathic physicians in Iowa. They request that reservations and checks be mailed to Mrs. Henry J. Braunschweig, 1351 College, Des Moines, Iowa not later than January 30, 1961.

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, redecorating and refurnishing the reception room in the hospital, an addressograph machine, and a contribution of \$989.50 to the College Endowment Fund. Proceeds from last year's benefit were used to purchase administrative equipment.

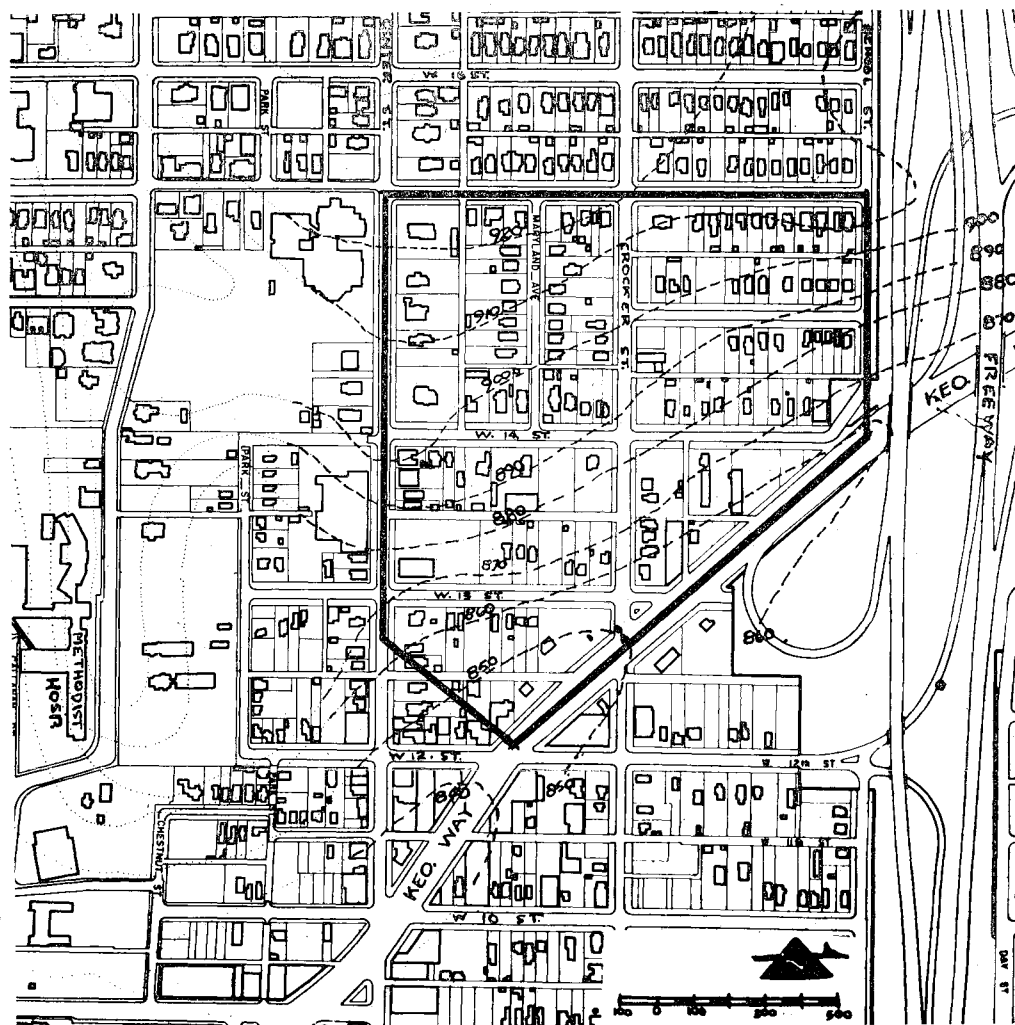
General chairman is Mrs. Myron S. Magen. Mesdames Gerald Hohn and Lee Ghormley are in charge of prizes and Mrs. Donald Kay is chairman of the decorating committee.

### Specialists to Hold Combined Convention

The Third Annual Combined Convention of the American College of Osteopathic Obstetricians and Gynecologists and the American College of Osteopathic Pediatricians will be held at the Stardust Hotel, Las Vegas, Nevada on February 6-9, 1961.

For further information, contact Dr. Arthur A. Speir, Box 66, Merrill, Michigan, Sec.-Treas., Combined Convention Committee.

## COMS Seeks New Campus Site



## Board Member of the Month

When Ted Flynn, vice-chairman of the COMS Board of Trustees, was a boy he found his father's profession as a banker a most interesting one . . . especially the insurance division where he spent much of his spare time working in the office. All of which makes it not at all surprising that today he is the successful owner of his own insurance agency.



When tall, dark-haired Ted Flynn talks about the many changes and growth in the insurance field during the past several years, he immediately impresses one with his deep and sincere interest in his work.

Born in Des Moines, Iowa, Ted Flynn was graduated from the former Des Moines Catholic College. His career in insurance was interrupted by World War II when he enlisted in the United States Air Force. After a period of training in the states, Sergeant Flynn was stationed at the Northwest Field in Guam. Although he trained as a gunner and flew on several bomber missions during the war, most of his work was with the Intelligence Unit.

After his discharge from military service in 1946, Mr. Flynn established his own insurance agency, with offices in a large downtown Des Moines office building. He is a member of the National, Iowa and Des Moines Associations of Insurance Agents, and has served as both president and secretary-treasurer of the Des Moines association.

Mr. and Mrs. Flynn, the former Dorothy Bolton of Creston, Iowa, are the parents of four children—two boys, Brian, aged 15; Thomas, aged 13, and two girls, Toni, aged 21, and Anne, aged 18. When asked if he has any particular hobbies, Mr. Flynn at once proudly answered, "My only real hobby is my family."

In addition to serving as a member of the Board of Trustees for the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery since 1947, Ted Flynn has been active in many community activities. He served as a member of the Speakers Bureau for the Des Moines Community Chest for several years, and as

## Wives Club

The October meeting of the Student Wives Club was held at the Des Moines Art Center in combination with a freshman tea. The Club was honored by the presence of Mrs. Francis E. Warner of Indiana, past-president of the A.A.O.A., and present advisor to the student wives. Present also that evening were Mrs. Merlyn McLaughlin, wife of President McLaughlin, COMS; Mrs. William B. Strong, wife of Dr. Strong, Medical Director, COMS; Mrs. R. H. Borman, president of the Polk County Osteopathic Auxiliary and our sponsors Mrs. Lloyd Ficke and Mrs. Harold Higley.

Our November meeting featured as guest Mrs. Nadeen Gunson, chairman of the Youngsters Teen Board and Charm Clinic, who discussed some components of "charm," including posture, clothing, carriage and makeup. An important part of this meeting was the collection of canned goods and dimes for the Thanksgiving Basket which we give annually to some needy family.

In December the wives found themselves unusually busy. The regular meeting featured a program on "Flower Arranging" by Mrs. T. Yamamoto, a Japanese-born American citizen. We made plans for a Bake Sale in January, to be directed by Mrs. Fred Khani, and a Rummage Sale which we will hold in April.

December 15th found seven of our number with voices raised in Christmas carol harmony at all three of the Osteopathic Hospitals in the city. They were Mrs. Sheldon Kule, president of the club, Mrs. Thomas Lavaty, Mrs. Stuart Megdall, Mrs. Murray Hurwitz, Mrs. Chorde Davidson, Mrs. Thomas DiResta and Mrs. Emanuel Kourakis.

Highlighting the Christmas Social Season for the College was the Wives Club-sponsored dance, "The Mistletoe Fantasy" at the Hyperion Country Club. Music provided by Keith Killinger and his orchestra added to a lovely and successful evening. We hope that the few who could not attend this year will make plans to join us next time, and we wish to thank all the doctors and their wives who were present.

chairman of the Home Service Committee for the American Red Cross. He is also a Board Member of the South Side Community House.

Included among the groups in which he holds active membership are the American Legion Argonne Post No. 60, Dowling Club, Holy Name Society and the Des Moines Pioneer Club.

In spite of his many business and community-wide duties, Ted Flynn still finds time for two of his favorite "recreational activities"—reading and playing golf.

## Wives Aid Endowment Fund



Mrs. Neil Purtell, chairman of the Endowment Fund Committee of the Student Wives Club, is shown presenting a check for \$172.66 to Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, president of the college. The check represents proceeds from contributions made for the fund during the last convention of the Iowa Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons. The Endowment Fund was established by the Student Wives in 1958.

## Meet At Clinical Conference



Dr. Edward R. Minnick, (left) of Wayne, Michigan, renewed an acquaintance with Dr. Byron E. Laycock, professor of Osteopathic Principles, COMS, at the Mid-year Clinical Conference of the American College of General Practitioners in Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery held November 18-20 in Detroit, Michigan. Dr. Laycock appeared three times on the program, making presentations on "Low Back Therapeutics," "Cervicodorsal Techniques," and "Osteopathic Therapeutics."

## HOME COMING — JUNE 1, 2, 1961

### POSTDOCTORAL PROGRAM

Classes of: 1901-06-11-16-21-26-31-36-41-46-51-56

## Doctor Woods Receives Certification

Dr. Ronald K. Woods of Des Moines has recently received his certification in general surgery by the American Osteopathic Board



Dr. Woods

of Surgery of the American Osteopathic Association.

Dr. Woods graduated from C.O.M.S. in 1942, interned at Des Moines General Hospital, and subsequently served a four-year residency in general surgery at Des Moines General. Dr. Woods has

been practicing in Des Moines, is on the staff of all three osteopathic hospitals in the city and is a member of the staff of 12 county and community hospitals in central Iowa.

Since 1947 Dr. Woods has been acting chairman of the Department of Surgery at C.O.M.S. He is currently teaching both major and minor surgery and a three-part freshman course divided into disaster care and planning, first aid, and cancer orientation. He is a member of the AOA committee for disaster in medicine and is supervising this committee in 8 midwestern states.

## P.S.G.

Delta chapter welcomes its pledges of 1960:

### Freshmen:

Willis B. Anderson, Jr., Birmingham, Michigan  
Grant R. Born, Jr., Detroit, Michigan  
Douglas A. Dunham, Akron, Ohio  
Louis Fortuna, Philadelphia, Penn.  
Herbert Greenbaum, New Milford, N. J.  
George Gustavson, Gibraltar, Michigan  
Jim L. Johnston, Canton, Ohio  
Norman A. Klegon, Detroit, Michigan  
Robert A. Komer, Detroit, Michigan  
Albert T. Luster, South Bend, Indiana  
Dean R. Nickel, Lakewood, Ohio  
Francis W. O'Connor, Boston, Mass.  
James Reuter, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan  
Louis P. Ricci, New York, N. Y.  
Richard M. Touma, Port Huron, Michigan  
William V. Utter, Kansas City, Missouri  
John M. Vargo, Aurora, Illinois  
Ronald Zarzycki, Detroit, Michigan

### Sophomores:

Harvey A. Bergren, Detroit, Michigan  
John B. Dolnen, Minnesota  
John K. Edleman, Grand Rapids, Michigan  
Joseph Stanley Johnson, Detroit, Mich.

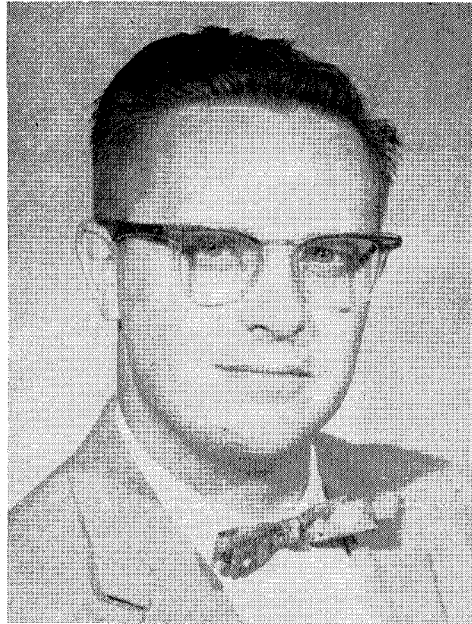
### Junior:

Alvin J. Burstein, Hempstead, N. Y.  
New officers for the second half of this year are:

President—Donald L. Turner '61, Dayton, Ohio  
Sgt.-at-Arms—David B. Russack '62, Youngstown, Ohio

We've added a few things to our home at 3205 Grand; which include a new furnace, new roof and some new livingroom furniture.

## "500" Club Member



Dr. Milton R. Snow, Medford, Oregon, is now a member of the "500" club. This means that Dr. Snow is giving \$500 to the college each year.

## Dr. Elmet's Conducts Clinic

Dr. Harry B. Elmet's, '46, voluntarily conducts a Dermatological Clinic in Still Clinic each Friday morning. Junior and senior stu-



Dr. Elmet's

dents in the clinic make the appointments for their patients through the chief clinic supervisor and then assist Dr. Elmet's. All types of skin problems are presented during this morning clinic. Diagnostic procedures in cooperation with the pathology and microbiology departments are carried out as well as surgical procedures.

Dr. Elmet's was born in Des Moines, Iowa, April 22, 1920. A graduate of Roosevelt High School in 1938, he attended the State University of Iowa receiving a B. A. degree in 1942 before enrolling in Des Moines Still College of Osteopathy & Surgery. After his graduation "With Distinction" from the College, he interned in Des Moines General Hospital. He has been head of the Department of Dermatology and a part-time faculty member in the College since the fall of 1947. Certified by the American Osteopathic Board of Dermatology, he is one of its trustees, chairman of its examining committee and a member of its credentials committee. He is a consultant in Dermatology to Des Moines General Hospital, Still Osteopathic Hospital, and Wilden Osteopathic Hospital.

Dr. Elmet's and his wife Charlotte have

## I. T. S.

Greetings for the new year to our brothers everywhere! Beta Chapter proudly presents the men who are candidates for membership in Iota Tau Sigma:

Chorde W. Davidson, Tulsa, Oklahoma  
Thomas M. DiResta, Lawrence, Mass.  
Alfred W. Driscoll, Maple Heights, Ohio  
Johnny Eloian, Phoenix, Arizona  
Ronald R. Ganelli, Brooklyn, New York  
Gary D. Garrett, Flint, Michigan  
Herbert Gearhart, Hopkinton, Iowa  
Fredrick Green, Alva, Oklahoma  
Richard C. Harrison, St. Petersburg, Fla.  
Nadeem M. Hether, Detroit, Michigan  
James F. Hogan, Merrill, Michigan  
Louie W. Hood, Montgomery, Alabama  
David M. Mac, Amsterdam, New York  
Patrick K. McClellan, Los Angeles, Calif.  
F. Leith Mitchell, Albuquerque, New M.  
Rex E. Ollom, New Braunfels, Texas  
Charles L. Pigneri, West Des Moines, Ia.  
Ben A. Raines, Kansas City, Missouri  
Val A. Rongaus, Donora, Pennsylvania  
Vernice W. Strickland, Starke, Florida  
Edmund F. Volk, Jr., Akron, Ohio  
Samuel W. Williams, Jr., Clinton, Iowa  
Randall H. Willis, Springfield, Ohio  
Ronald E. Wolfe, Dayton, Ohio  
Richard J. Zimmer, Algonac, Michigan  
John A. Zuransky, Dedham, Mass.

To accumulate a finer group of men in any professional school would indeed be a difficult task. Competent leadership is provided in these elected pledge officers: Leith Mitchell, president; Pat McClellan, vice-president; and Ron Ganelli, sec-treasurer.

The annual Christmas Party was held at the Casa Loma Lounge, Sunday, Dec. 18. Highlighting the evening were the announcements of the selection of two honorary members to the fraternity, Dr. Elizabeth Burrows, chairman of the department of OB-GYN, and Dr. Jen-yah Hsie, chairman of the department of Microbiology. President John W. Nelson awarded certificates to both our new 'members' and told them they had been selected by the fraternity because they are outstanding individuals.

A special award was presented to Mrs. Mary Hutton, an employee of the clinic. Mary has distinguished herself by keeping our clinic sparkling and clean for so many months . . . and never asking for, or complaining about, anything. We love this lady and to humbly show it Beta Chapter gave her something she has never owned—a television set. Working together for the advancement of osteopathic medicine includes such activities as these and the men of I. T. S. are thankful for the privilege we have of serving ourselves by serving others.

Other guests in attendance at the Christmas Party were Dr. and Mrs. Donald Sloan, and Dr. and Mrs. Harold Dresser. Dr. Sloan is our Chapter Advisor and we appreciate his interest in us.

We have many plans—plans with attainable goals—for the new year. All alumni are welcome anytime, and we'd like to hear from you.

three sons, Craig 11, Steven 9, and Douglas 3. He is a member of Temple Bnai Jeshurun, Masonic Lodge, Consistory and Za-Ga-Zig Shrine.

## Hospital Employee Retires



Mr. Basil McDowell, maintenance supervisor of Still Osteopathic Hospital proudly displays a watch that he received at a party in his honor on the occasion of his retirement. Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, president of the College made the presentation. Employees of the College, Clinic, and Hospital presented Mr. McDowell with a transistor radio.

### ALUMNI TO MEET

Luncheon and Business Meeting  
12:00 Noon—4:00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25, 1961  
MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA

Dr. Donald T. Leigh, 325  
Alhambra Circle, Coral Gables  
Florida is in charge of local  
arrangements

## College Team Visits KCOS

President McLaughlin and five COMS staff members visited the Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery recently and discussed ideas on research, administration, fund raising, accounting, and other matters of interest to COMS. Visitors, in addition to President McLaughlin, were Doctors Mark Goldie, William F. Hewitt, Myron S. Magen, J. R. McNeerney, and William B. Strong.

The group spent Wednesday, December 28, and the morning of Thursday, the 29th, talking with President Thompson, Dean Tilley, Dr. Denslow (Director of Research Affairs), Dr. Korr (Chairman of the Division of Physiological Sciences), Dr. Snyder (Chairman, Division of Anatomical Sciences), Louis W. Handley (Treasurer and Business Manager), Francis M. Walter (Assistant Dean and Registrar), and Professors Attebery (Surgery), Dun (Physiology), Gutensohn (Anatomy and Osteopathic Medicine), Hix (Pharmacology), King (Pediatrics), Mace (Obstetrics and Gynecology), Thomas (Physiology), Umanzio (Microbiology), Wright (Physiology) and others.

As a result of these conversations, President McLaughlin says, "We learned a great deal that will be definitely useful in our plans for developing our own College in teaching, research and administration." The Kirksville staff members were most cooperative, stating (in President Morris Thompson's words), "We have no secrets."

The COMS visiting team was invited to attend President Thompson's annual "at home" Wednesday evening, where they met many more of the Kirksville College family. KCOS hospitality will be repaid when Kirksville staff members visit COMS in coming months. Plans for these visits, and for exchange of lecturers in certain subject areas, were among the topics discussed in Kirksville.

## Recent Visitor to College



Dr. Robert J. McCollough, Tulsa, Oklahoma, was featured at a December all-school convocation. Dr. McCollough, past-president of the AOA, told the students that this decade will represent "a tremendous era of challenge for the Osteopathic Profession, and that if we could pattern our lives on three P's, a 'Purpose,' a 'Plan,' and then acquire the 'Power,' we could not help but succeed, individually and collectively."

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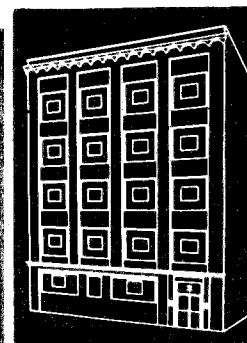
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## Educational Policies Committee Formed

### Plan Graduate Education Programs

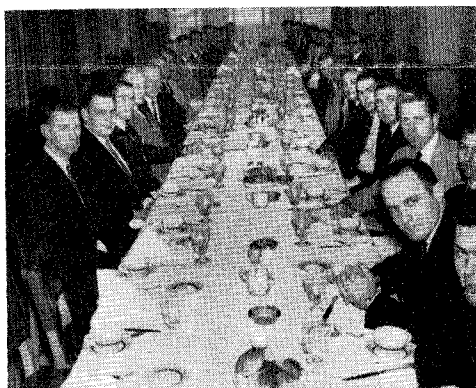
Two members of the Graduate Education Committee (Dr. William B. Strong, medical director—seated left) and Committee Chairman Dr. John B. Shumaker (standing left) meet with President McLaughlin (standing right) and Dr. V. J. Wilson, chairman of the Health, Education and Welfare Committee of the Polk County Society of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons to plan for future programs in Graduate Education. (The Polk County Society is cooperating with the College in the presentation of Graduate Education programs.)



When the above picture was taken this group was planning for the Postdoctoral program to be presented June 1-2, 1961, during graduation week activities. "Details of this most interesting program will be announced in the near future", stated Committee Chairman Dr. Shumaker.

Dr. Harold E. Higley, committee member, was not present for the meeting due to illness.

### Painters Rewarded



The students who participated in painting the college clinic building were rewarded for their labors by a luncheon at the Des Moines Club, sponsored by the College Board of Trustees.

Representing the Board were Mr. Daniel E. Hannan and Mr. Ted Flynn, both of whom thanked the students for a job well done; and said that effort such as this was typical of the present-day high morale in our college.

### Hannan Addresses Realtors

"If Des Moines were to lose the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery the economic impact would run into astronomical figures of loss," Daniel E. Hannan, chairman of the Board of Trustees of COMS, told the Des Moines Real Estate Board at its weekly luncheon meeting, Thursday, January 19, as he discussed the college's building program.

A recent survey, Mr. Hannan said, discloses that annual spending in Des Moines from the institution exceeds five million dollars. Many patients who are treated through the clinics would necessarily have to require services of tax supported institutions if the college clinics were not available.

Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, president of the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery, has announced the formation of a new Educational Policies Committee.

#### Duties

Duties of this committee, among other things, will be to consider and recommend action on:

1. Professional and Clinical rank or titles.
2. Promotions and Tenure.
3. Student standards, conduct and discipline.
4. Faculty needs and Faculty recruiting.
5. Development and conduct of all educational programs.
6. Assigned responsibilities of individuals or departments toward accomplishing all educational programs.
7. Requirements for facilities and equipment.
8. Recommendations of standing committees in the College, Clinic, and Hospital.
9. Student and Faculty Health programs.
10. Such other problems as may be appropriate or assigned by the President.

#### Members

Members of the committee are:

John B. Shumaker, Dean, Chairman; William F. Hewitt, Jr., Director of Research Affairs; Stanley D. Miroyiannis, Elected Representative of the Preclinical Division 1960-61; A. C. Parmenter, Administrator, Hospital and Clinics; Joseph E. Prior, Elected Representative of the Clinical Division 1960-61; William B. Strong, Medical Director.

The college is seeking to acquire a 25 acre tract located near down-town Des Moines for a new college building, new clinic building and a new hospital, in addition to housing for students.

Mr. Hannan pointed out that late reports from the United States Public Health Service indicate that if we are to maintain the present ratio of M.D.'s and D.O.'s to the population we need to increase our facilities to provide for at least 500 students. (Present enrollment is 283.)

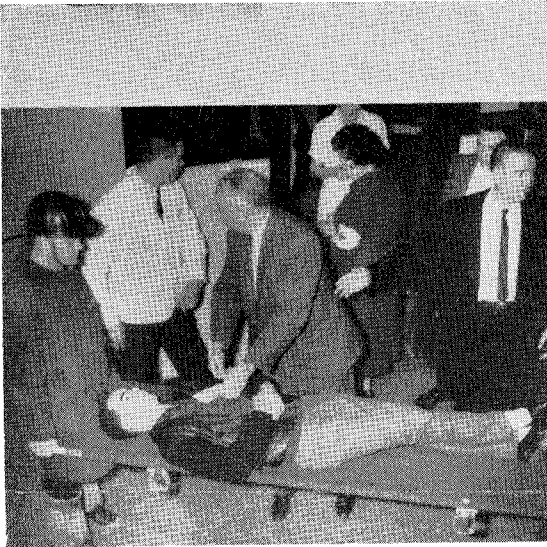
"Right now, Mr. Hannan added, "our future looks good and we know that if the citizens of Des Moines will cooperate with our program we can have one of the finest of medical centers."

## HOMECOMING—JUNE 1, 2, 1961

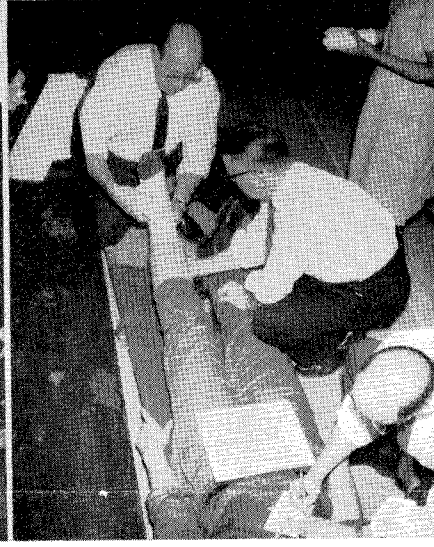
### Postdoctoral Course, Reception, Banquet

Classes to be honored: 1901-06-11-16-21-26-31-36-41-46-51-56 and 1961

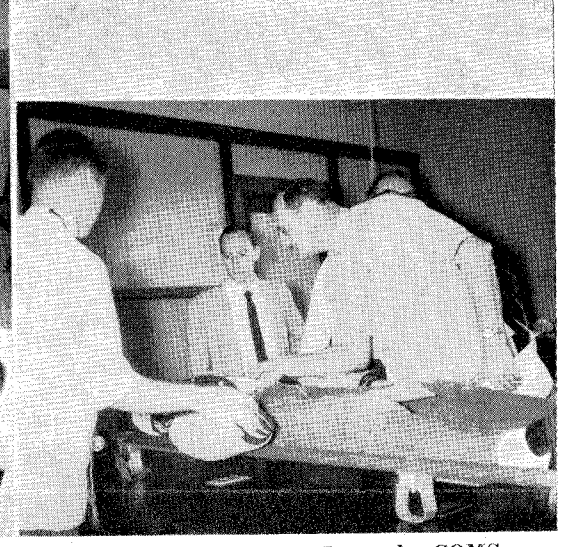
## City Holds Civil Defense Drill



Left: Pictured examining a "casualty" arriving at COMS on a stretcher borne by city firemen are Dr. William Strong, third from left, and Dr. Ronald K. Woods, right.



Center: Injured parties are dispatched to various areas of the college according to the nature of their injuries. Shown here are Drs. E. F. Leininger, top; Thomas R. Griffith, middle; and Robert L. Pettit, right.



Right: Dr. Byron Laycock, COMS, examines an injured student to determine where in the college or hospital he should be sent for treatment.

The city of Des Moines has held its first city-wide disaster exercise. Participating in this event were the following hospitals: Broadlawns County, Iowa Lutheran, Iowa Methodist, Mercy and Still Osteopathic Hospital.

### PCOS Cooperates

The Polk County Osteopathic Society combined their efforts with physicians from across the city, both medical and osteopathic, students from C.O.M.S., the city police and fire departments and the public schools to give Des Moines its first city wide disaster exercise.

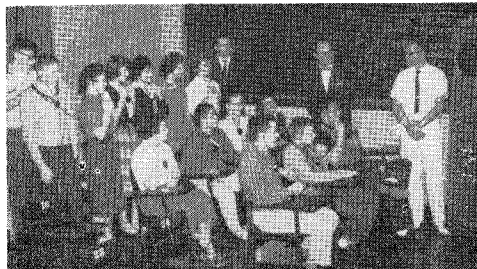
Mr. Ralph Scroggs of the Polk County Red Cross Association instructed C.O.M.S. freshmen students in the arts of stretcher bearing and casualty handling prior to the exercise. The mock casualties handled by the college and hospital were 35 local high school students who were "injured" in the collapse of a set of bleachers which held them. The casualties were sorted and classified at the scene and then dispatched to various hospitals. Mr. A. C. Parmenter, Administrator of Still Osteopathic Hospital, was coordinator in charge of all the Polk County hospitals. Regardless of its being the first disaster exercise, it was considered a success and all parties functioned efficiently and well. This program will be repeated sometime in the spring of 1961.

### Civil Defense Office Loan

The college has recently received a loan from the AOA via the Office of Civil and Defense Mobilization of 250 transparencies for civil defense educational purposes. The college will make 3 copies of these transparencies to be distributed locally, regionally and nationally throughout the osteopathic profession.

## Students Tour College

Each year students from the local and surrounding high schools visit the College. The tours are conducted by junior and senior students. Demonstrations and lectures are provided by staff and faculty members and their assistants in all departments of the College and Clinic.



Top Picture: Dr. Sanford S. Herr, resident in Internal Medicine explains the working of the Cathode Ray Oscilloscope to students interested in science from North High School.

Bottom Picture: Dr. Myron S. Magen, Associate Professor in Pediatrics, discusses the different phases of clinical medicine and the hospital with students from Lincoln High School.

## Chamber of Commerce Presents Convocation



Richard MacKay (left) class of '62, Lansing, Michigan, president of the student council; Mr. Neil Garrett (center) of Gibson, Stewart and Garrett attorneys; and Dr. John B. Shumaker, dean of the College, discuss Chamber of Commerce activities before convening an all student convocation.

Mr. Garrett reviewed the past and present growth and accomplishments of the Greater Des Moines Chamber of Commerce and the role of this organization in the future development of Des Moines.

### Bulletin

COMS BREAKS ALL-TIME  
RECORD IN CHRISTMAS SEAL  
DRIVE AMONG COLLEGES!!  
STORY NEXT MONTH.

## Board Member of the Month

The well-known adage, "it's the busy person who gets things done and always has time for just one more job"—may well apply to Marion E. Wallace, a member of the Board of Trustees for the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery.

His present activities range from serving as president of the Stoner-McCray System of billboard advertising and the Stoner Investment Company, both located in Des Moines, Iowa to manager of three Iowa farms and several Des Moines building properties. A look at his slender, straight figure and his animated face convinces one that he finds his many "jobs" an exhilarating challenge.



Marion E. Wallace

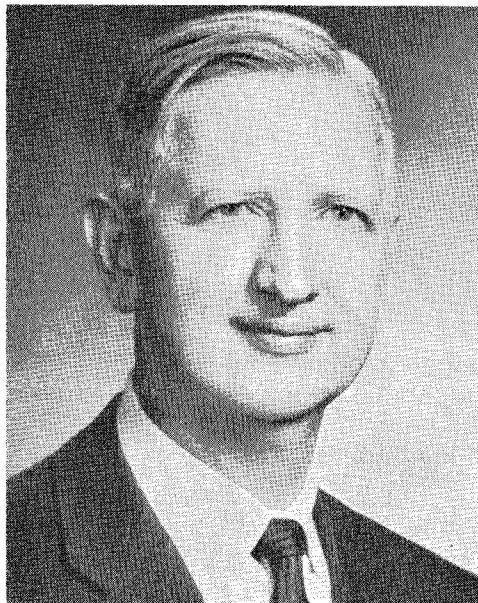
Born in Fairbury, Nebraska, he later moved with his parents to a farm near Vinton, Iowa, where he stayed until his graduation from high school. With a desire to attend college—and little money for expenses—he took a job in a furniture store to earn his way through school.

However, those plans were changed when World War I started and young Marion at once enlisted. He served as a 1st Sergeant in the Medical Corps at Ft. Riley, Kansas, where he was in charge of all records for the Corps doctors. He was later transferred to officers' training school and was commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant in the Quartermaster Corps and served in that capacity until his discharge.

Following his army service, Mr. Wallace was offered a position with a small bank in Illinois. "This," he says, "was one of the

## "500" Club Member

The College of Osteopathic Medicine & Surgery is pleased to announce the addition of a new member to our "500" Club. This means that the new member contributes \$500.00 to the college each year.



Dr. E. A. Purtzer, '31,  
Scottsbluff, Nebraska.

finest experiences I had to prepare me for my present jobs."

He was married to Miss Zella Green in 1919, who was, at that time, employed as a teacher in the Vinton Public Schools. They were the parents of one daughter. Mrs. Wallace passed away in 1957.

Included among the honors Mr. Wallace has received is the Doctor of Humanities degree awarded him by the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery in June 1960.

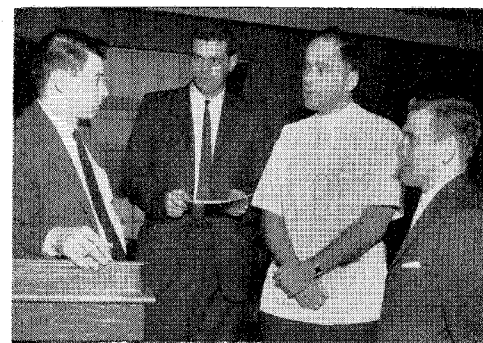
Mr. Wallace holds active memberships in the Rotary Club, which he served as president during 1952-53; the Des Moines Advertising Club and Chamber of Commerce. He is also a member of the Chamber of Commerce Committee of One-Hundred which was organized to develop a long-range planning program for the city of Des Moines. "We feel," said Mr. Wallace, "that Des Moines has a big future ahead—just as I feel that the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery is headed for a bigger and better future."

Mr. Wallace is a member of the Des Moines Central Presbyterian Church and is presently serving as Clerk of the Session.

Lest one get the idea that his life is all work and no play, it should be noted that Mr. Wallace is a fishing enthusiast and dates it, along with working in his yards, as his favorite form of recreation.

In October 1959, Mr. Wallace was married to Mrs. Florence Tomlinson Myers, a member of the Des Moines City Council.

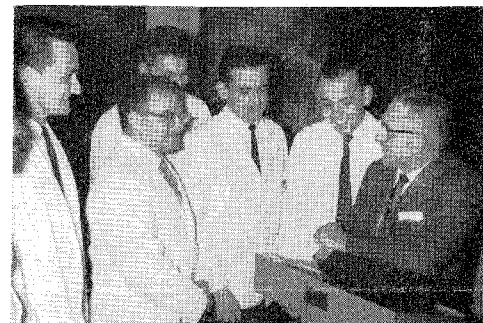
## Recent Visitors To College



From Brentwood Osteopathic Hospital of Ohio came a recent graduate of COMS, Dr. Frank W. Myers, '59, to present the hospital intern program and to tell the junior and senior students the advantages of a practice in Ohio.



Mr. Dick Simms and Dr. Robert Steen of Doctors Hospital, Columbus, Ohio, are pictured with a group of senior students as they discuss internships in Columbus.



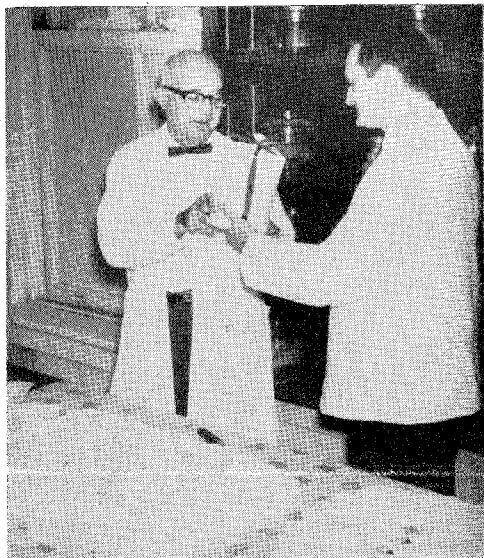
The National Board of Osteopathic Examiners again this year sent Dr. M. E. Coy, Jackson, Tenn., to the college to explain the purpose and procedures of the National Boards. Dr. Coy visited each of the four classes individually and spent much time with the students in small groups as shown above.

## Calendar

Easter Vacation . . . . .	March 30-April 4, Inc.
Pacemaker Ball . . . . .	April 8 (Fort Des Moines Hotel)
Public Health Banquet . . . . .	April 10 (Savery Hotel)
Homecoming . . . . .	June 1-2 (College)
Reception and Banquet . . . . .	June 1 (Savery Hotel)
Graduation . . . . .	June 2 (North High School)



## Freshmen Surprise Dr. Miroyiannis



When Dr. Stanley D. Miroyiannis, chairman of the Department of Anatomy, COMS, walked into the classroom to lecture to his freshmen students recently, he was greeted by resounding "Happy Birthday!" After Frank O'Connor of Dorchester, Mass., presented the good Doctor with a gift on behalf of the class (picture above) refreshments were served.

### CORRECTION PLEASE

In the January, 1961, issue of the Log Book under the heading "Doctor Woods Receives Certification" appeared this statement "Since 1947, Dr. Woods has been acting chairman of the Department of Surgery at the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery." The statement should have read "Since 1957, Dr. Woods has been acting chairman of the Department of Surgery at the College of Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery."

## Employees' Christmas Party



Santa Claus draws the lucky number for the door prizes during the annual employee Christmas party held in Room 202 of the College. Assisting Santa is Mrs. Leah Snell (secretary to Dr. Harold E. Higley) and Mr. A. C. Parmenter, hospital administrator and master of ceremonies.

Other members of the committee were Jan Davis (radiology department) chairman; Frances Lynn, recorder; Lynn Baldwin, medical photographer; Hazel Thomas (surgical aide); Mary Lou Kinzle (secretary to the basic science faculty; and Willa Tucker (clinic accounting office). The program started off with a song-fest led by Joe Moore, well-known Des Moines man and director of public relations for Flynn Dairy. Assisting at the piano was Evelyn Norman (secretary to the Dean). Dr. Merlyn McLaughlin, president of the college, added a serious note with his welcome to the staff and a short talk on the observance of Christmas. Dr. Erle Fitz impersonating Victor Borge delighted the audience. After a few lively numbers by "THE BOYS" combo band and Betty Jo Moore (accordion), Mary Jacobs read the poem "The Night Before Christmas" with slight variations. The party ended with the serving of refreshments and the distribution of many gifts.

## Dr. Braunschweig



Each year Dr. Emil Braunschweig '37 (left) El Cajon, California, makes his annual pilgrimage to the college. After his customary tour of the institution and renewal of acquaintances with members of the faculty, staff, and student body, he visits with the president of the College. Before ending his visit, he always leaves a contribution to the College. At the end of his recent visit with President McLaughlin regarding the "500" Club, the "350" Club and the "250" Club, Dr. Braunschweig once again became the first "500" Club member to pay his membership in full.

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