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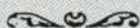
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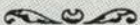
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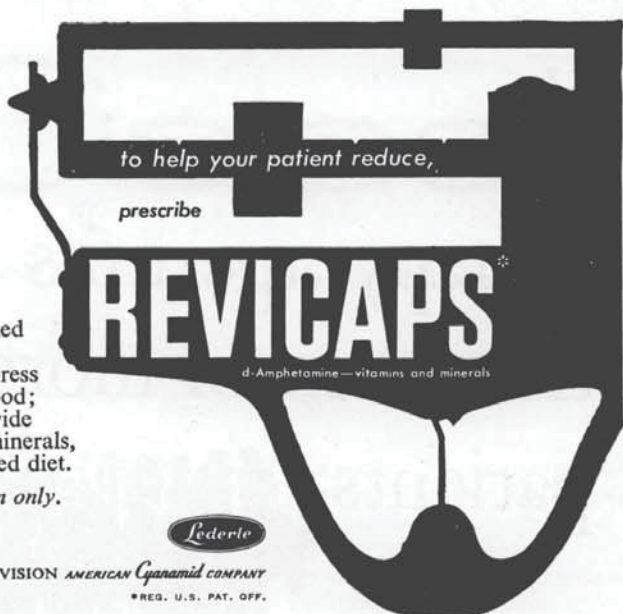
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With The Editor . . .

A long range objective of organized labor is reported to be the creation and adoption of a nationwide standard fee schedule governing physician fees and hospital costs . . . The initial application of the schedule would be to medical and hospital benefit programs negotiated with management by individual local unions . . . Labor has already infiltrated into the governing boards of some Blue Cross and Blue Shield plans . . . Its voice promises to be of major importance in shaping the future of American Medicine . . . Congratulations to the American Academy of General Practice on the opening of its new headquarters building in Kansas City last September 1st . . . Dr. Dwight H. Murray, President of the American Medical Association, in an address at the dedication ceremonies estimated the value of all new medical and health facilities — hospitals, medical schools, medical society buildings—erected in 1956 at one and a half billion dollars . . . Attendance at the Tulsa County Medical Society's first Fall scientific program on September 10th soared to a near record of 176 . . . Let's keep it like that . . . These programs feature some of America's finest talent as guest speakers . . . Even if it is out of your specialty, you will profit by the presentation . . . The Tulsa County Medical Society is scheduling a dinner dance on January 18, 1957, to celebrate its 50th Anniversary . . . A top medical figure will be the guest speaker . . . Details in the next issue of The Bulletin . . . Keep the date in mind and plan to attend . . . They are calling Dr. Robert I. Lubin "Captain Queeg" . . . Seems as though he cut his own tow line while piloting a motorboat at Grand Lake for water skiers recently . . . It happens to the best of us, doctor! . . . TV's "Medic" goes off the air October 8th . . . Couldn't stand the competition with "I Love Lucy" . . . The series will probably resume later in the season . . . Fifteen new firms have been added as Bulletin advertisers since of the beginning of this year . . . Give them your support.

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FOUNDERS DAY CLINIC PLANS COMPLETE

Heavy Attendance Expected For
Postgraduate Study Event On Octo-
ber 31-November 1. Four Guest
Speakers to Appear.

Several hundred area doctors are expected to attend the Tulsa County Medical Society's Fourth Annual Founders Day Clinic to be held Wednesday and Thursday, October 31-November 1, 1956, to hear an outstanding scientific program presented by four visiting distinguished guest speakers.

Headlining the program will be:

Otto Saphir, M.D., Chairman of the Department of Pathology, Michael Reese Hospital, and Professor of Pathology, University of Illinois School of Medicine, Chicago, Illinois.

Walton R. Akenhead, M.D., Professor and Chairman of the Department of Medicine, Louisiana State University School of Medicine, New Orleans, Louisiana.

A. Buford Word, M.D., Associate Professor of Obstetrics & Gynecology, University of Alabama School of Medicine, Birmingham, Alabama.

Lawrence H. Strug, M.D., Professor of Surgery, Louisiana State University School of Medicine, New Orleans, Louisiana.

The Clinic will open with a dinner meeting at 6:30 P.M. in the Sky Terrace of the Tulsa Club on Wednesday evening, October 31st, at which time Dr. Word will deliver the Dr. W. Albert Cook Lecture. His subject will be "Congenital Absence of the Vagina." The lecture is presented annually in honor of the original founders of the Tulsa County Medical Society in 1907 and is named after Dr. W. Albert Cook, first president of the organization. Dr. Cook will be a

special guest at the dinner.

A day-long program will follow at the Blue Cross-Blue Shield Building Auditorium on Thursday, November 1, 1956, with the four speakers presenting five formal papers and a clinical pathological conference.

The annual postgraduate study event is sponsored by the Society in cooperation with the Tulsa Academy of General Practice, the Oklahoma Division of the American Cancer Society, and the Tulsa County Heart Association.

All medical doctors are urged to attend. There is no registration fee and the only cost is for the dinner and luncheon. Members who cannot attend the dinner and luncheon are urged to attend the scientific portions of the meeting.

The American Academy of General Practice has announced that the Founders Day Clinic has been approved for formal postgraduate study credit under Category One.

Reservations for the Wednesday evening dinner of October 31st are now being taken at the Executive Offices of the Tulsa County Medical Society. Tickets may be purchased in advance at B-9 Medical Arts Building, or reservations may be picked up at the door. Members of the Tulsa County Medical Society will be billed, if desired, for the meals. The dinner and social hour at the Tulsa Club is \$5.00 per person. The event is limited to doctors only and their guests.

Reservations should also be made for the luncheon to be served Thursday, No-

ember 1st, at the Blue Cross-Blue Shield Building. Tickets will be \$1.50 per person.

The complete program for the Fourth Annual Founders Day Clinic is as follows:

Wednesday, October 31, 1956

6:30 P.M. Social Hour, Sky Terrace, Tulsa Club.

7:00 P.M. Dinner, Sky Terrace, Tulsa Club.

8:00 P.M. F. L. Flack, M.D., President, Tulsa County Medical Society, Presiding. "Congenital Absence of the Vagina." A. Buford Word, M.D., Birmingham, Alabama.

Thursday, November 1, 1956

10:00 A.M. Registration, Blue Cross-Blue Shield Building Auditorium, 1215 South Boulder, Tulsa. Coffee and Refreshments.

G. R. Russell, M.D., Presiding

10:30 A.M. "Cardiac Emergencies." Walton R. Akenhead, M.D., New Orleans, Louisiana.

11:15 A.M. "Surgical Management of Benign Lesions of the Colon and Rectum." Lawrence H. Strug, M.D., New Orleans, Louisiana.

12:00 Noon. Luncheon.

Robert M. Shepard, Jr., M.D.,
Presiding

1:00 P.M. Clinical Pathological Conference. Otto Saphir, M.D., Chicago, Illinois, and Walton R. Akenhead, M.D., New Orleans, Louisiana.

2:15 P.M. "Abnormal Uterine Bleeding." A. Buford Word, M.D., Birmingham, Alabama.

3:00 P.M. Coffee and Refreshments.

3:15 P.M. "Esophageal Hiatus Hernia." Lawrence H. Strug, M.D., New Orleans, Louisiana.

4:00 P.M. "The Spread of Human Cancer." Otto Saphir, M.D., Chicago, Illinois.

4:45 P.M. Adjournment.

"The speakers for the Fourth Annual Founders Day Clinic have been very carefully selected," said Dr. Robert M. Shepard, Jr., Chairman, last month. "We are fortunate to have obtained these distinguished physicians as lecturers, and I believe this program will prove of wide interest to all doctors."

Special emphasis was placed by Dr.

Shepard on the paper entitled "Congenital Absence of the Vagina" to be given by Dr. Word at the dinner meeting of October 31st. "At first glance this may appear to be a subject of limited interest," Dr. Shepard noted, "but we have been assured by many physicians that it is not only an educational presentation but an extremely humorous one as well. Dr. Word's wry sense of humor has made this paper an outstanding one in terms of education and entertainment. We believe specialists in all fields will greatly enjoy it."

Dr. Otto Saphir is one of America's best known pathologists. A graduate of the University of Vienna School of Medicine, Class of 1921, he served an internship and residency at Allgemeines Krankenhaus of Vienna. Coming to America in 1923 he was associated with Dr. Howard T. Karsner, distinguished Cleveland pathologist, as a Research Fellow in Pathology at Western Reserve University School of Medicine. Later he completed residencies in Pathology at Cleveland City Hospital and in 1926 was named to the faculty of Western Reserve University. Three years later he joined Michael Reese Hospital of Chicago as Director of Pathology, a position which he now holds. Dr. Saphir is also Professor of Pathology at the University of Illinois School of Medicine and a consultant to the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology. He is a diplomate of the American Board of Pathology, member of the American Association of Pathologists and Bacteriologists, American Society of Clinical Pathologists, and the American Association For Cancer Research. He has been widely active in the affairs of the American Cancer Society and in research projects in cancer control.

Dr. Walton R. Akenhead is a graduate of Louisiana State University School of Medicine, Class of 1940. He interned at the United States Marine Hospital of Seattle, Washington, and completed residencies in Internal Medicine at Louisiana State University School of Medicine. Dr. Akenhead served in the Army Medical Corps and was discharged with the rank of Colonel. He is now Chairman of the Department of Medicine at Louisiana

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FOUNDERS DAY GUEST SPEAKERS



OTTO SAPHIR, M.D.
Pathology
Chicago, Illinois



LAWRENCE H. STRUG, M.D.
Surgery
New Orleans, Louisiana



WALTON R. AKENHEAD, M.D.
Internal Medicine
New Orleans, Louisiana



A. BUFORD WORD, M.D.
Obstetrics & Gynecology
Birmingham, Alabama

DETAILS OF NEW HOSPITAL ANNOUNCED

St. Francis Hospital To Be Six Story Structure With Three Auxiliary Buildings. Plans Call For Eventual Bed Capacity of Five Hundred.

Tulsa's four million dollar St. Francis Hospital to be built by the William K. Warren Foundation will be five stories high in addition to a ground floor service area, it was announced last month. Three connecting auxiliary buildings will house a chapel, convent and chaplain's residence.

Preliminary architectural drawings shown to Hospital trustees in early September show a Y-shaped structure housing 250 beds. Provision has been made for the eventual construction of a second 250-bed Y-shaped addition; the base of the Y of the addition will joint the base of the Y of the original structure. Long range plans also contemplate the construction of a nurses residence.

The building will be situated on the southeast corner of the site at 21st and Darlington streets. The location, highest point on the property, was selected to take advantage of the natural contours of the land. The public entrance will face Darlington.

Mr. Charles W. Dohnalek, Chairman of the Building Committee, said construction would begin in June, 1957, with completion scheduled for January, 1959.

The ground floor will contain a kitchen, laundry, morgue and autopsy departments, lockers, machinery and mechanical equipment, boilers, repair shops, en-

gineer's office, cafeteria and dining room, and a dining area for sisters and chaplains. An outdoor loading dock will be adjacent to the repair shops.

The first floor will contain six general operating rooms, two emergency operating rooms, and an emergency department. The X-ray and pathology laboratories will also be located here as well as administrative offices, doctors conference rooms, medical library, record room, pharmacy, coffee shop, central supply, waiting room, and non-denominational meditation room.

The second floor will house the maternity department with three nurseries plus a separate nursery for prematures. Facilities for 60 maternity patients are planned. An attractive fathers waiting room is also included.

The remaining floors will house general beds for medical, surgical, pediatric, and psychiatric patients.

The chapel, to be housed in an auxiliary connecting building, will seat 150 on the main floor and 50 more in the balcony. Attractive landscaped gardens are planned for the convent and chapel area. The convent will care for 35 sisters.

Three parking lots will be provided, one for doctors, one for employees, and one for the public. Three separate driveways are planned, one leading to the employees and doctors parking lots, one to the public parking lot, and a third for emergencies and access to the patient and emergency entrances.

The Hospital will be completely air conditioned. All rooms will be roughly the same size and all will have toilet and lavatory facilities. Many will have private showers and baths.

Plans for St. Francis Hospital were reviewed at a two-day meeting held in Tulsa on September 7-8, attended by trustees, architects, legal advisers, and members of the Order of the Adorers of the Most Precious Blood. The latter group will administrate the hospital.

GOLF TOURNAMENT SET

The Annual Physicians and Dentists Golf Tournament and Dinner of the Tulsa County Medical Society and the Tulsa County Dental Society will be held Thursday, October 18, 1956, at Indian Hills Country Club. Details will be announced later. Prizes will be offered to top golfers by local merchants. Dr. Paul N. Atkins, Jr., Chairman, said the Club House would close at 1:00 A.M., terminating the event at that time.

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PROGRAM COMMITTEE SEEKS TOP SPEAKER

By Walter E. Brown, M.D.
Chairman, Program Committee

(Editor's Note: This is the first in a series of articles explaining the work of the various committees of the Tulsa County Medical Society. In the November issue of The Bulletin the work of the Library Committee will be described).

The Program Committee of the Tulsa County Medical Society is made up of three members, each of whom serves a period of three years on the Committee. Appointments are made by the President of the Society in such a way that the term of service is staggered to allow the nominal Chairman of the Committee to serve in such a capacity in his third year. After three years of service the member is relieved and each incoming President appoints a new member to serve the ensuing three years. The sole function of this Committee is to arrange the scientific programs at the regular meetings of the Tulsa County Medical Society.

Through the years it has become increasingly apparent that the membership of the Society prefers visiting guest speakers rather than speakers chosen from the membership itself. To this end, the Committee usually strives to obtain a speaker of professorial rank from a teaching institution or a "name" physician who has done outstanding work in some particular field. The Committee attempts to select those doctors who are capable of presenting their subject well, both in terms of content and delivery, to the audience.

Although no concerted attempt is made to cover each specialty in medicine, the overall efforts of the Committee are to accomplish this end. This is well illustrated in the list of speakers for the Society meetings in 1956, which have included an orthopedist, an oral surgeon, an internist, a thoracic surgeon, a pathologist, a radiologist, and a well known industrial surgeon. A review of the programs over the past two or three years

will readily show that speakers in the great majority of the medical specialties have appeared on our programs.

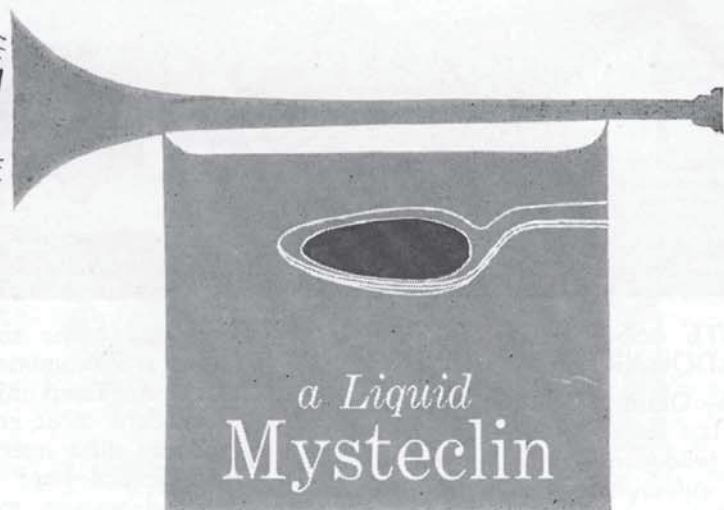
The Program Committee is allotted a budget each year by the Board of Trustees and this Committee has consistently stayed within the limitations of the budget. Expenses for guest speakers range from those who refuse to accept any payment whatever (such being the case of Dr. O'Donough from Oklahoma City last January), all the way up to \$170.00 and \$180.00 for men who have to come a long distance and are reimbursed for travel expenses. To date the Society has not paid an honorarium to any of the speakers appearing on these programs.

Usually a dinner for the guest speaker is held before the meeting of the Society. In arranging these dinners the Committee usually sends out letters of invitation to 15 or 20 doctors who are either in the same specialty as the guest speaker, or who know him personally, or have attended the school which he represents. The attendance at the dinner usually amounts to 20 to 25 members. As a matter of courtesy the officers of the Society are always invited to attend. The Committee would like it known that any member of the Society who might desire to do so may attend these dinners. There is no attempt at exclusion of anyone who is interested in meeting the speaker. The Society pays for the guest speaker's dinner, of course, and bills the Society members who attend for the cost of their dinner. In recent months this has usually run around \$5.00. Dinners are held variously at the Tulsa Club, 1800 Restaurant, and Mayo Hotel.

The Committee's work would be greatly expedited by help from various Society members who may have connections at medical centers where they know out-

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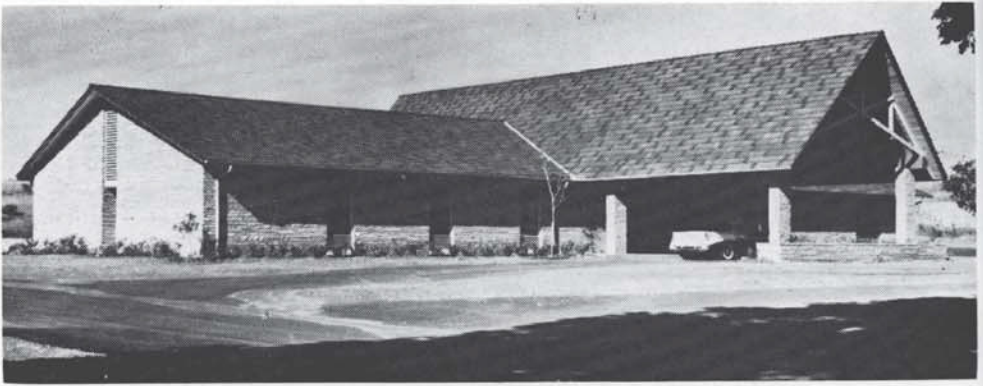
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STATE ASSOCIATION OPENS HEADQUARTERS BUILDING

The Oklahoma State Medical Association last month moved into its beautiful new headquarters building in Oklahoma City, culminating more than three years of planning and construction.

Built of Clarksville, Arkansas stone in contemporary American architecture, the new structure is located on the City's recently completed expressway linking the residential area with the Turner Turnpike. It is situated on 2.26 acres of ground with a lot frontage of 286 feet. The building itself is 120 feet wide by 40 feet deep.

The one-story structure is divided into two wings separated by an archway portico and lobby. One wing contains private offices for the Executive Secretary and the Associate Executive Secretary, quarters for the stenographic staff, offices for employees of The Journal, a large file room, storage space, and a work room containing mimeograph, addressograph and other office machines.

The other wing contains a large Council room capable of seating 200 persons, a smaller conference room, kitchen, rest-

rooms, and boiler rooms. The entire building is air conditioned with a 15-ton Chrysler Air-Temp unit.

A modern decor employing attractive woods and stone insets highlight the interior. Several large planter boxes add color and warmth to the stenographic quarters. Intercommunication installations permit immediate contact with all parts of the building.

The outside features a circling driveway to the front portico; a large parking area in the rear is designed to accommodate 100 automobiles. The building is now being landscaped and an automatic sprinkling system installed. A row of trees across the front give further beauty to the structure.

The headquarters building was constructed at a cost of \$85,419.00, exclusive of the land. With the lot and the purchase of \$5,000.00 in furnishings authorized by the Council last month, the total cost will be slightly less than \$100,000.00. Approximately 50 per cent of the cost was taken from the Association's reserve funds, with the balance coming from a \$35.00 special assessment levied upon members in May, 1955. Ninety per cent of the assessments have been paid; in Tulsa County 98 per cent of members have paid their assessments, and it is expected the remainder will be collected early in October. With the completion of financial transactions this month, the Building will be free and clear.

The structure will be maintained by a \$35.00 special assessment levied on every doctor entering the Association each year.

G.P.'S CANCEL MEETING

The Tulsa Academy of General Practice will not meet on its usual date of Monday, October 22, to permit members to attend the sessions of the Oklahoma City Clinical Society. The latter has been approved for credit under Category One by the American Academy of General Practice.

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Lectures by seventeen nationally known medical personalities will highlight the program of the Twenty-Sixth Annual Conference of the Oklahoma City Clinical Society to be held October 22-25, 1956, at the Biltmore Hotel, Oklahoma City.

Scheduled to appear on the four-day postgraduate study course are:

Albert Behrend, M.D., Assistant Professor of Surgery, Temple University School of Medicine, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

William H. Beierwaltes, M.D., Associate Professor of Internal Medicine, University of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Donald J. Birmingham, M.D., Assistant Professor of Dermatology, University of Cincinnati College of Medicine, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Ethan Allan Brown, M.D., Physician-In-Chief, Allergy Section, New England Medical Center, Boston, Massachusetts.

Willis E. Brown, M.D., Chairman of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Arkansas School of Medicine, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Vincent P. Collins, M.D., Chairman of the Department of Radiology, Baylor University College of Medicine, Houston, Texas.

Kendall P. Corbin, M. D., Professor of Neurology and Psychiatry, University of Minnesota Graduate School of Medicine, Rochester, Minnesota.

John F. Crigler, Jr., M.D., Instructor in Pediatrics, Harvard Medical School, Boston, Massachusetts.

A. Keller Doss, M.D., Chief of Urology, Harris Hospital and Peter Smith Hospital, Fort Worth, Texas.

Edward T. Evans, M.D., Associate Professor of Orthopedic Surgery, University of Minnesota Medical School, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Patrick J. Fitzgerald, M.D., Chairman of the Department of Pathology, State University of New York College of Medi-

cine, New York, N.Y.

Rufus C. Goodwin, M.D., Assistant Professor of Ophthalmology, Stanford University School of Medicine, San Francisco, California.

Gordon McNeer, M.D., Assistant Professor of Surgery, Cornell University Medical School, New York, N.Y.

Gordon Meiklejohn, M.D., Chairman of the Department of Medicine, University of Colorado School of Medicine, Denver, Colorado.

Joseph H. Ogura, M.D., Associate Professor of Otolaryngology, Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, Missouri.

Henry B. Turner, M.D., Assistant Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Tennessee School of Medicine, Memphis, Tennessee.

Harold W. Elley, Ph.D., Chairman, Research Study Committee, National Association of Mental Health, and Technical Director (Retired) E. I. duPont de Nemours & Company, Wilmington, Delaware.

The annual conference is expected to attract a record attendance of physicians from a three state area.

Any medical doctor may attend. Registration is \$20.00, which includes the dinner meetings and roundtable luncheons.

The event will feature commercial exhibits at the Biltmore Hotel, a clinical pathological conference, specialty lectures, general assemblies, roundtable luncheons, and a dinner dance. The smoker held in former years is being replaced with a series of specialty meetings to permit specialty groups to discuss more technical problems.

A complete program has been mailed to all Oklahoma doctors. Physicians may register by sending \$20.00 to the Executive Secretary, Oklahoma City Clinical Society, 503 Medical Arts Building, Oklahoma City. Hotel accommodations may be obtained through the same office or by writing hotels directly.

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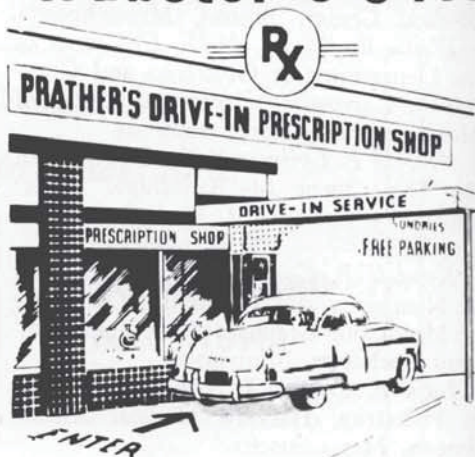
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OCTOBER MEDICAL CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, October 3rd:

St. John's Isotope Clinic, St. John's Hospital, 8:30 A.M.
Board of Trustees Meeting, Tulsa County Medical Society, Utica Square National Bank, 1:00 P.M.

THURSDAY, October 4th:

Medical Section Meeting, St. John's Hospital, 8:30 A.M.
Surgical Section Meeting, St. John's Hospital, 9:00 A.M.
Urological Section Meeting, St. John's Hospital, 9:00 A.M.

FRIDAY, October 5th:

St. John's Isotope Committee Meeting, St. John's Hospital, 8:30 A.M.
St. John's Tumor Clinic, Clinical Conference, 9:30 A.M.
X-Ray Conference, Hillcrest Medical Center, 3:30 P.M.
Journal Club, Hillcrest Medical Center, 6:30 P.M.

SUNDAY, October 7th:

Medical Telecast, "Medical Horizons" series, Television Station KTVX, 3:30 P.M.

MONDAY, October 8th:

Tulsa County Medical Society, Scientific Meeting, 8:00 P.M., Blue Cross-Blue Shield Building, 1215 South Boulder. Program: "The Objective Approach To Radiographic Analysis Of Diseases Of The Chest." Speaker, Dr. Isadore Meschan, Chairman, Department of Radiology, Bowman Gray School of Medicine, Wake Forest College, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.
Medical Telecast, "Medic" series, Television Station KVOO-TV, 8:00 P.M.

TUESDAY, October 9th:

St. John's Tumor Clinic, 8:00 A.M.
Pediatrics Section Meeting, St. John's Hospital, 9:00 A.M.
Interns and Residents Lecture, St. John's Hospital, 12:30 P.M. Subject: "Tracheotomy, Indications and Technique." Speaker, Dr. Robert M. Shepard.
Pharmaceutical Demonstration, Hillcrest Medical Center, 12:30 P.M.
Anesthesiology Conference, St. John's Hospital, 3:00 P.M.
Postgraduate Study Lecture In Internal Medicine, Hillcrest Medical Center, 5:30 P.M. Subject: "Rheumatic Diseases." Speaker, Dr. Sumner Y. Andelman.

WEDNESDAY, October 10th:

St. John's Isotope Clinic, St. John's Hospital, 8:30 A.M.
Postgraduate Short Course in Medicine, University of Oklahoma School of Medicine, Oklahoma City, 3:30 P.M. Subject: "Common Dermatological Problems."
Clinical Pathological Conference, Hillcrest Medical Center, 7:30 P.M.

THURSDAY, October 11th:

Medical Section Meeting, St. John's Hospital, 8:30 A.M.
Surgical Motion Picture, Hillcrest Medical Center, 12:30 P.M. Subject: "Total Abdominal Hysterectomy and Perineorrhaphy."

FRIDAY, October 12th:

St. John's Isotope Committee Meeting, St. John's Hospital, 8:30 A.M.
St. John's Tumor Clinic, Clinical Conference, 9:30 A.M.
X-Ray Conference, Hillcrest Medical Center, 3:30 P.M.

SUNDAY, October 14th:

Medical Telecast, "Medical Horizons" series, Television Station KTVX, 3:30 P.M.

MONDAY, October 15th:

Malpractice Indoctrination Study Course for Interns and Residents, sponsored by the Tulsa County Medical Society, Hillcrest Medical Center, 7:30 P.M.

TUESDAY, October 16th:

St. John's Tumor Clinic, 8:00 A.M.
Interns and Residents Lecture, St. John's Hospital, 12:30 P.M. Subject: "Management of Acute Pulmonary Edema." Speaker, Dr. Robert I. Lubin.
Surgical Section Meeting, Hillcrest Medical Center, 7:30 P.M.
X-Ray Conference, St. John's Hospital, 8:00 P.M.
Board of Directors Meeting, Tulsa County Public Health Association, 808 South Peoria, 7:30 P.M.

OCTOBER MEDICAL CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, October 17th:

St. John's Isotope Clinic, St. John's Hospital, 8:30 A.M.
 Medical Section Meeting, Hillcrest Medical Center, 6:15 P.M.

THURSDAY, October 18th:

Medical Section Meeting, St. John's Hospital, 8:30 A.M.
 Annual Physicians and Dentists Golf Tournament, Indian Hills Country Club. Golfing begins 12:00 Noon. Social Hour and Dinner, 6:00 P.M.
 Obstetrics and Gynecology Section Meeting, St. John's Hospital, 8:30 A.M.

FRIDAY, October 19th:

St. John's Isotope Committee Meeting, St. John's Hospital, 8:30 A.M.
 St. John's Tumor Clinic, Clinical Conference, 9:30 A.M.
 X-Ray Conference, Hillcrest Medical Center, 3:30 P.M.
 Journal Club Meeting, Hillcrest Medical Center, 6:00 P.M.

SATURDAY, October 20th:

Regional Meeting, American College of Physicians, The Mayo. Details to be announced.

SUNDAY, October 21st:

Formal opening of the Oklahoma State Medical Association headquarters building in Oklahoma City. Time and details to be announced later.
 Medical Telecast, "Medical Horizons" series, Television Station KTVX, 3:30 P.M.

MONDAY, October 22nd:

Twenty-Sixth Annual Conference of the Oklahoma City Clinical Society opens in Oklahoma City, Biltmore Hotel, continuing through Thursday, October 25th. For complete details see Page 17.
 No meeting of the Tulsa Academy of General Practice on this date due to the Oklahoma City Clinical Society meeting.

TUESDAY, October 23rd:

St. John's Tumor Clinic, 8:00 A.M.
 Pediatrics Section Meeting, St. John's Hospital, 9:00 A.M.
 Interns and Residents Lecture, St. John's Hospital, 12:30 P.M. Subject: "Poisoning In Children." Speaker, Dr. Walter F. Sethney.
 Postgraduate Study Lecture in Internal Medicine, Hillcrest Medical Center, 5:30 P.M. Speaker, Dr. James C. Peters.
 Obstetrical Section Meeting, Hillcrest Medical Center, 8:00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY, October 24th:

St. John's Isotope Clinic, St. John's Hospital, 8:30 A.M.
 Postgraduate Study Lecture for Interns and Residents, Hillcrest Medical Center, 4:30 P.M. Subject: "Urological Office Procedures." Speaker, Dr. Howard M. Cohenour.

THURSDAY, October 25th:

Medical Section Meeting, St. John's Hospital, 8:30 A.M.
 Surgical Motion Picture, Hillcrest Medical Center, 12:30 P.M. Subject: "Tendon Injuries."

FRIDAY, October 26th:

St. John's Isotope Committee Meeting, St. John's Hospital, 8:30 A.M.
 St. John's Tumor Clinic, Clinical Conference, 8:30 A.M.
 X-Ray Conference, Hillcrest Medical Center, 3:30 P.M.
 Frisco Medical Association Meeting, The Mayo. Details to be announced.

TUESDAY, October 30th:

St. John's Tumor Clinic, 8:00 A.M.
 Interns and Residents Lecture, St. John's Hospital, 12:30 P.M. Subject: "Convulsive Disorders in Children." Speaker, Dr. George R. Krietmeyer.

WEDNESDAY, October 31st:

St. John's Isotope Clinic, 8:30 A.M.
 Annual Founders Day Clinic, Tulsa County Medical Society, Sky Terrace Room, Tulsa Club, 6:30 P.M. Dinner Meeting. Subject: "Congenital Absence of the Vagina." Speaker, Dr. A. Buford Word, Associate Professor of Obstetrics & Gynecology, University of Alabama School of Medicine, Birmingham, Alabama. Continues through November 1, 1956. For complete details see Page 7.

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PROMINENT RADIOLOGIST TO SPEAK HERE OCTOBER 8TH

Dr. Isadore Meschan, Professor and Chairman of the Department of Radiology, Bowman Gray School of Medicine, Wake Forest College, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, will be the guest speaker for the Tulsa County Medical Society on Monday, October 8th, 1956, at 8:00 P.M. His subject will be "The Objective Approach to Radiographic Analysis of Diseases of the Chest."



Dr. Meschan

The meeting will be at the Blue Cross-Blue Shield Building, 1215 South Boulder. Doctors attending the meeting may be reached by calling LUther 5-9149. All medical doctors are urged to attend.

One of America's best known radiologists, Dr. Meschan is a graduate of Western Reserve University School of Medicine, Class of 1939. He served a rotating internship at Cleveland City Hospital for one year and later completed a two-year residency in Radiology at the same institution. Other special training was obtained at Western Reserve University

School of Medicine, where he taught Gastroenterology for one year. Dr. Meschan served in Army Medical Corps from 1942 to 1946, at which time he entered practice in Cleveland, Ohio. A year later he joined the University of Arkansas School of Medicine, Little Rock, as Professor and Chairman of the Department of Radiology. In 1955 he was appointed to his present post at Winston-Salem.

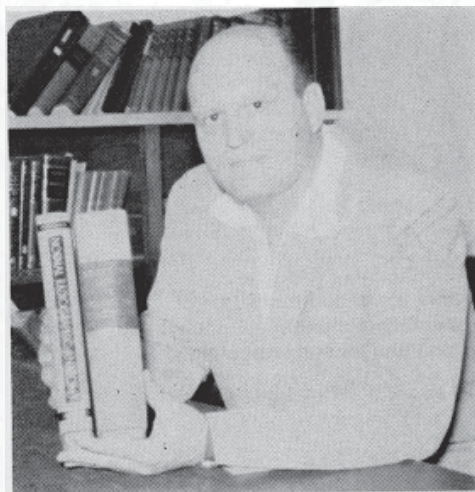
Dr. Meschan has been widely praised for two textbooks, "Atlas of Normal Radiographic Anatomy," published in 1951 with his wife, Dr. R. M. F. Meschan, as co-author, and "Roentgen Signs in Clinical Diagnosis," published last month. He has authored some 50 monographs on various subjects ranging from the various aspects of diagnostic roentgenology to the use of Cobalt 60 in its interstitial, intracavitary and plaque-like applications.

Dr. Meschan is a diplomate of the American Board of Radiology, member of the Commission on Education of the American College of Radiology, and member of the American Roentgen Ray Society, the Radiological Society of North America, the Radiation Research Society, and numerous other medical and specialty organizations. He is now a consultant to the teletherapy board of the Oak Ridge Institute.

On Monday, November 12th, members of the Tulsa County Medical Society will hear Dr. J. Huber Wagner, Chief Surgeon of the United States Steel Company, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, in a discussion of "Bone Grafts." The meeting of Monday, December 10th, will be devoted to the election of officers and other business matters.

DR. JOHN F. GORRELL and DR. WILLIAM S. CRAWFORD were elected to Life Membership in the Tulsa County Medical Society on September 10th. Dr. Gorrell, veteran Tulsa ophthalmologist, does a very limited practice, while Dr. Crawford recently retired as Medical Director of Carter Oil Company.

DR. HUGH B. NICHOLAS returned to Tulsa last month after a two-year tour of duty with the Army Medical Corps, mostly in Germany. Dr. Nicholas has not announced his future professional plans.



Dr. Ernest S. Kerekes, Tulsa radiologist and former associate of Dr. Isadore Meschan for three years, displays two widely acclaimed textbooks written by the North Carolina roentgenologist.

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PRESIDENT'S PAGE

The agitation and pressure for government control of the care of the sick continues even with increased tempo. The unselfish and tireless work of many loyal members of the medical societies is all that has prevented its enactment into law. If and when bureaucracy takes over the practice of medicine a new cabinet post will need to be created, and the position would naturally go to the head of the Department of Sanscript in Old Siwash College. Government control and corporate management of hospitals is rapidly approaching.

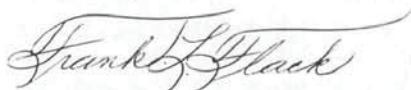
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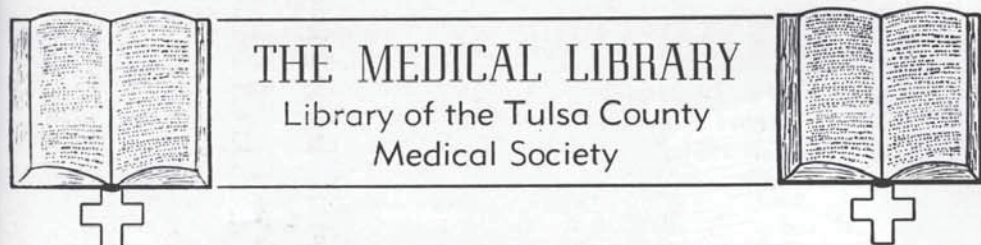
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GIFTS OF THE MONTH—:

Alfred I. duPont Institute. Miscellaneous issues of various journals.

American League Against Leprosy, Legislation Committee. Epilepsy And The Law; A Proposal For Legal Reform In The Light Of Medical Progress. By Roscoe L. Barrow, Dean, University of Cincinnati School of Law, and Legal Advisor, Special Committee on Legislation, American League Against Leprosy; and Howard D. Fabing, M.D., Past-President, American Academy of Neurology, and Chairman, Legislation Committee, American League Against Leprosy. 177 pp., Paul B. Hoeber, Inc., New York, N.Y., 1956.

American Therapeutic Society. Transactions, 1949-52.

Dr. Marshall O. Hart. Tennessee Law Review. Medico-Legal Problems in Personal Injury Relations. Volume 24, Number 3 (June) 1956.

Iowa State Medical Society. Recent issues of the Journal of the Iowa State Medical Society.

Lakeside Laboratories, Inc., Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Of Water, Salt and Life. An atlas of fluid and electrolyte balance in health and disease. Colored plates, selected references, 1956.

Oklahoma Division, American Cancer Society. Tumors of the Cardiovascular System. Section 3, Facsimile 7 of the National Research Council, Committee on Pathology. Prepared under the auspices of the Subcommittee on Oncology of the Committee on Pathology of the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology by Benjamin H. Landing, M.D. and Sidney Farber, M.D., Washington, D.C., 1956.

Oklahoma State Medical Association. 113 issues of various state journals.

Professional Drug Shop. Renewal subscription to Postgraduate Medicine, Volume 20-21, 1956-57.

Rush Medical College Library. Miscellaneous issues of various journals.

Dr. Paul O. Shackelford. Therapy of Fungus Diseases; An International Symposium Edited by Thomas H. Steinberg, M.D. and Victor D. Newcomer, M.D. Presented June 23-25, 1955, by the Division of Dermatology, Department of Medicine, School of Medicine and Medical Extension, University of California at Los Angeles. 337 pp., illustrated, Little, Brown and Company, Boston, Mass., 1955.

U. S. Veterans Administration. Proceedings of the Third Annual Clinical Paraplegic Conference, October 12-14, 1954, West Roxbury, Massachusetts.

University of Wisconsin School of Medicine. Miscellaneous issues of various journals.

PUBLICATION BY MEMBER OF THE TULSA COUNTY MEDICAL SOCIETY—:

Dr. Robert I. Lubin, and others. Rauwolfia Serpentina in the Treatment of Angina Pectoris. Circulation, 4:227-232 (August) 1956.

NATIONAL LIBRARY OF MEDICINE ACT

On August 3, 1956, President Eisenhower signed into law Public Law 941, 84th Congress, creating a National Library of Medicine in the United States Public Health Service. Various departments and bureaus of the federal government, including the Armed Forces Medical Library, will consolidate their medical library facilities into a National Library of Medicine. The target date for the transfer has been selected as October 1, 1956.

BLOOD CENTER NEWS

DISTRIBUTION & REPLACEMENT REPORT

August, 1956

Hospital:	Bloods Used:	Replaces:	% Repl.
St. John's	623	595	95.5%
Hillcrest	397	386	97.2%
Byrne	21	19	90.4%
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Totals	1,382	1,150	83.2%

The Tulsa County Red Cross Blood Center recorded a phenomenal replacement rate in August with five hospitals each contributing more than 90 per cent of the blood received in replacement donors. Hillcrest Medical Center reached a replacement ratio of 97.2 per cent, St. John's Hospital 95.5 per cent, Oklahoma Osteopathic Hospital 94.5 per cent, and Byrne Memorial Hospital 90.4 per cent. The Broken Arrow Hospital received 15 units, for which 24 replacements were made, to provide a replacement ratio of 160.0 per cent. For all hospitals the

replacement ratio was 83.2 per cent. Center officials expressed hope the remarkable record, twice the usual replacement ratio for the hot summer months, could be maintained indefinitely.

The Red Cross Blood Center Committee of the Tulsa County Medical Center is considering a proposal to include Creek County in the scope of the Center. If approved the project will permit the collection of 1,500 pints of blood from Creek County residents on monthly mobile visits to Sapulpa, Bristow and Drumright. Adoption of the project hinges upon the ability of the Creek County Chapter of the American Red Cross to add an estimate \$9,600 to its annual budget. It is estimated that sum would be necessary to finance the recruiting of donors and drawing and processing of the blood. Blood Center officials believe no additional personnel or equipment would be necessary to handle the project. Operation of the project would assure replacement of blood given to Creek County residents in Tulsa hospitals as well as providing blood to hospitals in Sapulpa and Bristow.

Dr. Betty Conrad, Medical Director, reported last month the Red Cross Blood Center has an unusually low discard rate of less than one per cent of the blood taken. She also noted that it takes 112



Five Tulsa physicians are shown as they receive certificates of Life Membership in the Oklahoma State Medical Association from Dr. Wilkie D. Hoover (left), Councilor. From left to right are Dr. Hoover, Dr. Harry Dale Murdock, Dr. Delbert O. Smith, Dr. James H. Neal, Sr., Dr. Fletcher L. Nelson, and Dr. Ernest W. Reynolds, Sr. The five have been in practice a total of 234 years. Dr. Murdock 51 years, Dr. Nelson 50, Dr. Reynolds 46, Dr. Neal 44, and Dr. Smith 43. The plaques were presented at the September 10th meeting of the Tulsa County Medical Society.

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Diseases of the Skin, ed. 4, Philadelphia, W. B. Saunders
Company, 1954, p. 170.



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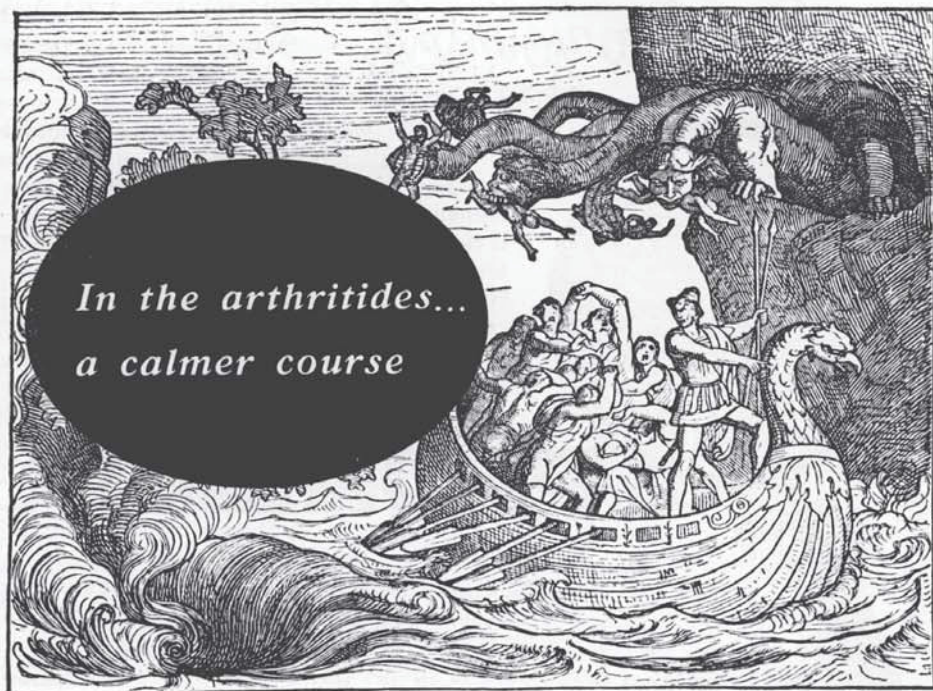
donors to secure 100 pints of blood, the difference being accounted for by donors rejected for physical and other reasons. Of every 100 pints collected, 90 are used in direct transfusions in Tulsa County hospitals and the remainder go into blood for other hospitals, the fractionation program, and rejects.

Editorial

THE UNITED CAMPAIGN

The United Campaign of the Tulsa Community Chest and the American Red Cross is now underway. All members of the Tulsa County Medical Society have received their pledge cards and most have returned them. It has long been a source of pride to the Society that through the years it has always been able to make its assigned quota. Virtually 100 per cent of its members give. The Campaign should need no selling to any doctor; the good work done by the 40 member agencies is well known. Numerous projects of these member agencies, such as the Tulsa County Red Cross blood program, are an integral part of Tulsa Medicine. Doctors, like other Tulsa citizens, find in the United Campaign an opportunity to express their appreciation for these good works by tangible contributions.

To save the time of busy doctors and free them from inopportune calls by personal solicitors, the pledge cards are distributed by mail each year. Most doctors respond to the appeal to sign and return the card by return mail. A few lay their cards aside or for one reason or another delay in signing it; this hampers the Doctors Division from readily meeting its quota. If you have not returned your card, please sign and return it at once, indicating the amount you wish to pledge. You will be billed for the pledge at whatever date you may specify; if you wish, you may pay it in stated installments. Through your cooperation, the time of both solicitor and giver can be saved. Everyone gives, everyone benefits. Let your standard of giving match your standing of living.



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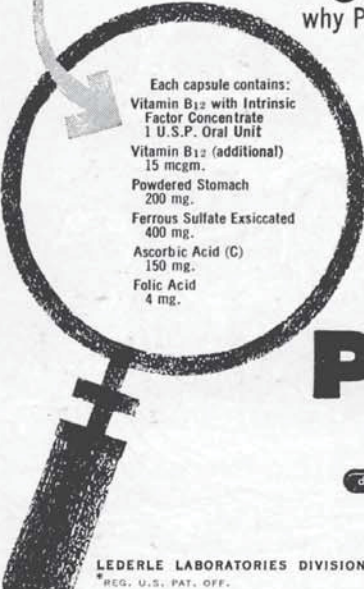
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Members of the Tulsa County Medical Society who are interested in appearing on the program of the 51st Annual Meeting of the Oklahoma State Medical Association in Tulsa, May 6-8, 1957, may submit applications to Dr. Edward L. Moore, Chairman of the Scientific Works Committee. A similar invitation has been issued to all members of the State Association.

Dr. Moore said a limited number of papers would be accepted to augment the presentations of the visiting distinguished guest speakers. Doctors wishing to be considered should send a title and summary of the suggested paper. Papers are limited to twenty minutes in length. Dr. Moore said those submitted would be considered by the Scientific Works Committee and accepted on the basis of content and adaptability to the overall program. It will not be possible to accept all papers submitted, he stated.

Applications should be mailed to Dr. Edward L. Moore, 325 Utica Square Medical Center, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

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The popular series of medical documentary telecasts, "Medical Horizons," is now being seen each Sunday at 3:30 P.M. over Television Station KTVX, Tulsa. Sponsored by Ciba Pharmaceutical Products, the thirty minute show features "live" reports from America's leading laboratories, hospitals and clinics.

The program of October 7, 1956, will deal with physical rehabilitation projects from the Rusk Institute of New York, N.Y. Topics for additional programs during October will be announced later.

DR. LUVERN HAYS has returned from a two months tour of Europe where she also attended the International Congress of Pediatrics at Copenhagen, Denmark.

DR. WILLIAM A. MEYERS has been named County Physician and Medical Director of the Tulsa County Medical Clinic. He succeeds DR. C. THOMAS THOMPSON, resigned.

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DR. MARION K. LEDBETTER has entered upon a year's postgraduate training in Pediatric Cardiology at Texas Children's Hospital, Baylor University, at Houston, Texas. DR. LEONARD L. KISHNER, recently returned from a tour of military duty has taken his office and will service Dr. Ledbetter's practice.

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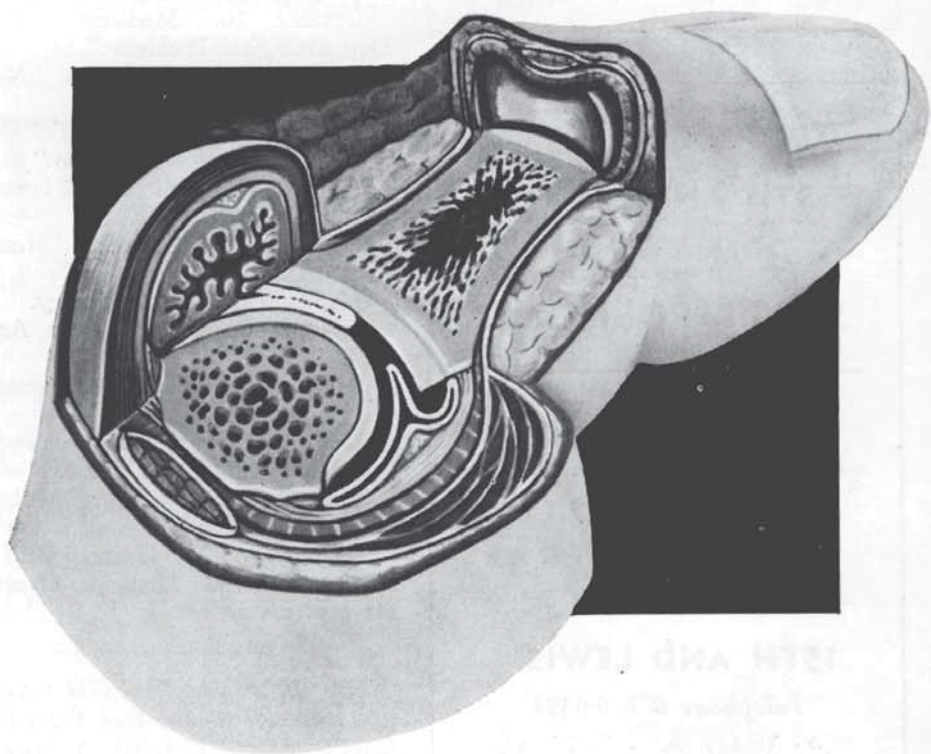
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The series is approved for credit by the Oklahoma Academy of General Practice. Each course is approximately four hours with adjournment at 8:30 P.M. The course will break for dinner in the University Hospital Cafeteria at approximately 5:30 P.M., convening again at 6:30 P.M.

Registration is \$3.50 per session, or \$25.00 for the entire series. This includes dinner. Physicians may register by sending their checks to the Postgraduate Instruction Office, University of Oklahoma School of Medicine, 801 N.E. 13th Street, Oklahoma City.

Subjects for the series are as follows:

October 10. Medicine. "Common Dermatological Problems."

November 14. Pediatrics. "Nutrition in Childhood."

December 19. (Special Date). Surgery. "Intestinal Obstruction."

January 9. Medicine. "Neurological Diagnosis."

February 13. Pediatrics. "Heart Disease in Children."

March 13. Anesthesiology. "Anesthesiology for the Part-Time Anesthetist."

April 10. Medicine. "Problems in Infectious Diseases."

May 15. (Special Date). Pediatrics. "Chronic Pulmonary Disease."

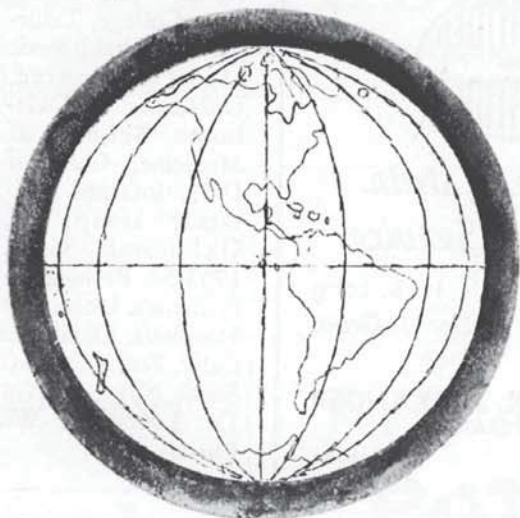
June 12. Surgery. "Surgical Emergencies."

Members of the University of Oklahoma School of Medicine faculty will serve as instructors.

DR. KONSTANTIN GEOCARIS was guest speaker for the East Tulsa Kiwanis Club on August 21st. He discussed mental health problems in the United States.

DR. THOMAS H. DAVIS has been vacationing in Florida and Havana, Cuba.

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Thomas C. Finn, Jr., M.D. 3102 South Harvard, Tulsa. Pre-Medical Education, Northeastern State College, Tahlequah, Oklahoma. Medical Degree, University of Oklahoma School of Medicine, Class of 1953. Interned University Hospitals, Oklahoma City, 1953-54. Resident in Pediatrics, University Hospitals, Oklahoma City, 1954-56. Specialty, Pediatrics. Military Service, United States Navy, 1944-47. Recommended by Dr. James W. White and Dr. G. R. Russell.



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DR. MARSHALL O. HART attended the dedication ceremonies for the new headquarters building of the American Academy of General Practice at Kansas City, Missouri, on September 1-2.

DR. MURRAY M. CASH attended the annual meeting of the International Society of Hematology at Boston, Massachusetts, August 27-30.

DR. LEO LOWBEER has been notified that his exhibit on Brucellosis has been accepted for exhibition at the annual meeting of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons in Chicago, Illinois, next January.

DR. RAYMOND S. ECHOLS returned to practice in Tulsa on September 9th after a two-year tour of military service with the United States Navy at San Diego, California. He is resuming his association with Anesthesia Service.

Guest speakers for the Will Rogers High School Medical Club last month included DR. FRANK J. NELSON and DR. JOE L. SPANN.

DR. ERNEST S. KERKES was guest speaker for the Tulsa Society of X-Ray Technicians on September 11th at St. John's Hospital.

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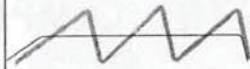


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Dr. A. Buford Word is a graduate of Louisiana State University School of Medicine, Class of 1936, and interned at Charity Hospital of New Orleans. Later he completed residencies in Obstetrics and Gynecology at the same institution. Dr. Word served as a Colonel in the Army Medical Corps and upon his release from military service entered practice in Birmingham, Alabama. He is presently Associate Professor of Obstetrics & Gynecology at the University of Alabama School of Medicine and Attending Physician at Jefferson-Hill and St. Vincent's hospitals of Birmingham. Dr. Word is a member of the American Association of Obstetricians and Gynecologists, fellow of the American College of Surgeons, and diplomate of the American Board of Obstetrics & Gynecology.

Dr. Lawrence H. Strug received his medical degree from Tulane University School of Medicine, Class of 1930. He interned at Touro Infirmary of New Orleans and later completed surgical residencies at Syracuse General Hospital of Syracuse, New York, and Louisiana State University School of Medicine. He has been a member of the faculty of the latter school since 1932 and is now Professor of Surgery. Dr. Strug served with the Army Medical Corps during World War II and was discharged with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. He is a diplomate of the American Board of Surgery and the American Board of Thoracic Surgery, fellow of the American College of Chest Physicians, American College of Surgeons, and member of the Southeastern Surgical Congress and numerous other organizations in general medicine and thoracic surgery.

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standing men personally. These men can help by securing desirable speakers through their friendship and connections.

Suggestions for speakers and offers to write to prospective speakers are always greatly appreciated. The Committee welcomes suggestions for program topics as well. Suggestions and criticisms regarding programs and the manner in which they are conducted are also appreciated.

It is not considered unbecoming for a member to request that he be assigned to duty on the Program Committee or any Committee of the Society which may appeal to him. These applications may be directed to the President-Elect or to the Executive Secretary. Such applications will be handled in confidence and given serious consideration by the President-Elect in the preparation of his committee personnel. It is not always possible to assign members to the committee of their choice because of the number of applications for the limited vacancies.

OSMA BUILDING

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In 1955 a total of 76 new members were received, while 45 have been received through September, 1956. It is anticipated this will be more than adequate to meet maintenance costs.

A formal dedication is tentatively scheduled for Sunday, October 21, 1956, with details to be announced later.

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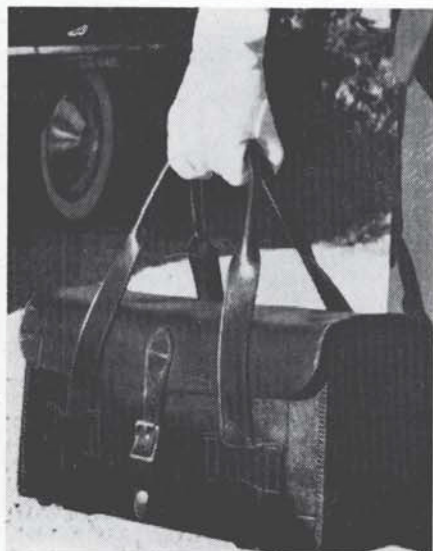
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