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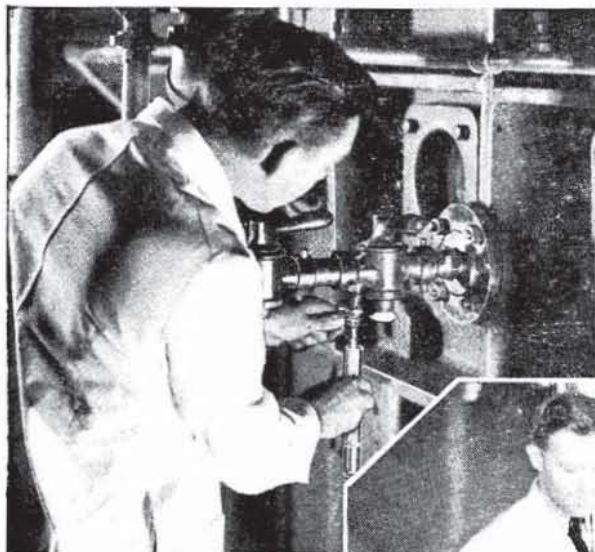


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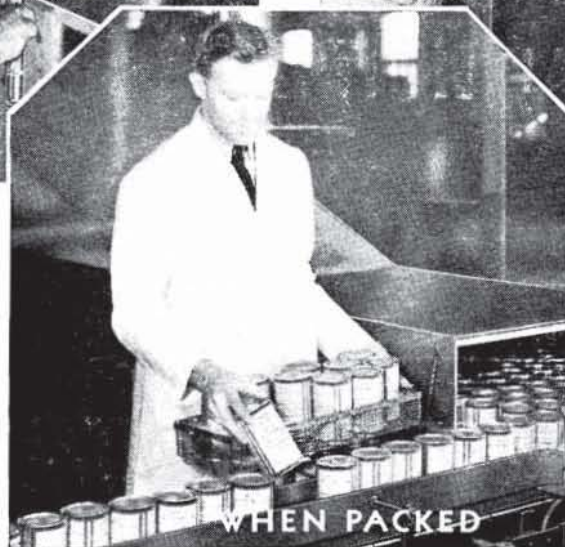
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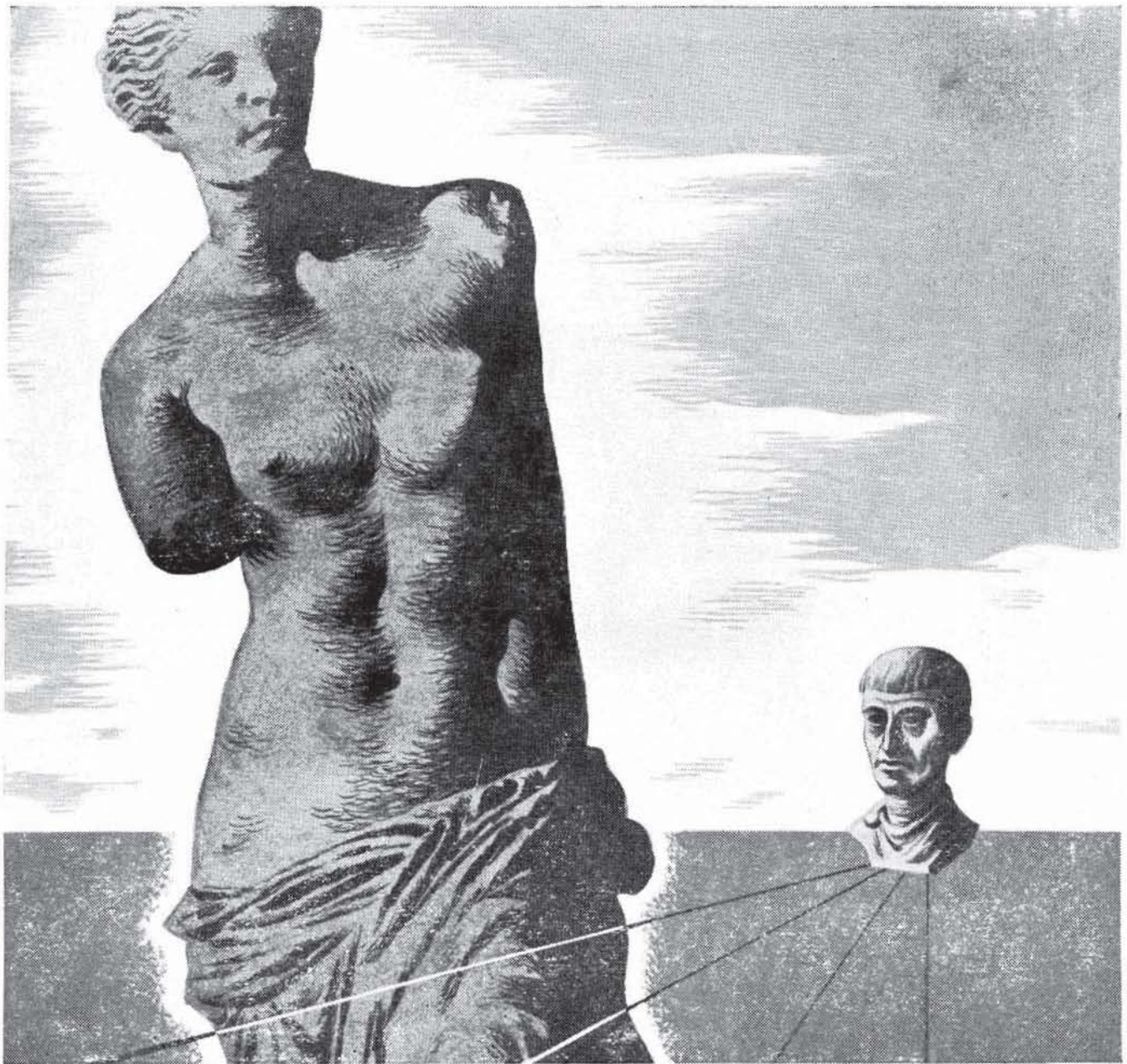
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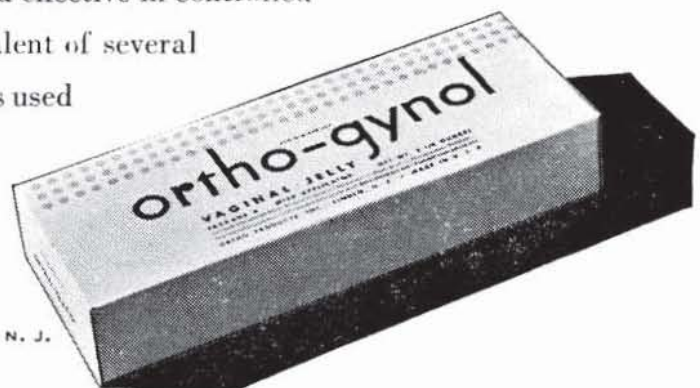
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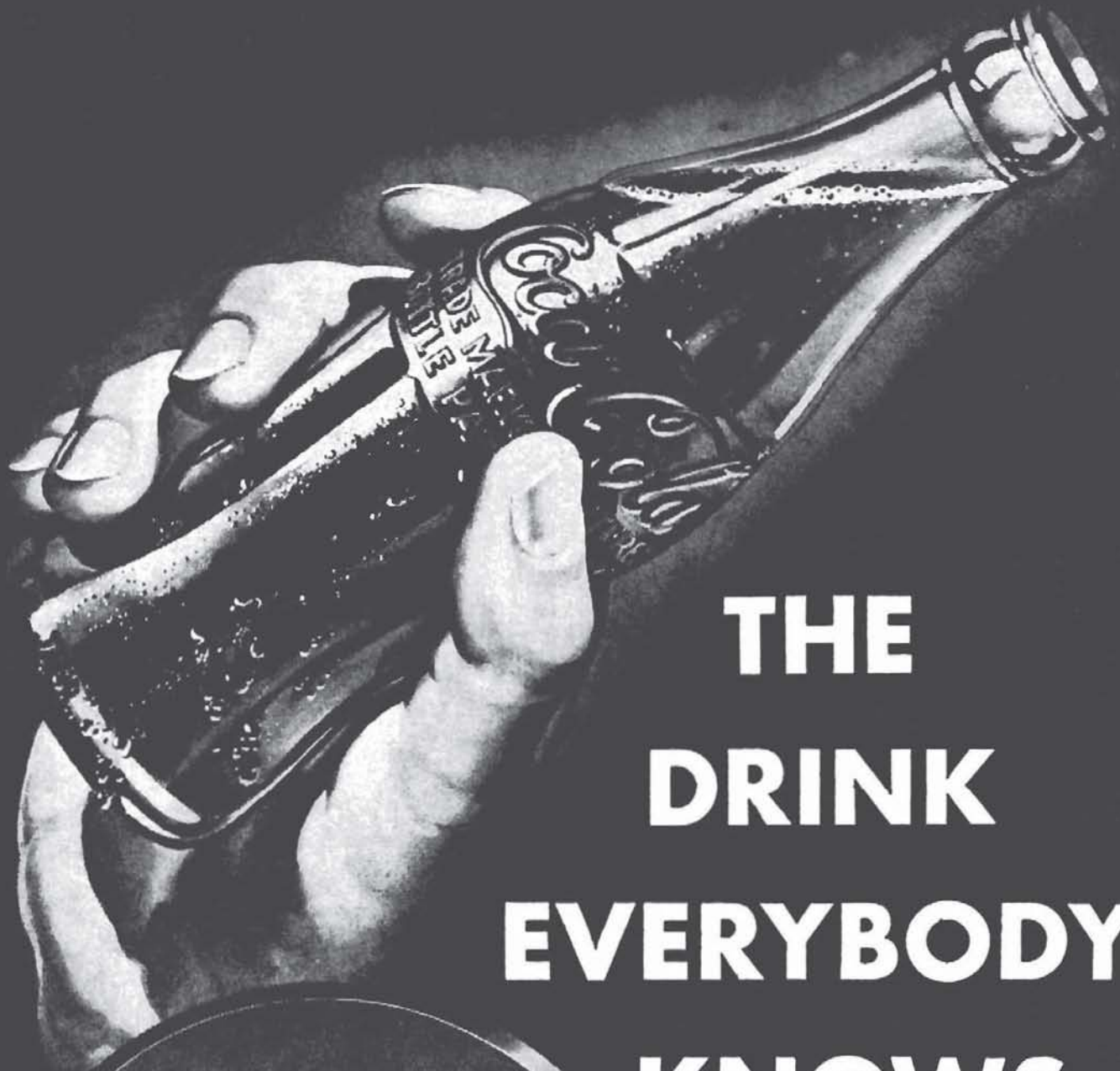
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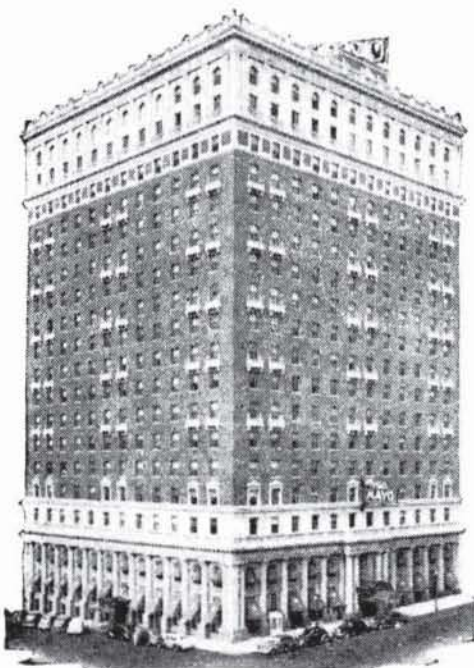
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Gas Rationing Begins Nov. 22

Doctors Entitled To Supplemental Rationing Books For Professional Needs. Abstract Of Eastern Gasoline Rationing Regulations Provided For Inspection Of Members.

Beginning November 9 all citizens of the United States will register for nation-wide gasoline rationing. It is important that the Tulsa County doctor understands fully his privileges in obtaining additional gasoline for professional purposes. It is also important that he begin today to make certain preparations to facilitate his registration. In this manner he will be prepared to meet any emergencies which may arise with the actual enforcement of rationing on November 22.

It is understood that the same rationing regulations have been ordered for the nation as exist for the Eastern states previously. However, no official confirmation of this has been received and there may be some minor changes in the facts explained below.

A doctor, as a civilian car owner, will receive upon registration a Basic Ration Book which entitles him to four gallons of gas each week. This book contains six pages of eight coupons each valid for 60 days—the book for one year.

The doctor as a professional practitioner of medicine may then apply for a supplemental ration book. A four-page form must be filled out and mailed to the local War Price and Rationing Board. (To avoid confusion doctors are asked to mail all forms and not to

present them in person.) Doctors will then be notified of the disposition of their applications. If favorable, the physician may then go to his local board and receive a supplemental book.

Doctors may receive one of two types of rationing books: the "C" card which is issued to doctors who drive in excess of 470 professional miles, and the "B" card which is for those who drive less than 470 professional miles.

The "C" book contains twelve pages of eight coupons each, a total of 96 coupons. It expires in three months and must be renewed at that time. More than one "C" book or fraction thereof can be issued to a doctor. These books are issued for doctors driving more than 470 miles per month for professional purposes. In computing the mileage allowable, doctors must deduct 150 miles from the claimed total mileage as representing that portion of the Basic or "A" ration book which is considered available for occupational purposes.

The "B" ration books have a total of 16 coupons each and is dated to expire at a minimum of three months from issue. Only one book is issued even though total mileage exceeds 470 miles. The latter instance would be possible where 150 miles from the "A" book were combined with 320 miles from the

"B" book. The "B" books cannot be used in combination with "C" books.

Apparently, the doctor will be allowed approximately 90 miles for home necessitous driving, the gasoline to be provided through the "A" or Basic Rationing Book.

A doctor who owns more than one automobile shall have 150 miles deducted each month for each additional car in the instance that he applies for a supplemental ration book. In this manner, each applicant receives the same amount of gasoline regardless of the number of machines owned.

Naturally, many provisions to provide for various circumstances are in effect. It is impossible to list them all in this brief discussion. The doctor is again reminded that these regulations are not officially confirmed but are those now in effect in the East. It is understood that a uniform rationing system will be in existence throughout the nation.

The initial application for supplemental cards requires an estimate of gasoline consumption for the next three months. Doctors should carefully check their mileage and gasoline consumption for an average week. It is important that this estimate be as nearly correct as possible. Thus, the doctor will not be penalized by any mistakes in estimation.

Each doctor should have his automobile registration certificate when applying for books. Failure to have it may result in delay in obtaining rationing cards.

The four-page gasoline application for supplemental books requires that doctors have the answers to the following questions at hand:

Estimated mileage for next three months?

Mileage in vehicle for last 30 days?

A breakdown of the above mileage figures for (1) professional driving, (2) driving to and from home to office, and (3) other driving.

Number of passengers carried in each doctor's car going to and from work?

Shortest distance from home to place

of employment?

Shortest distance from home to public transportation facilities, and from these facilities to office?

Amount of time required to get to work by use of public transportation facilities?

Details of share-ride arrangements, if any?

Listing of other vehicles, including license number, state of registration, and class of rationing book applied for.

Doctors must certify that gasoline will be used only for the purposes indicated and that all statements are true. Failure to observe this oath carries a fine of \$10,000, or ten years imprisonment, or both. Such an act is defined under law as a criminal offense.

The Executive Office of the Tulsa County Medical Society has requested the Office of Price Administration for application forms for supplemental gasoline ration books only. If the request is granted, doctors may obtain them at 1202 Medical Arts Building, or they will be mailed on request.

Once again, physicians are reminded that the foregoing rules have not been confirmed for use in the Tulsa area or for nationwide use. However, reports from the Rhode Island office of OPA indicate that "it would appear likely that they will be used."

COOPERATION OF DOCTORS ASKED BY RED CROSS

The Tulsa Chapter of the American Red Cross now maintains a booth at the Union Bus Depot where service men are provided with the name of a reliable physician if so requested.

Doctors who are willing to have their names listed should contact the Executive Office at once. If doctors so prefer, they may offer their services to the men without charge. However, recommendation by the booth attendant is made with the understanding that the medical attention is not to be provided free of charge.

At least twenty more names are sought for the list.

New Tire Rationing Rules

Tulsa County Doctors Must Replace Demands For New Tires With Requisitions For Recapping. Only Fifteen New Tires Available For Distribution To Physicians During The Month Of November.

New regulations for the rationing of automobile tires to Tulsa County doctors went into effect in October as local tire rationing officials urged medical men to replace new tire demands with recap requisitions.

With only a maximum of 15 new passenger car tires available in November, the Board instituted a new system of rationing based on the number of house and hospital calls made by the applying physician. For others, the Board promised recaps in most instances.

Officials of the Tulsa County Medical Society were told by C. W. Cotton, chairman of the Tulsa Rationing Board, that virtually no doctors had applied for recapped tires since the beginning of rationing. Physicians and surgeons were urged to have periodic inspections of their tires so that recapping could be accomplished before the tires were too worn to be retreaded.

"The Tire Rationing Board does not intend to work a hardship on any doctor of medicine in this county," Cotton said. "However, the doctors must cooperate with us by accepting recapped tires when possible and leaving the new tires for doctors whose tires are not in condition for further recapping."

In allocating new tires the Board gives strong weight to several points: (1) the number of house and hospital calls made by the applicant, (2) the nature of the physician's practice, (3) the medical standing of the doctor, and (4) the applicant's cooperation with the Board in securing recaps previously.

Certain types of practice will automatically exclude the doctor from receiving new tires. Dermatologists, X-Ray Specialists, and Laboratory men are included in this group. Doctors who make no house calls and have an office practice strictly are also included. The Board has indicated that these doctors

shall probably be denied recap requisitions also.

The medical allotment of tires must also be shared with other types of practitioners. Osteopaths, chiropractors, Christian Science practitioners, etc., are entitled to tires when they are able to meet the same requirements as for medical doctors. However, the Board does not intend to discriminate against such individuals who profess in practice medicine under irregular circumstances.

The Tulsa County Medical Society has agreed to aid the Tire Rationing Board by providing information which will be helpful to the Board in allocating tires. However, this information will be of a public character and will be totally impartial. Under no circumstances will the Society assume the duty of determining who shall receive the tires. This responsibility remains with the Board. The information provided by the Society will generally be a confirmation of membership, nature of practice, etc.

At present the Board rates each applicant for new tires as one of three classifications: (1) XX Rating, which indicates the greatest need for tires, (2) X Rating, which indicates a moderate need, and (3) O Rating, which indicates no need for tires.

Members of the Tulsa County Medical Society are again warned that tires should be inspected at regular intervals for recapping possibilities. A contribution to the war effort can be made by recapping of present tires. Recaps provide 5,000 to 12,000 miles of usage at normal speeds. Doctors may no longer be assured of new tires. Recapping inspections are therefore of the utmost importance.

In most instances, doctors owning more than one car within the family

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PRESIDENT'S PAGE

Along with a physician's obligations to his patients he owes an equal responsibility to his home community, his state, and his nation as a voting citizen of the United States. Too often he becomes engrossed in his professional duties to realize his place in the scheme of politics. He feels he is entirely too busy to take part in local, state, and national elections and that he isn't sufficiently informed to exercise his franchise wisely in voting for the best man or the most important issue.

I feel that this position is entirely wrong and that he is derelict in so doing. The November election offers an opportunity for every doctor to actively support and vote for some changes in Oklahoma's representatives to our state and national elective bodies. Surely there could not be any doubt in most of our minds that we need a few changes to curb or even put a stop to the "rubber stamp" type of representation we have had in the past several years.

I ask you to do your part in this election and feel that in so doing you are personally helping to make your own bed in which you will be made to lie. We in Oklahoma need some representation which is not afraid to oppose detrimental and dictatorial policies so prevalent in national politics. This is only your duty and I trust you will exercise it conscientiously.

Sincerely,

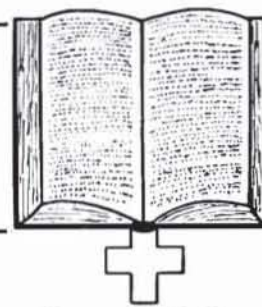


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Gifts of the Month—

- Dr. S. P. Bowyer, Mead, Sterling V., D.D.S., Oral Surgery and Diseases of the Mouth.
Blanton, Wyndham B., M.D., A Manual of Normal Physical Signs, 1936.
Cohn, Lester Richard, D.D.S., The Modern Practice of Tooth Extraction.
Sears, Victor H., D.D.S., Periodontal Diseases.
Kanner, Leo, M.D., History of Dentistry, 1936.
Year Books of Dentistry, 1936-1939.
Mason, Edward C., M.D., Ph.D., Why We Do It.
Army Medical Library, Compendium of Aviation Medicine by Siegfried Ruff and Hubertus Strughold.
Merck and Co., Riboflavin, Annotated Bibliography, Supplement 1942.
Thiamine Hydrochloride, Annotated Bibliography, Supplement 1942.

OF INTEREST

All of the journals for the first half of nineteen hundred forty two have been returned from the bindery, bound into volumes, and are ready for circulation.

Papers entitled "Eczema, Modern Concepts of Treatment," by Dr. Harry Green and "Urolithiasis" by Dr. J. W. Rogers, were published in the September issue of the State Journal.

"For the general practitioner a well used library is one of the few correctives of the premature senility which is so apt to overtake him. Self centered, self taught, he leads a solitary life, and unless his every day experience is controlled by careful reading or by the addition of a medical society, it soon ceases to be of the slightest value and becomes a mere accretion of isolated facts, without correlation. It is astonishing with how little reading a doctor can practice medicine, but it is not astonishing how badly he may do it."—Sir William Osler in his "Aequanimitas."

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Medical Officer Uniforms

Doctors Entering Service Find Purchase Of Uniforms a Problem. High Costs Reflected In Quartermaster Prices. Care Should Be Taken In Making Quantity Purchases.

Many Tulsa County doctors planning to enter military service have requested information from the Executive Office concerning uniforms and accessories, their cost, and regulations for wearing.

To the newly commissioned medical officer it is something of a problem to know just exactly what to purchase in the initial outfit, the most advisable quantities, and the places where purchase can be most reliably accomplished. Since he is required to report for service in uniform, the officer does not have the benefit of the experience of fellow officers. Usually, he must depend upon commercially published manuals for this information. While this information is reliable in a general way, too often individual circumstances alter the situation for the particular officer.

As to quantity of uniforms purchased at the outset this general advice can be offered: purchase only a **minimum** amount of uniforms and accessories. Later, when you have been definitely assigned to a post and when you have become acquainted with uniform regulations, you may purchase additional apparel.

The Tulsa doctor entering the army may purchase his uniforms and accessories at several leading Tulsa retail stores. They are also available at most post exchanges and at certain quartermaster depot sales stores. The nearest of these latter stores is at San Antonio, Texas. At present naval uniforms are not being stocked by Tulsa retailers, but they are available in Oklahoma City. They may also be purchased from Naval Clothing Depots, the nearest of which is at Chicago, Ill.

The stocks at post exchanges are not always complete, varying with the size of the post and the nature of its army function. These posts are operated by civilians and supervised by the army.

Both the army and navy now attempts to control prices of uniforms in civilian stores, thereby preventing excessive profiteering.

The regulation for the wearing of uniforms vary greatly according to the post where the officer is assigned. Which uniforms are to be worn at certain periods is determined by the commandant of the post at least twice yearly, usually in early Spring and mid-Autumn.

The medical officer will need for cool weather the following: olive drab service coat and trousers to match, several cotton broadcloth shirts, regulation ties, shoes, and insignia, and garrison cap. He should have additional quantities of each item after reporting, plus an overcoat and raincoat. Dress uniforms must also be purchased; the requirements here differ greatly according to the size and social customs of the post. Such regulations are again under the control of the commanding officer.

Later, when summer comes, the officer must purchase a complete summer outfit of lightweight khaki. These uniforms are also regulation wear for assignments in tropical outposts. A sufficient number of these items must be on hand as they soil easily.

The navy medical officer must have the following: six white uniforms, two khaki uniforms, and two blue service uniforms. He also needs black and tan shoes, white and khaki shirts, insignia, and a regulation cap. A blue wool overcoat and serge raincoat will be needed when colder weather comes.

Cost of uniforms is heavy. Each newly-commissioned army officer receives a uniform allowance \$150 for army officers, \$250 for navy men. However, these allowances are not usually available until several months after entering service.

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Medical Calendar

MONDAY, November 2nd:

Hillcrest Hospital Staff Meeting.

FRIDAY, November 6th:

Board of Trustees Meeting, Tulsa County Medical Society, 1202 Medical Arts Building, 1:00 p. m.

Postgraduate School in Internal Medicine, St. Johns Hospital, 8:00 p. m.

SATURDAY, November 7th:

Medical Broadcast, Radio Station KTUL, 12:30 p. m. Dr. Marvin D. Henley, speaker.

MONDAY, November 9th:

Regular scientific program, Tulsa County Medical Society meeting Mayo Hotel, 8:00 p. m. Program to be announced later.

FRIDAY, November 13th:

Postgraduate School in Internal Medicine, St. Johns Hospital, 8:00 p. m.

SATURDAY, November 14th:

Medical Broadcast, Radio Station KTUL, 12:30 p. m. Dr. John Perry, speaker.

MONDAY, November 16th:

St. Johns Hospital Staff Meeting.

TUESDAY, November 17th:

Medical and Dental Office Assistants Meeting, Michaelis Cafeteria, 6:00 p. m. Program to be announced later.

FRIDAY, November 20th:

Board of Trustees Meeting, Tulsa County Medical Society, 1202 Medical Arts Building, 1:00 p. m.

Hillcrest Hospital will replace St. Johns Hospital as meeting place of the Postgraduate School in Internal Medicine on this date. 8:00 p. m.

SATURDAY, November 21st:

Medical Broadcast, Radio Station KTUL, 12:30 p. m. Dr. Marvin D. Henley, speaker.

MONDAY, November 23rd:

Unless cancelled or postponed, the Tulsa County Medical Society will meet at the Mayo Hotel, 8:00 p. m. Members will be notified in advance.

THURSDAY, November 26th:

The Executive Offices will be closed all day in observance of Thanksgiving Day.

FRIDAY, November 27th:

Postgraduate School in Internal Medicine, Hillcrest Hospital, 8:00 p. m.

SATURDAY, November 28th:

Medical Broadcast, Radio Station KTUL, 12:30 p. m. Speaker to be announced later.

Of Special Interest!

TULSA DOCTORS EXAMINING CHILDREN'S HOME'S KEEPERS

Tulsa County doctors will shortly begin examination of certain persons who will professionally operate day boarding schools for children whose parents are employed on defense projects.

The City Health Department, co-sponsor of the project with the United Family Service of Tulsa, is asking that each examination include the following points: presence of communicable disease, Wasserman examination, vaginal smear, past history and illnesses, condition of heart, lung and tubercular condition, blood pressure, and throat culture.

These examinations are to be paid for by the applicant at the regular examination rate charged by the physician.

DR. ALLEN SPEAKER FOR SECRETARIES MEETING

The work of the Tulsa County Medical Society is formulating the present program of malpractice insurance in Oklahoma was discussed by Dr. Victor K. Allen at a meeting of officers of county medical societies at Oklahoma City Sunday, October 25.

Speaking before the Third Annual Secretaries Conference, Oklahoma State Medical Association, Dr. Allen outlined the history of the program and the present method by which it functions. He pointed to the efforts of the Tulsa County Medical Society in actively promoting the plan throughout the state.

R. H. Graham, executive secretary of the Oklahoma State Medical Association, was the closing speaker on the day-long program. He outlined the activities of the Procurement and Assignment Commission in Washington, with whom he is now associated during a leave of absence from his Association post.

Robert S. Kerr, democratic nominee for governor, was also on a program which included Dr. L. J. Moorman, Dr. C. R. Rountree, and Dr. H. H. Turner of Oklahoma City, Dr. J. D. Osborn of Frederick, and Major Joseph D. Stafford of the State Selective Service.

Attending from Tulsa were Dr. James Stevenson, Dr. V. K. Allen, and Executive Secretary Jack Spears.

CLINIC REPORT

September 23-October 22

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| Gynecology | 46 |
| Urology | 9 |
| Medicine | 735 |
| Pediatrics | 46 |
| Diathermy | 19 |
| Dental | 65 |
| Cardiacs | 19 |
| Surgery | 122 |
| G. U. | 23 |
| Orthopedics | 15 |
| E. N. T. | 13 |
| Dermatology | 15 |
| Eye | 31 |
| Rectal | 11 |
| Neurology | 5 |
| Tumor | 29 |
| Varicose | 35 |
| Tonsils | 18 |
| Total | 1256 |
| Patients to Hospitals | 1 |

MEDICAL BROADCASTS NOW HEARD EACH SATURDAY

The popular series of medical broadcasts entitled "Your Family Doctor" and sponsored by the Tulsa County Medical Society are now being heard each Saturday at 12:30 p. m., Radio Station KTUL. The series was formerly broadcast on Friday at 4:15 p. m.

Speakers for the series during October were Dr. Marvin D. Henley, Dr. Ned R. Smith, and Dr. John Perry. Members interested in donating their services for one or more broadcasts are urged to contact the Executive Secretary. Speeches are provided on a great variety of subjects.

THREE MORE MEMBERS CALLED TO SERVICE

Three more members of the Tulsa County Medical Society entered military service in October as three others were commissioned to await further orders.

Dr. L. A. Munding was commissioned a First Lieutenant in the Army Air Force and assigned to the Cadet Training Center at Kelly Field, Texas. Dr. M. D. Spottswood was to report November 1 in Washington, D. C., as a Junior Grade Lieutenant in the Navy. Dr. Frank Stuart, commissioned a major, entered active duty at English Field, Amarillo, Texas, with the Army.

Others, commissioned and awaiting

orders, are Dr. R. C. Pigford, Dr. F. D. Sinclair, and Dr. W. B. Boone. Each expects to report shortly for active duty.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS SOON TO BE HELD

Members of the Tulsa County Medical Society are reminded that the annual election of officers will be held at the meeting of December 14. At that time each committee chairman is expected to render a report on the activities of his group for the past year.

Dr. H. B. Stewart, president of the Society, speaking at the meeting of October 12 urged members to be considering their choices for all executive posts. One vacancy on the Board of Trustees will be filled.

The Executive Office will prepare outlines of the activities of each committee during early December. These outlines will be placed in the hands of committee chairmen for revisions or additions before presentation at the meeting.

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A proposed plan of the Oklahoma State Health Department to provide free obstetrical and pediatric care to wives and children of service men without charge is causing much discussion in state medical circles.

While the purpose of the plan has much merit, many physicians seem to feel that the proposed fee schedule is ridiculous in its proportions. The general attitude is that the medical profession of the state would be most willing to provide this care without charge as a gesture of appreciation to men in the service. The fee schedule, with its abnormally low rates of remuneration, is resented by the doctor.

Attention has been called to the fact that the plan will entail a great deal of supervision by government agencies, and consequently might be regarded by some as an opening wedge for state medicine. Whether this be true or not, there is no doubt that the operation of such a plan will definitely strengthen the case for state medicine.

A third point of general interest is that the taxpayer must supply additional funds to match those now being contributed by the government. This is to be considered a minor point, and it is doubtful that any persons would object

to contributing via a small additional tax the funds necessary for its operation. Such an objection would be out of line with the debt of gratitude which the people on the home front owe the boys on the front line.

From the viewpoint of the medical profession, the plan is not without serious drawbacks. It is important that each doctor study carefully the merits and objections to the plan and express his opinion to responsible persons in the medical profession.

The Tulsa County Medical Society will discuss this matter at its next meeting when a special committee appointed by the president will report and make its recommendations. For your benefit, the details of the proposal are published on page eight of the October Bulletin.

It is to your interest to study this plan and make your decisions now.

MEDICAL CREDIT BUREAU BREAKING RECORDS AGAIN

As *The Bulletin* went to press indications were that the Medical Credit Bureau, official collection agency of the Tulsa County Medical Society, would have another record-breaking figure for October. Since early spring the Bureau has been constantly exceeding its all-time collection figures.

A record in new accounts received from doctors was set also during October. Several doctors who had previously not made any use of the Bureau became clients. A check of records indicates that the size of individual accounts is somewhat larger than the average in the past.

Doctors are reminded that their accounts are collected on a cost basis ranging from 20 per cent up. Highest charges of 50 per cent are for out-of-town and legal work. No profit margin is paid to the individual operator. In that manner, doctors may have their accounts collected at exceptionally low rates by specialized medical account collectors.

Your Bureau Lowers The Rate of Account Mortality

If account mortality, like life mortality, was recorded statistically, the total of the physicians accounts that die because of insufficient credit information and delayed collection procedure would be astounding.

Your Bureau can supply credit information about many persons which will forewarn you to be cautious about extending credit for medical care. This will eliminate many uncollectible accounts.

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Lay Medical Articles

Each month The Bulletin prints a list of lay medical articles found in popular magazines so that patients may better answer questions of patients which relate to information found in these articles.

"New Light On How Polio Spreads". Readers Digest, October, p. 24. By J. D. Ratcliffe. New information on infantile paralysis.

"Pneumonitis". Time, September 30, p. 86. New discoveries about pneumonia.

"Just Relax". Good Housekeeping, November, p. 38. By Maxine Davis. An analysis of relaxation values.

"New Bodies For Old". Colliers, October 24, p. 20. By Quentin Reynolds. The use of plastics in treatment of war wounds.

"How Your Mind May Make You Ill". Readers Digest, October, p. 49. The influence of mind over matter.

"Plain Talk About Sterilization". Coronet, October, p. 45. By Victor H. Boesen. A new subject of general public interest.

"Does War Breed Boys?" Time, October 5, p. 41. Why the excess of male births during war times?

"How to Get a Good Night's Sleep". Saturday Evening Post, October 24, p. 20. By Beatrice Schapper. Facts about insomnia.

"Doctor, Please Hurry!" Cosmopolitan, November, p. 50. By Gretta Palmer. How to save your doctor's valuable war time.

"Prostate Trouble". Readers Digest, November, p. 144. By Paul DeKruif. A DeKruif analysis of a male health problem.

"Riding To Trouble". Colliers, October 24, p. 32. By Shirley Alexander. How the hospital attendant is replacing the interne.

"Mental Splints". Time, October 12, p. 54. A new method of employing splints on broken bones.

"Australian Nurse Demonstrates". Life, September 28, p. 73. A pictorial glance at Sister Kenny.

"Sister Kenny Wins Her Fight". Readers Digest, October, p. 24. By Lois Mattox Miller. More about the famed Kenny treatment for polio.

"Whats New On Colon Blindness". Coronet, October, p. 25. By Gretta Palmer. An interesting test for color blindness.

"Health Spies". Colliers, October 17, p. 24. By J. D. Ratcliffe. A study of the work of the army medical corps.

"Cured By The Draft". Time, October 5, p. 93. How the army is rehabilitating venereal disease sufferers.

"Nurses Aides Prove Their Worth". Readers Digest, October, p. 95. By Lois Mattox Miller. A new war aide makes the grade.

"Standardized Anesthesia". Time, September 30, p. 86. An idea for the anesthetist.

"Keeping Up With Medicine". Good Housekeeping, November, p. 118. An abstract of recent medical advances.

"Poison Ivy Cure". Time, October 5, p. 93. How the army meets the problem of poison ivy sufferers.

PERSONALS

DR. ARTHUR H. DAVIS has returned from a vacation in Kentucky.

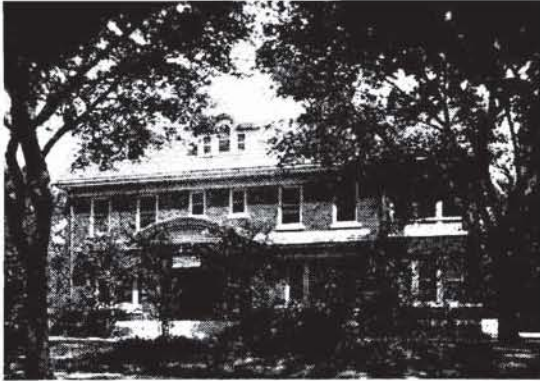
DR. COLE PITTMAN's rank was incorrectly listed in the October issue of The Bulletin as Captain. He is now a major at Rantoul, Ill.

Called to service in October were DR. M. S. SPOTTSWOOD, DR. FRANK STUART, and DR. L. A. MUNDING.

Radio speakers for October were DR. MARVIN D. HENLEY, DR. NED R. SMITH, and DR. JOHN PERRY.

DR. MACELLA STEEL RUPRECHT is assisting in the organization of a program to provide day nurseries for children whose parents work at Tulsa defense plants.

DR. A. RAY WILEY, representing the Civic Affairs Committee, spoke be



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fore the director of the Tulsa Chamber of Commerce last month, outlining the American Public Health Association's Evaluation project.

DR. W. ALBERT COOK and DR. R. N. SMITH attended the annual convention of the American Academy of Ophthalmology and Otolaryngology at Chicago last month.

DR. W. J. BRYAN won the Southern Hills Country Club golf championship for 1942 by defeating Sam Mc-Birney.

A Tulsa visitor during October was DR. W. R. TURNBOW, now with the U. S. Medical Corps at San Antonio, Texas.

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