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## ALUMNI ANNUAL GIVING FUND PASSES \$60,000. MARK

LOUIS H. CLERF, M.D., *Chairman*

Although the First Roll Call, through the classes, of the Alumni Annual Giving Fund has been under way only since December 1st there have already been contributions made totalling \$62,863 from 33.5% of the living graduates.

To those of us who have recently eyed the results of leading alumni funds in other universities and colleges and may be especially aware of Jefferson's needs, this is a good beginning. In most respects the prognosis is even more encouraging.

Particularly gratifying has been the very fine spirit of support, the loyalty, the enthusiasm and, in some cases, the actual sacrifice made by younger men and men no longer in practice. The hundreds of epistles, letters, prescription blanks and memos which have accompanied the offerings to the class agents have shown a warm

response to the appeal and almost universal approval of the program. The expressed intentions to give more in future years and to continue support augur well.

If the importance of the project is fully realized the percentage of contributors will certainly increase substantially before the books close on this first year's effort at commencement time.

We hope we are building not only for permanence in this Fund but for stability and high standards at Jefferson in these difficult years of financing medical education. We hope we may recreate or heighten interest within classes in the activities of classmasters; that we may make more information about Jefferson and her graduates available; that we may extend more services through the alumni association.

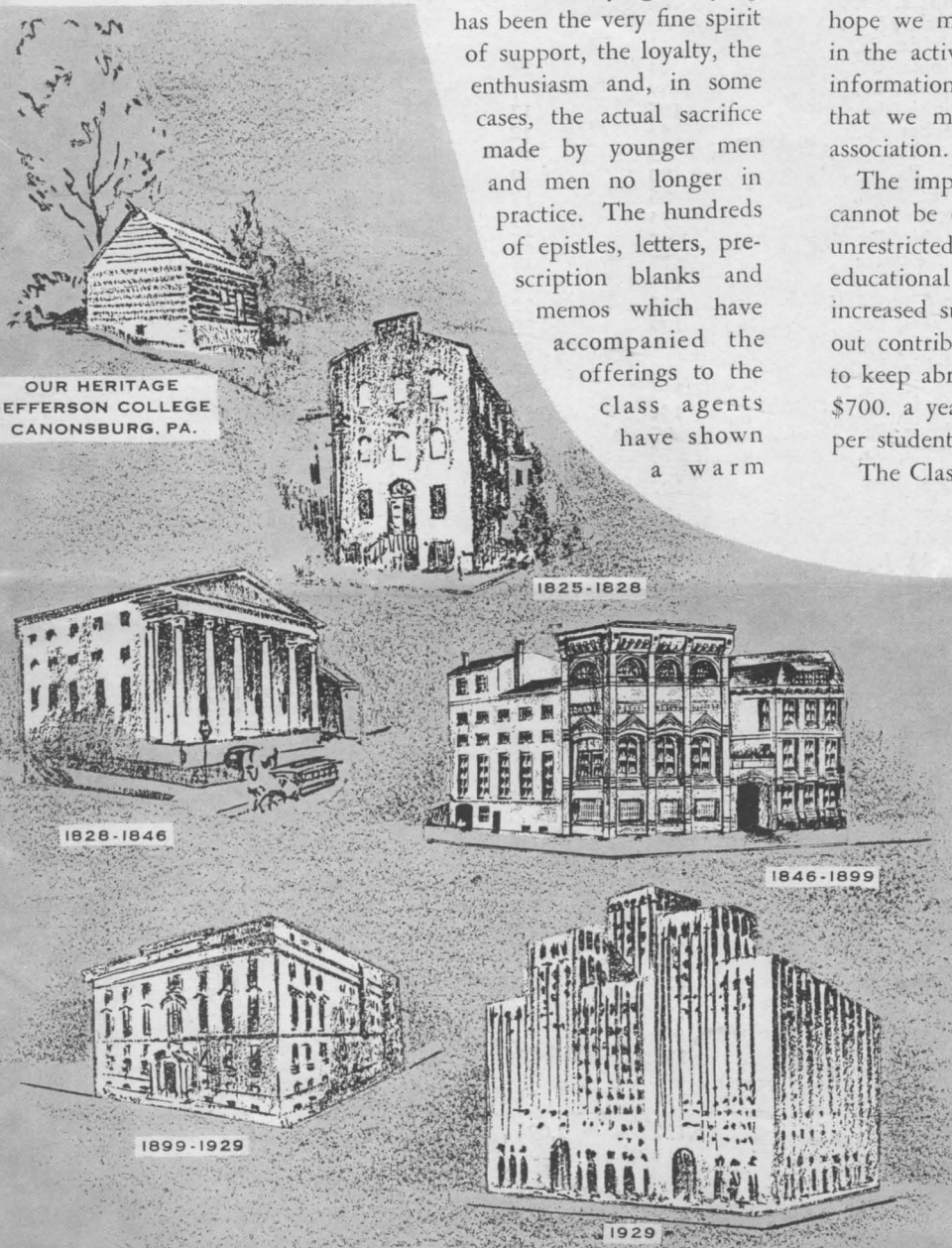
The importance of this particular fund to the college cannot be exaggerated. Backing of the alumni by giving unrestricted current funds, is today the life blood of any educational institution. Though Jefferson must have increased support from the State, these funds alone without contributions from the alumni would not permit her to keep abreast of today's requirements. The tuition fee, now \$700. a year, if further increased to approximate the cost per student would be prohibitive to all but the few.

The Class Agents have individually and collectively made a fine contribution to Jefferson. They have been resourceful, imaginative, energetic and loyal. They have done their job to date with skill and enthusiasm but without exerting undue pressure. But much further work remains ahead of them until the fund attains the percentage and the total we all would expect for Jefferson. All power to them!

The college is grateful to the many alumni who have so far contributed so generously to the program. The first annual report to be made at commencement time will give the story more fully.

Some classes have taken the lead in time, others in the amount raised and others in the number and percent of givers. The end of the contest may find a marked change in positions—but standings as of now are shown on the following page. Leading now are:

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OUR HERITAGE  
JEFFERSON COLLEGE  
CANONSBURG, PA.

1825-1828

1828-1846

1846-1899

1899-1929

1929

## SUMMARY OF CLASS STANDINGS

Alumni Annual Fund, Period from June 1, 1948 to January 10, 1949

Class	Class Agent	City of Residence	Living Class Members	Number Contributors	Percent Participation	Amount Contributions
1875	Dr. George C. Lippincott	Salem, N. J.	1	1	100.	20.
1876	Dr. John B. Carrell	Hatboro, Pa.	1			
1878	Dr. Edmund B. Montgomery	Quincy, Illinois	3	1	33.3	10.
1879	Dr. Charles F. Brower	Gainesville, Va.	2			
1880	Dr. William H. Ziegler	Philadelphia, Pa.	4	1	25.0	100.
1881	Dr. John McLean	Chicago, Ill.	5			
1882	Dr. John F. Mentzer	Ephrata, Pa.	10	1	10.0	100.
1883	Dr. Henry F. C. Heagy	Cochranville, Pa.	6			
1884	Dr. Fayette C. Ewing	Pineville, La.	7			
1885	Dr. Joseph J. Stewart	Westminster, Md.	9			
1886	Dr. J. Elmer Porter	Pottstown, Pa.	19	3	15.8	760.
1887	Dr. Erwin E. Graham	Philadelphia, Pa.	12	1	8.3	50.
1888	Dr. Augustus A. Eshner	Philadelphia, Pa.	13	1	7.7	50.
1889	Dr. S. Horace Scott	Coatesville, Pa.	15	2	13.3	55.
1890	Dr. F. Kline Baker	Philadelphia, Pa.	20	3	15.0	55.
1891	Dr. John Gibbon	Media, Pa.	18	2	11.1	11.
1892	Dr. Joseph H. Cloud	Ardmore, Pa.	17	3	17.7	60.
1893	Dr. Wm. H. Bodenstab	Bismarck, N. D.	30	4	13.3	34.
1894	Dr. Frederick H. Mills	Upper Darby, Pa.	23	5	21.8	116.
1895	Dr. John B. Lowman	Johnstown, Pa.	32	6	18.7	142.
1896	Dr. J. O. Arnold	Philadelphia, Pa.	44	5	11.3	85.
1897	Dr. Leighton F. Appleman	Philadelphia, Pa.	40	15	37.4	465.
1898	Dr. George T. Tracy	Beverly, N. J.	12	1	8.3	25.
1899	Dr. F. Mortimer Cleveland	Philadelphia, Pa.	27	7	26.	205.
1900	Dr. D. Randall MacCarroll	Philadelphia, Pa.	37	7	18.8	140.
1901	Dr. Nathan P. Stauffer	Philadelphia, Pa.	64	13	20.3	607.60
1902	Dr. Thomas F. Duhigg	New York, N. Y.	62	11	6.3	511.
1903	Dr. Charles R. Heed	Philadelphia, Pa.	70	18	25.7	462.
1904	Dr. Charles W. Bonney	Philadelphia, Pa.	64	14	29.8	470.
1905	Dr. Joseph A. Biello	Philadelphia, Pa.	89	7	7.8	152.
1906	Dr. F. F. Borzell	Philadelphia, Pa.	106	17	16.	450.
1907	Dr. Clarence D. Smith	Philadelphia, Pa.	64	12	18.7	615.
1908	Dr. Marshall C. Rumbaugh	Kingston, Pa.	95	17	17.8	2,076.
1909	Dr. Harold L. Foss	Danville, Pa.	80	9	11.3	410.
1910	Dr. John S. C. Fielden, Jr.	Fall River, Mass.	86	18	20.9	1,220.
1911	Dr. Erwin D. Funk	Reading, Pa.	75	13	17.3	925.
1912	Dr. Robert M. Lukens	Philadelphia, Pa.	97	26	26.8	1,845.
1913	Dr. Richard Beebe	Lewes, Delaware	77	18	23.4	965.
1914	Dr. Roy Deck	Lancaster, Pa.	110	42	38.2	2,328.01
1915	Dr. Harold S. Davidson	Atlantic City, N. J.	103	32	30.4	1,027.00
1916	Dr. J. Allan Bertolet	Philadelphia, Pa.	120	30	25.	1,520.
1917	Dr. Harold W. Jones	Philadelphia, Pa.	110	29	26.4	1,425.
1918	Dr. Reynold S. Griffith	Philadelphia, Pa.	80	27	33.8	620.
1919	Dr. Burgess L. Gordon	Philadelphia, Pa.	114	33	29.	1,485.
1920	Dr. Thaddeus L. Montgomery	Philadelphia, Pa.	141	38	27.2	2,470.
1921	Dr. Roy W. Mohler	Philadelphia, Pa.	97	33	34.	1,381.
1922	Dr. Austin T. Smith	Philadelphia, Pa.	76	22	29.	1,065.
1923	Dr. George J. Willauer and Dr. Benjamin Haskell	Philadelphia, Pa.	127	17	13.4	3,940.
1924	Dr. Abraham Cantarow	Philadelphia, Pa.	125	38	30.2	1,160.
1925	Dr. Charles Lintgen	Philadelphia, Pa.	125	17	13.6	990.
1926	Dr. Vincent T. McDermott	Camden, N. J.	129	38	29.5	2,078.50
1927	Dr. Robert B. Nye	Philadelphia, Pa.	129	55	41.8	2,445.
1928	Dr. Guy M. Nelson	Philadelphia, Pa.	136	23	17.5	1,015.
1929	Dr. Mario A. Castallo	Philadelphia, Pa.	130	39	30.	2,200.
1930	Dr. Merle M. Miller	Philadelphia, Pa.	137	19	13.9	430.50
1931	Dr. Charles Driscoll	Collingswood, N. J.	135	55	40.8	3,080.
1932	Dr. John C. Ullery	Philadelphia, Pa.	138	33	24.8	1,376.
1933	Dr. Charles W. Semisch, III	Philadelphia, Pa.	135	44	32.6	1,371.
1934	Dr. Louis Collins	Glassboro, N. J.	139	33	23.7	1,354.
1935	Dr. Joseph L. Finn	Philadelphia, Pa.	136	68	50.0	1,719.
1936	Dr. Leonard W. Parkhurst	Merion, Pa.	132	42	31.8	721.
1937	Dr. Robert C. McElroy	Philadelphia, Pa.	129	33	25.6	655.
1938	Dr. Alison H. Price	Philadelphia, Pa.	129	64	49.6	1,224.
1939	Dr. Paul A. Kennedy	Buffalo, N. Y.	118	64	54.2	912.50
1940	Dr. Wayne P. Hanson	Long Beach, Calif.	123	74	60.1	847.
1941	Dr. John J. Gill	Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	115	65	56.5	788.
1942	Dr. J. Wallace Davis	Philadelphia, Pa.	127	82	64.5	1,149.
1943	Dr. Hartford E. Grugan	Williamsport, Pa.	140	76	54.4	862.
1944 Jan.	Dr. Edward J. Murphy	Philadelphia, Pa.	132	92	69.6	761.
1944 Sept.	Dr. T. Frederick Weiland	Vineland, N. J.	135	91	67.4	622.
1945	Dr. James H. Lee	Dorchester, Mass.	155	99	63.9	493.50
1946	Dr. John L. McCormick, Jr.	Philadelphia, Pa.	155	96	61.9	345.
1947	Dr. George R. Reinhardt	Kansas City, Mo.	149	89	59.7	105.
1948	Dr. Paul C. Eisman	Danville, Pa.	152	28	18.4	291.
Non-grad. Staff	Dr. George Allen Bennett	Philadelphia, Pa.	131	74	56.4	2,551.
Total			6,130	2,094	33.5	62,863.61

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Amount:

1st —1923—Benjamin Haskell, George J. Willauer .....	\$3,940.00
2nd—1931—Charles Driscoll .....	3,080.00
3rd—1920—Thaddeus L. Montgomery .....	2,445.00

Number:

1st — 1945—James H. Lee .....	99
2nd— 1946—John L. McCormick, Jr. ....	96
3rd—J1944—Edward J. Murphy .....	92

Percent:

1st — 1875—George C. Lippincott .....	100.0
2nd—J1944—Edward J. Murphy .....	69.6
3rd—S1944—T. Frederick Weiland .....	67.4

### JEFFERSON ADVANCES REPORTED IN THREE NATIONAL MAGAZINES

In the past half year Jefferson Medical College and Hospital will have figured prominently in articles in three national magazines — Time, the Saturday Evening Post and Colliers.

Recent orthopedic work at Jefferson Hospital will be featured in an article "New Bones for Old" by Miriam Zeller Gross scheduled to appear in the January 22nd issue of Colliers Magazine. The article, illustrated with photographs of operations at Jefferson Hospital, describes newer surgical procedures used in several of the nation's leading institutions.

The research work on the shoulder, for which Dr. George A. Bennett, Professor of Anatomy and Dr. Anthony F. DePalma '29, Assistant Professor of Orthopedic Surgery, jointly received the first prize Gold Medal Award for "scientific value and importance" at the January 1948 meeting of the American Association of Orthopedic Surgeons in Chicago, receives much attention in the article.

A conservative suggestion of the importance of research work carried on by Dr. John H. Gibbon, Jr. '27, Professor of Surgery and Director of Surgical Research at Jefferson Medical College was made in the November 6th Saturday Evening Post article "Can We Rebuild Damaged Hearts?" by Steven M. Spencer, Associate Editor.

A quoting of a few excerpts from the article indicates the nature of Dr. Gibbon's work.

"A way to buy time for more deliberate and accurate surgery is to pipe the patient's blood through an apparatus which will take over the work of his own heart and lungs. Mechanical heart-and-lung models have already been successfully used in animal experiments in Philadelphia, Minneapolis and Stockholm; and their application to human patients is expected in the near future. At that time one of these steel-and-glass robots could be called on to take

care of an individual's circulation while a surgeon repairs his heart or major blood vessels."

"The synthetic circulator actually receives the patient's blood at one point, runs it through a cylinder where it picks up oxygen, and then pumps it back into the body via a large artery. It sounds quite simple. But it is really one of the most difficult jobs a piece of medical apparatus has ever been called upon to do. No one appreciates this more than Dr. John H. Gibbon Jr., . . . at Jefferson Medical College."

"Although it has not yet been hooked up to a human patient, the Gibbon apparatus has repeatedly demonstrated its practicability in the laboratory."

News stories and editorials throughout the nation's newspapers and the October 11 issue of Time, carried an extensive report of the first year's operation of the United Mine Workers of America Silicosis Research Project at Jefferson. The Cardio-Respiratory Laboratory was described in the May 1948 Alumni Bulletin in an article by Dr. Hurley L. Motley, who has worked in a five-man team headed by Dr. Burgess L. Gordon, on the five year research project financed by a \$575,000. grant from the Anthracite Health and Welfare Fund of the U.M.W.A.

The progress report, announcing that relief has been provided for over 500 silicosis victims, and indicating research steps which should be taken to prevent the occurrence of this condition and render treatment more effective, was released from New York by Thomas Kennedy, Vice President of the United Mine Workers and Chairman of the union's Anthracite Health and Welfare Fund.

Nearly 500 letters and telegrams from physicians, companies, bureaus and other institutions making inquiry or conveying commendation were received at Jefferson.

### JEFFERSON BUYS ADJOINING PROPERTY

Mr. Robert P. Hooper, president of the board of trustees of Jefferson Medical College and Hospital, has announced the institution's purchase of a property at the southeast corner of 11th and Walnut Streets.

The plot, 100 ft. on Walnut by 135 ft. south on Eleventh, is now occupied by a parking lot, the Chelsea Hotel, two tailor shops and a restaurant. It was bought from the Anne H. R. Baker Lewis estate.

Mr. Hooper has indicated the purchase was made in anticipation of future expansion of Jefferson. The acquisition of this property now gives Jefferson possession of all frontage on 11th Street between a point just south of Sansom Street and the point 135 ft. south of Walnut. In the block north of Walnut the property extends back to Clifton Street and the present hospital, and college buildings. Now located in this area are the buildings of the hospital and business office, and the Charlotte Drake Cardeza Foundation of Jefferson.

For the present the newly acquired lot will be used as a parking lot by doctors and by patients' families and friends.

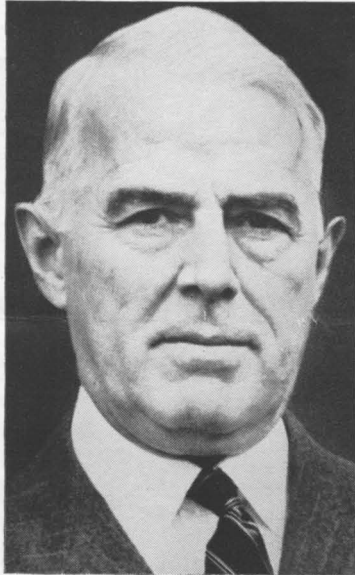
## BOARD ELECTS NEW TRUSTEE

Robert P. Hooper, president, has announced the election of Norman F. S. Russell to the board of trustees of Jefferson Medical College and Hospital.

The first addition to the trustees at Jefferson since the war, Mr. Russell's election is as a lifetime trustee.

Mr. Russell is chairman of the board of U. S. Pipe & Foundry Co. and has his home in Edgewater Park, Burlington, New Jersey. He is chairman of the Board of Trustees of Colgate University, his alma mater, and was awarded the LL.D. degree there in 1940.

The newly elected trustee is a director of the following companies: Pennsylvania Company for Banking and Trusts, Colgate-Palmolive-Peet Co., Cramp Shipbuilding Co., American Mutual Liability Insurance Co., U. S. Sugar Corp., Schloss-Sheffield Steel & Iron Co., and a number of other firms.



## NEW APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS

### *Dr. George Allen Bennett*

The appointment of Dr. George Allen Bennett as Professor of Anatomy and Director of the Daniel Baugh Institute of Anatomy to succeed Dr. J. Parsons Schaeffer, who retired in June 1948, was announced in the last issue of the Alumni Bulletin.

### *Dr. Peter A. Herbut*

Dr. Peter A. Herbut has been appointed Professor of Pathology. He succeeds Dr. Virgil Holland Moon who retired at the end of the last school year.

Best known for early diagnosis of cancer by cytologic methods, Dr. Herbut developed methods which lead to an earlier diagnosis of the lung and prostate. His special interest now is in the experimental search of drugs which may cure cancer. This work is being carried out in the Elizabeth Storck Kraemer Memorial Foundation at Jefferson.

A textbook on Surgical Pathology, of which he is the author, was published in October, 1947.

Dr. Herbut was born in Edson, Alberta, Canada, and received his early education there. He prepared for medical study at the University of Alberta and McGill University, receiving the medical degree from the latter school in 1937.

After preparing in the field of Pathology at the Medical College of Virginia, and following his internship at Children's Memorial Hospital, Montreal and the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital, he became a member of the teaching staff at Jefferson Medical College in 1939. He became a citizen of this country in 1942.

Certified by the American Board of Pathology, Dr. Herbut is Treasurer of the Pathological Society of Philadelphia at the present time and is a member of many scientific societies. He has made many notable contributions to medical literature. He was serving as Assistant professor in Pathology at Jefferson Medical College at the time of his promotion to the Professorship.

### *Dr. Clarence S. Livingood*

Dr. Clarence S. Livingood has been appointed Professor of Dermatology to succeed Dr. Frank Crozer Knowles, Professor of Dermatology Emeritus. At the time of his appointment Dr. Livingood was serving as Assistant Professor of Dermatology and Syphilology at the University of Pennsylvania Graduate School of Medicine. He continues as an Associate Professor in the University Graduate School.

Graduating from Ursinus College in 1932 he received his medical degree at the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine in 1936. Following internship in the University Hospital he served a fellowship in dermatology and syphilology in the medical school and hospital of the same institution.

Serving as a Lieut. Colonel in the Medical Corps of the army, Dr. Livingood spent one year at Indiantown Gap hospital, three years at a hospital in the India-Burma theatre, and one year as consultant on dermatology and syphilology to the Surgeon General. He later was consultant in the same specialty to the Veteran's Administration. He was awarded the Bronze Star and the Legion of Merit in army service.

He is the author of numerous papers in his field and is co-author of "Manual of Dermatology." He is a member of the American Academy of Dermatology and Syphilology and many other scientific societies.

### *Dr. Arno E. Town*

Dr. Arno Emerson Town of New York City was appointed Professor of Ophthalmology on July 1, 1948 to succeed Dr. Charles E. G. Shannon whose retirement became effective on that date.

The new professor was Clinical Professor of Ophthalmology, New York University School of Medicine at the time of his Jefferson appointment.

Dr. Town is a graduate of Jefferson in the class of 1926 having taken his B.S. at the University of Akron. He also received a Master of Medical Science degree in Ophthalmology from the University of Pennsylvania in 1939. He served internships at St. Mary's Hospital, Philadelphia in 1926-27 and at Bellevue Hospital, New York 1929-30.

He was formerly on the staffs of the following New York hospitals: Bellevue Hospital, New York Eye and Ear Infirmary, St. Vincent's Hospital, Welfare Hospital, St. Mary's Hospital.

He served as a Commander in the United States Naval Reserve during the last war and was Ophthalmologist at the United States Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Maryland and the hospital ship, U.S.S. Benevolence. He was consultant to the Medical Department, Royal Canadian Navy, 1942.

Among other societies, he is a member of the American Ophthalmological Society, the American Academy of Ophthalmology and Otolaryngology and the American College of Surgeons.

### *Dr. Andrew Jackson Ramsay*

Dr. Andrew Jackson Ramsay has been promoted to Professorship in Histology and Embryology. He became a member of the teaching staff at Jefferson Medical College June 1, 1936. He was serving as Associate Professor of Histology and Embryology at the time of his promotion to Professorship.

A brief biography would show the following: Born December 10, 1907 in Angola, Indiana.

A.B., DePauw University, 1930; Ph.D., Cornell University Medical College and Graduate School, 1930-1934; Fellowship in Histology and Embryology, Cornell University, 1930-1934. Studies

in special fields: Histology and Embryology, Cornell University, 1930-1934; Physiology and Anatomy, Cornell University, 1930-1932.

Past teaching positions: Assistant in Histology and Embryology, Cornell University, 1930-1931; Instructor in Histology and Embryology, Cornell University, 1931-1936.

Nominated for promotion from Assistant Professor of Histology and Embryology to Associate Professor of Histology and Embryology, June 2, 1941.

Member of American Association of Anatomists; American Association for the Advancement of Science; Sigma Xi, Phi Kappa Phi.

He has made many contributions to scientific literature and has been actively engaged in research.

#### *Dr. Nicholas A. Michels*

Dr. Nicholas A. Michels, has been promoted to Professorship in Anatomy. He became a member of the teaching staff at Jefferson Medical College in 1929. He has been serving as an Associate Professor in the Department.

A brief profile includes this background: M.A., University of Minnesota, 1920; D.Sc., Louvain University, Belgium, 1922; Biological Studies, Puget Sound Biological Station, 1921; Naples, 1923; Paleontology Expedition, Gerolstein, Germany, 1922; Sorbonne attendance, 1923; Private student under Ferata, University of Sienna, Italy, 1923; under Maximow, University of Chicago, 1925.

Assistant Professor of Biology and Histology, St. Louis University Medical School, 1926-1927; Associate Professor of Anatomy, Creighton University Medical College, 1927-1929.

Member: Sigma Xi; American Association for Advancement of Science; American Anatomists; Societe Scientifique de Bruxelles; Nebraska Academy of Science; Pennsylvania Academy of Science; Physiological Society of Philadelphia.

#### *Dr. Joseph O. Crider*

Dr. Joseph O. Crider, Assistant Dean, has been promoted to Professorship in Physiology. He became a member of the teaching staff at Jefferson Medical College in 1930. He was serving as an Assistant Professor in the Physiology Department at the time of his promotion to Professorship.

His professional background includes the following: M.D., University of Virginia, 1912; Assistant in Physiology, University of Virginia, 1911-1912; Instructor in Physiology and Pharmacology, University of Virginia, 1912-1913; Associate Professor of Physiology and Histology, University of Mississippi, 1913-1916; Professor of Physiology and Histology and Assistant Dean, University of Mississippi School of Medicine, 1916-1924; Dean and Professor of Physiology, University of Mississippi School of Medicine, 1924-1930.

Member of American Association for the Advancement of Science; Physiological Society of Philadelphia; Alpha Omega Alpha; Theta Kappa Psi; Raven Society (University of Virginia).

THE ALUMNI DINNER  
of  
THE JEFFERSON MEDICAL COLLEGE  
will be held at the  
BELLEVUE-STRATFORD HOTEL

on  
THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 1949  
at 7:00 P. M.

Chairmen for Class Reunions will be published in the next issue of the Bulletin.

## BRANCH CHAPTER AND OTHER ALUMNI GATHERINGS

On Wednesday, May 5, 1948, the North Carolina Jefferson Alumni Society held its annual meeting and luncheon in the Crystal Room of the Carolina Hotel at Pinehurst, during the annual session of the North Carolina Medical Society. Dr. Isaac Harris, the retiring President, opened the meeting and introduced Dr. James W. Tankersley of Greensboro as the oldest alumnus present, and he introduced Dr. James R. Martin '10, Professor of Orthopedic Surgery at Jefferson and President of the Alumni Association. Dr. Martin gave an interesting and informal talk in which he told of news of Jefferson.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President—Dr. H. H. Bradshaw '27 of Winston-Salem, Vice-President—Dr. J. S. Milliken '15 of Southern Pines, Secretary and Treasurer—Dr. Ben F. Martin '36 of Winston-Salem. There were 42 members present.

On June 3, 1948, Class Reunion Day—The Board of Trustees, Dean and Faculty entertained visiting alumni at Luncheon in the Assembly Hall of the College. Everyone who attended had such an enjoyable time that they expressed the hope that this would be an annual College activity.

On Thursday, June 3, 1948, the Alumni Association of the Jefferson Medical College held its Annual Dinner at 7 P.M. at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel. Seven hundred and thirty-one members attended. Eleven classes held class reunions at the time of the Dinner.

On Wednesday, June 23, 1948, the Supper Meeting of the Jefferson Alumni attending the Annual Meeting of the American Medical Association, was held at the Sheraton Hotel in Chicago, Illinois. Dr. William W. Bolton, Class of 1930, was in charge of all arrangements. A total of forty-seven alumni attended, among them being Dr. Edwin B. Montgomery, a member of the Class of 1878, who is still practicing obstetrics and gynecology in Quincy, Illinois, at the age of 91. Other alumni who spoke at the meeting were Dr. George F. Lull, Class of 1909, Dr. Frank Hammond Krusen '21, a chief from the Mayo Clinic and of the Department of Physical Medicine, Dr. John B. Montgomery '26, Dr. John Wilson '37 and Dr. Lawrence S. Carey, of the Class of 1922.

On Wednesday, October 6, 1948, the Alumni Association of the Jefferson Medical College held a Dinner in conjunction with the Centennial Celebration session of the Medical Society of the State of Pennsylvania, in the Burgundy Room of the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel, at 6:30 P.M. One hundred and eighty-three attended.

On Wednesday, October 27, 1948, the Northern New Jersey Chapter of the Alumni Association, held its meeting at the Essex Club, Newark, New Jersey at 6:30 P.M. Twenty-four members were present. The speakers of the evening, representing Jefferson, were Dr. Arno Town '26, Dr. Leandro M. Tocantins '26 and Mr. Paul F. Rake. Dr. Frederick C. De Troia '35, Secretary of the Northern New Jersey Chapter, expressed his deep appreciation and said, "the meeting was a complete success."

THE MID-WINTER SMOKER  
of  
THE JEFFERSON MEDICAL COLLEGE  
will be held at the  
BELLEVUE-STRATFORD HOTEL

on  
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1949  
at 7:00 P. M.

## EDITORIAL NOTES

We are using a new form with this issue of our Alumni Bulletin which we shall probably use three times a year, returning to our regular Bulletin for the May issue.

We hope you like the new form. Your comments will be appreciated. All news items should be submitted to the Alumni Office.

"DII LABORIBUS OMNIA VENDUNT"

"THE GODS WILL SELL ALL FOR HARD WORK"

The reproduction of the stone with the Latin inscription on page one is something that nearly everyone who graduated before 1929 has seen many times. This stone rested over the doorway to the College that stood at Tenth and Walnut Streets.

We trust the Pennsylvania Hospital Bulletin Staff will appreciate the fact that we like their Bulletin so well that we have adopted ours on a similar idea, "Imitation is the sincerest flattery."

The editor wishes to thank the members of the Publication Committee, the Dean, Mr. Rake, Director of Development and Mrs. Weed, the Alumni Executive Secretary, and her staff, for their help in getting this issue together.

ADOLPH A. WALKLING, M.D.,  
*Editor.*

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## PLAN POST-GRADUATE INSTRUCTION

Jefferson Medical College has throughout the years of its existence concentrated on under-graduate teaching. In recent years this has been supplemented by an extensive resident training program. The Executive Committee of the Jefferson Alumni Association decided last year that it would be in the interest of both the College and the Alumni to offer a short intensive course of postgraduate instruction in one or two subjects annually.

To implement this object the following committee was appointed to formulate a program: John H. Gibbon, Jr., Chairman; William Harvey Perkins; Kenneth E. Fry; and Floyd Johnson Putney. This committee's report was accepted at the Executive Committee meeting of the Jefferson Alumni Association on October 18, 1948 and the Committee was instructed to proceed. Copies of the program were mailed to all graduates in late December. The one hundred limited enrollments are not quite complete. Prompt response might secure one of the few remaining available enrollments.

A three-day postgraduate course of instruction on cancer will be given on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, February 8, 9, and 10. These three days immediately precede the mid-winter Alumni Smoker which will be held on the evening of February 10.

There will be six lecture periods each day from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. The lectures will be held in the auditorium in the basement of the college.

A fee of twenty-five dollars is being charged, which will include a ticket for the Alumni Dinner. This fee will be used to provide an honorarium for the two guest speakers and small sums to each of the instructors in the course. Any residual sum will be turned over to the Jefferson Alumni Association for such purposes as they see fit.

Medical films of interest will be shown at the Jefferson Medical College on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, February 8 and 9 following which a small collation will be served by the college.

The following is a list of the subjects which will be discussed and the speakers:

1. Cancer of the Skin  
*Clarence S. Livingood*
2. Cancer of the Breast  
*Thomas A. Shallow*
3. Cancer of the Larynx, Pharynx and Nasal Passages  
*Louis H. Clerf*
4. Cancer of the Lung  
*John H. Gibbon, Jr.*
5. Primary Tumors of Bone  
*Thomas A. Shallow*
6. Cancer of the Central Nervous System  
*Bernard J. Alpers*
7. Cancer of the Esophagus and Stomach  
*John H. Gibbon, Jr.*
8. Cancer of the Large Intestine  
*Thomas A. Shallow*
9. Cancer of the Prostate  
*David M. Davis*
10. Cancer of the Bladder and Kidney  
*David M. Davis*
11. Leukemia  
*Franklin R. Miller*
12. Cancer of the Uterus and Ovaries  
*Lewis C. Scheffey*
13. Cytologic Diagnosis of Cancer of Prostate, Lung and Cervix  
*Peter A. Herbut and Abraham E. Rakoff*
14. Organization and Management of a Tumor Clinic  
*William H. Kraemer and Theodore P. Eberhard*
15. Functioning of a Tumor Clinic with Presentation of Cases  
*Theodore P. Eberhard*
16. Radioactive Isotopes in Relation to Cancer  
*Theodore P. Eberhard*
17. Psychological Aspects of the Cancer Problem  
*Allen O. Whipple, Clinical Director, Memorial Hospital, New York*
18. The Biological Identification of Malignant Tissues  
*Harry S. M. Greene, Professor of Pathology, Yale University School of Medicine.*

## TYPICAL RESPONSE TO POSTGRADUATE COURSE

Dear Doctor Gibbon:

I have received notice of your postgraduate school on Cancer to be held February 8, 9 and 10. Owing to previous commitments I will not be able to attend but I do wish you to know that I heartily approve of the plans to have postgraduate courses at Jefferson College at least once or twice a year, and in the future I shall certainly arrange to attend some of them. I think perhaps that failure to have postgraduate courses have been a hinderance to the College in keeping in contact with the alumni. Since my graduation in 1919 at Jefferson I have not returned there many times but I have taken numerous postgraduate courses, sometimes two and three times a year. Of necessity I have gone to schools and hospitals which were in position to offer such courses where much work has been concentrated and covered in a few days or couple of weeks. I believe you will find that postgraduate courses at Jefferson will meet the approval of the majority of the alumni and I also think that you will find they will serve to draw the alumni close to the College.

J. STREET BREWER, M.D.,  
Roseboro, North Carolina.

## DEPARTMENT OF MEDICINE

*Dr. Hobart A. Reimann*

We hope returning alumni will be pleased to see the new offices and laboratories which the personnel of the Department of Medicine occupies on the eighth floor of the college in November 1947. Some equipment has been obtained and the laboratories are being activated. However, several rooms remain unfurnished because of the greatly increased cost of equipment.

There is one large reception room which serves a dual purpose, accommodating visitors and the secretaries. Durable metal desks, mahogany finish, have been obtained for the secretaries. Offices with adjoining laboratories have been provided Professor Hobart A. Reimann and his assistant, Doctor Alison H. Price. One room has a bank of metal cabinets for filing the abstracts of studies made of all patients hospitalized on the medical wards and for filing a large collection of lantern slides. These slides are photographs of patients with unusual diseases and have been accumulated for teaching purposes. Six laboratories are being used by the members of the staff and residents who are active in the research program. The laboratory furniture which has been installed is of metal with battleship grey finish.

The record of each patient upon discharge from the medical wards is reviewed; an abstract is made and mailed to the referring physician. Copies of such abstracts are filed in the office for future reference and for teaching purposes.

Investigations in progress are: bacterial mutation, high frequency currents, methods of administration and modification of the menstruum of penicillin, sickle cell disease,

effectiveness of dicumarol in coronary artery disease, capillary fragility, cirrhosis of the liver, gastro-intestinal food hypersensitivity, positive pressure oxygen therapy, diabetes, and correlation of total base, blood pH, and the carbon dioxide combining power.

Space has been provided in the Department of Experimental Medicine for the Cancer Research and endocrinology group under the supervision of Doctor Hobart A. Reimann. These new laboratories have been equipped completely and were occupied on November 15, 1948.

## DIVISION OF ENDOCRINE AND CANCER RESEARCH

In November 1948, the Division of Endocrine and Cancer Research moved into its new quarters on the 8th floor, of the college.

There are two laboratories for animal experimentation. In one, a unit is partitioned off for animal metabolism work; it is planned to have this unit air-conditioned as soon as the necessary funds can be obtained. There are three chemistry laboratories, a balance room, a colorimeter room, a store room, a utility room and a histology laboratory. In addition to two secretaries' offices there are three staff offices, for Drs. Paschkis, Rakoff and Schneider, under whose direction the work in the laboratories is conducted. The hormone assay laboratory of the Hospital, under the direction of Dr. Rakoff, shares the use of some of the laboratories.

At the present time, radioactivity measurements are also performed in these laboratories under the direction of Dr. Eberhard.

The other members of the Endocrine and Cancer Research Division are retaining their departmental laboratories; Drs. Cantarow, DeMeio, Hansen and Pearlman in the Dept. of Biochemistry, and Dr. Stasney in the Dept. of Pathology.

Because most of the work, especially in cancer research, deals with long term experiments, the process of moving into the new quarters had to be carried out without interrupting experimental work. This was accomplished satisfactorily, thanks to the excellent performance of the technical staff.

### *Staff roster:*

Dr. A. Cantarow, Professor of Biochemistry  
Dr. R. H. DeMeio, Assistant Professor of Biochemistry  
Dr. T. Eberhard, Associate Professor of Radiology  
Dr. L. Hansen, Associate Professor of Biochemistry  
Dr. K. E. Paschkis, Assistant Professor of Medicine;  
Associate in Physiology  
Dr. Wm. Pearlman, Assistant Professor of Biochemistry  
Dr. A. E. Rakoff, Assistant Professor of Gynecology and  
Obstetrics  
Dr. J. Schneider, Research Associate in Exp. Medicine  
Dr. J. Stasney, Assistant Professor of Pathology  
Dr. A. A. Walkling, Associate Professor of Surgery  
Fellows: Dr. P. Birtch, Dr. J. Rupp  
Technical staff: 12 research technicians.



## LOCAL SOCIETY GRANTS FELLOWSHIP

The Philadelphia Division of the American Cancer Society has established a rotating fellowship in Oncology at Jefferson Medical College.

Recipient of the first appointment under the annual grant for the study of tumors, is Dr. Morris Ivker, a Temple University graduate who will have completed a three-year residency at Jefferson Medical College and Hospital in radiology next September. Dr. Ivker served six months at Memorial Hospital in New York before coming to Jefferson.

The new fellowship, carrying a \$2,400.00 yearly grant, is designed to develop liaison clinical relationship between the departments of radiology and other departments of the college and hospital with respect to training in early diagnosis of malignancy and application of proper x-ray and radium treatment.

Dr. Ivker's work will be under the general supervision of Dr. Lewis C. Scheffey, Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, and Dr. Paul C. Swenson, Professor of Radiology. It will include procedures in bio-chemistry, hematology, surgical pathology, gynecology, general surgery, endocrinology, urology, and dermatology.

## JEFFERSON RECOGNIZED IN CANCER SOCIETY AWARD OF FELLOWSHIPS

In recognition of its work on smear diagnosis of pulmonary, uterine and prostatic cancer, developed and extended for the past few years, Jefferson Medical College in October was assigned six special graduate fellowships for training pathologists in the new technique by the National American Cancer Society.

The significance of Jefferson's contribution to these early detection methods is indicated by the fact that it was assigned six of the fellowships out of twenty-one awarded to eight leading medical schools. Five were allotted to Cornell University Medical College, where Dr. George N. Papanicolaou developed the exfoliative cytology procedure for the early detection of uterine cancer. Other medical schools were assigned one or two.

Recognizing the need for the proper training of physicians, especially pathologists, in this additional test in early cancer diagnosis, the American Cancer Society has planned the training program on a national regional basis so that the techniques may be utilized in a widening group of hospitals and medical institutions.

Originally restricted to the field of uterine cancer, similar research has been extended to the realms of bronchial and prostatic cancer. Because of the large chest and bronchoscopic departments at Jefferson special emphasis has been laid on its application to the lungs.

According to Dr. Peter A. Herbut, Professor of Pathology, lung carcinoma, formerly one of the most difficult types of cancer to detect, now can be diagnosed accurately in 95 per cent of the cases through microscopic study of

bronchial secretions. This is almost triple the accuracy of what have been standard tests.

Dr. Herbut reported to the annual meeting of the American Cancer Society in New York recently that of 1,200 secretions studied over a period of almost four years, 213 or 89 per cent of the 237 which eventually proved to be cancerous—showed cancer cells under the microscope. Diagnostic accuracy now has risen to 95 per cent, he said.

In contrast to this remarkable record, the standard method of biopsy proved positive in only 86 of the 237 cases, representing a failure of 63.8 per cent. At least two-thirds of the lung cases were inaccessible to biopsy.

On the question of surgery, it has been pointed out that until 1939 lung cancer was conceded to be almost 100 per cent fatal. Since then the nation's leading surgeons have attempted a mounting number of such operations, each year with a growing degree of success. The rate of resectability is growing relatively high. Lung surgery at Jefferson is performed in some cases on the basis of diagnosis from the smear test alone.

Teamwork of three specialists is essential to the patient—the bronchologist for securing the secretions, the pathologist for cell analysis and the surgeon who determines the surgical procedures indicated. Dr. L. H. Clerf, Dr. Herbut and Dr. John H. Gibbon, Jr., have worked in such a relationship on many cases in the past four years.

Dr. Herbut has said that the smear test should prove most valuable in the diagnosis of lung cancer, partly because of the greater visible difference between normal and cancer cells of the lung than of cells of certain other regions. Cancer cells being more fragile than normal cells are cast off by tissue faster than normal cells in early cases.

Dr. Herbut has emphasized that there is no simple or absolutely foolproof method of distinguishing between normal and cancer cells microscopically. Only a specially trained pathologist can differentiate. A number of standards of differentiation are used, which, in combination, permit a skilled deduction.

Dr. Abraham E. Rakoff, Assistant Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, who has been working with the test in relation to uterine cancer, has warned that 10 per cent of this type are being missed with it and that one and a half per cent of false positive diagnosis are being made. (False positive diagnosis has been negligible in lung cancer tests.) Dr. Rakoff has warned that the smear test should not be permitted to replace the accepted histologic diagnosis of suspected tissue. He has said that the method best serves as a screening procedure, it being especially useful in picking up cases that have not shown suspicious lesions.

While smear tests for detection of cancerous prostates have not proved to be as highly accurate the method still has significant value in some cases. Manual detection and biopsy remain the most satisfactory general methods of determination in relation to this organ. Dr. David M. Davis, Professor of Urology, has worked with Dr. Herbut on the clinical investigation in this field.

The four months intensive course will be given to the six graduate pathologist fellows along the lines of indoctrination with emphasis on methods of collecting material for study, the techniques involved in preparing and staining the smears, and instruction in their examination. In the specialization on gynecologic, urologic, and bronchial smears much attention will be given to the recognition of various types of both normal and abnormal conditions and of the cytologic criteria that have been established.

Training of the fellows is to be under the joint supervision of Doctors Herbut and Rakoff who are recognized as having done much pioneer work in cytologic diagnosis. The project is being directed by a committee headed by Dr. Lewis C. Scheffey, Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology. Members beside Dr. Herbut and Dr. Rakoff are Dr. Louis H. Clerf, Professor of Laryngology and Bronchoesophagology; Dr. David M. Davis; Dr. John H. Gibbon, Jr., Professor of Surgery and Director of Surgical Research; and Dr. Carl J. Bucher, Director of Clinical Laboratories.

## JEFFERSON GRADUATE HONORED IN THE RE-NAMING OF WHITE HAVEN BUILDINGS

The main building overlooking Lehigh Valley has been named the Lawrence F. Flick Building. Dr. Flick, '79, was the founder of White Haven Sanitorium. He was associated with the institute for more than forty years as its President of the Board of Trustees and Senior Physician.

## AWARDS

Pascal F. Lucchesi, M.D., '26, superintendent and medical director of Philadelphia General Hospital recently received the annual I. P. Strittmatter Award for outstanding achievements in public health and hospital administration.

The award, a gold medal and scroll, was established in 1923. Theodore R. Fetter, M.D., '26, president of the Philadelphia County Medical Society presided at the banquet at which the award was made.

In receiving the award Dr. Lucchesi declared this State should establish a school for public health so it can take its "rightful place" as a leader in this field.

Dr. Lucchesi also called for a revision of laws which make it "impractical and expensive to render even meager public health service to the community." Overlapping of duties in many Governmental health fields results in waste in personnel and money, he added.

John Lawrence Angel, M.D., associate in physical anthropology and anatomy at Jefferson Medical College, received the 1948 Guggenheim Fellowship Award in April.



CHARLES E. G. SHANNON, M.D.

The Board of Trustees, at their meeting June 14, 1948, made Dr. Shannon Emeritus Professor of Ophthalmology. Dr. Shannon received his A.B. at Colby College in 1899 and his M.D. from Jefferson Medical College in 1902. He served his internship in Pottsville Hospital from 1902-1903 and pursued courses of training in Ophthalmology in Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary, 1903-1904.

He has held the positions of Clinical Assistant, Chief Clinical Assistant and Assistant in Ophthalmology in Jefferson Medical College since 1904, and Instructor, Demonstrator and Associate Professor of Ophthalmology successively since 1904.

Attending Ophthalmologist, Philadelphia General Hospital, 1920-1929; Attending Ophthalmologist, War Veterans' Hospital, No. 49, Gray's Ferry, since 1920; Ophthalmologist, Presbyterian Orphanage; in Medical Service of the United States Army from September, 1917, to February, 1919.

He is a member of State and Philadelphia County Medical Societies; College of Physicians; American Ophthalmological Society; and American Academy of Ophthalmology and Otolaryngology; Medical Club and American Medical Association. He is author of numerous papers.

Dr. Shannon served as President of the Alumni Association and has been a member of the Executive Committee for more than 25 years. His loyalty to Jefferson and his helpfulness to the Executive Committee have been most outstanding.

## GIFTS FOR EMERITUS PROFESSORS

The members of the Senior Class of 1948 presented a very beautiful watch to Dr. Charles E. G. Shannon, Professor of Ophthalmology during his last lecture in the clinical amphitheater on May 7, 1948.

The sophomores and juniors presented Dr. Virgil H. Moon, Professor of Pathology and Dr. J. Parson Schaeffer, Professor of Anatomy and Director of Daniel Baugh Institute with a set of matched luggage upon their retirement.

## HAMILTON WITHERSPOON McKAY, M.D.

*President-Elect, Southern Medical Association*

"The President-elect has been a member of the Council of the Association and chairman of the Council, chairman of the Section on Urology, and was First Vice-President of the Association during the past year. He has made many contributions to medical literature, a number of which have been published in the Southern Medical Journal.

"Born in Sumter, South Carolina, in 1885, the son of Wilson James and Sarah Knox Witherspoon McKay, Hamilton McKay studied in Kings Mountain Military Academy from 1899 to 1902. He took a bachelor of Science degree at Davidson College in 1906 and his medical degree at Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia in 1910. He served internships in Philadelphia and New York, was Professor of Physical Diagnosis of North Carolina Medical College for four years, did postgraduate work at the Sorbonne in Paris in 1919, and joined the Crowell Clinic of Urology and Dermatology in Charlotte shortly afterward. He served in the Medical Corps of the United States Army in the first World War as major. He married Katherine W. Whitner in 1923; and they have two children, Katherine and Hamilton, Jr.

"He is a member of the American College of Surgeons, the Southern Surgical Association, the American Urological Association, and a diplomate of the American Board of Urology. He has been president of his county medical society and of the Southeastern Section of the American Urological Association. At the present time he is the Chairman of the Section on Urology of the American Medical Association. He is a member and ex-president of the Rotary Club and an elder and one of the founders of Myers Park Presbyterian Church. He is a member of the Charlotte Country Club and Charlotte City Club. He is ex-chairman of the Mecklenburg Chapter of the American Red Cross. He has been a leader in many community activities in Charlotte."

Southern Medical Journal, December, 1948.

### PLACEMENT BUREAU

The formation of a placement bureau has been considered for some time by the Alumni Association and at the meeting on November 11, 1948 the recommendation was made to establish this bureau. Dr. Wm. Harvey Perkins was appointed chairman. Dr. Hayward Hamrick is a member of the committee. The function of the bureau will be to place internes, residents and fellows in industrial and other positions. It is felt that this service will be of great benefit, especially to younger alumni.

### JEFFERSON SINGS CHRISTMAS CAROLS

The Annual Christmas Concert and Carol Sing was held December 15 in the Assembly Hall of the College. Carol singing is an annual event which is looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure by all as it is in memory of Dr. Randall C. Rosenberger, former Professor of Bacteriology who originated the music program of the College.

## THE JEFFERSON ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

will hold a

**BUFFET SUPPER**

at the

**HOTEL TRAYMORE**

**ATLANTIC CITY, NEW JERSEY**

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8, 1949**

Further details will be given at a later date

## CLASS NOTES

- 1875 GEORGE C. LIPPINCOTT, M.D., of Salem, N. J., who will be 99 years of age in April is Jefferson's oldest living graduate. In accepting appointment as Class Agent, he indicated his sight was somewhat impaired but was otherwise well and enjoying life.
- 1876 The Bucks County Medical Society honored JOHN B. CARRELL, M.D., of Hatboro, Pa. during its one hundredth anniversary dinner-dance. Dr. Carrell is ninety-seven years old and is known as the oldest physician in Pennsylvania. He was graduated from Jefferson in 1876.
- 1878 E. B. MONTGOMERY, M.D., of Quincy, Illinois, recently was reported in the following U. P. dispatch: "Doc, 90, Uses A Winged Buggy. Illinois oldest practicing physician agrees that things have speeded up since he first started practicing medicine. Dr. E. B. Montgomery said the airplane certainly is 'a lot faster than the horse and buggy he used to travel in'. Then he climbed into an airplane and headed to Los Angeles for a meeting of the American College of Surgeons."
- 1880 A. J. COLEY, M.D., writes, "Things are going pretty well with me at the present. Having retired from active practice in the spring of 1947, I sometimes find it difficult just how to use my time, since I have so much of it now. However, I am still very much interested in the profession that I followed actively for sixty-seven years, and in Jefferson, which in my opinion, is the foremost of all medical schools."
- WILLIAM H. ZIEGLER, M.D., a recent caller at the Alumni Office has been a member of the School Board of the Philadelphia Public Schools for over 30 years. He remains in practice.
- 1897 VICTOR G. HEISER, M.D., is associated with the National Association of Manufacturers in New York City.
- 1901 H. WALLACE MURRAY, M.D., is retired and living in Pasadena, California. He and Mrs. Murray spent six weeks in Alaska last summer.
- FRANK P. MCCARTHY, M.D., of Erie, Pa., was presented with a bronze plaque in honor of his service as the first president of the St. Vincent's Hospital Surgical Association. The presentation was made by the current president, Dr. L. A. Lasher, U. of Md. '17. This pleasant event took place at the annual dinner meeting, and the chief speaker of the evening was Dr. Thomas E. Jones, of Cleveland, president-elect of the American College of Surgeons.
- 1906 BRIG. GEN. C. M. WALSON, M.D., USA (Retired), has been named administrator of the American Red Cross Blood Program of the Greater New York Chapters, 4 East Thirty-seventh Street.
- 1908 M. C. RUMBAUGH, M.D., has associated with him in the Rumbaugh Clinic at Kingston, Pa.: P. J. Morgan, M.D., '28; N. D. Rumbaugh, M.D., '23 and H. C. Smith, M.D., '34.
- 1911 ARTURO CARBONELL, M.D., native of Puerto Rico, reported for duty in October of this year as director of outpatient services at Jackson Memorial Hospital, Dade City, Florida.
- 1912 THOMAS LEWIS HARRIS, M.D., of Parkersburg, W. Va., was married to Mrs. Elizabeth Williams Moran of New York in April, 1948. Dr. Harris is a surgeon. He has taken graduate studies in this country, Ireland, Scotland and England and is a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons and the International College of Surgeons and a member of the Board of Governors of West Virginia University.

- 1913 GUY G. CAMPBELL, M.D. is Director of Public Health in Ethiopia, Africa and is also physician to the Imperial household.
- 1914 RICHARD P. MACKNIGHT, M.D., former State Director of Hospital Inspection, has been appointed director of the new division of hospitals, of the Massachusetts Department of Public Health.  
CHARLES R. GLENN, Col. MC (USAF), Surgeon, "Many years ago we had a class manual which I have carried about with me ever since its publication and in many instances have seen the individuals when I arrived in their area."  
GEORGE ARMITAGE, M.D. "I see very few of our old gang and would enjoy a real get-together for our 35th reunion. Why not try to make it a big one?"
- 1917 WILLIAM HARVEY PERKINS, M.D., dean of Jefferson Medical College was appointed chairman of the Education Section of the 1948 Cancer Crusade, last March.
- 1918 PAUL B. REISINGER, M.D. All the members of the class should appreciate the contribution of Dr. Reisinger to the Annual Giving Fund made in memory of his former classmates, James C. Harmon, M.D., and Henry K. Seelaus, M.D.  
HERBERT L. MANTZ, M.D., of Kansas City, was elected President of the National Tuberculosis Association for the year 1949.
- 1922 JOHN H. HENNEMUTH, M.D., of Emmaus, Pa., was installed as president of the Lehigh County Medical Society in January of this year.
- 1923 ELLIOTT MENDENHALL, M.D., a practicing physician in Dallas since 1924, will become president of the Dallas County Medical Society in January of 1950.
- 1924 MARIO C. FERNANDEZ LOPEZ, M.D., who is in the practice of psychiatry in San Juan, Puerto Rico, was a recent visitor at the College.  
J. MERRILL GIBSON, M.D., is in general surgery in Providence, Rhode Island, where he is Associate Surgeon at Rhode Island Hospital and in which he serves as surgeon to the tumor clinic. Dr. Gibson served with the 48th Evacuation Hospital in Assam, Burma during the last war. He recently visited his son who is a freshman at Jefferson.
- 1926 THEODORE R. FETTER, M.D. on January 12 delivered his address as the retiring President of the Philadelphia County Medical Society at the end of a very active year of administration.  
HERMAN M. PARRIS, M.D., who is in active practice in Philadelphia, received very favorable notices from New York music critics on his new composition "Hospital Suite" when it was performed by the Doctor's Symphony in Carnegie Hall last summer. The composition is in seven movements and depicts the course of a female patient through the stages of an operation from the examination to the last movement, "Going Home." Dr. Parris' composition was later broadcast over the N.B.C. on Sunday afternoon and brought national reviews in Time, Newsweek and in many newspapers. The composition was written in the limited hours available after the maintenance of a busy practice. Dr. Parris studied at Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia before changing to pre-medical training to enter Jefferson Medical College.  
ARTHUR J. REDLAND, M.D., of Philadelphia, Pa., is the new Executive Officer of Tilton General Hospital, Ft. Dix, New Jersey having succeeded Lt. Col. Henry A. Kind of Philadelphia.
- 1926 NEAL R. MOORE, M.D., who had his orthopedic residency at the Hospital of Ruptured and Crippled in New York City is in orthopedic work in Bay City, Michigan.  
THURSTON D. RIVERS, M.D., was married to Miss Pauline Wolley of New York City in May of this year.
- 1927 COLONEL JAMES E. YARBROUGH, M.D., is Commanding Officer at the Medical Corps Headquarters, William Beaumont General Hospital in El Paso, Texas.  
HERBERT R. GLENN, M.D., since returning from the service has accepted a position as Director of College Health Services at Penn State College, State College, Pa.  
ARTHUR A. FISCHL, M.D., of Long Island City, New York, writes that he had occasion to examine interns at Queens General Hospital and that two recent Jefferson graduates did very well on the examinations and were accepted.  
RALPH M. ALLEY, M.D., formerly of Stockton, California is superintendent of the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium in Socorro, New Mexico.  
ROY W. GIFFORD, M.D., is chief in surgery in Gettysburg, Pa.  
JAMES H. WALL, M.D., is Medical Director of the Westchester Division of the New York Hospital.
- 1929 SAMUEL L. GROSSMAN, M.D., physician in Harrisburg, Pa. since 1932, was elected president of the Harrisburg Academy of Medicine at the annual organization meeting in January 1948.
- 1930 DAVID ARMITAGE BOYD, JR., M.D., formerly Professor of Psychiatry at Indiana University Medical School has recently joined Francis J. Braceland, M.D., '30, and Frank H. Krusen, M.D., '21, at the Mayo Clinic. Dr. Boyd becomes Professor of Psychiatry at the University of Minnesota Graduate School of Medicine. Dr. Krusen is Director of Physical Medicine at the Mayo Clinic.
- 1931 JOHN N. BORBONIS, M.D., has left Johnstown, Pa. to accept a position with the Netherlands East Indies Transportation Company in Aruba, Curacao, Dutch West Indies.  
NATHAN RALPH, M.D., recently married Alice Leschein Gross, M.D., both will practice in Philadelphia.
- 1932 JOHN J. CHELEDEN, M.D., spoke on November 16th at the Lackawanna County Medical Society on "Proctology for the General Practitioner."
- 1933 ANTHONY RUPPERSBURG, M.D., is still able to take time out from a busy practice in Columbus, Ohio, for his clever sketches. He has had a series of most interesting sketches of Dr. Kinney, '06, Dr. Landrum and Dr. Mann.
- 1934 JOHN B. ZIELINSKI, M.D., is in the private practice of Radiology in Bridgeport, Conn. after spending four years in the Army.  
ROSCOE P. KANDLE, M.D., is field director of the American Public Health Association in New York City. He recently completed a survey of public health in the state of Pennsylvania, and a report will shortly be issued in a printed volume. The New Jersey Department of Health recently published another volume of his entitled "Control of Whooping Cough in New Jersey."  
WILLIAM BRAUN, M.D., is practicing Ophthalmology in Camden, New Jersey.  
WARREN C. PHILLIPS, M.D., is practicing Ophthalmology in Harrisburg, Pa.
- 1936 JAMES F. O'NEILL, M.D., of Glenside, Pa., was married to Miss Maxine Hooker of King, N. C. in November 1948.
- 1938 WILFORD CARNEY, M.D., after serving internship at Rhode Island Hospital, residency at Truesdale Clinic in Fall River, Massachusetts and being stationed in Panama during the last war has recently become associated with J. Merrill Gibson, M.D., '24, in general surgery in Providence, R. I.

- 1940 HENRY B. FLETCHER, M.D., has recently begun the practice of orthopedics in Providence, Rhode Island.
- 1942 EUGENE V. HIGGINS, M.D., was appointed associate medical director of Manhattan Life, in March 1948.
- DAVID O. JOHNSON, M.D.—Practice anesthesiology, Austin, Texas.
- THOMAS M. SCOTT, M.D.—Associate Professor of Pathology, Medical College of Virginia, Richmond, Va.
- JAMES V. CONNELL, M.D.—General Practice, Gloucester, N. J.
- JOHN J. GRAFF, M.D.—Associate Anesthesiologist, Delaware Hospital, Wilmington, Del.
- EUGENE V. HIGGINS, M.D.—Practicing in Newark, N. J., specializing in Geriatrics and Cardiology.
- ROBERT H. MCCARTER, M.D.—Associate in Psychiatry, Harvard Medical School.
- ALEX POHOWSKY, JR., M.D.—General Practice at Silverton (Cincinnati), Ohio.
- EDMOND K. YANTES, M.D.—General Practice, Wilmington, Ohio.
- WILLIAM M. HEGARTY, JR., M.D.—Resident in Neurosurgery, Crile V. A. Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio.
- JOHN S. LIGGETT, M.D.—Practicing General Surgery in Sewickley and Pittsburgh, Pa.
- CARL L. KNOPF, M.D.—Resident Obstetrician and Gynecologist, Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.
- RICHARD C. MURRAY, M.D.—General Practice in Patton, Pa.
- ARTHUR J. WINHAM, M.D.—Practicing in Radiology, Pennsylvania Hospital and Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa.
- JAMES A. HECKMAN, M.D.—Practicing Orthopedic Surgery, in Huntington, West Virginia.
- DAVID A. GOLD, M.D.—Practicing Ophthalmology, San Francisco, California.
- WASYL J. POLISCHUK, M.D.—General Practice, Chester, Pa.
- MICHAEL J. RESSETAR, M.D.—General Practice, Clifton, N. J.
- DAVID W. MCLEAN, M.D.—General Practice Laurel, Mississippi.
- HARRY J. KNOWLES, M.D.—Practicing General Surgery, Philadelphia, Pa.
- JACK T. GOCKE, M.D.—General Practice, Clarksburg, West Virginia.
- WILLIS E. MANGES, M.D.—Radiologist, Easton Hospital, Easton, Pa.
- BURTON L. WILLIAMS, M.D.—Practicing Radiology, Media Clinic, Media, Pa.
- DAVID L. PRESSLY, M.D.—General Practice, Statesville, N. C.
- ANTHONY G. ZALE, M.D.—General Practice, Scranton, Pa.
- 1943 J. S. D. EISENHOWER, M.D., of Wildwood, N. J., past president of the County Medical Society, recently was accorded new honors for his work in the profession. Dr. Eisenhower was elected Fellow of the American College of General Practice, and was elected an associate in the American College of Chest Physicians.
- Jan. JOHN BENEDICT FLYNN, M.D., of Oakville, Connecticut  
1944 was married to Miss Catherine Frances Mulroy of Brooklyn, New York on November 6, 1948 in St. Jerome's Church, Brooklyn, New York.
- ROBERT E. SUMNER, M.D., who is in an internal medicine practice in Canton, Ohio, was married December 28, 1948. The bride is also from Canton.
- SAMUEL D. KRON, M.D., is in residency at Mount Sinai Hospital in Philadelphia.
- Jan. JOHN H. BLAND, M.D., is Clinical Fellow in the Department of Experimental Medicine at the University of Vermont College of Medicine in Burlington.  
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- GEORGE A. TICE, M.D., is in country general practice at Oaks, Pa., where he reports he may find anything from a brain abscess to Rocky Mountain spotted fever in the course of a day.
- VINCENT A. KEHM, M.D., has just opened offices in Herminie, Pa.
- ALBERT C. TRUXAL, M.D., is practicing in Dubois, Idaho.
- MELVIN I. GLICK, M.D., is in general practice in Eureka, Illinois.
- JOHN G. OLIVER, M.D., began general practice in Pen Argyl, Pa. (near Easton) last July.
- HARRY F. COOPER, M.D., will soon complete his residency at the Municipal Tuberculosis Sanitarium in Chicago, after which he plans a surgical residency.
- JOHN F. LYNCH, JR., M.D., is now practicing pediatrics in High Point, North Carolina.
- WILLIAM H. SHULL, M.D., is in residency in the department of medicine of the University of Michigan Hospital at Ann Arbor.
- CHARLES L. PUTZEL, JR., M.D., has a fellowship in internal medicine at the Ochsner Clinic in New Orleans.
- Sept. CAPTAIN WALTER J. BRENNAN, JR., M.D., was married to  
1944 Miss Sally Ann McLain of Washington and New York on October 10, 1948.
- THOMAS F. NEALON, M.D., of Scranton, Pa., was appointed assistant director of the Cancer Society's Service Division in August 1948.
- WALTER G. FORTNUM, M.D., writes that he is doing well in his first year of practice at Bristol, Penna.
- CHARLES M. MURRY, JR., M.D., tells us that he is a member of the Guyton Clinic in his specialty in Oxford, Mississippi. "William H. Dunavant has a good residency in Surgery in Memphis, Tennessee. Edwin S. Grantham has gone back into the Army."
- ROBERT R. SCHOPBACH, M.D., writes from the Veterans Administration Hospital, Coatesville, "I am about half way through NP residency. Will be here until September, 1949. Have seen a number of classmates at Jefferson: William G. Johnson, M.D., John S. Watson, M.D., John J. Gartland, Jr., M.D., and Augustin M. de Andino, Jr., M.D.
- ROBERT R. ARRINGTON, M.D., is in Obstetrics and Gynecology residency at Crawford Long Hospital in Atlanta, Georgia.
- WILLIAM A. MORTON, JR., M.D., writes "My present address is Heilwood, Pennsylvania. Have a little boy two years, nine months and a little girl three months of age."
- JAMES T. SPENCER, JR., M.D., writes from Charleston, West Virginia. "Have been in practice since August. Things are going well."
- ALBERT D. KAPCAR, M.D.: "I am a resident in Urology at Bayonne Hospital. Will be here until July 1950."
- FRANCIS BROWER, M.D.: "I am practicing here at Woodbury, New Jersey."
- STEPHEN SOROKANICH, M.D., writes from Old Forge, Pennsylvania, "At present, I am doing general practice in my home town."
- 1945 WILLIAM LIVAN ROSS, JR., M.D., was married to Miss Dolores DeMar Flaville at the St. John's Lutheran Church in Salisbury, N. C., on February 14, 1948.
- 1947 BENJAMIN J. LAWRENCE, JR., M.D., was married Saturday, December 4, 1948 at the Nashville Methodist Church to Miss Harriet Davis Cooley. Dr. Lawrence is now at the Bowman-Gray School of Medicine in Winston-Salem where he holds a fellowship in surgery.