

# Medical School

By ROBERTA HUFF

## Faculty

Dr. H. A. Shoemaker, assistant dean of the Medical School, was present in Cleveland, Ohio, when members of the 1940 Decennial Meeting of the United States Pharmacopoeial Convention reconvened April 7.

Dr. Paul C. Colonna, professor of orthopedic surgery, and Dr. Donald B. McMullen, assistant professor of bacteriology and associate professor of hygiene and public health, have been elected to the General Faculty Senate of the University as representatives of the School of Medicine.

Dr. Onis Hazel, associate in dermatology and syphilology, left March 27 for services with the United States Public Health Service, on leave of absence for the duration.

Dr. Hazel was toastmaster and Dr. J. W. Kelso, associate professor of gynecology, was principal speaker at the annual dinner dance of Phi Beta Pi medical fraternity March 14.

Gen. Robert U. Patterson, dean of the Medical School, has been elected an honorary member of the University of Oklahoma chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, in recognition of his service to the public, particularly in the advancement of medical science.

## Alumni

Dr. William G. McCreight, '40med, is completing a year of residence at the Scott-White Clinic, Temple, Texas, following a year's internship at the New Rochelle Hospital, New Rochelle, New York. He has been awarded a fellowship in dermatology and syphilology at the Mayo Clinic to begin October 1, 1942, under Dr. C. L. O'Leary. If he is called for service with the armed forces, the fellowship will be deferred for the duration.

Dr. Joseph C. Sturgell, '38med, is in the United States Public Health Service, Federal Penal Service, in Danbury, Connecticut.

Dr. Robert A. Knight, '38med, of Memphis, Tennessee, was a visitor at the Medical School April 6.

Dr. Ferdinand R. Hassler, '37med, director of state laboratories, State Health Department, read a paper on Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever before the American Epidemiological Society in Baltimore, Maryland, March 20.

Dr. Jack Carroll Haldeman, '37med, is connected with the United States Public Health Service in Washington, D.C. Dr. and Mrs. Haldeman have a son four months old.

Dr. Charles William McClellan, '41med, visited the Medical School March 24, on a week's vacation from Broadlawns Polk County Hospital, Des Moines, Iowa, where he is serving a one-year internship. He has been appointed resident in pathology at St. Vincent's Hospital, Portland, Oregon, commencing July 1.

Dr. Ausmon E. Culmer, Jr., '40med, who visited the Medical School March 25, said that he expected to serve two more years at the University of Wisconsin Hospitals, Madison.

Dr. Evelyn Mae Rude, '35med, is resident physician in the New England Hospital for Women and Children in Boston, Massachusetts.

Dr. Harold T. Baugh, '30med, in the hospital service of the Presbyterian Foreign Missions Board, was last reported in the city of Tagbilaran on Bohol Island in the Philippines. Dr. Baugh's father, physician at Meeker, Oklahoma, wrote *Sooner Magazine* that the board has been keeping him informed about his son when able to get a cable from Cebu Island.

Dr. Rheba Huff, '38med, has joined the staff of physicians at Kiowa Indian Hospital at Lawton. She was a resident in surgery in Dallas, Texas, after completing her internship in Des Moines,



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*Singer, interne, and headed for the Army*

Iowa, and will assist in surgical work in her new position.

Dr. L. B. Corbett, '24med, is a physician in Houston, Texas.

Dr. Walter Traynor Dardis, '11med, Oklahoma City physician since 1919, died March 18 at his home following a four-month illness. Dr. Dardis came to Oklahoma in 1901 and took postgraduate work at the University of the South, Sewanee, Tennessee, and in New York City after graduating from the University. He was an assistant in the state venereal disease clinic for several years and a staff member of the Polyclinic Hospital in Oklahoma City. In 1934 he established the Dardis X-ray and Biological Clinic and was its director at the time of his death. Survivors include his wife and a daughter, at the home address, and a son, Walter T. Dardis, Jr., a pre-medical student in the University.

Dr. James R. Kennedy, '41med, and Dr. Roy Sanford, '41med, are among five resident physicians appointed to the medical staff of the University of Colorado General Hospital, Denver, for next year.

Retiring as superintendent of the Carter County Health Unit, Dr. W. W. Mead, '37med, has engaged in private practice of medicine with offices in the Gilbert Building at Ardmore.

Miss Paula Janice Culwell, '39nurse, and Dr. Robert Herman Bender, '41med, were married in February at the home of the bride's parents in Warner, Oklahoma. Mrs. Bender recently completed college work at Northeastern State College, Tahlequah. The couple have established a home in Des Moines, Iowa, where Dr. Bender is an interne at Broadlawns Hospital.

Miss Maxine Hoffer, '41med, Elgin, and Dr. William H. Reiff, '41med, were married February 20 in Ann Arbor, Michigan. The bride, a member of Phi Beta Kappa, has been interning at a hospital in Oak Park, Illinois. Dr. Reiff, a first lieutenant in the Medical Corps Reserve, expects to finish his internship at the University Hospital,

Ann Arbor, in June. He is a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity.

The School of Medicine Alumni Association planned a meeting at Tulsa April 23 in connection with the convention of the Oklahoma Medical Association. Dr. Wann Langston, Oklahoma City, was scheduled to be principal speaker, and Dr. William F. Taylor, Oklahoma City, professor emeritus of pediatrics, honorary toastmaster at the "decade banquet." The program included the following speakers as representatives of the honor classes: Dr. Pauline Barker, Guthrie, Class of 1912; Dr. Marvin D. Henley, Tulsa, Class of 1932; Dr. John H. Lamb, Oklahoma City, Class of 1932, and Allen Greer, Oklahoma City, president of the 1942 graduating class.

Appointment of "key men" to look after affairs of the medical alumni association in the four quarters of the state has been announced by Dr. Ray M. Balyeat, '18med, Oklahoma City physician who is association president. Appointees are Dr. Clarence F. Needham, '24med, Ada, Southeast; Dr. J. Wendell Mercer, '25med, Enid, Northwest; Dr. I. A. Nelson, '25med, Tulsa, Northeast; and Dr. Howard Angus, '38med, Lawton, Southwest.

Dr. Andrew M. Young, Jr., Oklahoma City physician for 27 years, died March 18 in a hospital at Kerrville, Texas, following a heart attack. He was the father of Dr. A. M. Young, III, '37med, now practicing in Oklahoma City, and Millington Young, a student in the University School of Medicine.

Miss Elsie Elizabeth Moreau, Olustee, and Lt. David Daniel Fried, '40med, Bigford, Arkansas, were married March 9 at Las Vegas, Nevada. The bride is a graduate of Central State College, Edmond, and during the last year has been on the staffs of Altus City Hospital and the Murray Memorial Hospital in Dodge City, Kansas. Dr. Fried, a first lieutenant, served his internship at Broadlawns Hospital, Des Moines, Iowa, and is now stationed at the Air Force Gunnery School, Las Vegas.

Miss Ruth Scudder, formerly of Tulsa, and Lt. Frank H. Sisler, Jr., '40med, were married March 27 in New Orleans, Louisiana. Before her marriage the bride was a medical technician at St. John's Hospital in Tulsa where Lieutenant Sisler was a resident in surgery before being called to active service. Mrs. Sisler is a graduate of Hastings College in Nebraska. Lieutenant Sisler served a year's internship in Richmond, Virginia, and is now stationed in New Orleans, Louisiana. The couple have established a home in the Seville Apartments.

## Singing Interne

Hospital rules probably prohibit doctors from lulling patients to sleep with an aria or two, but Dr. William E. Hubbard, '41med, has plenty of other opportunities to use his vocal talent while an interne in Denver, Colorado.

Since his internship began at Denver's Mercy Hospital last summer, Dr. Hubbard, known to his friends as Bill, has sung numerous times over radio station KOA and at various musical productions in the Colorado capital.

March 14 he sang, at a paid performance, the entire cycle *Dichterliebe* (Poet's Love) by Robert Schumann. On March 29, as a member of the Lamont Singers, he took part in the presentation of Brahms' *Requiem*, accompanied by the Denver Symphony Orchestra. April 27, 28 and 29, Dr. Hubbard was scheduled to sing the role of Canio in the opera *Pagliacci*.

Before going to Denver and while still a student, Dr. Hubbard sang at St. Luke's Methodist Church in Oklahoma City, over stations WKY and KOMA, and for various group meetings and club dinners.

After July 1, the singing interne probably will be doing his rehearsing in the Army. He is a first lieutenant in the Medical Reserve and expects to be called to active duty upon completion of his internship. He was married last December to Miss Maxine Henderson, of Denver.

A brother, Major Ralph W. Hubbard, '32med, on duty in the Philippines, was believed to be with the American forces on Bataan Peninsula.

# Board Election Begins

[Association Progress]

**V**OTING in the annual election of new members of the executive board of the University of Oklahoma Association is now under way and will close May 15. Only ballots mailed on or before May 15 will be considered by the election committee.

The official ballot was sent to all alumni on record through the Quarterly News Bulletin. Only paid members of the Association—life or annual—are eligible to vote on board members. However, any graduate or former student may become eligible to vote by sending a check for membership (\$3.00 for annual membership or \$60 for life membership) along with the ballot.

Additional ballots are available from the Alumni Office.

Five new members are elected to the executive board each year, for three-year terms.

Nominees in the election this year are:

For members-at-large (two to be elected)—Bennie McElyea, Hobart; Tom R. Benedum, Norman; Grady Harris, Alex; Harry Simmons, Wewoka; Ralph Kenyon, Lawton, and Emily Smith, Altus.

For District Three (one to be elected)—Dr. Claude Lively, McAlester; Elbert Costner, Poteau; and Joe A. Brown, Hartshorne.

For District Six (one to be elected)—Clyde Powell, Chickasha; Dr. Roy C. Warren, Yukon, and George Armor, Canton.

For District Eight—George Abbott, Ponca City; Major Bill Cox, Ponca City; J. H. Van Zant, Enid.

In accordance with the alumni association constitution, full information about each nominee appears on the ballot. The nominees were selected by a committee of five appointed by O. F. Muldrow, of Ardmore, association president. Those serving on the committee were Paul W. Reed, Sulphur, chairman; Norman W. Brillhart, Madill, past president of the association; George D. Hann, Ardmore; Mrs. Carol Daube Sutton, Ardmore, and Mr. Muldrow. The committee made its decisions after consulting the entire membership of the executive board.

The five members of the board who complete terms this spring, and are ineligible to succeed themselves, are: Cy Ellinger, Purcell, and Elmer Fraker, Mangum, members-at-large; O. F. Muldrow, Ardmore, District Three; Dr. John B. Miles, Anadarko, District Six; and Carl S. Ford, Enid, District Eight.

New board members will be seated at the annual Commencement Day meeting of the board, scheduled at 2:30 p.m. Monday, June 1.

## Life Membership Ranking

CLASS	RANK	NUMBER	PER CENT
1904	1	2	14.39
1912	2	16	13.01
1910	3	10	12.82
1914	4	21	12.65
1909	5	5	11.90
1908	6	6	11.32
1913	7	14	10.85
1911	8	8	9.64
1916	9	19	8.62
1915	10	16	8.38
1906	11	3	8.11
1907	12	3	7.14
1920	13	26	6.72
1917	14	16	6.08
1919	15	14	5.51
1922	16	28	5.44
1905	17	1	5.21
1918	18	10	4.39
1924	19	27	3.86
1921	20	17	3.70
1923	21	19	3.32
1926	22	20	2.83
1930	23	25	2.42
1925	24	16	2.14
1928	25	18	2.12
1938	26	27	2.11
1934	27	22	2.06
1927	28	14	2.01
1937	29	24	1.97
1941	30	29	1.92
1929	31	18	1.75
1933	32	16	1.45
1931	33	15	1.38
1939	34	18	1.28
1932	35	13	1.15
1940	36	16	0.97
1935	37	10	0.91
1936	38	9	0.75
Undergraduates		3	
Honorary		5	
TOTAL LIVING LIFE MEMBERS		599	

## New Life Members

Addition of five more names to the life membership list last month brought the total number of living life members to 599.

The new group includes two doctors, a lawyer, a teacher and a housewife. They are:

Dr. Coyne H. Campbell, '24ba, psychiatrist and chief of staff of the Campbell-Galbraith Clinic and Sanitarium, Oklahoma City. Dr. Campbell received his medical degree from Rush Medical College, Chicago.

Dr. John C. Pickard, '24bs,med, '26med, physician at Dubuque, Iowa.

Mrs. John C. Pickard (Marjorie Mehl, '24ba), home maker, Dubuque.

Walter G. Scott, '31law, Oklahoma City, executive secretary of the Oklahoma Bar Association.

Fred Bement, '39m.ed, teacher in Norman High School.

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