
Medical School

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MAJ. GEN. JAMES C. MAGEE, until recently surgeon general of the United States Army, lectured to the students, internes and faculty members of the School of Medicine November 12.

His topic was military medicine, with special reference to tropical diseases. General Magee recently returned from a trip to U. S. Army stations in England and North Africa, and is familiar with the situation which confronts medical officers overseas.

He appeared at the School of Medicine under the auspices of the National Research Council, Washington, D. C. The program of which this lecture was a part is financed by a grant from the John and Mary R. Markle Foundation to the National Research Council.

Dr. Donald B. McMullen, acting head of the Department of Public Health and associate professor of bacteriology, recently returned from a six-weeks trip through Central America, where he made a study of tropical diseases. Dr. McMullen visited the United Fruit Company hospital in Honduras, the Pan-American and North Honduran highway projects, and Guatemala City, Guatemala. His trip was sponsored by the John and Mary R. Markle Foundation. After his return, Dr. McMullen attended a meeting of the Southern Medical Association in Cincinnati, Ohio, November 16 to 19.

Members of Phi Chi honorary medical fraternity met in the Skirvin Hotel, Oklahoma City, November 6 to honor 41 new initiates. Phi Chi alumni present included Dr. Wayne Hull, '35 med, Dr. P. W. Smith, Dr. J. M. Thuringer, Dr. E. C. Mason, Dr. Hiram D. Moor, '25med, Dr. J. R. McLauchlin, '43med, Dr. J. H. Adamez, Dr. Marvin Terrill, Dr. John Florence, '43med, Dr. H. T. Avey, and Dr. Charles Brighton.

Alumni

► Dr. Jeff T. Parks II, '43med, Tahlequah, an interne at Wesley Hospital in Oklahoma City, died November 11. Death was attributed to heart disease. Dr. Parks was a graduate of Northeastern State College, Tahlequah, and of the School of Medicine where he was a member of Phi Beta Pi medical fraternity. He was in the first months of his internship. Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Mary Parks, and his father, Jeff T. Parks, former district judge at Tahlequah.

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